

1 CORINTHIANS

Correcting the Church

"To the Church of God...in Palm Harbor"

INTRO: *Today we begin a study of Paul's first letter to the church at Corinth. While our church may be separated by time, geography, and culture, we share much in common, including an enemy in carnality.*

I. The Church of God ... in Palm Harbor is founded upon _____ and _____ doctrine

(1:1-3). *The Church Universal consists of all true Believers who love Jesus and live according to the Word delivered by His Apostles.*

II. The Church of God... in Palm Harbor is blessed with everything needed to _____ (1:4-9).

Spiritual gifts are divinely bestowed abilities for the healthy functioning of the Church.

III. The Church of God... in Palm Harbor must resist _____ (1:10-15:58).

Every church faces this threat. Carnality pursues fleshly desires rather than what pleases God. The carnality Paul addressed emerged in three areas.

A. _____ (1:10-4:21).

B. _____ (5:1-6:20).

C. _____ (7:1-15:58).