Hebrews 9:15-28 - Before the throne

Questions

- 1) How serious is your sin?
- 2) How confident will you be before God on judgement day?
- 3) Will your confidence before God be misplaced?

Taking sin seriously

... destructive sin is to my relationship with God

OT sacrificial system ... a constant reminder of the serious nature of sin.

Romans 6:23, "the wages of sin is death".

Rescue from sin

Verse15, "For this reason Christ is mediator of a new covenant, that those who are called may receive the promised eternal inheritance – now that he died as a ransom to set them free from the sins committed under the first covenant"

The new covenant has started because Jesus is...

- a) the perfect mediator
- b) the perfect sacrifice
- c) eternal

Heb 9:22, "In fact the law requires that nearly everything be cleansed with blood, and without the shedding of blood there is no forgiveness".

Jesus' rescue is better

For us today

- 1) Do not go back
- 2) Jesus died in our place
- 3) Confidence before the throne