

Dig Deeper @Home – “Under a New Covenant”

Complement to sermon on 9/7/2025 – “A Better Hope”

ICE BREAKER – Questions to open dialogue and learn more about those gathered

1. Who do you think wrote the book of Hebrews?
2. When you’re feeling anxious, what steadies you?

MEMORIZE – Hebrews 7: 22, 24-25

“This makes Jesus the guarantor of a better covenant...He holds his priesthood permanently, because he continues forever. Consequently, he is able to save to the uttermost those who draw near to God through him, since he always lives to make intercession for them.

READ – Hebrews 6:9-7:10

Questions to ponder/discuss:

1. Re-scan the text and consider...
 - a. What did the Holy Spirit cause to “jump off the page” as you read?
 - b. What questions do you have from these verses? Where can you find the answers?
 - c. What are the verses revealing about God?
 - d. What are the verses saying about people?
 - e. In light of these, what needs to change in your life? What are you already doing well?
2. How many times do you see the word “hope” in these verses?
 - a. Why is hope important?
 - b. What causes people to lose hope? Where in life have you lost hope?
 - c. What is “the hope” that followers of Jesus can have? Support your answer with the text.
 - d. How do you cling to this hope in moments/seasons that feel hopeless?

EXPERIENTIAL ACTIVITY – Soul Anchors

“We have this as a sure and steadfast anchor of the soul ...” (Hebrews 6:19)

Watch this video ... <https://youtu.be/dKwCYrOdTEM?si=MzqjJXvwXYYHt0EC> and then answer the following:

1. How would an anchor have helped the situation?
2. What is the anchor the author of Hebrews is talking about?
3. How does this help us in the storms of life?
4. How do you stay connected to the Anchor in calm and in storms?

SING

Spend time worshipping together. Sing your own songs. Look songs up on YouTube for others to be able to sing along. Share a song that has been meaningful to you recently and talk about why. Make this time your own.

Christ our Hope in Life and Death - <https://youtu.be/Oibli1rz7mw?si=BrmD7EPtbqcekrhp>

Great High Priest - <https://youtu.be/0jr4ckWuMpM?si=boxC4CAQ7J19mYUB>

Living Hope - https://youtu.be/9f2FXxDVO6w?si=GHMC_P8h3D5UGGUn

Make Room - <https://youtu.be/u-fZR7oINyc?si=lzoRSJkuO-ZL5bd7>

My Hope is Built - <https://youtu.be/WoPcyr2oYhg?si=d-e5mfGmZYqTDHw4>

PRAY

This is a time to gather around for prayer requests and to share how you have seen God at work. A time to hear where God is showing up in our lives and where we need Him to help us in our lives.

Sending prayer:

May the God of peace who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, the great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, equip you with everything good that you may do his will, working in us all that which is pleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ, to whom be glory forever and ever. Amen.