

Message: Jesus, the Cold-hearted Racist

Matthew 15:21-28

- I. Introduction: "For Whites Only"
- II. Christ's kingdom unites people of all nations
 - A. In the history of redemption, God begins with Israel.
 - B. The salvation that comes by God's grace through faith in Jesus Christ hurdles all racial and national divisions.
- III. The faith various Gentiles place in Jesus climaxes in the Great Commission
 - A. A similar welcoming of Gentile believers is found in the Old Testament era.
 - B. Jesus' apparent racism stretches the woman's faith
- IV. Conclusion: How is God speaking through this event into your life?