

Eph. 5: 25

SUBJECT: The Church  
Christ Jesus

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Christ Loved The Church

Acts 20:28

ΠΟΙΜΝΗ, flock.  
ΠΟΙΜΝΗ, sheep  
ΠΟΙΜΝΕΩΣ - to shepherd

} bought with our blood

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ἀναθάω - to love  
ἀναθάω - to show  
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} gave up for it

I. The Church He Loved Died For

1. Simple, idea, "the state of the church" Matt 16:18

Universal, redeemed of all ages, Heb. 12:23

- But for us, the churches are persons, like the church, 2 Cor. 1:1
- Acts 9:31 church? gentiles? Heb. 1:22
- 15:41 Syria
- 1 Cor. 16:11 Galatia
- 11 Cor. 8:1 Macedonia
- Rev 1:4 Asia
- Rev 22:16 Italy - the church

2. The ministry of Christ on earth in heaven for the churches

- on earth, left it with advantages, discipline, communion
- in heaven, found some spirit, promised resurrection, 1 Cor. 15:14
- Galatians, Ephesians, Romans, 1 Cor. 1:13
- last message, 7 churches, Rev 1:10-11
- last appeal, Rev 22:7
- 19:6-9

3. Our only experience with the local congregation.

- (a) what worked by... 1 converted, baptize
- (b) this church
- (c) 4 months mission trip around world.
- Indochina, where Thomas's baptism helped, needed...
- want a man - 1 Indian in Amoy
- high heart, church
- school in India
- inhabitants' excitement

what next a man?

The Power of the Word  
 II. His Washing by the Word  
 o.t. laveri' d' h'ijon. Physical purity demanded, purity  
 N.T. u dovt'p'ov. Uses truth in N.T. Titus 3:5; Eph 5:26  
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 cleanses, doctrinal and empirical defilement, observation.

1. A teaching ministry according to the word, from mat 28:19-20  
 (a) Daily need, need of work, teaching, care for, mania. Chryslair,  
 Sr 1973, couple, school boy, only to be kept. Small demand in his part  
 Called me, why we sit in.

2. Administering the  
 Correct ordinances according to the word of God  
 I Cor. 11:23  
 mat 28:19-20. 1-2-3. Order respected as content  
 Hold truth or differently words.  
 Daily are in various, redeple, assembly, rather

3. Supporting according to the word of God.  
 I Cor. 16:2  
 Single. Every Sunday then, money, something special  
 Kain'ly, 1973 & later.

In assembly together. EKR knows can be the assembly?  
 Public acknowledgment, association etc. 2:47 Mt 6:10:25  
 11:26  
 15:4  
 In Jesus mat 10:33, 37, mat 8:28  
 - Paul Rom 10:9, 10  
 (1) For me pas. 12:11  
 (2) For other  
 (a) word, Tom Res. 12:11  
 (b) words, fields, witnesses, parties

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