

# SORCERER IN THE CHURCH!

Pastor Stephen Baker. Sunday, June 9<sup>th</sup> 2024.

Acts: The Blueprint for the Church / Simon (magician) / Acts 8:5-25

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Introduction (Acts 8:5-8)

I. The Kingdom of Simon. (Acts 8:9-11)

II. The Kingdom of God. (Acts 8:12)

III. The Conversion of Simon. (Acts 8:13)

IV. The Power of the Holy Ghost. (Acts 8:14-17)

V. The Scheme of Simon. (Acts 8:18-19)

**Simony** refers to the practice of buying or selling ecclesiastical privileges, offices, or benefices, such as bishoprics, parish appointments, or other positions within the church. This practice was particularly prevalent during the Middle Ages and was often condemned as a form of corruption within the Church. Simony was named after Simon Magus, a biblical figure who tried to purchase spiritual powers from the apostles.

VI. The Rebuke of Peter. (Acts 8:20-24) [Titus 1:12-13; 1 Corinthians 6:9-11]

VII. The Gospel Spreads. (Acts 8:25)

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Wednesday Evening Bible Study: **7 pm** (in the Christian Life Center) / Kid's Bible Clubs (In the Gym) **7 pm**

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**Interested in Small Groups during the week outside of church?** Please talk to Steve Crafton. [snrafton@gmail.com](mailto:snrafton@gmail.com). 706-463-1603.

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