

Introduction

- How are we to approach God's throne?
- What is the main thrust of Hebrews?
- Who/what is Jesus better than, according to...
 - Hebrews 1:1 – 2:18?
 - Hebrews 3:1-6?
 - Hebrews 3:7-4:13?
 - Hebrews 4:14 – 10:19?
- What does Hebrews 4:14 teach about our Lord?
- What does Hebrews 4:15 teach about our Lord?

❶ "...the throne of grace..."

- What idea does the word "throne" convey?
- What is grace?
- Why is it brilliant that God's throne is the throne of grace?
- Who, then, are we praying to?

❷ "...so that we may receive mercy..."

- What is the first thing you can expect to find at the throne of grace?
- Why do we need mercy?
- What does God's mercy cover?

- What are many Christians plagued by?
- What should we do when that is true of us?
- What should you do if you are not a Christian?

③ “...and find grace to help us in our time of need.”

- What is another way to translate “to help us in our time of need”?
- What does that mean?
- When are we in need as Christians?
- Why does God sometimes call us into times of special need?
- What must we do at such times?

④ “Let us then approach ... with confidence...”

- What are we doing if we ignore the Lord’s invitation to pray?
- What would we do if we appreciated our need more?
- How can we approach the Lord?
- What does this mean?
- What does the Greek encourage us to do here?
- Who does the word “then” point us to?
- How can we approach God?
- What will give us the greatest incentive to pray?