

Wednesday Night – Bible Study & Prayer Guide

First Baptist Church, Atmore ---- October 10, 2018

Announcements

Sunday, October 14th ---

- 9:30AM Church at The Meadows
- 9:45AM Sunday School
- 10:35AM Deacons & Pastor Prayer
- 11:00AM Worship
- 4:00PM Sanctuary Choir Practice
- 4:30PM Children Choir Practice
- 5:30PM Worship

Coming Events ---

- Sunday, October 21st – Covered-Dish Lunch
(Church will Provide Hamburgers)
- Sunday, November 4th – Business Meeting

Remember --- Teacher Tuesday

On Tuesdays we are praying for our local teachers. Take a card from the “Teacher Tuesday” bulletin board and pray for the teachers whose names are on the card!

Prayer Concerns – This Week

- Pastor Search Committee
- Family of Brad Stinson
- Steve Lancaster (Knee Scoped Monday)
- Steve Killam (Foot Surgery Tuesday)

Prayer Concerns - Nursing Homes Assisted

Living

- ✓ **Atmore Nursing Home** – 715 East Laurel St.
 - Patricia Burcham #106
 - Drunetta Hammac #147
 - Linnie Johnson #125
 - Don Rounsaville (Joan) #123
- ✓ **Others** –
 - Marie Alston – The Meadows in Atmore #12
 - Ray Bell – Bayside Health in Pensacola
 - Earlene Biggs – Century Care Center #260B
 - Janis Harms – Westminister Village
 - Haskew Middleton – Country Place Fairhope
 - Gertrude Smith – The Haven in Gulf Shores
 - Evelyn Turberville – Morningside in Auburn
 - Lauree Parker – Diversicare in Foley

Prayer Concerns – Homebound

- Mike Barnett – 700 S. Presley St
- Bob & Pat Bonner – 9810 Hwy 31
- Jimmy & Chelle Brown – 206 Pinehill Dr.
- Dale & Pat Cooper – 100 Magnolia Dr
- Dot Killam - 887 Old Bratt Road
- Betty Ann Mason – 1205 S. Presley St
- Millie Purvis - 1000 E Horner St
- Nell Thomas – 611 Deere Creek Rd

Prayer Concerns – FBC

- Judy Branum / Haskell Dunn / Lauri Harrell
- Luke Haynie / Thomas Norris
- FBC Ministries
 - * Children Ministry - AWANA (Robin) - Ongoing
 - * Children Choir (Linda) = Ongoing
 - * Youth Ministry (Jason Handley) - Ongoing
 - * Music Ministry (Billy) = Ongoing
 - * Day Care (Tina) = Ongoing

Prayer Concerns – Other

- Victims of Hurricane Michael
- Victims of Tsunami in Indonesia
- Janice Barden (Jean Johnson)
- Cody Beleir (Bro. Jason)
- Tammy Chlebowski (Surgery October 30)
- John Contreras (Mona Wood)
- Jack Darby (Robert Hendrix Brother-in-Law)
- Glenda Evans (Kris Stewart)
- Rev. Jonathan Hill (Pastor of Little Escambia)
- Kathy Ochoa (Jack & Betty Ward)
- Atmore Christian Care Ministry
- Escambia Baptist Association (Wendall Ray)

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Psalm 32 --- Blessed *is he whose* transgression *is* forgiven, *whose sin is* covered. ² Blessed *is* the man to whom the LORD does not impute iniquity, And in whose spirit *there is* no deceit. ³ When I kept silent, my bones grew old Through my groaning all the day long. ⁴ For day and night Your hand was heavy upon me; My vitality was turned into the drought of summer. *Selah* ⁵ I acknowledged my sin to You, And my iniquity I have not hidden. I said, "I will confess my transgressions to the LORD," And You forgave the iniquity of my sin. *Selah* ⁶ For this cause everyone who is godly shall pray to You In a time when You may be found; Surely in a flood of great waters They shall not come near him. ⁷ You *are* my hiding place; You shall preserve me from trouble; You shall surround me with songs of deliverance. *Selah* ⁸ I will instruct you and teach you in the way you should go; I will guide you with My eye. ⁹ Do not be like the horse *or* like the mule, *Which* have no understanding, *Which* must be harnessed with bit and bridle, Else they will not come near you. ¹⁰ Many sorrows *shall be* to the wicked; But he who trusts in the LORD, mercy shall surround him. ¹¹ Be glad in the LORD and rejoice, you righteous; And shout for joy, all *you* upright in heart!

Study of Selected Psalms

Psalm 32 --- H_____ Are the Forgiven

Psalms 32 and 51 are psalms of David in which he confesses his sins and seeks God's forgiveness. In Psalm 32 we are told of the ...

I. Joy of Forgiven Sin!

Christians Know the Happiness of Forgiveness!

- A. Happy sin is F_____ (v 1a).
- B. Happy sin is Covered (v 1b).
- C. Happy sin is not Imputed or A_____ to our Account. (v 2).

II. Folly of Concealed Sin!

- A. David Attempted to C_____ His Sin. For almost a year David tried to hide his sin. (v 3 – "kept silent").
- B. When there is Unconfessed Sin in Our Lives, God, our Father, C_____ Christians (Hebrews 12:5-7).

III. Wisdom of Rejecting Sin!

Verses 6 thru 11 speak of the wisdom that comes to those who seek God and resist the temptation to sin.

- A. P_____ to God (v 6).
- B. Rest in God (v 7).
- C. L_____ from God (v 8).
- D. Submit to God (v 9).
- E. Trust in God (v 10).
- F. R_____ in God (v 11).

David sinned. He confessed his sin and God forgave him. Then, he sought to h_____ others avoid the pain sin causes. When we sin, if we confess our sins, our Lord is faithful to f_____ us!