MEMORY VERSE OF THE WEEK: Hebrews 4:15-16

For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

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MONDAY, JUNE 20

***Read Hebrews 1*—High Priest and King**

1. Hebrews is thought to be a sermon to a Jewish Christian congregation in Rome. How does this book of the bible start off different than Paul's letters?
2. What is the pivotal moment in the earth's salvation history, as Paul described as the fullness of God's time? Are we now in the time the preacher describes as "these last days"?
3. Describe the ways that Jesus is superior to the prophets as messengers through whom God the Father speaks? How does the writer of Hebrews argue that Jesus is superior to the angels?

- **Prayer:** ***Lord, as You promised in these last days, bring Your Word to the many unbelievers.***

TUESDAY, JUNE 21

***Read Hebrews 2*—Interceder**

1. How is the amazing gift of the Gospel exclusive? What is the warning here in Chapter 2?
2. Where is Jesus right now? What is He doing? Can we see the full glory of His reign and His love, His care and His interceding for us? When will we see this all clearly?
3. Who can understand all the troubles you face? How can this be possible (v18)?

- **Prayer:** ***Jesus, You became human and our brother to free us from fear and sin. Let us trust in You.***

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 22

***Read Hebrews 3*—Deliverer to the Promised Land**

1. How confident and boastful are you in your hope that is in Jesus? Is your confidence and boasting in yourself?
2. As a servant, Moses delivered the chosen people to the promised land: C_____ . As a Son, Jesus delivers a____ people to the promised land: H_____ .
3. Can you identify with the waiting Israelites' obstinacy and unbelief in the desert? How is it that we can enter God's rest and comfort when the rebellious Israelites could not?

- **Prayer:** ***Lord, when I am weary, afraid, and rebellious, open my heart to Your promises and straighten and strengthen me.***

THURSDAY, JUNE 23

***Read Hebrews 4*—Throne of Grace**

1. How are the first few versus of Chapter 4 an encouragement and a call to action today?
2. The word of God is active, living, piercing and all seeing. Why do we also need the word of God to point us to Jesus, our perfect, sacrificial and eternal High Priest?
3. The preacher tells us that today we can approach God in heaven for forgiveness. How has that been made possible and how is this done?

- **Prayer:** ***Lord, through Jesus, You have given us confidence that You will always show us mercy and goodness. When we are weak, You are strong*.**

FRIDAY, JUNE 24

***Read Hebrews 5*—Most Exalted**

1. Jesus is the greatest; better than the prophets, than angels, than Moses. What is a High Priest and what does he do? How is Christ better than the line of High Priests that descended from Aaron?
2. "In the days of his flesh, Jesus offered up prayers and supplications, with loud cries and tears". As High Priest, seated on the right hand of the Father, does Jesus continue these prayers of intercession for us?
3. What is the stern warning the preacher has to those that say they do not need to know the Bible and attend church to understand and worship God?

- **Prayer:** ***Jesus, please intercede for me and my family.***

SATURDAY, JUNE 25

***Read Hebrews 6*—Warnings**

1. Can we leave Christ, sin as we please, or try and find another way to salvation, and then decide we want to be a believer again?
2. Who is the only one that has the ability and power to bring us again to be believers (see Matthew 19:26)?
3. Can we come to know God and trust in His assurances and promises on our own or without faith? Can a scholar or scientist discover (or disprove) God? How has your rich faith revealed beautiful things previously unseen?

- **Prayer***: **Jesus, let me never lose my child-like faith. Jesus, let me also be Your disciple and grow in richness of faith and knowledge.***