

You Have Come to Heavenly Jerusalem

Hebrews 12:18-24

(series #36)

Introduction: a Jewish love for Jerusalem

- Ps. 48:1-14; 78:67-69; 87:1-3; 122:1-9; 125:1-2; 137:1-6

I. “You Have Not Come to...” vv. 18-21

A. Mt. Sinai v. 18 - Ex. 20:18-19; Deut. 5:25

B. Fearful words v. 19 - Deut. 5:26-27

C. Warning of death v. 20

D. Terrifying experience v. 21 - Deut. 9:19

II. “You Have Come to...” vv. 22-24

A. Mount Zion (the city of the living God, the heavenly Jerusalem) - the presence of God
- Hebrews 10:19-22; 4:14-16

B. To angels in joyful assembly

C. To the church of the firstborn

D. To God the Judge of all

E. To the spirits of just men made perfect

F. To Jesus, the Mediator of the New Covenant

G. To the sprinkled blood that is better

Conclusion: the invitation of Jesus - Matthew 11:28