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THE CROSS AS SACRIFICE | Hebrews 10:19-25

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SUMMARY

This past weekend we explored what happened on the cross through the lens of the day of atonement and what it means that Jesus died to cover over our sins and reconcile once and for all the relationship between us and himself. We see that the message of the cross is that Jesus used the foolishness of bringing about blessing by becoming a curse for us.

READ

Leviticus 16:1-25. Hebrews 10:19-25. Galatians 3:13-14

Pause. Take time to prayerfully consider what has been read.

DISCUSS

- 1) How do you see Jesus' sacrifice differently in light of these passages?
- 2) What comes to mind when you think about sin and sacrifice?

Watch the Bible Project video Sacrifice and Atonement https://bibleproject.com/explore/video/sacrifice-and-atonement/

- 3) How does watching this video offer a different perspective to your understanding of sin and sacrifice?
- 4) What comes to mind when you think of confession? Do you practice it? Have you confessed your sins to another person before?

5) What does it mean that we can enter into the presence of God now?

RESPOND

What is an easy and often way that you can practice being aware of Jesus' presence with you?

Ask Jesus to help you be aware of how you can bring good into the world this week?

Have you been baptized before? If not ask Jesus this week if he's inviting to you to be baptized.

Share how the Spirit is inviting you to respond today and the week to come – to **be with** Jesus, to **become like** Jesus, or to **do what** Jesus does

PRAY

Take time to wait and pray together. What is Jesus praying for? Come into agreement with His prayers.

Ask Jesus is there anything that is holding you back from the freedom he's already brought to you?

