

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2020

MORNING MESSAGE

“The Preacher on Trial – Part 1”

Acts 24:1-23

- I. THE DESCENT OF THE JEWS (vv.1-9)
  - A. The arrival of the Jews (v.1)
  - B. The accusations of the Jews (vv.2-9)
    1. The compliments of Tertullus (vv.2-4)
    2. The charges of the Jews (vv.5-9)
      - a. The rebellious charge (v.5a)
      - b. The ringleader charge (v.5b)
      - c. The religious charge (vv.6-9)
- II. THE DEFENSE OF THE PREACHER (vv.10-21)
  - A. The cheerfulness of the preacher (vv.10-13)
  - B. The confession of the preacher (vv.14-16)
    1. He confessed to being a follower of the Way (v.14a)
    2. He confessed to believing the law and the prophets (v.14b)
    3. He confessed to believing in the resurrection (v.15)
    4. He confessed to having a clear conscience before God (v.16)
  - C. The conclusion of the preacher (vv.17-21)
- III. THE DECISION OF THE GOVERNOR (VV.22-23)
  - A. The delay of the governor (v.22)
  - B. The demand of the governor (v.23)