

#3 Gospel-Formed Community

Hebrews 10:19-25 (ESV)

In Hebrews 10:19-25 we see,

1. Grace **COMES BEFORE** obedience.
2. Grace **COMPELS** obedience, including Christian fellowship or community.

Gospel-Grace vv.19-21

Therefore, since we have:

- * **CONFIDENCE** - because of Jesus' finished work
- * A great **HIGH PRIEST** - Jesus himself

Call To Persevering Obedience vv.22-25

* v.22 - Let us **DRAW NEAR** with a true heart in full assurance of faith, with our hearts sprinkled clean from an evil conscience and our bodies washed with pure water.

This is a call to faith.

* v.23 - Let us **HOLD FAST** the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who promised is faithful.

This is a call to hope.

v.24-25 - Let us consider how to **STIR UP** one another to love and good works

- **NOT NEGLECTING** to meet together, as is the habit of some,
- (but) **ENCOURAGING ONE ANOTHER**, and all the more as you see the Day drawing near.

Verse 24-25 is a call to love. Together, we are to pursue a life of love.

