

SERMON OUTLINE/NOTES

"Flee Idolatry: Communion with Jesus Christ Alone"

1 Corinthians 10:14-22 (1 Corinthians 10:1-22)

Introduction

- 2 Promises Signified and Sealed in the Lord's Supper
 - The Reality of Jesus' Death in the Shedding of His Blood on the Cross was for Us
 - The Benefits Merited by His Death is Applied to Us
- Implication – We cannot Fellowship with 2 people who are enemies of one another
- Old Testament Example – The Children of Israel in the Wilderness (Exodus 32)

I. Flee Idolatry (vs. 14-21)

- Idolatry Defined (v. 14; Exodus 20:1-5; Heidelberg Catechism #95; 1 John 4:1-6)
- Judge Wisely as Believers in Jesus Christ (vs. 15-21)
 - Can you Partake of Sacrifices to Idols & Partake in the Sacrifice of Christ at the Same Time (vs. 16-19)
 - We are Partakers of One Bread, Jesus Christ (vs. 16-17; John 6:25ff; Ephesians 2:1; Romans 6:3-4)
 - Partakers of the Altar – An Idol is Nothing – Sacrifices to Demons (vs. 18-19; Deuteronomy 32:17; Colossians 3:5)
 - We Cannot Partake of the Lord's Table and the Table of Demons (vs. 20-21; Luke 16:11)

II. A Warning (v. 22)

- Don't Provoke the Lord to Jealousy (1 Corinthians 11:27; Hebrews 12:22-29)

Conclusion

- By the Grace of God, Flee Idolatry with a Repentant Heart
- Serve Jesus Christ Alone in Reverence and Godly Fear