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Scriptural References and Comment Notes

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(NIV)

:00-3:20 Observations about the Sursum Corda (Lift up your Hearts) and some other elements in the liturgical order. In a very general sense, scripturally, the heart is the center of human life (every thing that is you).

3:20 Teaching on the Two Covenants God established with Man, to express the relationship. The first Covenant was with Abram (Abraham) and all his physical descendants, with an implication that one day it would include everyone. The second Covenant was with Jesus Christ and any who shall believe on him.

4:45 Leviticus 27:28 Anything that is offered to the Lord (consecrated), is considered to be the Lord's and therefore holy; it cannot be taken back. Teaching; several examples of things and people being offered to the Lord.

You cannot offer something that does not belong to you. The most important thing is: Have you ever offered yourself to the LORD? Personally and publically. Reference Matthew 10:32. "Whoever acknowledges me before men, I will also acknowledge him before my Father in heaven. 33 But whoever disowns me before men, I will disown him before my Father in heaven. Teaching.

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18:00 Romans 8:5-8 Those who live according to the sinful nature have their minds set on what that nature desires; but those who live in accordance with the Spirit have their minds set on what the Spirit desires. 6 The mind of sinful man is death, but the mind controlled by the Spirit is life and peace; 7 the sinful mind is hostile to God. It does not submit to God's law, nor can it do so. 8 Those controlled by the sinful nature cannot please God. Teaching.

20:00 Comments related to St. Paul's future building plans and the following of God's purpose.

27:15 The willingness to do the will of God is the precondition to understanding what it is. Reference John 7:17. Don't bring your own plans and agendas to the Lord for blessing – bring yourselves as an offering.

Lev. 27:28 “ ‘But nothing that a man owns and devotes to the LORD—whether man or animal or family land—may be sold or redeemed; everything so devoted is most holy to the LORD.

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John 7:17 If anyone chooses to do God’s will, he will find out whether my teaching comes from God or whether I speak on my own.