

## SERMON NOTES

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### Fervent

Ladies Bible Study begins January 13 and ends February 17  
Purchase your Fervent book on Amazon today!

### Baby Shower

Saturday, January 31 at 10:30am, in honor of Mattie & Caleb  
Burch's baby girl, Melody  
Join us at 17087 River Hills Drive, Gulfport  
RSVP to Celeena at 228-343-2752 by January 25  
Let's shower them with diapers and gift cards!

### BBC Online Shop

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



# BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

JANUARY 11, 2026

FOLLOW ME, FOLLOW THROUGH



# 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

#### Life Groups All Ages

9:00 am

#### Worship Service

10:30 am

### WEDNESDAY EVENING

#### UNASHAMED Student Ministry

6:30 pm

#### Bible Kids' Clubs

6:30 pm

#### Single Moms

### WEDNESDAY MIDDAY

6:30 pm

#### Adult bible study

11:00 AM

#### Adult Bible Study

7:00 pm

*And Jesus said unto them, Come ye after me, and I will make you to become fishers of men.*

*Mark 1:17*

## CONTACT US



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## JANUARY EVENTS

17

**Church Workday** - Saturday, January 17 at 8:00am  
Bring the whole family to lend a helping hand

25

**UNASHAMED Student Ministry Chili Cook-Off** - Sunday, January 25, immediately following the morning service  
Make plans to be here and help raise money for summer camp

## FEBRUARY EVENTS

8

**I Love My Church** - Sunday, February 8, after the worship hour  
Represent your favorite sports team that day and join us for family fun, food, and fellowship!  
Sign up at The Welcome Center today

## 1/4/26 GIVING

GENERAL	\$14,804.56
MISSIONS	\$2,783.18
BUILDING	\$448.24
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$18,060.98</b>

## Follow Me Follow Through

### Mark 1:16-20

When Jesus calls his disciples, he has a \_\_\_\_\_ in mind for them.

\_\_\_\_\_ people called for an \_\_\_\_\_ purpose (**1 Cor. 1:26-31**)

What so significant about these men, their call, and response?

- They were \_\_\_\_\_ people
- They were working \_\_\_\_\_ jobs
- Notice how they were called.
  - “\_\_\_\_\_ me!”
- Notice what Jesus offers them.
  - He called them not to ease but \_\_\_\_\_.
- Notice the Men’s Response
  - Their surrender was \_\_\_\_\_ and \_\_\_\_\_-sacrificing

What will it require for us to “Follow Me and Follow Through”?

- \_\_\_\_\_ - ***You can never tell others about Christ if you are not following Christ!***
  - **Contribution** – How much of yourself, your time, and your talents will you give to the Lord? (**1 Corinthians 6:19-20**)
  - **Giving** – What part of your life will you give to God? (**Matthew 22:37; Luke 9:23**)
  - **Involvement** – How much of your life will you allow God to control so you can follow Him? (**Matthew 6:24**)
  - **Participation requires us being completely yielded to the cause of Christ.**
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  - **Work** – Work on sharing your testimony in how you came to know Christ and sharing the gospel (**2 Timothy 2:15**).
  - **Time** – How long has been since it was just you and the Lord one on one? (**Psalm 105:4**)
  - **Sacrifice** – When do you sacrifice your time for God’s time? (**Psalm 126:5-6**)
  - **Preparation gives us confidence from spending time alone with the Lord before we are given an opportunity to tell others what He has done for us**
- \_\_\_\_\_ – comes from learning to wait upon the Lord and trusting Him
  - **Letting God have it** – Do you have to have control of it or can you let the Lord take care of it? (**James 4:7**)
  - **Trusting** – Do you feel like if you don’t do it then it won’t get done just the way you think it should? (**Proverbs 3:5-6**)
  - **Persistence** – Do you easily give up on people, or do you keep committing them to the Lord? (**1 Thessalonians 5:17**)
  - **Patience is the love of God demonstrated by not willing for any to die in their sins but that all would repent of their sins to come to know His Son as their Lord and Savior.**
- **Application**
  - “Come ye after me!” - you need to seek Him because there are others who need Jesus too!
    - It is your responsibility to obey immediately, completely, and willingly.

- It is your choice to surrender willingly, comply half-heartedly, or ignore and willingly.
- There is a cost to count – your life for His!
- This is a daily decision, but it is worth it to Follow Jesus so you can Follow Through.
- \_\_\_\_\_ - Who are you going to invite to church and build a relationship with so they can know?
- Everybody can do \_\_\_\_\_: You can pray, give, and go!
- Everybody can \_\_\_\_\_ somebody.

**Are you willing to Follow Him so you will Follow Through?**