

Sermon Outline – “The Encourager / Be A Barnabas”

+ Hebrews 10:25

- BAD HABIT = not coming to worship
- + GOOD HABIT = encouraging one another more & more!

+ Romans 12

- verses 1-3 = the CHRISTIAN INDIVIDUALLY
- verses 4-5 = the CHURCH COLLECTIVELY

+ Romans 15:1 – the church is comprised of:

- the WEAK who need the help of the STRONG
- the STRONG who need to help the WEAK

+ The MINISTRY of “ENCOURAGEMENT” / “EXHORTATION”

- **Romans 12:8a**

+ Key Greek Term: “Parakaleo”

- “kaleo” = _____
- “para” = _____

(**note the use of a form of this term in John 16:7 by Jesus = Holy Spirit**)

+ Biblical Character Example of this Life-Changing Ministry:

- **Acts 4:36** - Joseph = “Barnabas” = “Son of _____”

* The relationship between Saul/Paul and Barnabas:

- Acts 8:3 = Paul’s past reputation
- Acts 9:26 = the problem
- Acts 9:27 = the “parakaleo relationship”
 - + “BUT Barnabas...”
- Acts 9:28 = the results

+ WHO NEEDS YOU TO BE THEIR ‘BARNABAS’??