

## “WORD OF LIFE”

July 20, 2025

### 49. CHRIST – HIS PERSON (29)

#### R. IN THE NEW COVENANT

##### 3. The Mediator

Hymns: # 510 / # 227 / # 39

✚ “Your words were found and I ate them, And Your word became to me The gladness and joy of my heart,” (Jer. 15:16)

[The New Covenant - 2. The Shedder of the Better Blood]

Heb. 8:6 - ... He has obtained a more excellent ministry inasmuch as He is also the Mediator of a better covenant, which has been enacted upon better promises.

Heb. 8:10 - For this is the covenant which I will covenant ..., says the Lord:  
I will impart My laws into their mind, and on their hearts I will inscribe them;  
and I will be God to them, and they will be a people to Me.

Heb. 9:15 - And because of this He is the Mediator of a new covenant, so that, ..., those who have been called might receive the promise of the eternal inheritance.

✚ “Until we all arrive at the oneness of the faith and of the full knowledge of the Son of God, ...” (Eph. 4:13)

❖ In the new covenant Christ is also the Mediator (Hebrews 8:6).

➤ As the Mediator Christ goes between us and God.

- By His death Christ consummated the new covenant.
  - The promise of the eternal inheritance is based on Christ’s eternal redemption
- In resurrection He executes the new covenant,
  - which He bequeathed to us by His death.
  - it not only enacted upon better promises of a better law, the inner law of life (Heb. 8:10-12),
  - but also was consummated with Christ’s better sacrifices (Heb. 9:23),
    - which accomplished for us an eternal redemption (9:12),
    - and the better blood of Christ, which purifies our conscience (9:14).

✚ “But he who prophesies speaks building up and encouragement and consolation to men.,” (1Cor. 14:3)

✚ By His death Christ consummated the new covenant. In His death He left this new covenant with us, and now in His resurrection He, as the Mediator of the new covenant, is executing what has been accomplished in the new covenant. All the promises of God have become accomplished facts in the new covenant due to Christ’s redemptive work. As the Mediator of the new covenant, Christ today in resurrection is enforcing this covenant that we might receive the eternal inheritance.

**Hymn 510**  
Experience of Christ  
As Everything

- 1 I've found the One of peerless worth,  
My heart doth sing for joy;  
And sing I must, for Christ I have:  
Oh, what a Christ have I!
- 5 Christ is my life, my light, my way,  
My comfort and my health,  
My peace, my rest, my joy, my hope,  
My glory and my wealth.
- 6 Christ is my wisdom and my pow'r,  
My boast and righteousness,  
My vict'ry and redemption sure,  
My truth and holiness.
- 7 Christ is my Savior, Shepherd, Lord,  
My Advocate above,  
My Counsellor, my Father, God,  
My Brother, Friend, and Love.
- 8 Christ is my Captain and my Guard,  
My Teacher and my Guide,  
My Bridegroom, Master and my Head;  
In me doth He reside.
- 9 Christ is my Prophet, Priest, and King;  
My Prophet full of sight;  
My Priest that stands 'twixt me and God,  
My King that rules with might.
- 10 Christ is the Author of my faith,  
And its Perfecter too,  
My Mediator, Guarantee,  
And faithful Witness true.
- 11 Christ is my everlasting home,  
My all-sufficient land;  
My fortress, tower, hiding-place,  
And my eternal stand.
- 14 My Christ, the all-inclusive One,  
My Christ what shall I call?  
He is the first, He is the last,  
My Christ is All in all.

**Heb. 9:15 –**

...He is the Mediator of a new covenant, so that, ..., those who have been called might receive the promise of the eternal inheritance.

**Eph. 3:6 –**

That in Christ Jesus the Gentiles are fellow heirs and fellow members of the Body and fellow partakers of the promise through the gospel,

**Hymn 227**  
Praise the Lord –  
Remembrance of Him

- 1 Through the bread and cup,  
Lord Jesus,  
We Thy death exhibit here;  
What Thy love has done reviewing,  
All Thy suffering we revere.  
Bread and cup in separation,  
Show that Thou thru death hast gone;  
Grateful now, our spirit worships,  
And to Thee we give our song.

*Chorus:*

Thine the cup of suffering,  
Mine the cup of blessing;  
For Thy love in Thy redemption,  
Praise we ever sing!

- 2 Thou, in love,  
hast shed Thy blood, Lord,  
Bringing us to God in grace,  
That from God, no longer severed,  
We may ever see His face.  
All God's righteousness and glory  
Have been fully satisfied;  
Thru Thy death's abundant merit  
We may now with God abide.

- 3 By Thy death the veil was riven,  
Opened was the holiest place,  
All the barriers have been broken;  
We approach the throne of grace,  
There receiving grace and mercy,  
Thus the timely need to meet,  
Drinking as of living water,  
Tasting God Himself replete.

- 4 Thou in grace hast so redeemed us,  
We the priests may be fore'er  
To fulfill that holy office,  
All God's sweetness thus to share.  
Such a blessing, such a mercy,  
From Thy death for us ensue;  
We would ever Thee remember  
Till with Thee we drink anew.

**Matt. 26:29 –**

But I say to you, I shall by no means drink of this product of the vine from now on until that day when I drink it new with you in the kingdom of My Father.

**Hymn 39**  
Worship of the Father  
His Redemption

- 1 To God be the glory,  
great things He hath done,  
So loved He the world  
that He gave us His Son,  
Who yielded His life  
our redemption to win,  
And opened the life-gate  
that all may go in.

*Chorus:*

Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
Let the earth hear His voice;  
Praise the Lord, praise the Lord,  
Let the people rejoice;  
Oh, come to the Father,  
through Jesus the Son,  
And give Him the glory;  
great things He hath done.

- 2 Oh, perfect redemption,  
the purchase of blood,  
To every believer the promise of God;  
The vilest offender who truly believes,  
That moment from Jesus  
a pardon receives.

- 3 Great things He hath taught us,  
great things He hath done,  
And great our rejoicing  
through Jesus the Son;  
But purer, and higher,  
and greater will be  
Our wonder, our transport  
when Jesus we see.

**1John 3:2 –**

Beloved, now we are children of God, and it has not yet been manifested what we will be. We know that if He is manifested, we will be like Him because we will see Him even as He is.

**Col. 3:4 –**

When Christ our life is manifested, then you also will be manifested with Him in glory.