# Week 45, One Year Bible Challenge: "A Better Covenant"

## Christ the Rock Community Church, Saturday Morning Men's Bible Study

This week's reading November 4-10[1. If you are participating in the Saturday morning class, "The One Year Bible Challenge," you should read the daily materials as set out in "The One Year Bible." The verses listed on this page will include a couple of extra days each week.]

Ezekiel 12:1 to Ezekiel 23:49

Hebrews 7:1 to Hebrews 10:39

Psalm 105:37 to 109:31 Proverbs 27:3 to 27:13

Next Week's Reading November 11-17



From 1890 Holman Bible

Ezekiel 24:1 to 38:23

Hebrews 11:1 to James 2:17

Psalm 110:1 to 117:2 Proverbs 27:14 to 28:1

#### **Discussion Questions:**

Old Testament

- God knew his people intentionally disobeyed him. He referred to the captives in Babylon as "the rebellious house, who have eyes to see, and don't see, who have ears to hear, and don't hear." Ezekiel 12:2. Christ later quoted this passage as He spoke to His disciples. Mark 8:18. What about modern believers—do we (or YOU) see and hear the truth, but still rebel against God?
- God told Ezekiel to speak against false prophets. Ezekiel 13:1 Why would these false prophets follow their own spirit, rather than speak for God?
- People often want to punish the guilty to achieve justice. Is this God's preferred way? Ezekiel 18:23. Would the world be different if we really preferred repentance over punishment?

### New Testament

- Why is the new covenant with Jesus Christ better than the old covenant? Hebrews 8:6.
- Why does Hebrews 8:10-11 say God's people "shall not teach, each one his brother"?
- What is the importance of Hebrews 9:22? Did Christ's death and resurrection change the Law; or how the Law was implemented?

#### FOOTNOTE: