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October 26<sup>th</sup> 2008

# Sermon notes

A WEEKLY RESOURCE FOR AIDING THE APPLICATION OF THIS SUNDAY'S SERMON AT REDEEMER TO YOUR LIFE.

## APPLICATION QUESTIONS

1. In our battle with the old nature Tony illustrated the "ticks" of the dead sin nature are what we are dealing with. What are some of those ticks in our relationships?
2. Tony said "Your relationship with God will dictate how you relationship with each other will be." Explain what this means for your relationship vertically and horizontally.
3. How does God's grace need to demonstrate itself in your attitudes and words and actions toward others?
4. How does love for one another in the church (or lack thereof) actually reflect a program for evangelism?

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Pastor Tony Felich

What causes the quarrels and conflicts we have between each other and how do we change? James answers!

- The Cause for our quarrels and conflicts:
  - *Our personal passions (1)*
  - *We don't seek God with right motives (2-3)*
  - *We're double-minded and therefore actually at war with God (4-5)*
- The Cure for our quarrels and conflicts- Peace with God
  - Embrace grace (6)
  - Submit to God (7)
  - Resist the devil (7)
  - Draw near to God (8)
  - Practice humble repentance (9-10)
- Why this "cure" for our quarrels and conflicts works-
  - Jesus Christ provided Himself as the "peace offering" between us and God and modeled peacemaking for us.
  - Peace with God supernaturally produces peacemakers who bring godly peace to hostile relationships.

## Redeemer Happenings



**THIS SUNDAY! Special guest speaker Dr. David Calhoun, professor of Church History at Covenant Theological Seminary, will be preaching on Joshua 5- "We are not our own". He will also be lecturing on John Calvin- "The Man God Mastered" during our evening teaching time at 6pm.**