

Sunday, May 7, 2017

Title: Rest Illustrated

Royal Invitation

Text: Hebrews 4:14 - 16 ESV

Jesus the Great High Priest

14) Since then we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast our confession. 15) For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but one who in every respect has been tempted as we are, yet without sin. 16) Let us then with confidence draw near to the throne of grace, that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

Introduction:

White House, Buckingham Palace,
Emperor's Palace in Japan

1) Divine Invitation: 4:14

1.1) Son of God...Jesus: 4:14

1.2) Holdfast: 4:14

1.3) Jesus is sympathetic: 4:15

2) Divine Grace: 4:16

2.1) Throne of GRACE 4:16

Hebrews 1:8 - 12; Isaiah 6;

Hebrews 8:1 & Revelation 19:1 - 8

2.2) Throne of Alpha & Omega:

Revelation 21:5 - 8

2.3) Throne of Power:

James 4:6; 1 Peter 5:5

Proverbs 3:34 & Ephesians 2:1 - 10

2.4) Throne of GRACE in our life:

2 Corinthians 12:9

3) Divine Mercy: 4:16

3.1) Mercy Seat: Exodus 25:17

3.2) Mercy is a Person:

Ephesians 2

3.3) Mercy through abiding:

Do I use the INVITATION?