

SERMON NOTES



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MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW

- December 16th ...** Church Christmas dinner after the morning service.
- December 23rd ...** Choir Christmas Cantata, 11:00am & 6:00pm.
- December 28th ...** Work party to paint the activity building, 8:00am.
- December 31st ...** Watch Night Service, 8:00pm.
- January 4th ...** Young Adult Rally @ Ripley Baptist Temple, 7:00pm.
- January 11th ...** FIMBF Meeting @ Beulah Baptist, 7:00pm.
- February 25th - March 1 ...** Revival @ FBC Pinch with Evangelist Caleb Lindsey, 7:00pm each night - please start praying now for God to move!

**FIRST BAPTIST
CHURCH of PINCH**



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Non-Calvinistic, Non-Charismatic, Non-Contemporary*

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*For unto you is born this day in the city of David
a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.*

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of PINCH

Sunday, December 23, 2018

A WELCOME MESSAGE FROM OUR CHURCH

We would like to welcome you and tell you how happy we are that you have chosen to be with us. We are a friendly and caring church that exalts the Lord Jesus Christ as the Head and that loves people. We are an independent, fundamental, missionary Baptist Church that believes the King James Bible is the divinely inspired and perfectly preserved Word of God, and that this Bible has the answer for all of today's problems. The primary purpose of our existence is to fulfill the Great Commission, both locally and globally, that souls may be reached with the Gospel Message and won to Christ. We want to invite you to be a part of this local body that we may learn together.

SERVICES:

- Sunday School10:00am
- EFFECTIVE January 6, 2019: Sunday School 9:45am**
- Morning Worship11:00am
- Evening Worship6:00pm
- Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting / Bible Study7:00pm
- Wednesday Evening Youth Discovery Club 7:00pm

FLEA MARKET SCHEDULE:

	<u>AM</u>	<u>PM</u>
12/22	Alan Myres John Moore	Matt Griffith Randy Scott
12/29	Dave Townsend Michael Smith	Gary Groves Randy Scott

12/22 REPORT: 8 doors opened and **2** seated! Praise the Lord!

NURSERY WORKERS:

12/23 Brittany & Nancy 12/30 Cathy & Winnie

Our church provides the following ministries:

Missions Program, Visitation Program, Flea Market Ministry, Nursing Home Ministry, Youth Ministry, Children's Church Program, Music Ministry, Radio Broadcasts, Van Ministry, and Nursery Facilities. Childcare is provided during the Morning Worship Service. Nursery - 2 years is located downstairs in the Nursery. Children's Church for 3 years - 5th grade is located in the gym kitchen. Wednesday Evening Youth Discovery Club in different areas.

MEMORY VERSES:

Isaiah 55:8-9, "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, saith the LORD. For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways, and my thoughts than your thoughts."

NOTE: The Men & Ladies are tied in the 2018 Sword Drills

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

JESUS IS COMING SOON!

There will be a work party for the men who are available to paint the activity building this coming Friday, December 28, at 8:00am.

The annual Watch Night Service will be Monday, December 31, at 8:00pm. Please bring finger foods and a drink for fellowship in between the two services. Be praying about what the Lord would have you to share!

PASTOR'S CORNER

Galatians 5:7, "Ye did run well; who did hinder you that ye should not obey the truth?"

I have a race to run as a Christian, as a Pastor, as a husband, as a son, as a brother, as an employee, etc... It never seems to be the "whats" that cause a hindrance, but it is always the "whos." This verse says *Ye did run well; WHO did hinder you...?* I wonder how many times that someone has allowed a person to hinder their Christian race? How many times that someone has said, "I'm not going to church there anymore because THEY go there." The problem with this mentality is that you have allowed the devil to deceive you into thinking that you are going to stand before other people one day at the Judgment, but the reality is, you are going to stand before God one on one and give an account of your life, your race, that you have run, and these other people's faults won't be a valid excuse for your behavior. If you keep your eyes on other people, you will never be who God wants you to be, and you'll be hindered, BUT if you get your eyes on JESUS, the ONE who died for your sins, the ONE who you are going to stand before at the Judgment one day, then many of your excuses will soon fade away! If every single Christian in the world would get their eyes off other people and get their eyes on Jesus, most problems within the church would be solved. Don't allow anyone to hinder your Christian race! The reality is, even if that person shouldn't have done what they did, it isn't their fault that you have backslid, it is your own fault for allowing a person to hinder your relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ. That person isn't worth you being miserable the rest of your life! Let it go, and get back on the strait and narrow today! *Ye did run well; WHO did hinder you...?*