

SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2024

CHILDREN'S SUNDAY SCHOOL **9:00 AM**

MORNING WORSHIP **10:30 AM**

Call to Worship

Welcome and Announcements

We worship through song

We worship in response to the Word

Scripture Joshua 9:3-15

Doxology

Prayer

Special

Sermon "Beware of Counterfeits"

We worship through our response to the Lord

Closing Song

Closing Prayer

Young Adult Meal

PRAYER MINISTRY

NAB Missions: Paul & Tanya Gericke; NAB Missionaries in Romania

Our Missions: Bill and Cindy Hoppe, Awana Missionaries

Region: Little Woody Baptist, Swan River, MB

Seeking a pastor

Martin Baptist, Martin, ND

Pastor Robert and Jody Buck

Sunday School: Justin - Youth

Awana & Youth: Darla, Tata & Lindsey - Youth

Others: Robin (Wanda's daughter); Trevor (Jason's brother);

Jake Nadelin; Sarah Halverson;

Nettie (Margaret's daughter, chemo); Gloria Van Dyke;

Steve Ptacek

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Anyone wanting to help cut and tie fleece blankets for Project Ignite Light, come to church on Wednesday, April 24 at 10 am. We have the fleece, we just need help putting the blankets together. We will plan on eating lunch at church. Talk to Kristen or Jana if you have any questions.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 17

7:00 – Youth Group

SUNDAY, APRIL 21

9:00 – Children's Sunday School

10:30 – Morning Worship

Deadline to apply for summer employment at Crystal Springs Camp is April 15. Apply at csbcamp.org.

Men's Retreat at Crystal Springs Baptist Camp

May 3-5, pre-register by April 24

Community groups

James & Darla – Sunday 9:00 at church

Women – Tuesday afternoon, talk to Kristen for time and place

ATTENDANCE AND OFFERING – Week of April 7

AM – 70 Youth – 16 Staff – 2

General Fund 7,410.00 Income this year 49,246.00

Weekly Budget 3,100.00 Budget to date 43,400.00

Deacon Fund 220.00

Beware of Counterfeits

Joshua and Israel fail to seek God's help

Why do we need to seek God's help?

- I. People will _____ to get what they want
(Josh. 9:3-6)

Our mission is to follow Jesus Christ by worshiping God, loving people, and making disciples, all for the glory of God.

- II. People will _____ to get what they want (Josh. 9:7-13)
 (Gibeon lies to convince Israel they are from a distant land)
- A. We heard about the works of the God of the Israelites, and we traveled a great distance make _____ (Josh. 9:8-11)
 - B. Our _____ is moldy from the long journey (Josh. 9:12)
 - C. Our _____, which were new when we left, are now cracked (Josh. 9:13a)
 - D. Our _____ and _____ are worn out from the long trip (Josh. 9:13b)
- III. We are not _____ to make sound decisions (Josh. 9:14-15)
- A. Joshua and the leaders of Israel ratify a peace treaty with Gibeon
 - B. Joshua and the Israelites made two mistakes in ratifying the treaty
 1. In sampling Gibeon's provisions they accepted as evidence things that were highly _____
 2. Joshua and the leaders did not seek _____ from _____

The consequences of not reaching out to God

- I. Israel discovers that they have been tricked (Josh. 9:16-17)
- II. Israel must _____ the treaty or face God's _____ (Josh. 9:18-19)

Gibeon's punishment (Josh. 9:20-27)

- I. Gibeon would be _____ to Israel (Josh. 9:20-21, 23)
- II. Gibeon lost its _____ (Josh. 9:26-27)

Questions to Ponder

- I. Do we seek God's _____ in all circumstances?
- II. Do you understand how to _____ a counterfeit Gospel, church, or believer?
- III. Is your faith in God _____?
 How are you saved?
 - A. You _____ in Jesus (John 3:16-18; Rom. 10:9-10)
 - B. You _____ of your sins (Acts 2:38; Rom 3:10-12, 23, 6:23)
(This makes you a child of God)
 - C. You _____ God and His Word (John 14:15; 21; 23)
 - D. You will be _____ (Rom. 12:2; 2 Cor. 5:17)
(This proves that you believe and are saved)

AND JOSHUA MADE A TREATY OF
 PEACE WITH THEM TO LET THEM
 LIVE, AND THE LEADERS OF THE
 CONGREGATION SWORE AN OATH
 TO THEM.

- JOSHUA 9:15

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