HOUSE2HOUSE
Small Groups Ministry

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Week of Sunday, November 8, 2026 | Deuteronomy 23-24

Get to Know Me

1. How do you remind yourself to be aware of God's will in all areas of life?

Into the Bible

Read Deuteronomy 23:1-8

2. This passage identifies several groups who were excluded from the "assembly of the Lord," which many commentators understand to refer to Israel's civil leadership. Why do you think God restricted certain individuals from leadership among His people, and how can the underlying principles of these commandments help us manage what we allow to influence our own lives today?

Read Deuteronomy 23:9-14

3. God gave commands for how they should maintain the ceremonial purity and sanitary cleanliness of the camp. What is the reason given for this in the passage? There are obvious spiritual applications that we can take from the lesson in these verses. Read the following passages and discuss the ways we are instructed to maintain lives that are welcoming and hospitable to God's presence in our lives.

    a. Matthew 6:12

    b. 2 Corinthians 6:14-18

    c. 1 John 1:5-10

Read Deuteronomy 23:15-25

4. This passage addresses a variety of seemingly unrelated situations, from how we treat others to how we handle our commitments and possessions. What do these laws reveal about God's concern for the everyday details of our lives, and how should that shape the way we live? What areas of our lives can we conduct ourselves without considering God's will and design?

Read Deuteronomy 24:1-4

5. Rather than establishing grounds for divorce, this law regulates how divorce is to be handled. What does this suggest about God's desire for us to take marriage and divorce seriously, and how has our culture's attitude toward divorce changed?

Read Deuteronomy 24:5

6. What does this law suggest about God's desire for husbands and wives to build and maintain a strong bond in their marriage?

Read Deuteronomy 24:6-22

7. These miscellaneous laws cover a variety of subjects, including public health, fair wages, lending, criminal justice, and caring for the poor. Although the situations are different, they all reflect God's concern for how we treat one another—with respect and dignity, regardless of our circumstances. Read the following verses and discuss what they reveal about how God wants us to view and treat others.

    a. Matthew 7:12

    b. Romans 12:9-13

    c. Philippians 2:3-4

    d. 1 Peter 2:17

Application

8. These chapters have a variety of laws concerning many areas of life. What does this teach us about how we ought approach every aspect of our daily lives?

Prayer Requests

- Pray thanking God for all the people who volunteer to serve God's people at the church.
- Ministry Highlight: Operation Christmas Child Team.