



## Hebrews 8-9:14

*Sunday, October 25, 2020*

### Tips for your Family Guide time:

- Gather in a cozy spot together and bring your children close.
- Explain that you get to do "home church" together, framing it as a special opportunity to gather as a family!
- Protecting this as a positive time is key! Shorten, lengthen, or modify the lesson as needed to suit your family.

### **Bible Page Numbers**

Adventure Bible pg. 1476 (Hebrews 8)



**TALK  
ABOUT IT**

Pastor Jon is going to continue the journey through Hebrews today. He will talk about the new and better covenant, JESUS!

As a family, define the word **COVENANT**.

Covenant:

- a serious agreement between two parties: a contract
- to promise

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Explain: A covenant in Bible times was similar to what we would now call a contract. Each covenant established the basis of a relationship, conditions for that relationship, promises and consequences if those conditions were unmet.

Discuss: Why do you think understanding the importance of a covenant is so important?



**SERMON +  
WORSHIP**

**Watch this week's Sermon and Worship Set**



**ACTIVITY  
OPTIONS**

### **Activity: Nothing Can Separate Us**

#### **What you Need:**

Paper, markers, scissors, plastic straws or pencils, tape

#### **What you do:**

Cut two 2-inch squares of paper. Then on one square, draw a big heart, and on the other, write "JESUS". Tape the papers back to back with a plastic straw (or pencil) in the center.

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### **What you say:**

Under the new covenant, when we turn our lives to Jesus, nothing can ever separate us from God's love. Now twirl the straw and watch what happens. Jesus appears in the heart.



### **TALK ABOUT IT**

### **Discussion:**

Priests in Bible times killed animals when people sinned. Those animals were called sacrifices. When a person sinned again, the priest had to kill another animal. But JESUS gave himself for us. He is the sacrifice for ALL of our sins. His sacrifice was complete. He paid for our sins once. It never has to be paid for again.

- We are no longer under the Old Testament system of animal sacrifices. What sacrifice do we need for salvation today?
- Jesus gave us a new, better covenant. What does this mean for us TODAY?



### **PRAYER**

### **Prayer:**

### **What you say:**

**Let's pray...** Dear God, You are so good! Your promises never fail. Thank you for the covenant that is Jesus. Thank you for sending us Jesus. Thank you for making a way to be close to us. We love You, God. In Jesus name, Amen.



## MEMORY VERSE

### **Memory Verse:**

**Parents:** We want to encourage you to spend time each week as a family memorizing a passage of Scripture.

### **Hebrews 8:6 (NirV)**

But Jesus has been given a greater work to do for God. He is the go-between for the new covenant. This covenant is better than the old one. The new covenant is based on better promises.

### **Hebrews 8:6 (ESV)**

But as it is, Christ has obtained a ministry that is as much more excellent than the old as the covenant he mediates is better, since it is enacted on better promises.