



Outline - Sunday, December 29, 2013

Sermon Title: Melchizedek: A Type of Christ the Reality

Scripture Reading: Hebrews 7:1-28

1. Who is Melchizedek?

Michael the arch angel? No! Heb 2:16

Seth the son of Noah? No! vs 7:3a/Gen 6-11

genealogy of Seth

A real representative man and (type) of the coming Messiah. vs 7:15-17; 4a

(Salem) Gen 14:18-20/2000bc – Ps 110:4/1000bc

No mother/No Father—textual device (silence), not genealogically bound. vs 7:23; 6a

(Antithesis) Christ has both a Mother—Judite vs 7:14

His Father is God! vs 7:3a; Heb 1:5, 8; 4:14; 5:5, 8

2. A primary framework to interpreting the book of Hebrews: vs 7:22

Type and reality: The prophets/Jesus; Angels/Jesus; Moses/Jesus; Joshua/Jesus;

Levi/Melch; Old Cov/New cov; Old Temple/New Temple; Old Jerusalem/New Jerusalem;

Ultimate vision of God! Heb 12:22 “Ye are come...”

3. Another and Superior priesthood in Melchizedek argued: vs 7:4, (5, 6) -10 (7)

Levi paid tithes to Him (pre-law/post-law priesthood— Heavenly, not earthly/Eternal, temporal) vs 6:19-20

4. A superior covenant in Melchizedek affirmed: vs 7:11; 8:6 The necessity of a new covenant because of another priesthood: Ezra 3:1-10; Zech 3:10 – Joshua a type

5. The combined offices of Priest/King: vs 7:1-2

He is a royal Priest who also rules and reigns as a king. Zech 6:9-13

Christ the King and Priest of the New Jerusalem:

Fulfilled in Christ. And we are a royal priesthood with Him! Rev 5:9-10/Heb 4:14-16