

NO TURNING BACK

Hebrews 10.26-11.1 // September 28, 2025

The book of Hebrews is written to Jewish Christians who have been dealing with persecution for following Jesus and the New Covenant. It appears that some of them are tempted to give up and just go back to the Old Covenant, including the sacrificial system.

JESUS IS SUPERIOR

Hebrews 1:1-10:18 lays out the superiority of Jesus over everything that was so valuable in their Old Covenant experience – Jesus is superior to the prophets, angels, Moses, and every high priest. The New Covenant in Jesus' own blood is superior to the Mosaic Covenant which is now obsolete.

JESUS HAS ENDED THE SYSTEM OF SACRIFICE. BECAUSE OF HIM WE CAN ALL ENTER GOD'S PRESENCE

The author of Hebrews draws two big conclusions: (1) the sacrifice of Jesus on the cross has brought to a conclusion the entire sacrificial system. There is no longer any sacrifice for sin remaining, because Jesus' sacrifice is final and complete. (2) All of us in Christ now have complete access to the Presence of Almighty God in the Most Holy Place, in the real temple, not the earthly one which was just a copy and a shadow of the real one.

THERE'S NO TURNING BACK NOW, ONLY A GLORIOUS FUTURE, SO KEEP ENDURING TO THE END

These Jewish Christians are now exhorted to persevere because there is nothing to turn back to. The Old Covenant is done and gone. They need to keep enduring, confident that Jesus will return and fulfill every promise that has been made.

None of us today are tempted to go back to the Old Mosaic Covenant, but we are tempted to turn back from the knowledge of the truth we have received. We are tempted to think in terms of "works-righteousness", you-get-what-you-deserve thinking, instead of the wonderful truth of Grace abundantly given from a Father who loves us unconditionally.



NOTES:

Announcements:

Community Meal: Next Sunday after service we will enjoy some time of food and fellowship together, with an appetizer lunch! Signup to bring something to share here:



<https://lmcink.com/o9y>

Women's Gathering: Monday, October, 6th, 7-8:30pm. Jessica Teas will host, and Karen Bower will lead the discussion on "Growing More Holy."

This Week's Call to Worship Psalm:

Psalm 84.1-8

This Week's Scripture to Memorize:

1 Peter 1.3, 4

Blessed be the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ! According to his great mercy, he has caused us to be born again to a living hope through the resurrection of Jesus Christ from the dead, to an inheritance that is imperishable, undefiled, and unfading, kept in heaven for you,

ARE YOU NEW HERE?

WELCOME TO LIFE MISSION!

We'd love for you to **fill out a Connection Card** so we can welcome you and answer any questions you may have. You can drop it in the offering basket during the service or take it to one of our teammates at the **Connection Booth** outside. Feel free to grab some coffee and snacks in the courtyard and hang out. We hope you'll **join us next Sunday** and consider making us your church family.

WHAT ABOUT THE KIDS?

Our childrens' ministry, which we call **Kids on Mission**, has classes for **newborns - 5th grade**. We have a great team of volunteers who have all been screened with background checks for extra security. Each week your child will get to **worship** with their class, followed by an **age-appropriate lesson** that points them towards Jesus and helps root them in the Word of God.

Visit our website to read more about the vision of Kids on Mission and a walkthrough of our curriculum. If you have any questions, email **Amber Willis at amber@lifemission.tv**

JUNIOR HIGH & HIGH SCHOOL

Our **6th - 8th graders** begin each Sunday by **worshipping with the adults** and then head to their classroom with their teacher and classmates for the rest of service. Visit our website to read more about our junior high ministry and a walkthrough of our curriculum.

Our **9th-12th graders stay in the service** with the adults because we believe that it is crucial for them to not "graduate the faith" when they graduate high school.

For more information about our Junior High & High School ministries, email **Tyler Willis at tyler@lifemission.tv**.

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COMMUNITY GROUP HOMEWORK

Our Community Groups are on break for summer!
But while they are, make sure you stay connected.

THE LORD'S P.R.A.Y.er MODEL

- Preaching the Gospel to Yourself (Matthew 6.9, 10)
- Repent and Confess (Matthew 6.12)
- Ask for Provision (Matthew 6.11-13)
- Yield with Thanksgiving (Matthew 6.10)

Father, be glorified in _____, let Your Kingdom
and will be done, in and through _____ as it is in Heaven.

Give _____ daily bread, and thank You for Your forgiveness.
Help _____ to forgive _____,
because You are the One who has forgiven us.

Keep _____ eyes fixed on You and Your Word and promises
so that _____ may not sin against You.
Thank You for and help me trust Your sovereign love.



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CHURCH

MAKING DISCIPLES WHO MAKE DISCIPLES LOCALLY AND GLOBALLY,
WHO ARE SAVED, EQUIPPED, AND SENT BY THE GOSPEL.

HEBREWS

THE TRUE AND BETTER

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SUNDAYS AT 10AM

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