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“Typology of the Passover Lamb” (Exo 12:1-27)

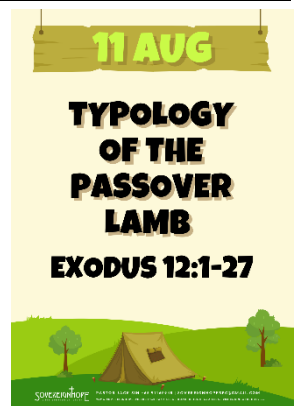
Sermon by Pastor Jack
- A Summary -

1. Preparation of the Lamb (vs 1-4)

- This event in Exo 12 affected the calendar of Israel as “*This month shall be unto you the beginning of months*”.
- it also marked the beginning of the new year for the Jewish people.
- The book of Isaiah in Isa 53 speaks of a lamb & a sheep led to the slaughter, a very rich typology of the death and burial of Christ.
- The nature of a sheep is that it is harmless, humble and totally defenceless.
- The Gospel of John speaks of the Lamb of God that takes away the sin of the world. (Jn 8:12).

2. Properties of the Lamb (vs 5-11)

- The lamb sacrificed by the Israelites on that night was required to have certain qualities:
 - o without blemish ie not sick or lame
 - o a male (there is a cult group, called the Eastern Lightning, from China that propagates that Christ is female and other defective practices)
 - o not more than 2 years old (ie in the prime of its life. Christ was in the prime me of His life when He begin His ministry).
- Heb 11:28 says, “*Through faith he kept the passover, and the sprinkling of blood, lest he that destroyed the firstborn should touch them.*”
- “*Eat not of it raw, nor sodden at all with water, but roast with fire; his head with his legs, and with the purtenance thereof. And ye shall let nothing of it remain until the morning; and that which remaineth of it until the morning ye shall burn with fire.*” Someone said, “*if He is not Lord of all, He is not Lord at all.*”



- *“And thus shall ye eat it; with your loins girded, your shoes on your feet, and your staff in your hand; and ye shall eat it in haste: it is the LORD's Passover.”* Christ is our Passover, and this is the rich typology here.
- Paul in 1Cor 5:7 says, *“Purge out therefore the old leaven, that ye may be a new lump, as ye are unleavened. For even Christ our passover is sacrificed for us.”* The Passover feast is to be taken with sincerity, truth and faith in Christ for *“without the shedding of blood, there is no remission of sin.”*

3. Pre-figuring & Power of the Lamb (vs 12-24)

- The Passover lamb was a picture of our Lord Jesus Christ who was the Lamb of God:
 - o The lamb was a substitute for the first born who had to be killed.
 - o A yearling - cut off in the prime of life.
 - o Had to be perfect ie as flawless for our Lord is sinless.
 - o Taken from the flock ie from among the Jewish people.
 - o To be Separate from the flock.
- We have the protection of the Lamb from the destroyer
- The Blood of the Lamb delivers us from sin, hell and the grave eternally.

Conclusion

The Old Testament is rich in figures of speech, and the passover lamb prefigured Christ as a rich typology who came as the true Lamb of God that takes away the sin of the world.

Do you know Christ as your Lord and Saviour? Seek Him today as your God while he may be found and be saved before it is too late

Kim Meng

I was witnessing to Sarah above here, an 80year old lady during my morning walk. She is a Hindu but receptive to hearing about the gospel. Pray for her salvation as she was curious about what Christ did at the cross and rose again and heard the gospel. Praying for God to convict her heart one day and keep on praying. Nothing is impossible with God if it is His will. My parents' salvation is a testimony of sovereign grace even in their advanced years. Keep sharing Christ and sow the gospel seed and you never know what the holy Spirit will do in the hearts of men and women. .Acts4:12



Pastor Jack

DR RON NELLER

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I am studying very well. I learn and study many things from my MA course and very encouraged that I have time closely with God by studying MA course, and I come to know more Theology well in details. Then when I learn the book of Nehemiah from Rev. Thai Luai, I learn about life of Nehemiah. I understand that I have to do the ministry of God faithfully and build the Church of God like Nehemiah even though we are facing difficulty either bad situation or good situations.

The other one I learn is Pastoral Care & Counselling, the subject of Rev. Thawng Lei that I come to know more how we are taking care of our family first according to the Bible

Pr Myitta with lecturers and students of the Master of Arts (Bible) program at Myanmar Theological Seminary.



and the church of God strongly and then how we are counselling the people in the church with the Bible and especially we need to give our counselling to the unreached people whom we preach the Gospel that they may know about Christ by our counselling. And I learn many subjects here. I believe that all things I study here is to share the Gospel of God to the people who don't believe Jesus Christ everywhere.

Pr Myitta
Yangon

Memory Verse

Exod 20:2 I am the LORD thy God, which have brought thee out of the land of Egypt, out of the house of bondage.

Announcements

1. Welcome to our Worship Service! If you are here for the first time, do leave us your contact numbers in our guest book before you leave. Those who share the church vision to acquire a place of worship in due time, may designate your offerings to the SHBPC Church Building Fund.
2. Pastor brings us God's Word this morning on "**Relevance of the Moral Laws [Exodus 20:1-17]**", the study on the "**Book of Exodus – Supernatural Guidance in the Wilderness of Life**."
3. Next Sunday, Pastor will preach on "**When an Idol Displaced God [Exodus 32:1-23]**".
4. Sunday School classes will resume next Sunday.
5. **Training Workshop** on "**Biblical Precepts & Practice of Church based and Personal Evangelism**" by Pastor Jack is held after the refreshment break this morning.
6. Outreach to **All Saints Home (Tampines)** is held this afternoon at 3pm. Lunch is provided for those who have already registered with Dn Yue Kay by the deadline of 1 Sep.
7. Creation Ministries seminar on "**The Importance of Genesis to the Church Today**" by **Dr Ron Neller** will be held in our church on **Sat 14 Sep 2024, 5pm**. All are welcome. Register with Dn Paul Tan by 9 Sep.
8. Chinese Fellowship meets on every Sunday night at 7pm via Zoom with both local and overseas brethren. We have systematic studies on Old Testament Foundations and the 10 Commandments. Join us for a time of profitable learning. [**Zoom ID:883 9662 4157 Passcode: 218178**].
9. Do send your prayer items to Pastor and join us for Church Prayer Meeting on Wed at 8pm via Zoom. The prayer list is available in church. [**Zoom ID:863 7527 5431 Passcode: 625551**].
10. Pray for:
 - Medical: Nina -Janet's helper [recovery from gyno-related surgery], Sharon [hemithyroidectomy on 18 Sep], Kin Hoong [gastro & colonoscopy on 7 Oct], Anthony [lung cancer: narrowing airways], Samuel Wong [multiple health conditions], Aunty Chwee Lian [hip fracture], Daniel Phang [high blood pressure & gout],
11. Love gifts, Offering and Tithes to the Lord can be given in the following ways:
 - **Cheque** payable to **Sovereign Hope Bible Presbyterian Church** and mail to church address. (Kindly write the full name of the church as indicated.)
 - **Fund transfer** to Church **UOB** Account **392-308-825-1**
 - **PayNow** to Church UEN: **T19SS0116FSOV**

Kindly indicate "**Church Building Fund**" if you would like to designate towards this cause.