

Series on Romans for Airdrie Baptist Church, Autumn 2021

Introduction

The Book of Romans is organized into a two-fold scheme; matters of doctrine (chapters 1-11) followed by matters of practice (chapters 12-16). Within this broad structure Paul develops a discussion of salvation through faith in Christ: why is it necessary, what are the arguments against it and how are they argued, what are the implications for both the Jews and the Gentiles, and ultimately, how should the believer live in light of this truth?

It is also worth noting that this is also a mission support letter. Paul hopes to receive help from the believers in Rome to press on to his goal of a mission to Spain. This may be why, as one who had never met them, he is so careful to explain his message, in order to win their wholehearted support.

Overview

Session 1.	The Setting and the Set-Up	Romans 1:1-17
Session 2.	God's Righteousness and Man's Condemnation	Romans 1:18-3:20
Session 3.	Man's Faith and God's Justification	Romans 3:21-5:21
Session 4.	<i>False Implication:</i> License Is Inevitable	Romans 6:1-7:6
Session 5.	<i>False Implication:</i> Law is Sinful	Romans 7:7-25
Session 6.	<i>True Implication:</i> Justification is Spiritual	Romans 8:1-39
Session 7.	Israel's Judgment	Romans 9:1-10:21
Session 8.	Israel's Hope	Romans 11:1-36
Session 9.	A New Community in Faith	Romans 12:1-21
Session 10.	A New Community within in Society	Romans 13:1-14
Session 11.	A New Community in Good Conscience	Romans 14:1-15:33
Session 12.	Signing Off	Romans 16:1- 27