

SUNDAY, MAY 26, 2019

MORNING MESSAGE

“The Persecuted Church”

Acts 4:1-22

- I. THE INTERRUPTION (vv.1-4)
 - A. Peter and John were interrupted by grief (vv.1-3)
 - B. Peter and John were interrupted by belief (v.4)
- II. THE INTERROGATION (vv.5-12)
 - A. What was asked (vv.5-7)
 - B. What was answered (vv.8-12)
- III. THE INTERMISSION (vv.13-16)
 - A. What silenced the Sanhedrin (vv.13-14)
 - 1. They were silenced by the confidence of Peter and John (v.13a)
 - 2. They were silenced by the copy of Peter and John (v.13b)
 - 3. They were silenced by the companion of Peter and John (v.14)
 - B. What stumped the Sanhedrin (vv.15-16)
 - 1. They were dumbfounded (v.15)
 - 2. They were distressed (v.16)
- IV. THE INTIMIDATION (vv.17-22)
 - A. The threatening of Peter and John (vv.17-18)
 - B. The testimony of Peter and John (vv.19-22)