

# The Word Proclaimed As Worship

Romans 15:15,16

“But on some points I have written to you very boldly by way of reminder, because of the grace given me by God to be a minister of Christ Jesus to the Gentiles in the priestly service of the gospel of God, so that the offering of the Gentiles may be acceptable, sanctified by the Holy Spirit.”

# Important Part Of New Testament Worship

- Jesus Used It In Synagogue Worship –  
Luke 4:16-22; ref. Isaiah 61:1,2
- Pentecost – Acts 2:14,40
- Makes Our Offering Acceptable –  
Romans 15:16
- Our Salvation Depends On It –  
Eph. 2:8; Romans 10:14-17
- It Is According To God's Wisdom –  
1 Corinthians 1:21

# The Duty Of Preaching

- Must Be The Whole Counsel Of God – Acts 20:27
- Must Be Seasonal – 2 Timothy 4:1-5
- Anything Profitable – Acts 20:20,21
- Warnings – Acts 20:31; 2 Timothy 4:2,3
- The Oracles Of God – 1 Peter 4:11
- Must Be Understandable
- Must Be As Authoritative As Jesus
- To Guide The Church Into All Truth

# The Effect Of Preaching

- Caused The Jews To Stumble –  
1 Corinthians 1:23
- It Is Foolishness To The World –  
1 Corinthians 1:23
- Confounds The Wise -  
1 Corinthians 1:27
- To Believers – 1 Corinthians 1:25
  - It Is The Power Of God
  - It Is The Wisdom Of God

# The Result Of Preaching

- Acceptable Worship - Romans 15:16
- The Truth Is Made Available To The Lost  
2 Timothy 2:2
- Prepares The Hearer For Heaven -  
2 Timothy 3:15-17

## The Duty Of The Hearer

- Seek Understanding – cf. Acts 17:11
- Preparation – Notes & Bibles