

# Lesson for Midday and Evening Becoming Sessions

## Hebrews 9:11-28

### The Blood of Christ

#### Lesson Central Idea

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But The New Covenant Sacrifice *Never* Needs Repetition

#### OPEN IT

- What are some ways people typically try to deal with their mortality?
- What images come to mind when you hear the phrases “blood sacrifices” and “cleansed with blood?”
- How do you imagine death?

#### EXPLORE IT

- How is the heavenly tabernacle in which Christ serves as high priest described? (9:11)
- By what means did Christ enter the Most Holy Place? (9:12)
- How many times did Christ enter the Most Holy Place? (9:12)
- What ritual cleaning ceremony did a high priest typically complete before he entered the Most Holy Place? (9:13)
- To what degree was a high priest considered clean? (9:13)
- How was Christ’s sacrifice on our behalf different from the usual sacrifice for sin on the Day of Atonement? (9:14)
- What is our promised inheritance? (9:15)
- What must happen for sins to be forgiven? (9:22)
- How do you interpret and apply Hebrews 9:23 to your life?
- What benefits do believers in Christ derive from the sacrifice Christ made on their behalf? (9:24)
- How is Christ categorically different from every other high priest? (9:25-26)
- What fate awaits every person? (9:27)
- How will Christ’s second coming differ from His first advent? (9:28)

## GET IT

- In what way was Christ an unblemished sacrifice?
- What does it mean that Christ fully and completely satisfied God's wrath over sin and can make us right with God?
- Why couldn't we receive our promised eternal inheritance apart from the death of Christ?
- Why do you think the author kept emphasizing that Christ's sacrifice was "once for all?"
- How would it change the way we live if we kept in mind the fact that we will be judged?
- If Christ has done all these fantastic things for us, why are we so prone to stray from Him?
- What might motivate you to be more consistent in your commitment to Christ?
- How can the fact of our mortality (that is, our lives on earth are temporary) motivate us to live a holier lifestyle?

## APPLY IT

- In what concrete way can you show gratitude for Christ's sacrifice?
- With whom do you want to share the good news this week of a Savior who offers forgiveness, freedom from sin, and eternal life? How?

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Trust The Sacrifice That Needs No Repetition!