The Epistle of Paul to the Church at Rome

- **I.** Presentation (1:1-17).
 - A. The writer: "Paul, a servant of Jesus Christ" (1:1a).
 - B. Paul's authority, his message, and his mission (1:1b-6).
 - C. Paul's greeting to the saints in Rome (1:7).
 - D. Paul's threefold prayer (1:8-13):
 - 1. Thanksgiving (vv. 8).
 - 2. Intercession (v. 9).
 - 3. Request (vv. 10-13).
 - E. Paul's passion (1:14-17).

The Theme of the Epistle: Romans 1:16-17.