

Redeemer Presbyterian Church (PCA)

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AN OUTLINE FOR TODAY'S SERMON

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INTRODUCTION TO JAMES

James 1:1

* Introductory Comments

I. Doctrine: James _____ *Troubled Believers (and us) in his Early NT Epistle*

A. –He does this through _____ Exhortations . . . , (Jas. 1:2)

B. . . . That are *Designed to Bring About* _____ and Wholeness, (Jas. 1:7-8)

II. How James' Greeting _____ us, Christ's Church, v. 1

A. –He Sees himself as a _____ of the *Same Trinity we Serve*, v. 1a

B. –He Reminds us that God _____ for His *Beleaguered People* v. 1b

C. –He _____ us with *Gospel Hope: "Greetings"*

III. How the Church _____ from *the Book of James*

A. –As we _____ its *Sometimes-Spirited Instruction*, with Humility . . . , (Jas. 1:4)

B. . . . We will Exercise *Practical* _____ in Jesus, (Jas. 1:6)

Key Verse—v. 1: "*James, a bondservant of God and of the Lord Jesus Christ, To the twelve tribes which are scattered abroad: Greetings.*"

NOTES & APPLICATIONS: