

Sermon Title:
"The Purpose Driven Church!" ~ Joshua 21

INTRODUCTION:

I. Priests Are Called To Worship

A. What made the Levites so special?

1. The first reason why they did not get any land.

a) They did not get any land because of their sin.

b) What changed God's mind?

2. The second reason why the Levites did not get any territory.

a) The offerings of fire are their inheritance (Joshua 13:14).

b) The Lord himself is their inheritance (Joshua 13:33,
Deut. 18:1, 2, 7).

B. What was the priestly role in worship?

1. They were to bring the people into the presence of God.

2. They were to bring God into the presence of the people.

II. Priests Are Called to Nurture

A. What did the priests teach?

B. Why is it advantageous to sit under the teaching of the priests?

III. Priests Are Called To Witness and Offer Refuge

A. How were the cities set up for a witness?

B. What part did the cities of refuge play?

CONCLUSION: