

Staff Meeting: The ministry of the priests and Levites and how God provides for them (Numbers 18)

Introduction

Numbers 16-17

1) The ministry of the priests and Levites to protect Israel (v1-7)

Hebrews 5:1-6

2) God provides the needs of the priests through Israel's offering (v8-20)

<https://www.gotquestions.org/Old-Testament-sacrifices.html>

Numbers 3:40-51, Leviticus 7:20 and 21

3) God provides the needs of the Levites through Israel's tithes (v21-32)

<https://thirst.sg/is-tithing-actually-necessary/>

Leviticus 27:30, 2 Corinthians 9:7

Implications/Applications:

- a) Thank God for providing me Jesus as my High Priest and Mediator. How can I grow in greater appreciation for what Jesus has accomplished on the cross such that I no longer have to suffer the wrath of God and be eternally separated from Him?
- b) Thank God for providing for my needs through my PSS supporters. What lessons can I draw from today's sharing to help me to be more responsible in writing my PSS letters and not take my supporters for granted?
- c) God instructed His people to tithe or to give. Have I been giving? And if I have not, what have I learnt today that might encourage me to do so? And if I have been giving, do I give cheerfully or reluctantly? How can I grow to be a more cheerful giver?