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REDEEMER  
PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

## REST ONLY THROUGH REDEMPTION

Sermon notes from 12/2/07

### Hebrews 5:1-6:3

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#### Summary

*The Life of Faith—Rooted in God's Promises, Running to the New Jerusalem*

Hebrews was written as a sermon to a community struggling with its faith in Christ. It shows us Christ and how seeing Him as He truly is—the great Prophet, Priest, and King of our Salvation—is our greatest need to live the life of faith.

#### Section Outline

1. The Promise of Salvation Comes Through the Son (1:1-2:4)
2. The Royal Family Is Promised Glory (2:5-3:6)
3. **The Royal Family Is Promised Rest (3:7-6:3 )**
  - 3:7-19 Belief and the Promised Rest
  - 4:1-11 A Sabbath Rest for the People of God
  - 4:11-16 Redemptive Rest
  - 5:1-6:3 Rest Can Only Come Through Redemption**

#### Message

### I. Why Do We Need a High Priest?

### II. Who Can Server As Our High Priest?

### III. Why Do We Struggle to Trust Our High Priest?

#### Application

*Please consider the following questions as you seek the Holy Spirit's direction:*

1. How does Christ's priesthood apply to you?
2. What are the ways that you struggle to trust Him as your High Priest?
3. How do we as a congregation need to trust Him more explicitly?