

Sermon Series: Romans

Sermon Text: Romans 11:16-24 If the Firstfruit Is Holy

God humbles us by the grace of Redemptive History.

1) The root

- a) Jewish Christians-Abraham-Christ
- b) Holy
- c) Nourishing and Supportive
- d) **Application:** Do not be arrogant.

2) The natural branches

- a) Jewish Unbelievers
- b) The severity of God (v. 22)
- c) God has the power to graft them in again (v. 23)
- d) **Application:** Justification by faith alone

3) The engrafted branches

- a) Gentile Believers
- b) The kindness of God (v. 22)
- c) Necessity of perseverance (21-22)
- d) **Application:** Continue in His kindness by humble faith.

Doxology: Now to him who is able to strengthen you according to my gospel and the preaching of Jesus Christ, according to the revelation of the mystery that was kept secret for long ages but has now been disclosed and through the prophetic writings has been made known to all nations, according to the command of the eternal God, to bring about the obedience of faith— to the only wise God be glory forevermore through Jesus Christ! Amen. Romans 16:25-27