Important Verses:

<u>Heb. 6, 8-9</u>; 3:6; 4:14, 16; <u>5:8-10</u>; 7:25; 11:6; 12:18, 22; <u>Ps. 110:1; 40:6-8</u>; 134:14; <u>Jer. 31:31-34</u>; Exod. 24:8; <u>Lev. 16</u>; 23:26-32; Num. 15:22-31; 16:35; 26:10; <u>Deut</u>. 13:8; 17:2-7; 18:5; <u>32:35-36</u>; 1 Pet. 4:13-17; <u>Isa. 26:11, 20</u>; <u>Hab. 2:3-4</u>

Questions:

- 1. In verses 1-18, what is NOT effective in fully cleansing the sins of the worshipper? What DOES sanctify the worshipper?
- 2. In verses 1-18 there are frequent references to the Day of Atonement rituals, but what does verse 3 say that these sacrifices accomplished?
- 3. What are some of the similarities/ parallels between 5:11-6:20 and 10:19-39?

- 4. Verses 19-21 summarizes the main points of the last few chapters before the application is made to the reader. What are those main points? What should our response be in verses 22-25?
- 5. What characteristics of Christians are mentioned in verses 36 and 39? (These two concepts will be elaborated on in inverse order in the next few chapters).

Personal Thought Questions:

- 1. Jesus and His sacrifice can fully cleanse us! The result is that we should have confidence to draw near to God with a clean conscience. Is that true for *you*?
- 2. Verses 26-31 warn against going on "sinning willfully." Do *you* have a sin in *your* life that *you* have been continuing to willfully commit? What are *you* going to do to stop that?