

Bible Readings Book by Book week 30 – w/c 29/5/22

Week 30

Monday: Leviticus 7:1-21. Five offerings are mentioned. A guilt offering for forgiveness where there also needed to be a pay back to someone sinned against, a sin offering where only forgiveness was needed, and three fellowship offerings to give thanks, to fulfil a vow, or simply as a free act of worship. Jesus is the only sacrifice we need, no animals are required, but what sacrifice of praise or confession do you need to offer up today?

Tuesday: Leviticus 7:22-38. vs22-27 state that the Israelites shouldn't eat the fat or the blood of animals. The fat speaks of what is good and abundance, the blood speaks of life. These belong to God and should be given back to God. Praise God for your abundant blessings and the hope of eternal life we have through the blood of Christ.

Wednesday: Leviticus 8:1-17. Priests stand between God and people and so setting them apart involved washing with water, anointing with oil and offering up a sacrifice as a substitute for their sin. Our High Priest is Jesus, who qualifies because of his baptism in water, the anointing of the Spirit and the sacrifice of himself for our sin on the cross! No other priest is needed to give us access to God!

Thursday: Leviticus 8:18-36. These consecrated priests were stained with the blood of sacrifice. They should hear differently because the blood was on their ear. They should work differently because the blood was on their thumb. They should walk differently because the blood was on their toe. In which of these 3 areas do you need to act differently?

Friday: Leviticus 9:1-24. In v4 Moses told Aaron that God was going to appear to them that very day. God's glory was evident when they came out of the tent and fire miraculously consumed the offerings (vv23-24). Expect to see the evidence of God's presence today. It may not be dramatic but look for evidence of his grace in your activities today.

Weekend: Leviticus 10:1-20. Nadab and Abihu sought out their own relationship with God, apart from the revelation granted through Moses. They had seen great miracles first-hand, but this did not keep them from disobeying God. This shows that even a legacy of great spiritual experiences can't keep us right with God – only an abiding relationship grounded in the truth of God's word can.