

Life Group Study Notes

We hear it at weddings but rarely grasp its full implications. Some of us have even made vows based on the promise of a covenant.

Jesus spoke of a New Covenant. What is a covenant and how does it inform our understanding of God and His interaction with His creation?



Study – Discovering What the Bible Says?

1. What was a major takeaway for you from last week's study?
2. Where in our regular lives do we typically hear the word covenant? What is your understanding of the term?
3. How was covenant defined in the message?
4. What are the 4 distinct elements of a covenant instituted by God?
 - a. They are between _____
 - b. Solemnized by a _____
 - c. Meant as a _____
 - d. Involves the whole _____
5. What are the big 3, and what signs are related to the first 2?
 - a. _____ Sign = _____
 - b. _____ Sign = _____
 - c. _____

Read Hebrews 9:11-22 (if time allows, read to end of chapter)

6. What statement was made concerning Jesus, the Law, and the Covenants?

Just as Jesus _____, he also became the
_____ of the _____ found in the
Old Testament _____

7. What are the 7 points given to illustrate the scope of the New Covenant?

- a. _____
- b. _____
- c. _____
- d. _____
- e. _____
- f. _____
- g. _____

8. What are the signs of the New Covenant?

- a. _____
- b. _____

9. Is there something from the message you want to discuss that is not included here as part of the study?

Other Resources

https://carm.org/christianity/christian-doctrine/covenant http://www.gotquestions.org/bible-covenants.html http://www.hebrew4christians.com/index.html

Response – Making it Practical

- 1. What one new things did you learn from this study?
- 2. How different do you view things like baptism or communion?