

Entering into God's Sabbath Rest 3 – Heb. 3:6b-4:13

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Hebrews 3:6b-19 is primarily a warning to those who have made a profession of faith in Christ to remain faithful, and so enter into God's Sabbath rest. Chapter 4:1-13 focuses on the promise of that rest itself. As we gather around the Lord's Table this morning we will consider the character of God's Sabbath rest.

1. A Warning to Remain Faithful (3:7-19)
 - A. The character of a faithless heart (3:12)
 - B. The consequence of a faithless heart (3:16-18)
 - C. The remedy for a faithless heart (3:12-15)

2. A Promise of Sabbath Rest (4:1-13)
 - A. The appropriation of Sabbath Rest (4:1-3b)
 - B. The character of Sabbath Rest (4:3c-10)

(1) It is Divine Rest

(2) It is Accessible Rest

(3) It is Liberating Rest

C. The earnestness of Sabbath Rest (4:11-13)