

Talk It Over

Questions are prepared each week and are designed to prompt insights, questions, and the life experience of each listener. If these are used immediately following the sermon, it would be much the same as what was done in Israel at the time of the early church.

For the sake of time, you may want to choose one or two questions.

Warm up:

From your perspective, what is the difference between "intentional" and "unintentional" sin?

Read

Read Leviticus 6:1-7

Discuss

- Do the offenses named in these verses seem "intentional" or "unintentional" to you? How does this help you understand the biblical writer's use of these two terms?
- According to Leviticus 6:1-7, what are some of the ways we can wrong or injure other people? Why does the author of Leviticus reference the specific offenses he does? Why does he talk about these things instead of the many other things we can do to hurt other people?
- How does a person who has committed one of the offenses in Leviticus 6:1-7 make these things right? What specifically is to be done to or for the person who has been wronged?
- Is it significant in your mind that Leviticus 6 calls people first to make things right with the person they have wronged, and only then are they challenged to make things right with God? Does it seem like God is putting himself and his interests second to the interests of people?
- If the practices of Leviticus are not directly transferable to us in our present day, what is the value of a passage like Leviticus 6:1-7? What does the passage teach us about God? What does it teach us about people?



Wrap Up:

Take a moment to close together in prayer.