

JESUS OUR GREAT AND COMPASSIONATE HIGH PRIEST

(Hebrews 4:14-16)

Introduction:

- A. God's people have an excellent truth.
- B. God's people have a great high priest (v. 14).
- C. God's people have a compassionate high priest (v. 15).

Theme: In our needs, let's draw near to God for help.

1. A generous invitation “*come boldly*”

- a. You can come openly.
- b. You can come with confidence.

2. A wonderful place “*to the throne of grace*”

- a. An individual place
- b. The most elevated place
- c. The most compassionate place

3. A much needed reason “*that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need*”

- a. Everybody needs mercy and grace.
- b. Everybody needs help.

Conclusion: Simple equation

“But it is good for me to draw near to God; I have put my trust in the Lord GOD, that I may declare all Your works.” (Psalm 73:28)