

Summit Woods Baptist Church  
Sermon Study Equipping Class

Hebrews 13:20-21

Remember to begin your study early in the week so that you have time to really think (and keep thinking) about the passage without being rushed.

❖ Day 1

Read Hebrews 13:20-21

For these lessons, the sermon text is provided in a format that visually helps display the structure of the paragraph or section of text. The main verbs are underlined. Commands are double-underlined. Generally, the main indicative clauses remain to the left, and the other clauses are either directly underneath when they have equal priority to what comes before, or are tabbed to the right when the clause supports, develops, or draws a conclusion from a neighboring clause.

**20** Now may the God of peace,  
    who brought up from the dead the great Shepherd of the sheep  
        through the blood of the eternal covenant,  
        *that is*, Jesus our Lord,

**21** equip you  
    in every good thing  
    to do His will,  
    working in us that which is pleasing in His sight,  
        through Jesus Christ,  
        to whom *be* the glory forever and ever. Amen.

**1. Are there any clue(s) in the text that displays a shift in discussion? If so, what are they?**

**2. How is God described in verse 20?**

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3. From the book of Hebrews, how have we seen that God is indeed a God of peace? How is this true even in these verses?
4. What did God do to the great Shepherd?
5. Why might the author use the title shepherd here for Christ?
6. What is the eternal covenant?
7. How is the covenant eternal?

❖ Day 2

Read Hebrews 13:20-21 again.

8. What does the text mean by “through the blood...”?

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**9. How does this passage function like a prayer?**

**10. Whose blood is the blood of the eternal covenant? Why is his blood so significant?**

**11. What does the author request God would do on behalf of his people?**

**12. What does the author ask God would equip his people with?**

**13. How comprehensive are the works that the author prays his people would be equipped for?  
What does this teach us about praying big prayers?**

**14. What is the intended purpose of this equipping?**

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❖ Day 3

Read Hebrews 13:20-21 again.

**15. What does this passage reveal about the things that are of God's will?**

**16. Who is the one described as accomplishing the work in us to please God?**

**17. Why is it significant that the Lord accomplishes this work and not us?**

**18. Why is Christ mentioned in verse 21?**

**19. What is due to Christ according to this passage?**

**20. What does this passage provide that prompts you to worship Christ?**

**21. Summarize this passage in one sentence.**