

Hebrews 7:1-28

“Jesus Has a Better Priesthood”

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subject: the priesthood of Jesus

objective: come to God through Jesus

I. Jesus' priesthood is like Melchizedek's priesthood (vv. 1-10)

A. Melchizedek was a superior priest (v. 4)

1. his priesthood is continual (3)

2. he received tithes from Abraham (4-10)

3. he blessed Abraham (6-7)

B. Melchizedek is a type of Jesus

II. Jesus' priesthood replaced the Levitical priesthood (vv. 11-19)

A. the Levitical priesthood was inadequate

1. it was based on the Law (v. 11)

2. another priesthood was needed (11)

B. Jesus' priesthood is better than the Levitical priesthood

1. His priesthood is more surely established (16)

2. Jesus brings a better hope

III. Jesus's priesthood is perfect (vv. 20-28)

A. He is confirmed by oath from God (21)

B. He continues forever (23-25)

C. He is the perfected High Priest (26-28)