**Text: Philippians 3:17** 

#### NOTE THOSE WHO SO WALK

# (I) THE UPWARD CALL OF GOD

- 1. In Christ
- 2. In Christ's Example (Philippians 3:14)
- 3. The example of Paul (Philippians 3:14-15)
  - a) Paul
  - b) The mature

### (II) A WALK REVEALED BY GOD

- 1. The mature-minded (Philippians 3:15)
- 2. Revealed by God (Philippians 3:15)
- 3. Attained (Philippians 3:16)
  - a) Walk by the same rule (**Philippians 3:16**)
  - b) Be of the same mind (Philippians 3:16)

# (III) CHECKING OUT OUR WALK

- 1. Paul as an Example (Philippians 3:17)
  - a) As a standard
  - b) As a pattern (**Philippians 3:17**)

### 2. Examining claims

- a) Those who claim they have a great walk with God
- b) False claims of walking with God

- i) Sorrowful discovery
- ii) They are the enemies of the cross of Christ

# 3. The Fate of the False (Philippians 3:19)

- a) Whose end is destruction
- b) Whose god is their belly
- c) Whose glory is their shame
- d) Whose mind is set on earthly things