**How We Got to WHO We Are \***

**Passing on the Apostles’ Teaching – Next 1500 Years**

**Lesson Three**

**Principles from Scripture:**

1. God expects faithfulness but not perfection.
2. Periodically people tried to get back to God’s revealed will.

**The Roots of Our Faith (last week)**

* Part One – Planting
	+ Apostles
	+ Second Century
	+ Constantine
		- Domination of the lives of people and nations (6th- 16thcenturies)

 1. Organization and power

 2. Worship

 3. Authority source

 4. Reactionary movements

* Part Two – Reforming (16th-18th centuries)
	+ Printing press
	+ Martin Luther
	+ Huldrich Zwingli
	+ Anabaptists
* Part Three – Reforming for Unity (18th-20th centuries)

**ASSIGNMENT: Learn what you can about the “Last Will & Testament of the Springfield Presbytery” and the Cane Ridge Revival**

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