Pressing on to Perfection, Part 5 – Hebrews 5:11-6:20 Greg Stiekes, Pastor

Again the author of Hebrews diverges from his main topic in order to exhort his readers. As Jesus was "perfected" because He "learned obedience" (5:7-10), so must we also hear and obey if we would "go on to perfection" (6:1). Disobedience breeds spiritual immaturity and immaturity breeds apostasy; but our perfection rests in the promise of God through Christ, our High Priest.

- 1. Disobedience breeds spiritual immaturity (5:11-6:3).
- 2. Spiritual immaturity breeds apostasy (6:4-8).
- 3. Perfection is based upon the promise of God (6:9-20).
 - a. The People of God's Promise (9-12) *The evidence of perfection*

b. The Certainty of God's Promise (13-20) *The assurance of perfection*