TITLE: Enough already...already Enough

TEXT: Colossians 2:6-15

TARGET: God calls us to grow in Christ and deepen our faith in him because when we do, we will not only find our identity in him but also discover that in him, he is enough.

- I. A <u>Following</u> of Christ: "Therefore, as you received Christ Jesus the Lord..." (Vs 6-7)
 - A. The pilgrim: "walk in him" (Vs. 6)
 - **B.** The tree: "rooted" (Vs. 7)
 - **C.** The building: "built up in him" (Vs. 7)
 - **D.** The school: "established in the faith" (Vs. 7)
 - **E.** The river: "abounding in thanksgiving." (Vs. 7)
- **II.** A <u>Foundation</u> in Christ: "See to it that no one takes you captive by philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the world, and not according to Christ." (Vs. 8)
- **III.** The <u>Fullness</u> of Christ: "For *in him* the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have been filled in him..." (Vs. 9-10)
- IV. The <u>Finished Work of Christ</u>: (Vs. 11-15)
 - A. In Him our hearts are circumcised. (Vs. 11)
 - B. **In Him** we are alive because he conquered death. (Vs. 12-13)
 - C. In Him our debt has been canceled (Vs. 14)
 - D. **In Him** our victory is confirmed. (Vs. 15)

Take Away: Jesus + nothing = everything. He is and was and always will be ENOUGH.