

An aerial view of Prague, Czech Republic, at sunset. The Vltava River flows through the city, with the Charles Bridge in the foreground. The city is filled with historic buildings, including a prominent church with a green dome. The sky is filled with soft, golden light from the setting sun.

WELCOME
to the
International Baptist Church
of Prague

SUNDAY 7 MARCH 2021



THE CROSS

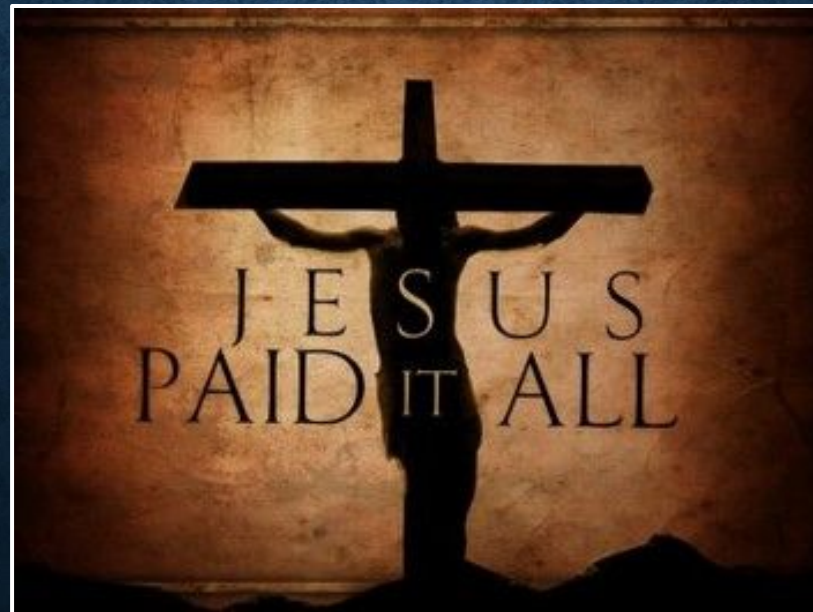
“JESUS - The Atoning Sacrifice”

THE CROSS

Jesus, the atoning sacrifice - 1 John 2:1-2

My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin.

But if anybody does sin, we have one who speaks to the Father in our defence— Jesus Christ, the Righteous One. He is the atoning sacrifice for our sins, and not only for ours but also for the sins of the whole world.



THE CROSS: "JESUS – THE ATONING SACRIFICE"

Atonement =
AT – ONE – MENT



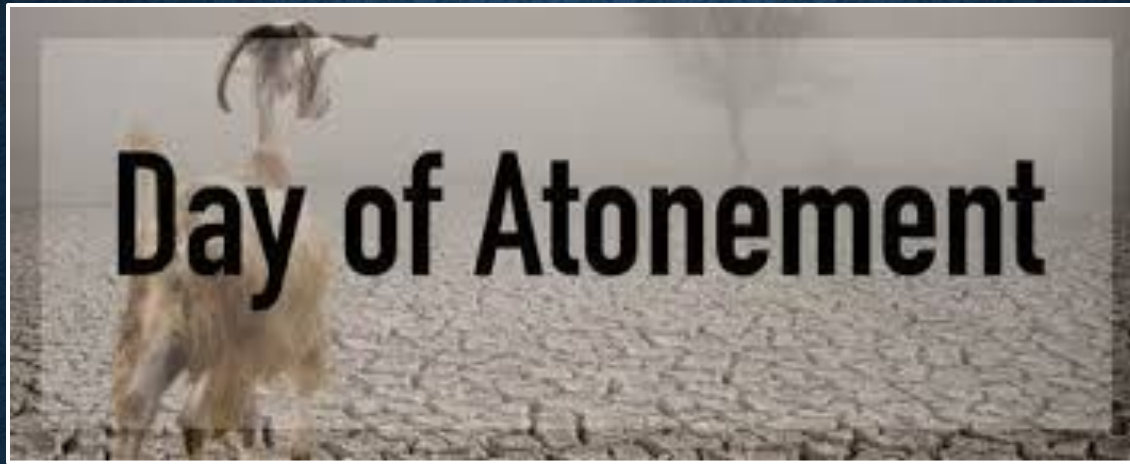
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Sacrifice and Atonement

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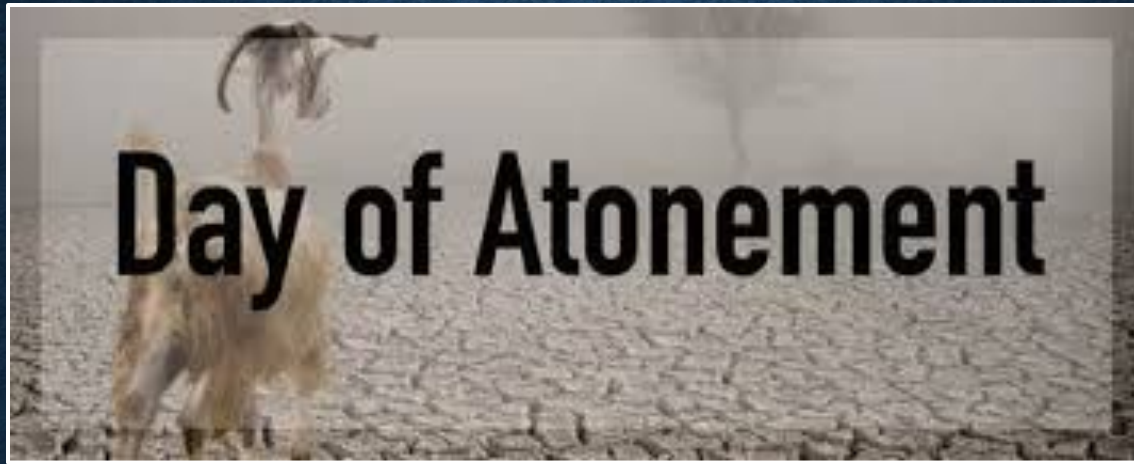


Leviticus 16:6-10

⁶ Aaron is to offer the bull for his own sin offering to make atonement for himself and his household. ⁷ Then he is to take the two goats and present them before the Lord at the entrance to the Tent of Meeting.

⁸ He is to cast lots for the two goats— one lot for the Lord and the other for the scapegoat. ⁹ Aaron shall bring the goat whose lot falls to the Lord and sacrifice it for a sin offering. ¹⁰ But the goat chosen by lot as the scapegoat shall be presented alive before the Lord to be used for making atonement by sending it into the desert as a scapegoat.

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Leviticus 16:21-22 “The scapegoat”

²¹ [Aaron] is to lay both hands on the head of the live goat and confess over it all the wickedness and rebellion of the Israelites— all their sins— and put them on the goat's head. He shall send the goat away into the desert in the care of a man appointed for the task.

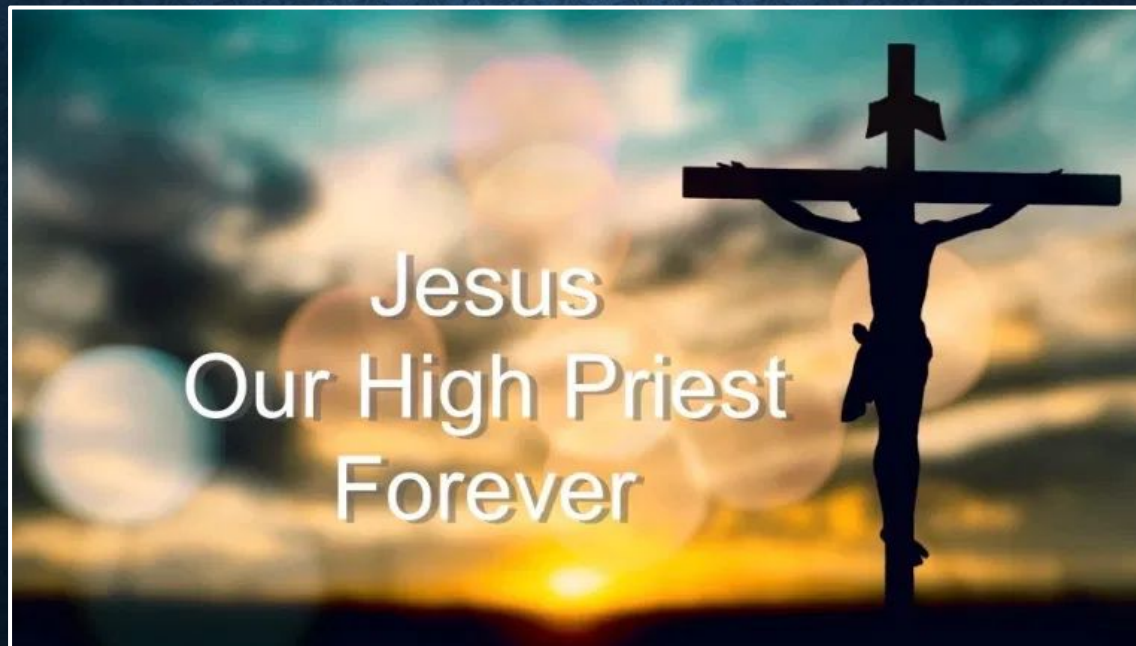
²² The goat will carry on itself all their sins to a solitary place; and the man shall release it in the desert.

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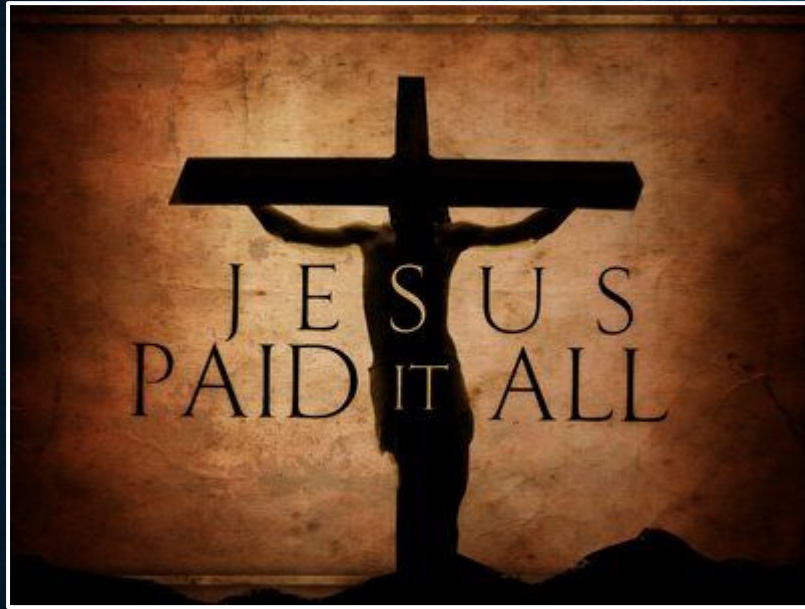
JESUS The Perfect High Priest - Hebrews 10:11-14

¹¹ Day after day every priest stands and performs his religious duties; again and again he offers the same sacrifices, which can never take away sins.

¹² But when this priest had offered for all time one sacrifice for sins, he sat down at the right hand of God. ¹³ Since that time he waits for his enemies to be made his footstool, ¹⁴ because by one sacrifice he has made perfect for ever those who are being made holy.



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JESUS The Perfect Sacrifice - Hebrews 9:12-14

¹² He did not enter by means of the blood of goats and calves; but he entered the Most Holy Place once for all by his own blood, having obtained eternal redemption.

¹³ The blood of goats and bulls and the ashes of a heifer sprinkled on those who are ceremonially unclean sanctify them so that they are outwardly clean. ¹⁴ How much more, then, will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself unblemished to God, cleanse our consciences from acts that lead to death, so that we may serve the living God!

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EFFECT of ATONEMENT - John 1:29

The next day John saw Jesus coming towards him and said, ‘Look, the Lamb of God, who takes away the sin of the world!’



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But this man
after he had offered
ONE SACRIFICE
for sins
for ever
SAT DOWN
on the
right hand
of God

Hebrews 10:12

EFFECT of ATONEMENT

1. Perfect Work of the Cross - Hebrews 10:12

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EFFECT of ATONEMENT

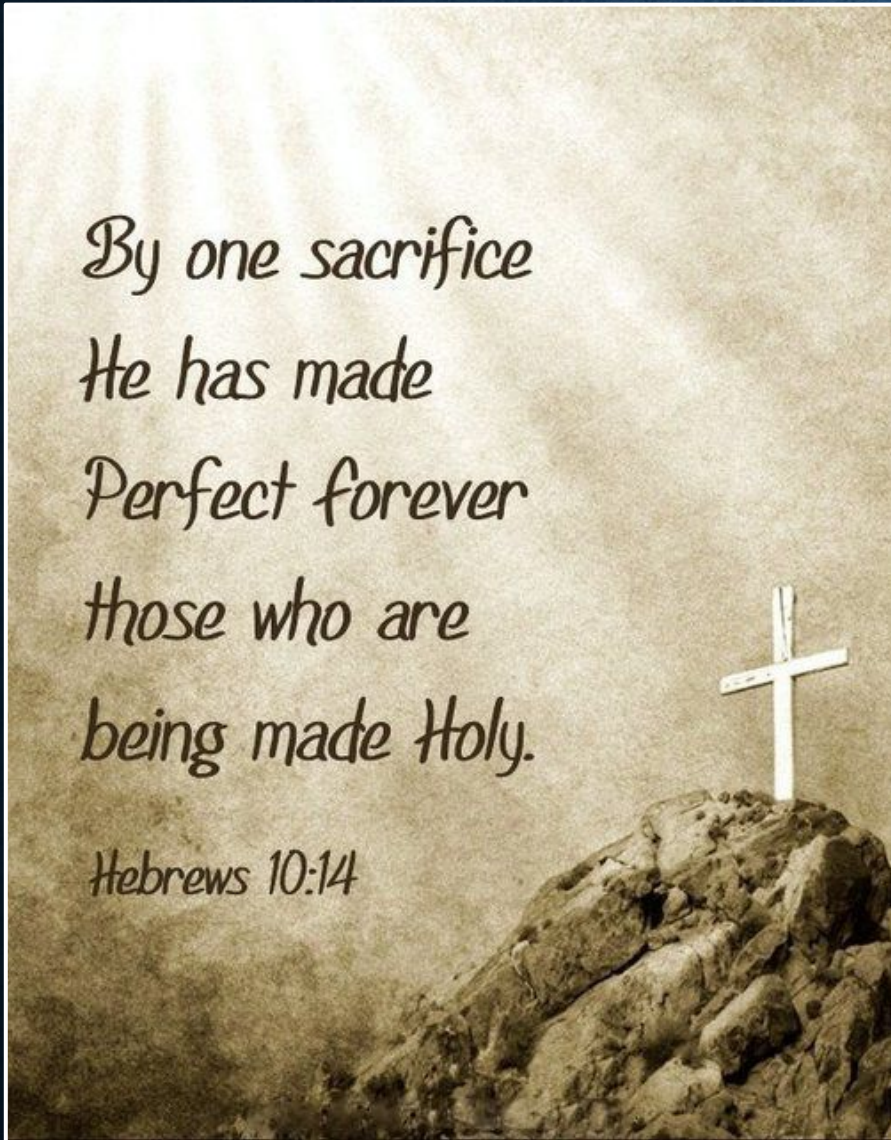
2. Powerful Work of the Cross

- Hebrews 10:14

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those who are being made
holy.

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Hebrews 10:14



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EFFECT of ATONEMENT

3. Purifying Work of the Cross - Hebrews 9:14

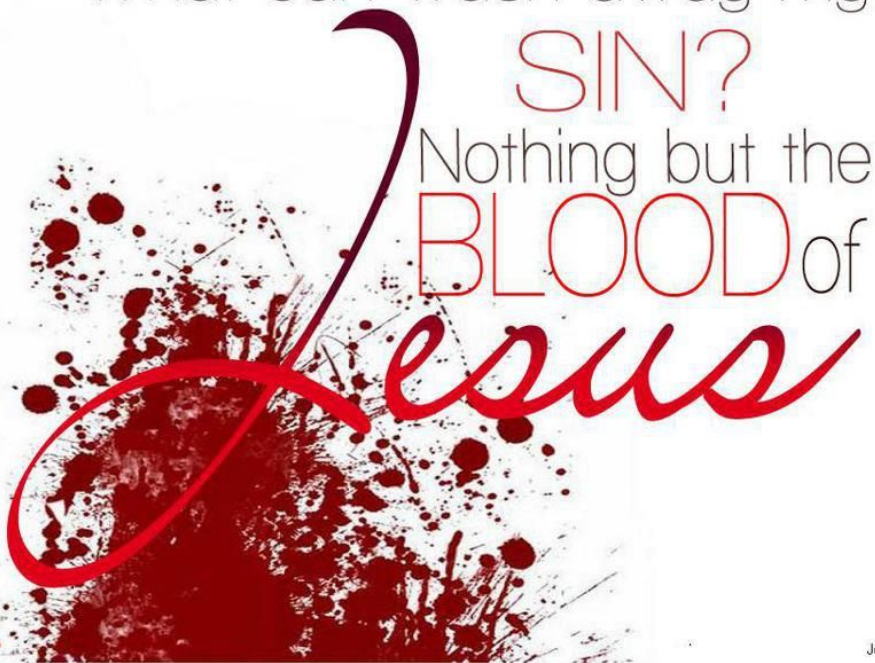
What can wash away my

SIN?

Nothing but the

BLOOD of

Jesus



How much more, then, will the blood of Christ, who through the eternal Spirit offered himself unblemished to God, cleanse our consciences from acts that lead to death, so that we may serve the living God!

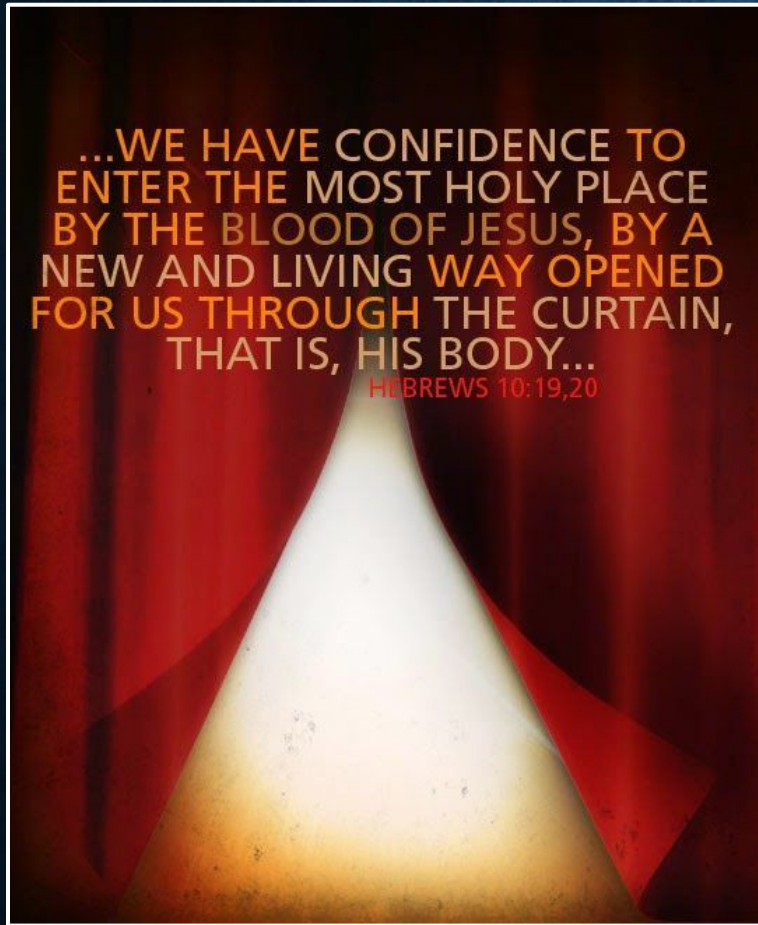
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For it is by grace you have
been saved, through faith—
and this is not from
yourselves, it is the gift of
God— not by works, so that
no one can boast.

-Ephesians 2:8-9

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Hebrews 10:19-22



¹⁹ Therefore, brothers, since we have confidence to enter the Most Holy Place by the blood of Jesus, ²⁰ by a new and living way opened for us through the curtain, that is, his body, ²¹ and since we have a great priest over the house of God, ²² **let us 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.

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Hebrews 10:23-25

²³ **Let us hold unswervingly to the hope** we profess, for he who promised is faithful. ²⁴ And **let us consider how we may spur one another** on towards love and good deeds.

²⁵ **Let us not give up meeting together**, as some are in the habit of doing, but **let us encourage one another**— and all the more as you see the Day approaching.



A blue-tinted photograph of a church interior. A large, dark wooden cross is mounted on a light-colored wall in the background. The foreground is dark and out of focus, suggesting a person's hands or a similar object. The overall mood is solemn and reverent.

To
God
be the Glory!