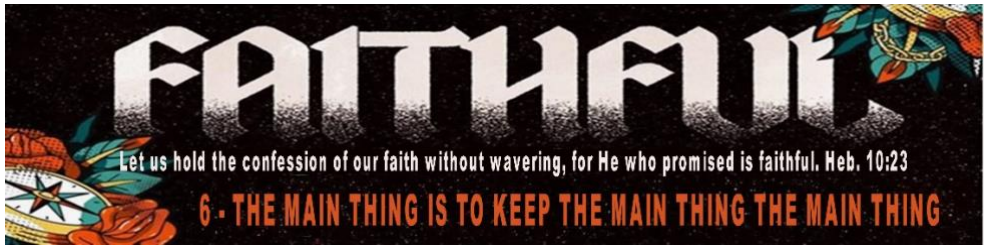

Now the main point of what we are saying is this… **Hebrews 8:1a** NIV

MAIN POINT #1: JESUS IS A _____ _____ _____.

But in fact the ministry Jesus has received is … superior to theirs… **Heb 8:6** NIV

- **…Because of the nature of Jesus appointment**

If perfection could have been attained through the Levitical priesthood—and indeed the law given to the people established that priesthood—why was there still need for another priest to come, one in the order of Melchizedek, not in the order of Aaron? [12] For when the priesthood is changed, the law must be changed also. [13] He of whom these things are said belonged to a different tribe, and no one from that tribe has ever served at the altar. [14] For it is clear that our Lord descended from Judah, and in regard to that tribe Moses said nothing about priests. [15] And what we have said is even more clear if another priest like Melchizedek appears, [16] one who has become a priest not on the basis of a regulation as to his ancestry but on the basis of the power of an indestructible life. **Hebrews 7:11-18** NIV

_____ **death could not defeat him.**

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We have a high priest who can feel it when we are weak and hurting. We have a high priest who has been tempted in every way, just as we are. But he did not sin. **Hebrews 4:15** NIRV

- **…Because of the _____ and _____ where Jesus serves.**

Here is the main point: We have a High Priest who sat down in the place of honor beside the throne of the majestic God in heaven. [2] There he ministers in the heavenly Tabernacle, the true place of worship that was built by the Lord and not by human hands. **Hebrews 8:1-2** NLT

They serve at a sanctuary that is a copy and shadow of what is in heaven. This is why Moses was warned when he was about to build the tabernacle: "See to it that you make everything according to the pattern shown you on the mountain." **Hebrews 8:5** NIV

- **…Because of the _____ that Jesus _____.**

Every high priest is appointed to offer both gifts and sacrifices, and so it was necessary for this one also to have something to offer. **Hebrews 8:3** NIV

Under the old system, the blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer could cleanse people's bodies from ceremonial impurity. [14] Just think how much more the blood of Christ will purify our consciences from sinful deeds so that we can worship the living God. For by the power of the eternal Spirit, Christ offered himself to God as a perfect sacrifice for our sins. **Hebrews 9:13, 14** NLT

Under the old covenant, the priest stands and ministers before the altar day after day, offering the same sacrifices again and again, which can never take away sins. [12] But our High Priest offered himself to God as a single sacrifice for sins, good for all time… **Hebrews 10:11, 12** NLT

MAIN POINT #2: JESUS _____ A _____ _____

That is why he is the one who mediates a new covenant between God and people, so that all who are called can receive the eternal inheritance God has promised them. For Christ died to set them free from the penalty of the sins they had committed under that first covenant. **Hebrews 9:15** NLT

- **…Because the new covenant is based on better _____.**

But in fact the ministry Jesus has received is as superior to theirs as the covenant of which he is mediator is superior to the old one, since the new covenant is established on better promises. **Hebrews 8: 6** NLT

The promise of _____ _____ _____.

For by that one offering he forever made perfect those who are being made holy. [15] And the Holy Spirit also testifies that this is so. **Hebrews 8:14, 15** NLT

NOTE: Through Jesus you can receive, not _____ a better covenant.

But God found fault with the people and said[b]: "The days are coming, declares the Lord, when I will make a new covenant with the people of Israel and with the people of Judah [9] It will not be like the covenant I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to lead them out of Egypt, because they did not remain faithful to my covenant, and I turned away from them, declares the Lord. [11v]No longer will they teach their neighbor, or say to one another, 'Know the Lord, 'because they will all know me, from the least of them to the greatest. **Hebrews 8:8, 9, 11**

Eternal salvation comes from him. He saves all those who obey him. [10] God appointed him to be the high priest, just like Melchizedek. **Hebrews 5:8, 9** NLT

The promise of promise of _____ _____ _____.

For he says, [10] "This is the new covenant I will make with my people on that day, says the Lord: I will put my laws in their hearts, and I will write them on their minds." **Hebrews 8:10** NLT

The promise of promise of _____ _____ _____.

Then he says, "I will never again remember their sins and lawless deeds." **Hebrews 8:12** NLT

Additional Notes:

Reflecting on today's message…

What touched my heart?

What is God asking me to do?

What should I change this week?

Who else needs to hear this message?