

Deuteronomy Study Questions for Bible Study, February 9, 2023

Chapter 23-36

Chapter 23

1. Why are Ammonites and Moabites excluded from the assembly of the Lord?
2. Why must the Israelites maintain a holy camp?
3. What does the Lord detest?

Chapter 24

4. What does the Lord command the Israelites to protect?
5. When the Israelites overlook produce in harvesting, for whom shall they leave it?

** What does our attitude towards the poor lead us to do as individuals? What does our attitude towards the poor lead us to do as a society? Is our attitude as sensitive as Deuteronomy? How can we develop ways in our social and economic system for creative ethical action?

Chapter 25

6. How many lashes are allowed as punishment for a crime?

7. When a man dies without sons, his brother must marry the widow. What happens if he refuses to marry her?

Chapter 26

8. When the people bring the first fruits to the altar, what do they say God did for them?
9. What does Israel declare concerning God?
10. What does God declare about Israel?

** What does tradition mean? What does Christian tradition mean? How does worship help us to experience our tradition? What awareness of history play in worship?

Now, how do we as Christians experience our past as living tradition?