

LESSON 7

GOD'S WORKERS

Worksheets

- Bible Discovery Worksheet: God's Workers
- Life Application Worksheet: Ron's Service to God
- Homework

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Part 1

1. What was the purpose of being washed as part of their preparation to become a priest?

2. What does this ritual represent today?

3. Turn to Acts 2:38, and write the verse in the space below.

Part 2

Describe each of the garments as best you can, and then write down a brief summary of their spiritual meanings.

A. *Tunic, robe, and sash*

What they represent:

B. *Golden plate, ephod, and breastplate*

What they represent:

C. *Urim and Thummim*

What they represent:



Part 3

Look up the following verses, and write down what the Holy Spirit does for us.

1. Ephesians 3:16 _____
2. 1 John 2:27 _____
3. Romans 8:26 _____
4. Romans 15:16 _____
5. 1 Corinthians 12:4-11 _____
6. Galatians 5:22-23 _____

Ron's Service to God



Brother Ron had to run to church on Sabbath morning because he was late again in leading the hymnal service. The usher asked him to pick the hymns quickly and go up to lead. Ron had no time to quiet down and prepare his heart. In fact, he was still trying to catch his breath when he went to the front of the chapel. But as he tried to lead, he found himself stuttering, forgetting words, and fumbling with his hymnbook pages. Up in front of everyone, he felt so embarrassed. He just wanted to sink into a hole. When at long last the session was over, he slunk back down the pews, utterly ashamed as people looked at him. Why had he messed up something so simple as leading a hymnal session?

When Ron went to the back, the usher took him aside. "You know," she said, "you forgot to start the session in the name of the Lord Jesus Christ." Ron mumbled something in reply. "Are you alright?" she asked, concerned. "You normally lead hymnal session perfectly, but recently you've been coming in late, and you haven't looked as confident." That made Ron stop and think. Why had he been messing up recently? It was just a hymnal session, but he messed up such a simple task! With the usher's encouragement, he decided to pray about it.

Later in the prayer room, Ron knelt down and prayed, asking God to help him figure out what was wrong. As he prayed, he had a sudden memory. A year ago, Ron had been asked to lead the hymnal session before the congregation for the first time. He was terrified at the thought; leading the congregation was very different from leading hymns in J1 class! There were so many people watching—the thought scared him, so he spent extra time preparing before going up to lead.

The night before, he had made sure his dress shirt was ironed and had hung his pants so that they wouldn't wrinkle. He had even polished his dress shoes and borrowed a tie from his dad for the first time. As the last part of his preparation, he had picked all of his hymns the night before and practiced conducting them in front of the mirror. Even with all these preparations, though, Ron had still been very nervous, so he asked his parents to bring him to church thirty minutes before the service began. He then knelt down before the Lord, just as he was doing now, to humbly ask for His help. After that, he conducted the hymnal service calmly and smoothly, and Ron had been so thankful to the Lord for His help.



Ron opened his eyes and looked down at his attire. He was wearing jeans and sneakers, and he hadn't prepared any of his hymns at all the night before. He had not even tried to get up early that morning; he had played games late into the night, and in the morning, he had dragged his feet while getting ready, thinking that it would be fine to be there exactly on time.

Ron then realized how foolish he had been in taking the work lightly. He now saw that even a small task, such as leading hymnal worship, required proper preparation. He repented and asked the Lord to forgive him, and promised that he would do his best to prepare well each time he was supposed to lead hymns. From that point on, Ron prepared himself carefully, and each time the hymnal session went smoothly with nothing for Ron to be embarrassed about.

Discussion Questions

1. Why did brother Ron spend so much time preparing the first time he had to lead hymns? Have you ever had the feeling that no matter how much you prepared, it still wasn't enough?
2. Why was Ron able to do so well even though it was his first time leading hymns in front of so many people?
3. Why did Ron begin to mess up and feel embarrassed whenever he led hymnal worship?
4. What can we learn from Ron's experience?
5. What holy work have you been assigned to do? How do you prepare for it?

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Homework Assignment

Name: _____ Parent signature: _____ Date: _____

Bible Reading: Please put a check mark in the space when you complete the reading each day.

Prayer: Please put a check mark in the space on the days you prayed to God.

What I Learned from the Bible This Week

1. _____

2. _____

	Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Read							
Pray							

Memory Verse

Please write down this week's memory verse. (1 Peter 2:9)

Fill In the Blank

1. The first step in preparation to serve as a priest was to _____ yourself with _____.
2. Afterwards, they put on the priestly garments such as the tunic, _____, turban, _____, ephod, and _____.
3. Lastly, they had to be anointed with _____.

Multiple Choice

4. ____ : How many precious stones were placed on the breastplate?
 - a. One, representing the One True God
 - b. Three, representing the Father, Son, and Holy Spirit
 - c. Twelve, representing the twelve tribes of Israel
5. ____ : What were the Urim and Thummim?
 - a. The name of two positions among the ranks of the priests
 - b. The name of the two silver trumpets, used to call for help from the Lord
 - c. The name of two stones, used to make inquiries of the Lord
6. ____ : What does the anointment of oil represent today?
 - a. The baptism of water
 - b. The baptism of the Holy Spirit
 - c. Receiving the laying of hands

Short Answer

7. Of the tunic and the robe, pick one and explain the spiritual meaning behind it.
8. Of the golden plate, ephod, and breastplate, pick one and explain the spiritual meaning behind it.
9. Why is it important to learn about and understand the process of becoming priests in the Old Testament?