SERMON NOTES

TODAY'S TEXT: MATTHEW 7:24-29 WITH BEN WETHERINGTON

"Cheap grace is the preaching of forgiveness without requiring repentance, Baptism without church discipline, communion without confession, absolution without personal confession. Cheap grace is grace without discipleship, grace without the cross, grace without Jesus Christ, living and incarnate.

Costly grace is the treasure hidden in the field; for the sake of it a man will gladly go and sell all that he has. It is the pearl of great price to buy which the merchant will sell all his goods. It is the kingly rule of Christ, for whose sake a man will pluck out the eye which causes him to stumble; it is the call of Jesus Christ at which the disciple leaves his nets and follows him."

Dietrich Bonhoeffer "The Cost of Discipleship"



Loving God & Loving People, Serving God by Serving People

OCTOBER 22, 2023—ORDER OF WORSHIP

Welcome/Bible Reading—Elder Jeff Hudson

Worship in Song

Worship Through Offerings

Announcements/Prayer—*Elder Chuck Thompson*

Message from—Matthew 7:24-29

Pastor Ben Wetherington
"The Necessity of Obedience"

Invitation & Worship in Song

Blessing & Benediction

THIS WEEK @ FBCS

Sunday

9:00 AM **Sunday School** 10:00 AM Worship Service

5:00 PM Fall Outing

Monday

7:30 PM **Worship Practice**

Tuesday

3:30 PM MC/K Reserved 6:30 PM **Council Meeting**

Wednesday

6:30 PM **Prayer Meeting**

& Youth Group

INFORMATION

Building Fund Recap

Total BF \$40,042.71

REGULAR OPPORTUNITIES

Sunday School

Classes meet every Sunday at 9:00am for Nursery through Senior Adults.

Children's Church

Gospel-centered, age-appropriate teaching, offered during the service for Nursery through 5th grade. Please stop by the Check-in station at the Welcome Center.

Evening Service

No Evening Service due to the Fall Outing. The 6:00pm service is a relaxed setting to learn as a family. Nursery and Youth Group are both available.

Midweek @ First

Join us on Wednesday at 6:30pm for our Prayer Meeting. Nursery, Children's Class, and Youth Group are also available.

Hearing Devices

Hearing packs are available at the Welcome Center if you need hearing assistance during the sermon.

Choir Practices

Adult Choir will be around 7:00pm this Sunday. No Tween/Teen Choir or Children's Choir.

MISSIONS

GUA Team Thanks You!

The team of 18 would like to express their sincere thankfulness and gratefulness to their church family! We will have the presentation about the trip on Sunday, Nov. 5th at 6:00pm.

Lifeline Christian Mission **Meal Packing Event**

Saturday, Nov. 4th at 10:00am

Serve others right here in 4 simple steps: Mix, Weigh, Seal, Ship! Join us in the Ministry Center that Sat., for 90 minutes, to pack meals to send to Samoa. This activity is for ages 5 and up. You can do this as a family or an individual. We currently have the 50 people, if that changes, we'll send out an email to add others!

Day of Prayer & Fasting Wednesday, Oct. 25th

Join us for a day of Prayer and Fasting on Wednesday as we seek God's will over Israel and the events unfolding there. We will focus our 6:30pm Prayer Meeting on lifting Israel up in prayer.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Fall Family Outing

Today at 5:00pm

Come join us behind the church for our Fall Festival! On the menu: Ham & Beans, hotdogs, drinks and hot chocolate. We will need brought in; cornbread, chips, desserts, items to make S'mores. Signup sheet is at the fover table. We'll have havrides! Don't forget to bring your lawn chairs.

Trunk or Treat

Sunday, October 29th, 6-8pm

Those planning to decorate your trunk, see the signup sheet at the display table. If you'd like to help by donating candy, the collection barrel is by the display table. Trunk setup is at 5:00pm. In the event there is bad weather, we will move inside the Ministry Center. Please be flexible for your display with an 8 foot table/ space inside, if needed.

Church Shirts are In!

If you ordered a church shirt, please pick those up at the fover table.

Lost & Found

Please check the Library for all the Lost & Found items this year.

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GIVING

Received: \$6,228.55

Needed: \$8,610.00

ATTENDANCE

Sunday School 59 Worship 193 **Visitors 13**

COMMUNITY FOOD MIN.

Wednesday, November 15th