



# Trinity Presbyterian Church

*Gathering in the Name of the Triune God*

A Southeastern Wisconsin PCA (Presbyterian Church of America) church.

## Study Notes – January 8, 2017

### Epiphany Sunday

#### "Conflict in the Church over Circumcision"

Text: Acts 15:1-11

1. \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ question: what is necessary for salvation & membership in Christ's church?
  - A. If keeping the law is necessary, it ties man's salvation to \_\_\_\_\_ which means: (1,2a,5)
    - 1) Man gets the \_\_\_\_\_
    - 2) Man's assurance is \_\_\_\_\_
    - 3) The light of the church is \_\_\_\_\_
  - B. Why do we believe that we are saved by God's \_\_\_\_\_ alone through \_\_\_\_\_ alone? (4)
    - 1) God \_\_\_\_\_ (7)
    - 2) God \_\_\_\_\_ (8-9)
    - 3) God's \_\_\_\_\_ (10-11)
2. Church \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_: what methods should we take uphold the truth & keep the peace?
  - A. The strength of \_\_\_\_\_: knowing what you believe & why
  - B. We cannot be squeamish over \_\_\_\_\_ war & controversies about \_\_\_\_\_.
  - C. *The servants of the Lord must not quarrel but be \_\_\_\_\_ to all... (2 Ti 2:24).*
  - D. Christ's servants must *avoid foolish & ignorant \_\_\_\_\_ (2 Ti 2:23)*
  - E. *In the \_\_\_\_\_ of counselors there is safety (2b-6; Pro 10:19 w 11:14)*

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