

# IRREVOCABLE

Welcome to our return to Romans. The Apostle Paul is concerned for his own people, the Jews. After addressing the unbelief of Israel, Paul recognizes what is unchanging.

## Romans 11

### 1) Israel

“Did God reject his people?” By no means. (v.1)

“remnant” (v.5)

Elect by grace; Hardened by works/pride

Who caused the hardening, God or Israel? both

The promise (vv. 25 & 26) = all Israel saved

John 1:11-12

### 2) Gentiles

“grafted in” (v.17)

“The root supports you” (v.18 “Do not be arrogant” (v.20)

Who caused the softening; God or Gentiles? both

The plan = blessed to be a blessing (Genesis 12:2)

### 3) God

“I, the Lord do not change.” (Malachi 3:6)

“depth, riches, unsearchable, glory . . .” (vv. 33-36)

The promise = covenant (v.27) The plan = mercy (v.32)

Repent—your God is too small Believe—stand by faith

### Reflective Questions:

- 1) How has your idea of God changed as you have grown up or since your early days as a Christian?
- 2) What do you learn about Israel; about Gentiles; about God in this chapter?
- 3) How might God want you to apply this teaching to your life?



### Family



A night of fun for every age featuring large group activities, board games, pizza & prizes. Sign up in the Lobby today!

Wednesday, April 25th  
6:00-8:00pm