<u>Title</u>: Paul's Challenge to BE (11/1/17)

Text: (1 Cor 16:13-24)

- I. <u>BE AWARE</u>: (VS 13)
- II. BE FIRM: (VS 13) "Stand Fast"
- III. BE BRAVE: (VS 13) "quit you like men"
- IV. <u>BE STRONG</u>: (VS 13)
- V. <u>BE ACTIVE</u>: (VS 14) "Let all things be done"
- VI. BE LOVING: (VS 14) "with charity."
- VII. <u>BE ADDICTED</u>: (VS 15) "they have addicted themselves to the ministry"
- VIII. BE TEACHABLE: (VS 16) "submit yourselves"
- IX. <u>BE COOPERATIVE</u>: (VS 17) "I am glad of the coming of Stephanas and Fortunatus and Achaicus: for that which was lacking on your part they have supplied."
- X. <u>BE REFRESHING</u>: (VS 18) "For they have refreshed my spirit and yours"
- XI. BE EXPRESSIVE: (VS 18b-20) "therefore acknowledge. 19 The churches of Asia salute you (greet, express appreciation). Aquila and Priscilla salute you much in the Lord, with the church that is in their house. 20 All the brethren greet you. Greet ye one another with an holy kiss. (A Sign of Fraternal Affection)
- XII. <u>BE PERSONAL</u>: (VS 21) "The salutation of me Paul with mine own hand."
- XIII. <u>BE HONEST</u>: (VS 22) "If any man love not the Lord Jesus Christ, let him be Anathema (CURSED).
- XIV. BE AFFIRMATIVE: (VS 22) "Maranatha"
- XV. <u>BE SUPPORTIVE</u>: (VS 22-24) "The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. 24 My love be with you all in Christ Jesus. Amen."