

## THE ROMAN ROAD

Dear Friends:

The book of Romans is one of my top 5 favorite books of the New Testament and one of my top 10 books of the Bible. Through the history of the church, few books of the Bible have been written about more than Romans. I cannot remember who it was, but I have heard about a pastor who preached from the book of Romans for more than a year. That's how good Romans is!

Let's talk about Rome for a minute. Did you know that part of our governmental structure comes from the time of the Roman Empire? Part of our legal system comes from the Roman Empire. Our public works system comes from the Roman Empire. The Romans developed a road system from the Middle East to Europe. Their road system was unmatched anywhere in the world. Did you know that the book of Romans has a road in it? No kidding! It is called the Roman Road to Salvation.

I do not have the space to go into it but follow these scriptures and see how they lead to heaven: Romans 3:23, 6:23, and 10:9-10. Remember the reference place of these four verses and you can explain the plan of salvation. Would you like to know a whole lot more about Romans? If so, join the new Bible study during the Sunday School hour at 9:00 AM. It will be excellent. Kirk McVay will be our teacher/facilitator and he loves it when people ask him all kinds of questions (sorry about that, Kirk).

See you Sunday at 9:00 AM.

In Christ's Love,

*Pastor Mike*

Prayer: Cathy Cooley (heart surgery), Harry Kring (lung surgery recovery), Dawn Dague (knee surgery)