## The Study on the Book of Jeremiah Week #2: The Anatomy at Hand (Part 1) Sunday, September 15, 2024 (PM Service)

## **Introduction:**

- ➤ God Calls Jeremiah (Jer. 1:5)
- **▶** When God Calls, We Might Object (Jer. 1:6)
- **➢** God Responds to Our Reasons (Jer. 1:7-10)
  - o God commands (Jer. 1:7)
  - o God cares (Jer. 1:8)
  - o God commissions (Jer. 1:9-10)
- **▶** What Does This Mean for Jeremiah (Jer. 1:11-19)
  - o A Promise: God will honor His Word (Jer. 1:11-12)
  - o A Prediction: Disaster is coming (Jer. 1:13-16)
- > The Bible describes a call to salvation.
  - o God calls us **Out** to be saved.
- 1. The Anatomy of the Call (Jer. 1:5-10)
  - a. The Calling of Jeremiah (Jer. 1:5)
    - i. God's sonogram did not reveal **tissue** but a **person**, a person who was called for a specific purpose.
    - ii. There are three verbs here in Jer. 1:5: God knew him, consecrated him, and appointed him.
  - **b.** The Possibility of **Objection** (**Jer. 1:6**)
  - c. God's Response to Our Reasons (Jer. 1:7-10)
    - i. God Commands (Vs. 7)
    - ii. God Cares (Vs. 8)
      - 1. Courage is not an act of character; it is an act of faith.
      - 2. True courage has an **object**: **faith** in the character of God.
    - iii. God Commissions (Vss. 9-10)
- 2. What Does This Mean for Jeremiah? (Jer. 1:11-19)
  - a. A **Promise**: God will Honor His Word (Jer. 1:11-12)
    - i. If we called to be holy, then Ministry is a call to act Holy.
  - b. A Prediction: Disaster is Coming (Jer. 1:13-16)

## **Conclusion:**

The question is not **Calling**; it is **Obedience**.

➤ Obedience is a God-sized Risk for a God-sized Call.