

Jesus Christ in the Old Testament

Lesson 4 (Week 12) – The New Covenant

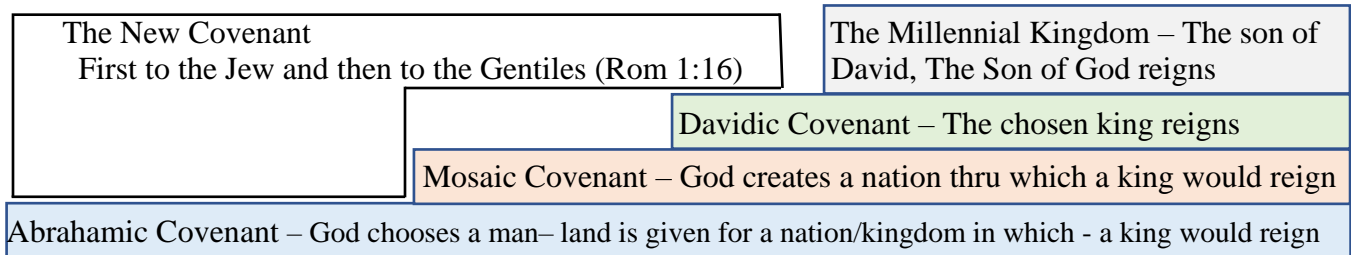
Scripture references:

Jeremiah 31:27-40
Matthew 7:21-23
1 John 3:4
Psalm 14:1-3
Luke 22:20
Ezekiel 11:19-20
Ezekiel 36:25-27
Acts 15:10
Hebrews 10:11-13
Zechariah 12:10-14
Jeremiah 24:6-7
Ezekiel 36:31-36

Isaiah 43:7
Ephesians 2:8-9
Romans 11:17-26a
Matthew 28:19
1Corinthians 11:25-26
1 Peter 1:17-19
Hebrews 9:11-28
Hebrews 12:18-24
Exodus 24:7-8
Jeremiah 50:4-5
John 4:21-22
Romans 11:25-32

Colossians 1:24-27
Isaiah 42:1-7
Isaiah 49:1-8
Isaiah 53:9-12
Luke 2:25-32
Luke 19:37-38
2Corinthians 3:4-6
Hebrews 8:1-10:18

If you look at the graphic below, I hope this makes it clear the dependence of each covenant on the former.



For lessons with the embedded Scriptures go to Jim’s YouTube channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCVNI46NI-6ObhjDAyBOcLmQ>

Or go to YouTube.com and search for “skyflier 6” (there is a space between the r and the 6.)

Or for audio only and the handouts you can go to The KBC website

(<http://www.kerrvillebiblechurch.org>) and under the Resources tab select Jesus in the Old Testament.

(<http://www.kerrvillebiblechurch.org/jesus-in-the-old-testament.html> is the direct path)

Your assignment due on Sunday December 11, 2022

Find 3 prophecies given in the Old Testament that Jesus fulfilled during His first coming:

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.

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Differences between the Mosaic Covenant and the New Covenant

Mosaic Covenant	New Covenant
a. Demanded legalistic perfection to the external law	Makes no demands of performance on the people
b. Law was literally written on stone tablets by the finger of God –Those tablets of stone were an image of our stony hearts – Ezekiel 11:19-20 – ¹⁹ And I will give them one heart and give within them a new spirit. And I will take the heart of stone out of their flesh and give them a heart of flesh, ²⁰ that they may walk in My statutes and keep My judgments and do them. Then they will be My people, and I shall be their God.	God’s law will be written on our hearts – Ezekiel 36:25-27 – ²⁵ Then I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you will be clean; <u>I will cleanse you from all your uncleanness and from all your idols.</u> ²⁶ Moreover, <u>I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you;</u> and I will remove the heart of stone from your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. ²⁷ <u>I will put My Spirit within you and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you will be careful to do My judgments.</u> ²⁸ And you will inhabit the land that I gave to your fathers; so you will be My people, and I will be your God.
c. No one could meet this requirement Acts 15:10 – ¹⁰ Now therefore why do you put God to the test by placing upon the neck of the disciples a yoke which neither our fathers nor we have been able to bear?	Since God will imprint His law on our hearts it will be part of who we are and as such, we by this new spirit and nature will do God’s will. Does this not sound like the Jesus’ words to Nicodemus – “you must be born again.”
d. Under the Mosaic system it was all up to the people to perform	Under the New Covenant God performs this marvelous work in the nation of Israel
e. The high priest in the Mosaic system was a sinful man himself	Under the New Covenant our high priest (Jesus) is the perfectly sinless man and the holy Son of God.
f. The high priest offered the bodies and blood of animals that could never atone for our sins	Our high priest offered His own body and blood that could and would atone for our sins.
g. The high priest served in a shadow or earthly copy of the heavenly tabernacle	Our high priest serves in the real heavenly tabernacle in the very Presence of God.
h. The high priest had to offer this atonement sacrifice every year over and over and over.	Our high priest made atonement once for all time and sat down at the right hand of God the Father. Hebrews 10:11-13 – ¹¹ And every priest stands daily ministering and offering time after time the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins; ¹² but He, having offered one sacrifice for sins for all time, SAT DOWN AT THE RIGHT HAND OF GOD, ¹³ waiting from that time UNTIL HIS ENEMIES ARE PUT AS A FOOTSTOOL FOR HIS FEET.