### **♦**SERMON NOTES **♦**

Sunday, October 26, 2014

# "THE BRIDGE"

(Titus 2:1-15)

In the Bible we learn that our sin has separated us from God. We are sinners and God is perfect and holy. We needed a bridge to God. We needed a way to have forgiveness of sin and relationship to God. Jesus is our Bridge.

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"All have sinned and fall short of the glory of God" (Romans 3:23, NIV).

"God our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth" (1 Timothy 2:3-4, ESV).

#### **GOD'S PEOPLE PROBLEM**

- 1. <u>Ungodliness</u>
- 2. Worldly Passions
- 3. This Present Age

#### THE TWO TOWERS

#### 1. The First Coming of Christ

"The grace of God has appeared bringing salvation" (Titus 2:11, ESV).

"For Christ also suffered once for sins, the righteous for the unrighteous, that he might bring us to God" (1 Peter 3:18, ESV).

### 2. The Second Coming of Christ

"Waiting for our blessed hope, the appearing of the glory of our great God and Savior Jesus Christ" (Titus 2:13, ESV).

"This Jesus, who was taken up from you into heaven, will come in the same way as you saw him go into heaven" (Acts 1:11, ESV).

"I know whom I have believed, and I am convinced that he is able to guard until that Day what has been entrusted to me" (2 Timothy 1:12, ESV).

#### TWO CABLES

#### 1. The Experience of Redemption

"Who gave himself as a ransom for all, which is the testimony given at the proper time" (1 Timothy 2:6, ESV).

# 2. The Experience of Sanctification

"You are not your own, for you were bought with a price. So glorify God in your body" (1 Corinthians 6:19-20, ESV).

#### THE WALK ACROSS THE BRIDGE

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