

Responding to the New Covenant

Hebrews 10:19-25

Two Things Believers Already Possess

- The foundation of Jesus' work in the past
- The foundation of Jesus' ministry in the present

Let us Draw Near in Full Assurance of Faith

- We come boldly into the presence of God
- With a heart made true by the work of Christ

Let us Hold Fast the Confession of Our Hope

- Perseverance requires effort
- Thinking rightly about the character of God

Let us Consider How to Stir Up One Another

- Determined to be a blessing
- Noticing and honoring the work of others

Responding with...

- Faith in our Savior, hope in God's promises, and love for His people

For Life Group Discussion

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1. If someone asked you, "What is the book of Hebrews all about?" what would you say?

2. Read Heb 10:19-21. How does the author preface his application by reminding us of the past and present ministry of Jesus? Why is that important?

3. Read Heb 10:22. What is your reaction to the truth that we can "draw near" to God? How does that reflect your understanding of sin and holiness?

- What does "drawing near" look like? Give 1 or 2 practical examples from your life this past week
- How do we get a "true heart"? Are you ever tempted to try and manufacture this yourself?

4. Read Heb 10:23. How do we balance God's provision with human effort? How can understanding God rightly fuel our perseverance?

5. Read Heb 10:24-25. Are you committed to participation in the local church? Why or why not? What's your primary motivation to attend?

- How, specifically, can you be a blessing this Sunday?
- Whose work will you notice and acknowledge?