

Reconciliation and the Principle of Fellowship

(Philemon 1-16; S. Terry at CFC; Sunday Morning 9/14/14)

Theme: Those reconciled to God through faith in Jesus Christ, all now have fellowship with one another.

I. The greetings of fellowship (v.1-3)

A. Paul and Timothy (v.1a)

B. Philemon, others and the church (v.1b-3)

II. The prayers of fellowship (v.4-7)

A. Thanksgiving for love and faith (v.4-5)

B. Requests for every good thing (v.6)

C. Evidence of refreshed hearts (v.7)

III. The principle of fellowship (v.8-16)

A. The appeal for fellowship (v.8-14)

B. The divine reason for fellowship (v.15-16)