

Keep the Right Perspective

I Cor.3:4-9

- I. It's God's plan to give churches a series of leaders over time (3:4).
 - A. The succession of pastoral leaders is clearly demonstrated in the church at Corinth.
 - B. A church derails when it fixates on pastoral preference.
 - C. It is healthy for a church to have several pastoral leaders in its history.

- II. A church must maintain a healthy perspective of its pastoral leaders.
 - A. Pastoral leaders are servants (3:5).
 - B. Every pastoral leader has a God assigned contribution (3:6a, 8-9).

- III. God gives the increase (3:6b-7).
 - A. God has the most important role in the church.
 - B. Keep the right perspective by trusting God's church to Jesus.

In conclusion, Jesus is our Savior and Lord. We are His church. We must follow His leading. Every one of us must submit to God's will. Let's start anew right now.