

## **ACCEPT ONE ANOTHER**

As preached on Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>

**Read:** Romans 14:1-15:7

1. Based on what Paul describes in this week's passage, it appears there was some discord in the Roman church. Which issues were causing the conflict? Why?
2. Who is Paul referring to as "the weak"? Why?
3. Who is Paul referring to as "the strong"? Why?
4. What does Paul mean when he says in 14:4, "Who are you to judge someone else's servant?"
5. What issues do you see dividing the church today in the same way these issues were dividing the Roman church?
6. At what point, if at all, do you think a Christian needs to break fellowship with a local Christian church over these kinds of issues? Which issues? Which biblical passages command us to do so? How can we reconcile those teachings with Paul's teaching in Romans 14 & 15?
7. How can we ensure that we at FHPC fulfill Paul's command in 15:7 even as we wrestle with potentially divisive issues: "Accept one another, then, just as Christ accepted you, in order to bring praise to God."?