

(B) The apostle Paul exhorted Timothy in 2 Tim.2:2 “things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same **commit thou** to faithful men, who shall be able to **teach** others also. G3908 - παρατίθημι paratíthēmi, par-at-ith'-ay-mee: “to set forth (from one's self), to explain”

**2LCF 26:11** “Although it be incumbent on the bishops or pastors of the churches, to be instant in preaching the word, by way of office, yet the work of preaching the word is not so peculiarly confined to them but that others also gifted and fitted by the Holy Spirit for it, and approved and called by the church, may and ought to perform it:”

Acts 11:19-21; 1 Peter 4:10-11



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The 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Blessing of the  
New Covenant

Hebrews 8:10b-11

‘Study to show thyself approved unto God..’ – 2 Timothy 2:15  
The importance of reading and learning God’s word is a vital part of both growing and also experiencing the blessing of belonging to God the Father through His Son, Jesus Christ.

This truth is one of the purposes why we wish to offer you these sermon notes which are to be used while listening to the sermon.

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## INTRODUCTION

Today we will learn what is meant in the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> New Covenant blessing.

## HOW THEN ARE WE GOING TO CONSIDER THIS TEXT?

1. Intimate Covenant Fellowship with God
2. Universal Knowledge of God

### I. INTIMATE COVENANT FELLOWSHIP w/ GOD

**EXODUS.6:7** "...I will take you to me for a people, and I will be to you a God: and ye shall know that I am the LORD your God, which bringeth you out from under the burdens of the Egyptians."

**DUET. 26:16-18** "16This day the LORD thy God hath commanded thee to do these statutes and judgments: thou shalt therefore keep and do them with all thine heart, and with all thy soul. 17Thou hast avouched the LORD this day to be thy God, and to walk in his ways, and to keep his statutes, and his commandments, and his judgments, and to hearken unto his voice: 18And the LORD hath avouched thee this day to be his peculiar people, as he hath promised thee, and that thou shouldest keep all his commandments.

#### ➤ THE DWELLING of GOD w/ HIS PEOPLE

1. THE DWELLING of GOD w/ HIS OC People considered.

### 1 Kings 6:11-13 the promise to Solomon:

11And the word of the LORD came to Solomon, saying, 12Concerning this house (the Temple) which thou art in building, if thou wilt walk in my statutes, and execute my judgments, and keep all my commandments to walk in them; then will I perform my word with thee, which I spake unto David thy father: 13And I will dwell among the children of Israel, and will not forsake my people Israel.

2. THE DWELLING of GOD w/HIS NC People considered.

**1 Cor.3:16** "Know ye not that ye are the temple of God, and that the Spirit of God dwelleth in you?"

**1 Peter 2:1-5** "1Wherefore laying aside all malice, and all guile, and all hypocrisies, and envies, and all evil speakings, 2As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby:3If so be ye have tasted that the Lord is gracious.4To whom coming, as unto a living stone, disallowed indeed of men, but chosen of God, and precious,5Ye also, as lively stones, are built up a spiritual house, an holy priesthood, to offer up spiritual sacrifices, acceptable to God by Jesus Christ.

### II. UNIVERSAL KNOWLEDGE of GOD

1. Equality of All Christians
  - (a) Equally Sinful and Equally Saved (**Rom.3:10** As it is written, There is none righteous, no, not one:)
  - (b) Equally indwelt by the Holy Spirit

**Eph.1:13-14** "In him you also were sealed with the promised Holy Spirit when you heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation, and when you believed. The Holy Spirit is the down payment of our inheritance, until the redemption of the possession, to the praise of his glory" (CSB)

- Reasons why v.11 does not mean we are not to teach each other:
- (A) In Matthew 28:20 we learn that as NC, regenerate, born again disciples of Jesus Christ, the Apostles (who were the foundation of the following generations of Christians) were commanded by Jesus Himself to "...go ye therefore and **teach** all nations..." G1321 - διδάσκω didáskō, did-as'-ko: "to hold discourse with others in order to instruct them, deliver didactic discourses."