

## SERMON NOTES

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Wednesday or Sunday Evening Adult Bible Studies** - We have several 10-week Bible Studies for you to choose from on Sunday or Wednesday evenings, sign-up at The Welcome Center  
Ladies currently in the Fervent study will complete that study

### BBC Online Shop

Scan the QR code to order your  
"I Love My Church" gear!



### Marriage Conference

Friday, March 6 at 6pm (Bacchus on the Beach)  
Saturday, March 7 at 9am (Victory Classroom)  
Sunday, March 8 at 9am (Combined Life Groups)  
\$75 per couple (cash or check) & childcare available  
Space is limited, Sign-up now at Welcome Center today

# BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

FEBRUARY 22, 2026

I LOVE MY CHURCH THROUGH  
SHARING



# TO KNOW, TO GROW, TO SHOW THE LOVE OF GOD

Welcome to Bible Baptist Church! We are a community of believers committed to knowing, growing in, and showing the love of God as we work together to change the world, one person at a time.

*Senior Pastor. Mike Spann*

## SERVICE TIMES

### SUNDAY MORNING      WEDNESDAY EVENING

Life Groups All Ages	UNASHAMED Student Ministry
9:00 am	6:30 pm
Worship Service	Bible Kids' Clubs
10:30 am	6:30 pm
	Single Moms
WEDNESDAY MIDDAY	6:30 pm
Adult Bible study	Adult Bible Study
11:00 AM	7:00 pm

*Take good heed therefore unto yourselves,  
that ye love the LORD your God.*

*Joshua 23:11*

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## MARCH EVENTS

- 6-8      **Marriage Conference** - Friday, March 6 - Sunday, March 8  
Please come by Welcome Center to sign-up
- 8      **Combined Life Groups** - Sunday, March 8 at 9am  
All adult Life Groups will be combined in the auditorium
- 11      **No Midweek Services** - There will be no midweek services or  
Bible Studies this week
- 29      **Lord's Supper** - Sunday, March 29 at 4:30pm  
The Lord's Supper is for saved and baptized members of BBC  
This is a time for corporate unity and individual scrutiny of our  
walk with Jesus and remembrance of what He has done

## 2/15/26 GIVING

GENERAL	\$13,283.84
MISSIONS	\$2,997.86
BUILDING	\$340.04
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$16,621.74</b>

## I Love My Church Through Sharing Missions to the World

**Matt. 28:19-20; John 15:12-17; Acts 1:8**

### What Does It Mean To Go?

- **Matthew's Great Commission**
  - “\_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ all nations.” Matthew does not use the word “evangelize.” *The word he used has the connotation of instruction or teaching, with the aim of conversion.*
    - *It is “make disciple” – not find, attract or draw those who are already disciples. **Matthew teaches a philosophy of attachment, not attraction.***
  - This is Matthew's emphasis – *instruction with the aim of \_\_\_\_\_.*
- **Mark's Great Commission**
  - “*Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every \_\_\_\_\_*” (**Mark 16:15**).
    - He uses the term euaggelion, from which we get our English words “evangelism” and “gospel” or good news.
    - *He references “the world,” but does not forget the \_\_\_\_\_.* Our vision also is to see every human being have the opportunity to hear and understand the Gospel of Christ.
- **Luke's Great Commission**
  - The context of Dr. Luke's Commission is Jesus rehearsing the facts of the Gospel with the eleven (**Luke 24:46-48**), then commanding the preaching of repentance and remission of sins “among all nations beginning at Jerusalem.” Again, the international, missionary component is present.
  - *Luke emphasizes the \_\_\_\_\_ witnessing dimension of the Great Commission*
- **John's Great Commission**
  - He used the word apostello (meaning “one sent on a mission”) when He said, “*As [my] Father hath \_\_\_\_\_ me, even so \_\_\_\_\_ I you*” (**John 20:21**).
    - In John's account, Jesus' emphasis is on our \_\_\_\_\_ to Him.
  - The Acts account, written by Luke also, is the only one of the five accounts with a specific methodology given. The strategy is to begin at home and proceed in concentric circles until we have gone to the uttermost parts of the globe.
- **Picture of Evangelism**
  - We are “sent” people on a specific mission. The scope of the mission is international – to all nations. Our target group is every creature.
- **Philosophy of Evangelism**
  - In one brief verse, we have the philosophy of evangelism of the first New Testament church: “*And daily in the temple, and in every house, they ceased not to teach and preach Jesus Christ*” (**Acts 5:42**).
    1. **“Daily”** meant that evangelism was being carried out \_\_\_\_\_.
    2. **“In the temple”** – there was \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ evangelism on a daily basis.
    3. **“And in every house”** – they went into private \_\_\_\_\_ with the Gospel.
    4. **“They ceased not”** – they made \_\_\_\_\_ efforts to evangelize
    5. **“To teach”** – teaching to achieve an \_\_\_\_\_ of the Gospel almost always precedes conversion.
    6. **“And preach”** – the \_\_\_\_\_ was prominent in their evangelism efforts.
    7. **“Jesus Christ”** – He was the \_\_\_\_\_ figure; it was all about Him
- **Pray for Supernatural Anointing**
  - There is \_\_\_\_\_ (**Acts 4:13; Acts 4:31**).
  - \_\_\_\_\_ people have a special unity (**Acts 2:1**).
  - The Spirit produces a beauty of \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ that is recognizable to other people as the fruit of the Spirit (**Acts 4:33**)

- When the Holy Spirit is working, there is a new \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_ among the lost to the Gospel itself (**Acts 5:14**)
- **How Much Does God Love Us?**
  - “*Yea, I have loved thee with an \_\_\_\_\_ love: therefore with lovingkindness have I drawn thee*” (**Jeremiah 31:3; 29:11; John 3:16**)
- **Jesus gave the Greatest Example of God’s Love.**
  - \_\_\_\_\_.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ - (**Phil. 2:5-8**).
  - \_\_\_\_\_ - (**Mark 10:45**).
- **Jesus \_\_\_\_\_ God’s Love.**
  - **Romans 5:8** – “*But God commendeth (proved) his love towards us, in that, while we were yet sinners, Christ died for us.*”
    - *God has provided an answer to our dilemma with sin.* There is a litmus test
    - “*Let me name 3 – 4 of them and see how we do...*”
      - ~ Thou shall not lie (**9<sup>th</sup> commandment**)
      - ~ Thou shall not steal (**8<sup>th</sup> commandment**)
      - ~ Do not take God’s name in vain (**3<sup>rd</sup> commandment**)
      - ~ Thou shall not have any other God’s before me (**1<sup>st</sup> commandment**)
    - “**Based on your own \_\_\_\_\_ you are a liar, thief, blasphemer, and idolater; so when you stand before God would be innocent or guilty of breaking God’s laws?**”
      - ~ How many of you would say, “guilty”, let’s turn to **Romans 3:19-20** and validate this truth with the Word of God.
  - **Romans 3:19** – “*Now we know that what things soever the law saith, it saith to them who are under the law: that every mouth may be stopped, and all the world may become before God.*”
  - **Romans 3:20** – “*Therefore by the deeds of the law there shall no flesh be justified in his sight: for by the law [is] the knowledge of sin.*” Every single one of us has broken God’s laws and therefore we deserve justice. The Bible says, “*But the fearful, and unbelieving, and the abominable, and murderers, and whoremongers, and sorcerers, and idolaters, and all liars, shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone: which is the second death*” (**Revelations 21:8**). **He must deal with your sin, it must be punished.**
  - “*So according to the Bible, if you were not a saved person, what would happen to you if you were to die?*” **Hell!** “*How does that would make you feel?*” **Pretty bad; scared; not good; etc.**

**Once a person realizes they are guilty sinners before God, and their punishment is an eternal hell, they are ready to be saved, because they need to be saved.**

Would you be willing to allow Jesus Christ to do something for you that you cannot do for yourself?

The last part of **Romans 6:23** states, “*but the gift of God [is] eternal life through Jesus Christ our Lord.*” Since the gift of eternal life is a gift and something we cannot earn or do for ourselves, then you must believe that Jesus Christ is the Son of God. You must:

- **Believe – John 3:15-16**
- **Repent – Luke 13:3, 5**
- **Call upon Jesus – Romans 10:9-10, 13**

**The work is done you need to do nothing but... \_\_\_\_\_... \_\_\_\_\_... \_\_\_\_\_ upon Jesus!**

**Will you love your church through sharing the gospel with others and giving so that others can know?**