

SERMON NOTES

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MARK YOUR CALENDARS NOW

- December 31st ... Watch Night Service, 8:00pm.
- January 3rd ... Meadowbrook Nursing Home, 7:00pm, Michael Smith.
- January 4th ... Young Adult Rally @ Ripley Baptist Temple, 7:00pm.
- January 6th ... Choir Practice, 5:00pm.
- January 10th ... Visitation, 6:00pm.
- January 11th ... FIMBF Meeting @ Beulah Baptist, 7:00pm.
- January 13th ... Church Dinner after morning service, soup & sandwich.
- January 17th ... Meadowbrook Nursing Home, 7:00pm, John Moore.
- January 24th ... Visitation, 6:00pm.
- 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**



*Independent, Fundamental, Missionary, Separated, King James Only,
Non-Calvinistic, Non-Charismatic, Non-Contemporary*

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HAPPY NEW YEAR 2019!

*Forgetting those things which are behind, and
reaching forth unto those things which are before,
Philippians 3:13*

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of PINCH

Sunday, December 30, 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>
1/5	Rick Farmer Randall Cain	Carl Wheeler Dave Townsend
1/12	Michael Smith Gary Groves	Matt Griffith John Moore

12/29 REPORT: 10 doors opened and great fellowship! Praise the Lord!

NURSERY WORKERS:

12/30 Cathy & Winnie 1/6 Brittany & Nancy

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 Ladies are ahead by 1 in the 2018 Sword Drills

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

JESUS IS COMING SOON!

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

Psalm 139:1, *"O LORD, thou hast searched me, and known me."*

There are many verses in the Bible that teach us that the Lord knows all about us. He knows us better than we know ourselves. Before we ever think, say, or do anything, He already knows what we are going to think, say, and do. He has searched us, and He knows us. He not only knows everything we have ever done, He already knows everything that we will ever do. *O the depth of the riches both of the wisdom and knowledge of God* (Romans 11:33a). In light of this truth, it ought to cause us to do two things. First, we ought to thank God that even though He knows us so well, He still loved us enough to send Jesus to die on the Cross and pay the penalty for all our sins! O what a Saviour that we have! This truth also should produce the fear of God in each and every one of us. We can't hide anything from God that we have done, and He already knows what we are thinking and what we are going to do, so shouldn't we fear Him in a reverential way? I'm not saying that we should be afraid of God (unless we haven't been bought by the blood of Jesus), but I am saying we need to sober up and realize that He is omniscient, which will cause us to reverence Him in a mighty way. *O LORD, thou hast searched me, and known me.* Dear friend, since He already knows you, why not be submissive unto His perfect Will? Since He knows us so well, why bother "beating around the bush" in prayer when we are confessing our sins? We need to simply acknowledge God for who He is and acknowledge our sins before Him, so He can have His way with us! You'd feel a lot better! Amen.