

**Social Justice Biblically Assessed**  
**Week 7: Revolution, Constitution, Liberty, and Hypocrisy**  
Holy Trinity Sunday School, Fall 2021

I. **Survey of Revolutionary History and Constitution** – from Thomas Kidd’s Two volume *American History*

a. **Principles leading to Revolution**

b. **Escalation**

II. **We Must Give Thanks for the Profound Influence of Christianity**

Matthew 5:13-14 *“You are the salt of the earth, but if salt has lost its taste, how shall its saltiness be restored? It is no longer good for anything except to be thrown out and trampled under people's feet. (14) “You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden.*

a. **Separation of Powers & Checks and Balances**

**b. Natural Law and Natural Rights:**

**III. We Must Recognize the Grievous Hypocrisy Built in:**

“What to the Slave Is the Fourth of July?” Frederick Douglass (1852)

**Implications:**