Sermon Notes

To Those In Christ

who in every place call on the name of our Lord Jesus Christ

1 Corinthians 1:1-9 Christian Sanich, 8/11/2019

Background on Corinthians

1:1-3 Paul's greeting and blessing

Paul, called to be an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God.

The church (people) is God's.

What identifies the people who are truly God's people?

What makes anyone part of God's people, part of His church, is an individual being "in Christ", and Christ being that individual's Lord.

There is supposed to be a product of us being in Christ, which is obedience to Him as Lord, master.

What identifies the people who are truly God's people?

In Christ, you have been made (holy) suitable for God.

And you are called by God to continue to be, act, like you are (holy) suitable for God...

by, in our lives, letting Christ be our Lord, master - by doing what Christ wants us to do.

The same things are true for the Corinthians that that are true for all those who, in every place, call-upon the name of our Lord.

1:4-7 God's grace given you in Christ, confirms you are His.

Truly Christians, just errant Christians

There are errors which each of us has in our thinking and behavior, which this book can correct. Will you let yourself be corrected?

1:8-9 God will continue to confirm those who are His until Jesus Christ comes again and declares us guiltless.

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