

## **The Message of Simeon**

### **Luke 2:25–35**

- I. Jesus Christ is the center of the Spirit's ministry (25–27)
  - A. The Holy Spirit prepares the life for Christ (25)
  - B. The Holy Spirit reveals the truth of Christ (26)
  - C. The Holy Spirit directs the heart to Christ (27)
- II. Jesus Christ is the center of the Father's promise (28–32)
  - A. He brings relief from the wait (28–29)
  - B. He brings salvation from our sin (30–31)
  - C. He brings light to the world (32)
- III. Jesus Christ is the center of the world's destiny (33–35)
  - A. He divides humanity (33–34a)
  - B. He incites opposition (34b–35a)
  - C. He reveals attitudes (35b)