

I Cor 15:23 FIRSTFRUITS

Intro. Sample of full harvest. Rom 8:23 F of HE
 Rom 11:16 Is. Rom 16:5; 1 Cor 16:15 first
 converts in areas. 1 Cor 15:20,23 X.
 Festival for when entered Canaan. Day after

Sabbath-if weekly sabb then it was Sunday, v. 11
 Included more than anticipation of full
 harvest tho that too, and re res of X, He
 is sample of our res 1 Th 4.

1. Anticipation, v 10 Barley 2 qutz.

Waved before Lord. Perhaps sign of cross.

Cf. harvest to come. For us of res to come.

2. Dedication, v 12 Burnt off. All ascended as
 aroma to God. Speaks of X Heb 10:5-7 and Rom
 12:1-2.

3. Appreciation, v 13.

For daily food which in turn ought to
 make us want to return our lives to Him.

Mat 6:11. See note on Lev 2:1.

2 pts wine poured on offering.

4. Prioritization, v. 14.

Crops not to be used for food until after
 ceremony performed. God must be first.

When get paycheck, dividend, don't use any
 until give first to God. When have time,
 energy, goals, does God have priority?

Concl. Easter reminds X firstfruits.

So we can expect and anticipate res.

But also reminds us of need to ded as He did
 To appreciate basics of life. Give priority
 to Him and His interests. Bec it is feast
 of firstfruits.

1 a.m. b. 12. 6 cent. Grain } staple elements
 drink } of diet