



HARPERCHURCH

**Growth Groups
w/b 19th April 2020**

Hebrews 7:1-28

Context

- Who was this letter written to? [Hebrews 1:1]
- Who has entered behind the curtain? [Hebrews 6:19-20]
 - What is this “curtain”? Who normally went behind it?

Characters

- What was Melchizedek’s position? [Hebrews 7:1]
 - How did Melchizedek react to Abraham? [Genesis 14:19-20]
 - Why might Melchizedek have done this?
 - Why did Abraham give Melchizedek a tenth? [Hebrews 7:2]
- How is Jesus similar to Melchizedek? [Hebrews 7:3]
- Who effectively gave to Melchizedek when Abraham gave to Melchizedek? [Hebrews 7:4-9]
 - Why was Melchizedek superior?
- Why was another priest of the order of Melchizedek needed? [Hebrews 7:11]
 - What changed too? [Hebrews 7:12]
 - How is Jesus different with respect to Aaron and his sons? [Hebrews 7:13-14]
- How did Jesus receive his position as high priest? [Hebrews 7:16]
 - How long will he retain this position? [Hebrews 7:17]
- Why was the law set aside? [Hebrews 7:18-19]
- How was Jesus’ appointment different to that of Aaron and his sons? [Hebrews 7:20-21]
 - Who made the oath? [Hebrews 7:21]
- What is fundamentally different about Jesus’ life and ability to serve as a priest? [Hebrews 7:23-25]
 - What does Jesus not need to do? [Hebrews 7:26-27]

Application

- Why is Jesus the best high priest?
- Why is it good news that Jesus is the high priest?
 - What changed when Jesus became the high priest?
 - What is Jesus able to do?