

**TODAY'S  
SCRIPTURE  
FOCUS:  
Romans  
8:12-17**

**"THE BRIDE  
& BODY OF  
CHRIST"  
Part VI**

**SERMON OUTLINE:**  
**09/18 – Introduction**  
**09/25 – Catholicism**  
(Catholic & Orthodox Churches)  
**10/02 – Protestantism**  
(Lutheran Church)

**SERMON OUTLINE:**  
**10/09 – Reformed**  
(Presbyterian Church)  
**10/16– Congregationl.**  
(Baptist Churches)

**SERMON OUTLINE:**  
**10/23 – Methodism**  
(United Methodist Ch.)  
**10/30– SBC CH. ANNV**  
(Rev. Dr. S.H. Woodson, Jr.)

**SERMON OUTLINE:**  
**11/06 – Af. Methdism.**  
(AME & AME Zion Chs)  
**11/13– Pentecstalsm.**  
(PAW, COG, COGIC, etc...)

**SERMON OUTLINE:**

**11/20 – SBC MEN’S Dy**  
(Culmination of 2011 Season)

**11/27– CONCLUSION**  
(What Did/Do We Learn?!)

**KEY SCRIPTURES:**

09/18 => Ephesians 5:25-27

09/25 => Acts 15:1-11

10/02 => Mark 2:1-12

10/09 => Romans 5:12-21

10/16 => I Samuel 8:19-22

10/23 => Romans 8:12-17

**DEFINITION OF**  
**"CHURCH"**

**EK – KLESIA**

"EK" = "out"

"KLESIA" = "assembly"

**BASIC FACTS:**

~appears over 120 times;

~word 'church' only  
appears in New Testamnt

~universal church;

~local church;

**BASIC FACTS:**

~3 main Christian bodies:

Catholic

Orthodox

Protestant

~every Christian body  
has subdivisions;

**BASIC FACTS:**

~POLITY (governance <sup>of the</sup> church)

**HIERARCHICAL:**

Authority Outside  
of the Local Church;

**HORIZONTAL:**

NO Authority Outside  
of the Local Church;

### **BASIC FACTS:**

~POLITY (governance of the church)

#### **HIERARCHICAL:**

Catholic (Pope, Cardinals + Bishops)

Orthodox (Pope + Prelates, etc...)

Protestant (Prelates + Bishops)

#### **HORIZONTAL:**

Congregational / Baptist

Independent / Non-Denominational

### **CHURCH LEADERS:**

~Lutheran => Martin Luther;

~Reformed => John Calvin;

~Anglican => King Henry VIII

~Baptist => Menno Simons;

~Baptist => John Smyth;

~*Methodism* => *John Wesley*;

~Quakers => George Fox;

~AME => Richard Allen;

~Pentecstism. => W. Seymour

### **KEY DATES:**

**1517**– Martin Luther-indulgnces;

**1536**– Calvin writes Institutes

**1536**– John Menno Rebptzd.

**1538**– King Henry VIII excmm.

**\*1744/1788** –1<sup>st</sup> Conf./Ordin.

**1962**– Vatican II – No Latin!

### **KEY SERMON FACTS:**

~JOHN WESLEY

(1704 – 1791)

- Lincolnshire, England;

- Anglican/Chrch. of England;

-Oxford trained Arminianist;

-Co-Founder of Methodism;

-w/ Brother Charles Wesley

### **KEY SERMON FACTS:**

~JOHN WESLEY

(1704 – 1791)

- WESLEYANISM was a catalyst;

- Holiness Movement;

-Pentecostal Movement;

-Charismatic Movement;

-Neo-Pentecostal Movement;

### **KEY SERMON FACTS:**

~JOHN WESLEY

(1704 – 1791)

- He est. "Societies" in UK & US;

- He est. "itinerant evangelists;"

-Pentecostal Movement;

-Charismatic Movement;

-Neo-Pentecostal Movement;

**KEY SERMON FACTS:**

~JOHN WESLEY

- promoted "Christian Perfection;  
- ...*through "means of grace"*  
*one could achieve a state of being whereby 'perfect love (of GOD) could reign in one's heart and transform the believer!*

**KEY SERMON FACTS:**

~JOHN WESLEY

- anti-slave position in UK & US;  
-in 1735 sailed to Savannah, GA;  
(English Province of Georgia, US)  
-deeply influenced by pietism, spiritualism, quietism, which he transformed into 'methodism;'

**KEY SERMON FACTS:**

~JOHN WESLEY

- inward & present salvation by faith alone;  
- open air preaching by non-ordained, lay persons;  
-COE became Protestant Episcopal Church;

**KEY SERMON FACTS:**

~JOHN WESLEY

- personal and social holiness;  
-rode 250,000 miles (on horse)  
-gave away 30,000;  
-preached more than 40,000x;

**SERMONIC POINTS:**

**#1: SPIRIT**

**#2: SONSHIP**

**#3: SUFFER**

**SERMONIC  
POINT #1:**

**SPIRIT**

“Therefore, brethren,  
we are debtors –  
not to the flesh,  
to live according  
to the flesh.”

*Romans 8:12-17*

“For if you live  
according to the flesh  
you will die; but if by  
the SPIRIT you put to  
death the deeds of the  
body, you will live.”

*Romans 8:13*

**SERMONIC  
POINT #2:  
SONSHIP**

“For as many as are  
led by the Spirit of  
GOD, these are sons  
of GOD.”

*Romans 8:14*

“For you did not receive  
the spirit of bondage  
again to fear by you  
received the Spirit of  
adoption by whom we cry  
out, ‘Abba, Father.’ ”

*Romans 8:15*

“The SPIRIT Himself  
bears witness with our  
spirit that we are  
children of GOD,”

*Romans 8:16*

**SERMONIC  
POINT #3:  
SUFFER**

“and if children, their heirs-heirs of GOD and joint heirs with CHRIST, if indeed we suffer with HIM, that we may also be glorified together.”

*Romans 8:17*