

#### **Sermon Discussion Guide**

# 03.10.24 Message | Chuck Sackett | Hebrews 3:1-6

# **Key Scripture:**

"Therefore, holy brothers, you who share in a heavenly calling, consider Jesus, the apostle and high priest of our confession, who was faithful to him who appointed him, just as Moses also was faithful in all God's house. For Jesus has been counted worthy of more glory than Moses—as much more glory as the builder of a house has more honor than the house itself. (For every house is built by someone, but the builder of all things is God.) Now Moses was faithful in all God's house as a servant, to testify to the things that were to be spoken later, but Christ is faithful over God's house as a son. And we are his house, if indeed we hold fast our confidence and our boasting in our hope."

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# **Message Highlights:**

- Though it presents challenges, Jesus remains superior to the law.
- Through the weariness we face as believers, we are called to consider Jesus!
- Three considerations: Jesus' faithfulness to purpose, greater worth as the builder and role in fulfilling God's promises.
- Hebrews 3:6 conveys the idea that we are the dwelling place of God, and our faithfulness is the visible expression of this truth.

#### **CONVERSATION STARTER**

- What's one thing on your bucket list, and why is it significant to you?
- Recommend a book or movie that left a lasting impression on you and discuss why.

#### **DISCUSS THE MESSAGE**

How has the Spirit spoken to you through this section of God's Word?

### **THINK DEEPER** (Does your group understand the passage?)

- What do verses one and two say about Jesus' position in our lives? How do you choose to live in light of your answer?
- What do verses three and four say about Jesus' "worth"? How is this value of Jesus demonstrated in your life?
- What promises from verses five and six resonate most with you? Why are these promises significant?

# **THINK LIFE CHANGE** (Does your group recognize the personal implications for them as individuals?)

- What aspects of your faith journey make you feel tired or challenged (e.g., attending church, reading your Bible, being around people, serving, etc.)? Why did you or did you not give up/take a break?
- Why do you suppose faithfully following after Jesus, even though we know he is the answer to all our spiritual problems, is so difficult?
- Chuck challenged us with the statement, "If you're living in the presence of God...you can make it through the tensions of life." How has this proven true in your life?

## **THINK ENGAGE** (Does your group know how to apply the challenge?)

- What practical steps can you take to hold fast to your confidence and hope in Christ?
- Chuck highlighted the importance of choosing to "press on," emphasizing that without this intentional effort, we may miss out on experiencing the rest that Christ invites us into. What does embracing this concept of "pressing on" look like in your life, and how do you actively strive to live it out?

**THINK KINGDOM** (Does your group understand the overarching Kingdom, that the work we do is bigger than ourselves?)

• In what areas of your life can you actively demonstrate faithfulness as an act of worshipful obedience, not mere obligation, and contribute to advancing God's Kingdom?