

## Hebrews 7:11-28

### Jesus Like Melchizedek

#### Central Idea

Jesus Is Not Superior To *Some*

Jesus Is Superior To *All*

#### OPEN IT

- What is something that you have replaced or gotten rid of recently?
- What is a regular task or chore that you hate doing?

#### EXPLORE IT

- Why did a new priest from the order Melchizedek come along to replace the order of Aaron (7:11)
- What does a new priesthood require? (7:12)
- What made Jesus unique as a member of His tribe? (7:13-14)
- From what tribe did Jesus Christ come? (7:13-14)
- What connection did Jesus' tribe have to the Jewish priesthood? (7:14)
- On what basis did Christ become a priest? (7:15-16)
- Why is the new covenant superior to the old covenant of law? (7:18-19)
- How is Jesus unique among the priests who represented Israel before God? (7:23-25)
- What is Jesus, our high priest, like? (7:26-27)
- What did the Levitical priest have to do before they offered sacrifices for the sins of the people? (7:27)
- How did Jesus perform his function as high priest when he was on earth? (7:27)

#### GET IT

- How does it make you feel to know that Jesus is praying for you at this very moment?
- What does this passage say to people who feel the need for a human priest?
- What role does the law of God play in making us right before God or giving us the power to live for God?
- What comfort can we find in Jesus' role as our high priest?

- What could you say to someone who says, “I don’t see what Christ accomplished by dying on the cross”?
- In what way can Christ’s priesthood give us confidence to draw near to God?

### **APPLY IT**

- How can you make a special effort each day this next week to draw near to God?
- For whom will you pray every day this week?
- How can you honor Christ as your high priest in your prayer throughout the coming week?

### **BILLBOARD**

Trust That Christ Is Superior Over All!