

**Christ as Our Sabbath Rest, Typified by
the Good Land of Canaan**

Monday 6/3

Gen. 1:26

26 And God said, Let Us make man in Our image, according to Our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of heaven and over the cattle and over all the earth and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.

Gen. 2:2

2 And on the seventh day God finished His work which He had done, and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which He had done.

Gen. 1:27-28

27 And God created man in His own image; in the image of God He created him; male and female He created them.

28 And God blessed them; and God said to them, Be fruitful and multiply, and fill the earth and subdue it, and have dominion over the fish of the sea and over the birds of heaven and over every living thing that moves upon the earth.

Gen. 2:3

3 And God blessed the seventh day and sanctified it because in it He rested from all His work which God had created and made.

Heb. 2:6-8

6 But one has solemnly testified somewhere, saying, "What is man, that You bring him to mind? Or the son of man, that You care for him?"

7 You have made Him a little inferior to the angels; You have crowned Him with glory and honor and have set Him over the works of Your hands;

8 You have subjected all things under His feet." For in subjecting all things to Him, He left nothing unsubject to Him. But now we do not yet see all things subjected to Him,

Exo. 20:8

8 Remember the Sabbath day so as to sanctify it.

Further Reading: *HWMR Laboring on the All-inclusive Christ... – Week 6, Day 1*

Tuesday 6/4

Deut. 12:9

9 For until now you have not come to the rest and to

the inheritance that Jehovah your God is giving you.

Heb. 4:8-9

8 For if Joshua had brought them into rest, He would not have spoken concerning another day after these things.

9 So then there remains a Sabbath rest for the people of God.

Rev. 20:1-4, 6

1 And I saw an angel coming down out of heaven, having the key of the abyss and a great chain in his hand.

2 And he laid hold of the dragon, the ancient serpent, who is the Devil and Satan, and bound him for a thousand years

3 And cast him into the abyss and shut it and sealed it over him, that he might not deceive the nations any longer until the thousand years were completed; after these things he must be loosed for a little while.

4 And I saw thrones, and they sat upon them, and judgment was given to them. And I saw the souls of those who had been beheaded because of the testimony of Jesus and because of the word of God, and of those who had not worshipped the beast nor his image, and had not received the mark on their forehead and on their hand; and they lived and reigned with Christ for a thousand years.

6 Blessed and holy is he who has part in the first resurrection; over these the second death has no authority, but they will be priests of God and of Christ and will reign with Him for a thousand years.

Further Reading: *HWMR Laboring on the All-inclusive Christ... – Week 6, Day 2*

Wednesday 6/5

Matt. 11:28-30

28 Come to Me all who toil and are burdened, and I will give you rest.

29 Take My yoke upon you and learn from Me, for I am meek and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.

30 For My yoke is easy and My burden is light.

John 4:34

34 Jesus said to them, My food is to do the will of Him who sent Me and to finish His work.

John 5:30

30 I can do nothing from Myself; as I hear, I judge, and My judgment is just, because I do not seek My own will but the will of Him who sent Me.

John 6:38

38 For I have come down from heaven not to do My own will but the will of Him who sent Me.

Matt. 26:39, 42

39 And going forward a little, He fell on His face and prayed, saying, My Father, if it is possible, let this cup pass from Me; yet not as I will, but as You will.

42 Again, going away a second time, He prayed, saying, My Father, if this cannot pass away unless I drink it, Your will be done.

Eph. 4:20-21

20 But you did not so learn Christ,

21 If indeed you have heard Him and have been taught in Him as the reality is in Jesus,

Further Reading: *HWMR Laboring on the All-inclusive Christ... – Week 6, Day 3*

Thursday 6/6

Exo. 31:17

17 It is a sign between Me and the children of Israel forever; for in six days Jehovah made heaven and earth, and on the seventh day He rested and was refreshed.

1 Cor. 15:10

10 But by the grace of God I am what I am; and His grace unto me did not turn out to be in vain, but, on the contrary, I labored more abundantly than all of them, yet not I but the grace of God which is with me.

Exo. 31:12-16, 18

12 And Jehovah spoke to Moses, saying,

13 Speak also to the children of Israel, saying, You shall surely keep My Sabbaths; for it is a sign between Me and you throughout your generations, that you may know that I am Jehovah who sanctifies you.

14 Therefore you shall keep the Sabbath, for it is holy to you. Everyone who profanes it shall surely be put to death; for whoever does any work on it, that soul shall be cut off from among his people.

15 Six days work shall be done, but on the seventh day there is a Sabbath of complete rest, holy to Jehovah; whoever does any work on the Sabbath day shall surely be put to death.

16 Therefore the children of Israel shall keep the Sabbath, to observe the Sabbath throughout their generations as a perpetual covenant.

18 And when He had finished speaking with him upon Mount Sinai, He gave to Moses the two tablets of the testimony, tablets of stone, written with the finger of God.

Acts 2:13-14

13 But others jeered and said, They are full of new wine!

14 But Peter, standing with the eleven, lifted up his voice and spoke forth to them: Men of Judea, and all who are dwelling in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and give ear to my words.

Further Reading: *HWMR Laboring on the All-inclusive Christ... – Week 6, Day 4*

Friday 6/7

Heb. 4:12

12 For the word of God is living and operative and sharper than any two-edged sword, and piercing even to the dividing of soul and spirit and of joints and marrow, and able to discern the thoughts and intentions of the heart.

2 Tim. 4:22

22 The Lord be with your spirit. Grace be with you.

1 Cor. 10:6, 11

6 Now these things occurred as examples to us, that we should not be ones who lust after evil things, even as they also lusted.

11 Now these things happened to them as an example, and they were written for our admonition, unto whom the ends of the ages have come.

Rom. 8:3-4, 10, 16

3 For that which the law could not do, in that it was weak through the flesh, God, sending His own Son in the likeness of the flesh of sin and concerning sin, condemned sin in the flesh,

4 That the righteous requirement of the law might be fulfilled in us, who do not walk according to the flesh but according to the spirit.

10 But if Christ is in you, though the body is dead because of sin, the spirit is life because of righteousness.

16 The Spirit Himself witnesses with our spirit that we are children of God.

Eph. 2:22

22 In whom you also are being built together into a dwelling place of God in spirit.

Gal. 6:18

18 The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with your

spirit, brothers. Amen.

Further Reading: *HWMR Laboring on the All-inclusive Christ... – Week 6, Day 5*

Saturday 6/8

Heb. 4:16, 2

16 Let us therefore come forward with boldness to the throne of grace that we may receive mercy and find grace for timely help.

2 For indeed we have had the good news announced to us, even as they also; but the word heard did not profit them, not being mixed together with faith in those who heard.

Eph. 6:17

17 And receive the helmet of salvation and the sword of the Spirit, which Spirit is the word of God,

Gen. 28:12-19

12 And he dreamed: There was a ladder set up on the earth, and its top reached to heaven; and there the angels of God were ascending and descending on it.

13 And there was Jehovah, standing above it; and He said, I am Jehovah, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac. The land on which you lie, I will give to you and to your seed.

14 And your seed will be as the dust of the earth, and you will spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south, and in you and in your seed will all the families of the earth be blessed.

15 And, behold, I am with you and will keep you wherever you go and will cause you to return to this land, for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.

16 And Jacob awoke from his sleep and said, Surely Jehovah is in this place, and I did not know it.

17 And he was afraid and said, How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.

18 And Jacob rose up early in the morning and took the stone that he had put under his head, and he set it up as a pillar and poured oil on top of it.

19 And he called the name of that place Bethel, but the name of the city was Luz previously.

John 1:51

51 And He said to him, Truly, truly, I say to you, You shall see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending on the Son of Man.

Further Reading: *HWMR Laboring on the All-inclusive Christ... – Week 6 Day 5*

Lord's Day 6/9

Heb. 3:7-19

7 Therefore, even as the Holy Spirit says, "Today if you hear His voice,

8 Do not harden your hearts as in the provocation, in the day of trial in the wilderness,

9 Where your fathers tried Me by testing Me and saw My works for forty years.

10 Therefore I was displeased with this generation, and I said, They always go astray in their heart, and they have not known My ways;

11 As I swore in My wrath, They shall not enter into My rest!"

12 Beware, brothers, lest perhaps there be in any one of you an evil heart of unbelief in falling away from the living God.

13 But exhort one another each day, as long as it is called "today," lest any one of you be hardened by the deceitfulness of sin.

14 For we have become partners of Christ, if indeed we hold fast the beginning of the assurance firm to the end,

15 While it is said, "Today if you hear His voice, do not harden your hearts as in the provocation."

16 For who provoked Him when they heard? Indeed was it not all who came out of Egypt by Moses?

17 And with whom was He displeased for forty years? Was it not with those who sinned, whose carcasses fell in the wilderness?

18 And to whom did He swear that they should not enter into His rest, except to the disobedient?

19 And we see that they were not able to enter in because of unbelief.

Hymn, #746

Further Reading:

The Breaking of the Outer Man and the Release of the Spirit, ch. 7

Churchwide Truth Pursuit (Week 16)

Level 1—Hebrews Sequential Reading

Scripture Reading and Copying: *Heb. 6:1-6*

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Hebrews, msg. 27-28*

Level 2—Hebrews Topical Study

Crucial Point: *Today*

Scripture: *Heb. 3:7-4:11*

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Hebrews, msg. 21-24*

Supplemental Reading: *None*

Questions:

1. What is the significance of the repeated references to "today" in Heb. 3:7-4:11?

2. In Heb. 3:7-4:11, what must we do if we hear His voice today?

3. According to Scripture, what should be our view regarding the past, today, and the future?

4. What has the Lord spoken to you today?