DOES GOD STILL SPEAK TODAY? HEB.1:1-2 / 7-14-19 / A.M.

I. FIRST, WHEN GOD SPEAKS IT'S USUALLY UNIQUE TO EACH PERSON.

- A. For example, Moses had never had a burning bush experience before—Exo. 3:1-4.
- B. Likewise, when God speaks to us it will be a unique experience for us as well.

II. SECOND, WHEN GOD SPEAKS WE CAN BE SURE IT'S HIM SPEAKING TO US.

- A. Moses had no <u>question</u> of who was speaking to him from the burning bush that day—Exo. 3:5-6.
- B. <u>Jesus</u> assures us that we can recognize God's voice when He speaks to us—John 10:4.
- C. If we have trouble hearing God speak to us there are several possible reasons why?
 - 1. First, we may not really belong to God—John 8:47.
 - 2. Second, we may not be right with God because of sin in our lives—Psalms 66:18.
 - 3. Third, we may not expect God to speak to us and, therefore, don't hear God's voice.
 - 4. Fourth, we really don't want to hear God speak to us—Matt. 13:15 (Isa 6).

III. THIRD, WHEN GOD SPEAKS WE CAN KNOW WHAT HE IS <u>SAYING</u> TO US.

- A. Moses knew what God wanted him to do without any question—Exo. 3:10.
- B. God's voice isn't garbled or indistinct. When he speaks you will know its God—Jeremiah 33:3.