

October

Bible Baptist Church of Palmetto
Sirrnest T. Webster, Teaching Pastor

2023

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1 Fellowship Breakfast 8am	2 Quarterly Family Meeting	3 Inspirational Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm	4 Small Group Meeting	5 Small Group Meeting	6	7
8	9 Small Group Meeting	10 Youth Choir/Usher Rehearsal 6:30pm	11 Small Group Meeting	12 Small Group Meeting	13 Food Pantry and Clothes Closet	14
15 Baptism 10:30am	16 Small Group Meeting	17 Male Chorus Rehearsal 6:30pm	18 Small Group Meeting	19 Small Group Meeting	20	21
22	23 Small Group Meeting	24 Gospel Choir Rehearsal 6:30pm	25 Small Group Meeting	26 Small Group Meeting	27 Food Pantry and Clothes Closet	28 GEMS Breast Cancer Luncheon 10am
29	30	31 <i>Halloween</i> Fall Festival 6pm	1	2	3	4

Services:

Sunday School - 9:15am
Morning Worship - 11:00am

Upcoming Events:

11.11.23 39th Church Anniversary Event
11.23.23 Thanksgiving Service & Feeding
11.26.23 39th Church Anniversary Finale

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BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Where the Church is A Family!

THE SPIRITUAL DISCIPLINE OF STEWARDSHIP (WEEK 1) DEVELOPING GOOD FINANCIAL HEALTH

MATTHEW 25:14-30



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Annual Theme: **DETERMINED TO DEVELOP**

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GOD SPEAKS

THROUGHOUT SCRIPTURE, GOD HAS COMMANDED US TO GIVE BACK TO HIM THE FIRST 10 PERCENT OF EVERYTHING WE MAKE. THAT'S CALLED TITHING. WHY DOES GOD ASK YOU TO DO THAT? HE CERTAINLY DOESN'T NEED YOUR MONEY. IT'S ALL HIS IN THE FIRST PLACE. HE JUST LOANS IT TO YOU WHILE YOU'RE ALIVE. THE BIBLE SAYS YOU SHOULD PRACTICE THE PRINCIPLE OF PUTTING GOD FIRST IN YOUR INCOME FOR THREE REASONS: THE PAST, PRESENT, AND FUTURE.

SEVEN PRINCIPLES

1. POSSESSION: EVERYTHING I HAVE _____ TO GOD.

"To one servant he gave five talents of money, to another two talents of money, and to another one talent, each according to his ability. Then he left on his journey." **Matthew 25:15**

2. ALLOCATION: GOD HAS _____ ME MONEY.

"The man who had received the five talents went at once and put his money to work and gained five more. So also, the one with the two talents also doubled his money. But the man who had received the one talent went off, dug a hole in the ground and just hid his master's money." **Matthew 25:16-18**

"After a long time the Master of the three servants returned to settle his accounts." **Matthew 25:19**

3. ACCOUNTABILITY: ONE DAY GOD WILL _____ ME.

"The man who had received five talents brought the other five he had made. 'Master,' he said, 'you entrusted me with five talents. See, I have gained five more.' His master replied, 'Well done, good and faithful servant!'" **Matthew 25:20-21**

"Then the servant with the two talents of money also came. 'Master,' he said, 'you entrusted me with two talents; now see that I have gained two more!' His master replied, 'Well done, good and faithful servant!'" **Matthew 25:22-23**

"Then the man who had received the one talent came. 'Master,' he said, 'I knew that you are a hard man, harvesting where you have not sown and gathering where you have not scattered seed. So I was afraid and went out and hid your talent in the ground. See, here is what belongs to you.' His master replied, 'You wicked, lazy servant!'" **Matthew 25:24-26**

"You should have at least put my money into the bank so I could make some interest!" **Matthew 25:27**

4. UTILIZATION: I MUST WIDELY USE _____.

5. MOTIVATION: I MUST MOVE AGAINST MY _____.

"I was afraid and went out and hid your money in the ground." **Matthew 25:25**

"Take away the money from this servant and give it to the one with ten talents. To those who use well what they are given, even more will be given, and they will have an abundance! But for those who are unfaithful, even what little they have will be taken away." **Matthew 25:28-29**

6. APPLICATION: IF I DON'T USE IT, _____ LOSE IT.

7. COMPENSATION: GOD WILL _____ FOR GOOD MANGEMENT.

"The Master replied, 'Well done good and faithful servant! You have been faithful with a few things, I will now put you in charge of many things. Come and share your Master's happiness!'" **Matthew 25:21**

GOD INVITES

Dear God,

I realize that everything I have belongs to you. Nothing is really mine; you just loaned it to me. I realize that everything I have is a gift from you and it comes from you and one day it will all return to you. I realize, Lord, that one day you're going to do an audit of my life and you're going to ask me to give an account of what I did with what I was given. I want to practice these principles. I want to wisely use your money. I want to develop the principles of giving. Then I want to move against my fears and do the right thing whether I feel like it or not. Lord, I didn't get in the mess I'm in overnight. But I want to learn the little by little principle. I want to not just be spiritually free and emotionally free and relationally free, but I want to be financially free. I realize that if I don't use it, I'll lose it. But I also realize that if I use it wisely that you have promised to reward me for good management. I want to follow your will and your way.

In your name, I pray.
Amen.