## Offerings

most holy		holy		
grain offering sin offering	Lev. 2:3, 10; Lev. 6:10 [17] Lev. 6:18 [25]; 6:22 [29]	peace offering	Jer. 11:15; Hagg. 2:12: "holy meat" must come from peace offerings.	
guilt offering	Lev. 7:1, 6-7	"contribution"	Num. 18:11, 18-19	
burnt offering	(all three also Ezek. 42:13; 46:20) [presumably (not stated);	tithe devoted ("banned") things(?)	Num. 18:12-13 Num. 18:14	
	so Milgrom on Lev. 2:3]	first-born	Num. 18:15-18	

exception: the burnt offering is not eaten by anybody

exception: the peace offering's fat is burned > most holy(?)

"These gifts to the priests are broken down into the categories of "most holy," which may only be eaten by the priests themselves within the sacred precincts (vv. 9–10), and "holy," which may be eaten by any ceremonially clean member of the priests' families in any ceremonially clean place (i.e., outside the sanctuary, vv. 11–19)." (Ashley (NICOT) on Num 18:8-20, p. 346.) Cf. Lev 22.

(Any pure person could share in the peace offering.) (The Levites also received certain portions.)

## **Translation:**

- Consistently distinguish "holy" and "most holy".
- If "most holy" is difficult to say, consider "very holy" / "sacrosanct".
- Do not translate "sons (of priest)" inclusively as "children".