

LEVITICUS

Chapter 12-15
part 2

NOTES: Review

- Is there an issue - skin rash, mildew, or discharge?
- Priest must examine & isolate
- Has it spread or changed color?
- If Clean = Bathe, shave, offer sin, guilt & grain offering, anoint with oil & blood, remove infected area

NOTES: Review

- If unclean: put outside the camp, (13:45-46) torn clothes, hair unkept, cry “unclean”, permanent isolation, tear down house

Sin = The Incurable Problem

- Ps. 51:5 - born with it
- Romans 3:23 - everyone has it
- Romans 6:23 - it will kill you = 100% mortality!
- We see the problems everywhere (inside & outside the church) - people bleeding, wounds & unresolved hurts

Jesus the answer & healer
for our fleshly issue!

Hebrews 8:3-8;
9:8-14; 10:11-18

Examination, Diagnosis & Cleansing

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Psalm 139

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 - Get in the Light - John 3:16-21
 - How? The Word, Prayer, & Worship
 - Communion (1 Cor. 11:17-34)
 - Holy Spirit - Jn. 16:7-11
 - 2 Cor. 13:5 - “examine yourselves”
 - Num. 32:23 - sin will find you out!

“24 The sins of some men are obvious, reaching the place of judgment ahead of them; the sins of others trail behind them. 25 In the same way, good deeds are obvious, and even those that are not cannot be hidden.”

1 Timothy 5:24-25 | NIV84

Examination, Diagnosis & Cleansing

1. Go to the Priest for examination = Jesus
 - Sin is always more than surface deep
 - Is sin spreading? James 1:14-15
 - Is sin defiling, corroding, corrupting, affecting others(our kids) or hindering our worship or desire for fellowship?
 - Color change = lifestyle, attitude?

Examination, Diagnosis & Cleansing

- Scripture to use: Eph. 5:3-13, Col. 3:5-8, 1 Thes. 4:3-7
- Challenge for veterans: Mold & Mildew is the result of moisture - James 1:22-25
 - Been soaking in, but not giving out?
Moldy spiritual life?

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2. Expose & Isolate- either remove the problem or remove yourself!

- Confession big part of this 1 John 1:5-2:3- be specific

- Get real - Matt. 5 - murder, adultery...bitterness, jealousy...

- Isolate & get in the Word daily!

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Note: 13:4 - the individual is isolated not the community - not always a community issue

3. Discipline & Cleansing

- Hebrews 12:7-11 - God disciplines those he loves
- Heb. 4:12-13 - apply the scalpel & water of God's Word (wash & shave)

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- Baptism public declaration
- One bird killed (put to death old man)
Let 2nd one go - Ps. 103:12 - God
removes our sin
- Cedar = cross; scarlet = blood; hyssop
= Jn 19:29 Jesus took pain for you!

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- Oil & blood applied to head, hands & feet = Ps. 51:10-12 - renewal of the Holy Spirit & walk in joy of salvation again

4. Offer Sacrifices - Rom. 12:1-2

- Live in the grace & freedom of Christ!
- Rom. 10:9-10, Eph. 2:8-9

2 Kings 5