

Lord's Day May 21st, 2023

Welcome to First Baptist! We are thankful you are gathering with us today to glorify the Lord through prayer, singing, and hearing of the Word of God.

Welcome & Announcements Meditation & Prayer

Our Father which art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy Kingdom come, thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever. Amen.

Call to Worship

Scripture Reading – Sermon Text What a Day That Will Be (Hymn 607)

OUR CONFESSION - NEW HAMPSHIRE 1833

XVI. Of the Civil Government We believe that civil government is of divine appointment, for the interests and good order of human society; and that magistrates are to be prayed for, conscientiously honored, and obeyed; except only in things opposed to the will of our Lord Jesus Christ, who is the only Lord of the conscience, and the Prince of the kings of the earth.

Rom. 13:1-7; Deu. 16:18; II Sam. 23:3; Ex. 18:23; Jer. 30:21; Matt. 22:21; Titus 3:1; I Peter 2:13; I Tim. 2:1-4; Acts 5:29; Matt.28; Dan. 3:15-18; Dan. 6:7-10; Acts 4:18-20; Matt. 23:10; Rom. 14:4; Rev. 19:16; Ps.72:11; Ps.2; Rom. 14:9-13

Since Jesus Came into My Heart (**Hymn 624**)

Worship through Giving / Doxology (Hymn 668)

Sermon

Ending Well

When We All Get to Heaven (Hymn 603)

Benediction

Today

Sunday School 9:45AM / Worship 11AM

Wednesday

Bible Study 6PM– Food, Fellowship, Devotion Office 9:30AM – 1:30PM (Wed & Fri)

Happy Birthday / Anniversary

6th - Eddie Joe Canterbury, Ray & Jennifer Parsons Anniversary; **10**th - JoAnn Oliver; **13**th - Peyton Cooley, Frank Miller; **14**th - Betty Griffin; **15**th - Eddie Joe & Crystal Canterbury Anniversary; **29**th - Michael Hatfield; **30**th - Eddie Canterbury, Kelly Swindell

News & Prayer Request

PRAY for our VBS: June 12th - 16th!

Spring Offering, Mountain State Missions: Goal: \$1,000.00 (All this month!)

- ➤ Betty Griffin recovering from pneumonia.
- Jimmy Richards cancer, not taking treatment.
- Larry Weaver hurt arm, waiting on X-Rays.
- ➤ Keith Lyall, pain pump, declining w/kidney cancer.
- Frankie Hutton shoulder surgery.
- ➤ Karen (Elizabeth), needs operation, serious.

Coram Deo (living before the face of God)

"The psalmist gives us a prayer and a path to follow:

O God, from my youth you have taught me, and I still proclaim your wondrous deeds. So even to old age and gray hairs, O God, do not forsake me, until I proclaim your might to another generation, your power to all those to come. (Ps. 71:17–18)

Some may be tempted to think that the call to finish well is only relevant to men and women in their eighties or nineties, but the preparation actually begins much earlier. Godly character and habits that are developed over many years are the patterns that emerge in old age and that influence younger believers in unforgettable ways. The need for faithfulness in the second half of life is too important to wait until it is too late. So, the plea is simple: show us how to begin now to finish well." ~ Ligonier Ministries

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