

**“All People Need the Gospel”**  
**Romans 3:1-20 (NIV)**



**Music:** James Garcia and Team  
**Host:** Grace Kvamme  
**Message:** Shawn Reese

*We gather in worship to remind ourselves who God is, what he has done in Christ and what he is doing through his Spirit. Our desire is to praise God and receive afresh his Spirit in us, to affirm that we are family reconciled one to another and to be empowered to reach out to the world.*

*Please pray for...*

- 90-year-old neighbor to have a successful ablation procedure on Oct 1<sup>st</sup>. Please pray that it will resolve her long-term heart a-fib condition.

**PBCC Financial Information:**

<b>General Fund</b>	<b>Received</b>	<b>Disbursed</b>	<b>Gain/(Loss)</b>
July 2024	\$158,996	\$173,140	(\$14,144)
12-month average	\$160,889	\$173,399	(\$12,510)

<b>Missions Fund</b>	<b>Received</b>	<b>Disbursed</b>
July 2024	\$ 10,490	\$ 15,903
12-month average	\$ 17,104	\$ 17,901

<b>Need Fund</b>	<b>Received</b>	<b>Disbursed</b>
July 2024	\$ 940	\$ 180
12-month average	\$ 2,804	\$ 1,968

**Family Life (see our website at [PBCC.org](http://PBCC.org) for more info):**

Sept 29<sup>th</sup>: **IJM Luncheon** 12-2pm  
Oct 1<sup>st</sup>: **Isaiah's New Exodus in the Gospel of Mark** 7-9pm  
Oct 3<sup>rd</sup>: **Women's Bible Study Kick Off** 9:30-11:15am  
Oct 6<sup>th</sup>: **Fall Baptism** 2pm  
Oct 6<sup>th</sup>: **VAM Workshop** 12-3pm  
Oct 6<sup>th</sup>: **Landrith's Newcomer Dinner**  
Every Sunday: **Sunday AM Prayer Meeting** 8:30am  
Every Sunday: **Body Life in Mandarin** 10:30am  
Every 2<sup>nd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> Sunday: **Church-Wide Prayer** 7:00am  
Every Wednesday: **Intercessory Prayer** 6:30am (Zoom)

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**Call to Worship: Psalm 9:1-2, 95:1-2 (NIV)**

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**Scripture Reading: 1 John 1:8-2:2 (NIV)**

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**I. The Question of God’s Covenant (v 1-2)**

<sup>1</sup> What advantage, then, is there in being a Jew, or what value is there in circumcision? <sup>2</sup> Much in every way! First of all, the Jews have been entrusted with the very words of God.

**II. The Question of God’s Faithfulness (v 3-4)**

<sup>3</sup> What if some were unfaithful? Will their unfaithfulness nullify God’s faithfulness? <sup>4</sup> Not at all! Let God be true, and every human being a liar. As it is written:

“So that you may be proved right when you speak  
and prevail when you judge.”

**III. The Question of God’s Justice (v 5-8)**

<sup>5</sup> But if our unrighteousness brings out God’s righteousness more clearly, what shall we say? That God is unjust in bringing his wrath on us? (I am using a human argument.) <sup>6</sup> Certainly not! If that were so, how could God judge the world? <sup>7</sup> Someone might argue, “If my falsehood enhances God’s truthfulness and so increases his glory, why am I still condemned as a sinner?” <sup>8</sup> Why not say—as some slanderously claim that we say— “Let us do evil that good may result”? Their condemnation is just!

**IV. The Final Charge (v 9)**

<sup>9</sup> What shall we conclude then? Do we have any advantage? Not at all! For we have already made the charge that Jews and Gentiles alike are all under the power of sin.

**V. The Final Evidence (v 10-18)**

<sup>10</sup> As it is written:

“There is no one righteous, not even one;

<sup>11</sup> there is no one who understands;  
there is no one who seeks God.

<sup>12</sup> All have turned away,  
they have together become worthless;

there is no one who does good,  
not even one.”

<sup>13</sup> “Their throats are open graves;  
their tongues practice deceit.”

“The poison of vipers is on their lips.”

<sup>14</sup> “Their mouths are full of cursing and bitterness.”

<sup>15</sup> “Their feet are swift to shed blood;

<sup>16</sup> ruin and misery mark their ways,

<sup>17</sup> and the way of peace they do not know.”

<sup>18</sup> “There is no fear of God before their eyes.”

**VI. The Final Verdict (19-20)**

<sup>19</sup> Now we know that whatever the law says, it says to those who are under the law, so that every mouth may be silenced and the whole world held accountable to God. <sup>20</sup> Therefore no one will be declared righteous in God’s sight by the works of the law; rather, through the law we become conscious of our sin.

**VII. Implications**

A. The Human Plight

B. The Call to Good-Newsizing

C. The Call to Authentic Community