

1-Recall God's gracious blessings (2-13)

2-Choose today whom you will serve (14-24)

- Choose today
- Count the cost
- Think long-term

3-Make a binding commitment to God (25-28)

- The “cutting” of the covenant
- The permanent reminders
- The dismissal in peace

Covenant renewal in the New Testament?

God's love endures forever!

Three-fold commitment—adapted from Hebrews 10:22-25

1-To fellowship with God

We will draw near to God with a sincere heart in full assurance of faith, having our hearts sprinkled to cleanse us from a guilty conscience and having our bodies washed with pure water.

2-To hold to the gospel

We will hold unswervingly to the hope of the gospel we profess, for he who promised is faithful.

3-To encourage each other in the faith

We will consider how we may spur one another on toward love and good deeds not forsaking our assembling together, as some are in the habit of doing, but encouraging one another—and and all the more as we see the Day approaching.