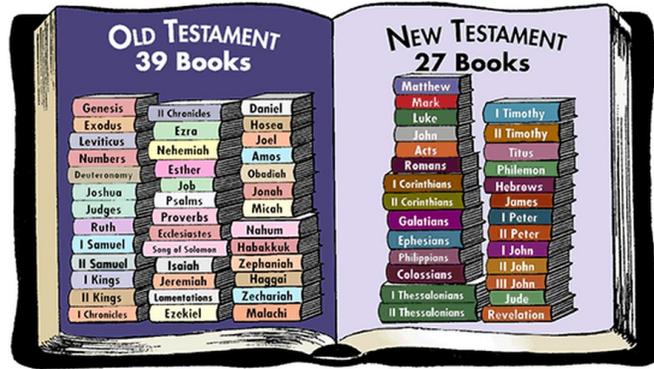




# Lewiston Church of Christ

## October 15, 2017



### Weekly Services

Sunday Morning

Bible Study 9:45 AM

Worship 10:45 AM

Sunday Evening 6:00 PM

Wed Bible Study 7:00 PM

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# YES!

If you are reading the Bible from cover-to-cover this year, you will soon make the transition from the Old Testament (OT) to the New Testament (NT). Please keep the following six points in mind:

1. Both testaments testify to the same unchanging God!
2. Good NT preaching is deeply rooted in OT soil.
3. The NT affirms the fulfillment of that which was anticipated in the OT. Jeremiah was inspired to declare, “Behold, days are coming... when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and with the house of Judah.” (Jeremiah 31:31).
4. Jesus mediated this “new covenant” (Hebrews 9:15), but made it clear that He did not come to abolish the Law or the Prophets, but to fulfill them (Matthew 5:17).
5. The apostle Paul saw the OT Law as “a tutor to lead us to Christ, so that we may be justified by faith.” (Galatians 3:24).
6. The sacrificial system employed at the temple was made obsolete by the once-and-for-all death of Jesus on the cross. And the principles of justice, mercy, sacrifice, and atonement still stand. The blood of bulls, goats, and sheep is longer called for, but the forgiveness of sin still flows from the shedding of blood--Jesus’ blood.

Jesus did die on the cross because plan A failed. The NT is not plan B. The bible contains two testaments but only ONE plan of salvation. All the promises of God find their “yes” in Jesus (2 Corinthians 1:20). So, as you move from the OT to the NT, listen for God’s well planned “Yes” in every word you read. After all...

“He chose us in Him before the foundation of the world” (Ephesians 1:4)