



The Ten Commandments

Walking in the Word Service
Sat, 7.30pm
Sun, 8.30am

<h3>Last week's review</h3>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">✦ 1st two commandments were entry requirements for God's covenant community✦ If the 1st two commandments were not adhered to, the rest of the commandments would be of no value to follow	

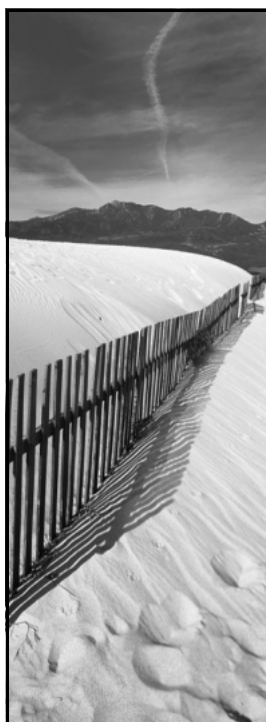
Last week's review


- ✦ The Ten Commandments must be interpreted through the finished work of Jesus Christ
- ✦ He is the fulfillment of the Law



Third Commandment


- The 3rd commandment forbids the misuse of God's name, YHWH
- It does not forbid the usage of the name of God
- It is against using God's name in vain





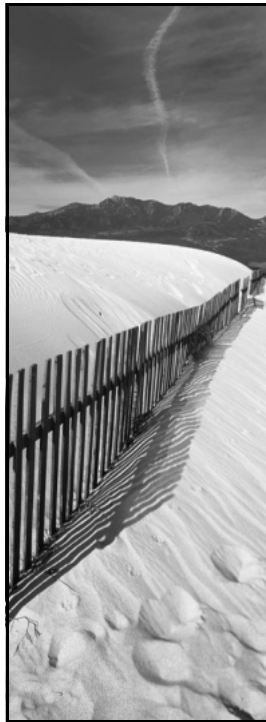
Third Commandment

- “in vain” means:
 - to deny the reality of the only true God
 - an empty profession of God when our lives, actions and thoughts are far away from Him
- We misuse the name of God when we do not honor and reverent His name



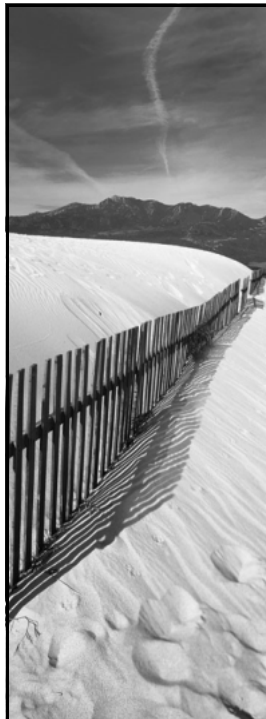
Third Commandment

- The Jews would not even dare to spell the word YHWH in full
- The Jews would shun from the usage of YHWH because of the reverence and fear for God




Third Commandment

- The 3rd commandment was given to prevent the misuse of:
 - personal gains and wickedness (Zech.5:4; Jer.5:2)
 - false prophets giving prophecy to Israel which were not from God (Deut.18:22; 1 Kings 22:11; Jer.14:15; Ezek. 13:6)




Third Commandment


The 3rd commandment is applicable for us today because it deals with the **honor** and **reverence** of God's name



Third Commandment	
	<p><i>Phil 2:10 (NIV)</i></p> <p>¹⁰ <i>that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth,</i></p> <p>¹¹ <i>and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father</i></p>




Fourth Commandment	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✦ YHWH gave Israel the Sabbath instruction no work was to be done on the seventh-day of the week✦ The Lord sent double the amount on the day before Sabbath so that Israel could collect extra portion (Exodus.16:29)




<h2>Fourth Commandment</h2>
<p><u>Why was Sabbath set apart?</u></p> <p>For Israel to :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">→ rest from their work→ remember that it was YHWH who delivered them out of slavery



<h2>Fourth Commandment</h2>
<p>Sabbath became a day of commemorating the deliverance of God for Israel's freedom and liberty from slavery</p>

	<h2>Fourth Commandment</h2>
	<p><u>Col.2:16 (NIV)</u></p> <p><i>¹⁶ Therefore do not let anyone judge you by what you eat or drink, or with regard to a religious festival, a New Moon celebration or a Sabbath day</i></p> <p><i>¹⁷ These are a shadow of the things that were to come; the reality, however, is found in Christ</i></p>

	<h2>Fourth Commandment</h2>
	<p>→ We must not be judged by the observation of Sabbath as required by the Old Testament</p>



Fourth Commandment

Exodus 20:11 (NIV)

*For in six days the Lord made the heavens and the earth, the sea, and all that is in them, **but he rested on the seventh day.** Therefore the Lord blessed the Sabbath day and made it holy.*



Fourth Commandment

- God had ordained a day of rest for creation
- Sabbath is meant for the Church today to enjoy rest in the Lord as per the divine creation order of God



Fourth Commandment

In the New Testament:

- Believers started to meet in homes for worship on the first day of the week (Acts 20:7; 1 Cor.16:2)
- Because of the Lord's Day as our Lord Jesus resurrected on Sunday



Fourth Commandment

Sabbath for the Church today:

- It serves as a time for REST for our physical body
- It serves as our declaration of TRUST in God
- It is to be reserved for an extended time with the Lord