

## **Sermon Questions**

### **Hebrews 7:20-28**

This week we discussed not only how Christ's priesthood was superior but how it has prevailed. Because Jesus Christ is from the order of Melchizedek, he is the only One who qualifies as the eternal high priest. God in His Word promised that Jesus Christ would be the great prevailing High Priest and that He would be preferable. As we study the work of Christ's priesthood we learn about His better covenant, His permanence and the fact that he prays for us. His perfect nature with His personal attention makes Christ the Greatest High Priest of all time. Knowing that God hears us and intercedes for us gives us a great confidence and hope in Him. May God fill you with His hope through this week's message.

Here are some notes to review from this week's sermon...

### **Christ's Prevailing Priesthood**

#### **Hebrews 7:20-28**

**Christ's priesthood prevails because He is...**

**Promised and preferable (20-22)**

**Permanent and prayerful (23-25)**

**Perfect and personal (26-28)**

Hearing the Word of God and responding to Him is extremely important. If you haven't had the chance to listen to the message from this week you can now watch it [HERE](#). After watching, please use the following questions (if you find them helpful) in your BRAVE groups (now online every weekday) or discuss them with your family and/or friends. If you are not in a BRAVE Group now is a great time to get involved. Please email [info@bravechurch.online](mailto:info@bravechurch.online) and we will get you connected with a community that will work for you.

### **Questions**

1. Did God ever make an oath to the Aaronic priesthood? What is the significance of God making an oath for the order of the priesthood of Melchizedek? If all of God's Word is true than why did God make an oath? What did His oath in Psalm 110:4 mean?
2. How was the Levitical priesthood a foreshadowing of Christ? How did Christ fulfill the priesthood? Why is this significant?
3. How true is the Word of God? What Scriptures are your favorites about the truth of God's Word? If all of God's Word is NOT true how can any of it be true? Which of

these Scriptures speak the most to you? Isaiah 40:8; Isaiah 55:11; Matthew 24:35; Hebrews 4:12; 2 Timothy 3:16; John 17:17; Psalm 19:7-11?

4. Why should you hold on to the promises of God? Which promises are you holding on to right now? What specific Scripture is providing hope to you? How are you holding God accountable to His Word?
5. Why are God's promises true? How important should a believer take the promises of God? How often do you personally trust the promises of God? How can you help others to trust God's promises?
6. Why is the New Covenant a better covenant? Was the Old Covenant bad? What did the Old Covenant teach us about God and ourselves? How does the New Covenant supersede the Old Covenant?
7. Why is the priesthood of Jesus permanent? What difference does that make for us as a believer? How often do you thank God for the priestly ministry of Jesus Christ? Why does Jesus Christ never need to be replaced? How do you know he is Eternal?
8. What's the significance of the intercessory ministry of Jesus Christ? How does it strike you to learn that Jesus Christ is praying for you? That He will ensure you make it home? That you will always be saved? That he can deliver you out of any troubles you have presently?
9. What do you know about the intercessory ministry of Jesus Christ while He was on the earth? How powerful were his prayers? How do you feel knowing that Jesus Christ is currently praying for you and every believer on the planet?
10. What does it mean that Jesus Christ is perfect? How is He holy? Innocent? Undefined? Separated from sinners? Exalted above the heavens? What does this tell us about His character? How should we approach Jesus? How significant is it that Jesus Christ is completely holy and yet also completely personal? Have you trusted Jesus Christ as your personal Lord and Savior?
11. How was Jesus Christ's sacrifice different from the ongoing daily sacrifices of the priests? How did the Jesus make atonement once and for all? How does this allow us to participate in the presence of Jesus Christ?
12. What was the most significant part of this week's message? What application do you need to make right now?

