# February 25, 2024 Sermon Notes - Pastor Robert Johnson

"Practical Religion"
Hebrews 13:1-3

**First, Practical Christianity** 



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WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Thad Davis

CALL TO WORSHIP

Psalm 146

PRAYER OF CONFESSION

**SONGS OF WORSHIP** 

Praise to the Lord the Almighty Lift High the Name of Jesus

His Mercy is More

PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

GOD'S TITHES AND OUR OFFERINGS

\*Please fill out the friendship folder found at the end of the row.

\*\*PreK4 through 1st graders dismissed to children's church.

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**Song of Preparation** Satisfied

**SERMON** "Practical Religion"

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**SONG OF RESPONSE** We Are God's People

BENEDICTION

Third, Show Love To Strangers (2)

Finally, Show Compassionate Love To the Suffering (3)

Second, Keep On Loving Your Brothers & Sisters (1)

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Women's Banquet:** Ladies, you are invited to the Beholding Spring Banquet on <u>March 1 from 6:00-8:00 pm</u>. This will be at church with speaker, Liz Edrington, an author and young adult director at Northshore Fellowship. Dinner will be provided by Olive Garden, including gluten free options. The cost is \$15. <u>Please sign up in the foyer by today</u>.

**OFFICER NOMINATIONS** will be accepted through *Monday, March 4*. Please nominate any man in the congregation that you feel is qualified and whom God has gifted to serve in this way. More information is in the eblast and nomination forms are at the welcome desk.

**PRIMETIMERS** will meet Tuesday, *March 5 at noon*. The meal will be vegetable beef soup, chili, coleslaw, cornbread, and dessert at a cost of \$7. Please RSVP to Marie Marlin at 423-321-2845 by *Sunday, March 3* to reserve your spot.

WEDNESDAY NIGHT DINNER, MARCH 6, 5:00 - 6:00 pm.

Menu: Turkey, dressing, mashed potatoes, gravy, sweet potato casserole, green beans, cranberry salad, rolls, and apple pie. Please *RSVP by TODAY*. You can sign-up on the Thursday eblast or contact the church office 875-0616. \$7.00-adults (11&up), \$3.00-children (ages6-10), \$1.00-children (5&under), \$28.00-family max.

**MEN'S RETREAT** will be *April 5-7 at Fort Bluff*. The cost is \$165 per person and scholarships are available. Led by speaker, Steve Woodworth, we will explore the implications of living as brothers and fathers with each other while looking at the generational differences that tend to keep us from experiencing the kind of relationships that God created us for. Registration at: www.hixsonpres.org/mensretreat

**WE ARE SEARCHING** for the right person to join our staff and support our various ministries as the part-time office administrator (20-25 hours/week). If you are interested, or know someone, please contact Pastor Thad - <a href="mailto:thadd@hixsonpres.org">thadd@hixsonpres.org</a> or the office: 423.875.0616

**CARE OF SPACE:** As we start using the new addition of HPC, please look over our Care of Space Agreement placed in each room (old and new). Let's work together as the ministries of HPC to be good stewards of what God has provided. If you have any questions, please contact Alisa (alisag@hixsonpres.org) or Thad (thadd@hixsonpres.org)

## **ADULT SPRING SUNDAY SCHOOL**

**HABITS OF THE HOUSEHOLD** (IN M2): [January 14 - March 24] This study based on the book, Habits of the Household, will look at 10 habits from waking to bedtime for how to practice the story of God in everyday rhythms of family life. www.habitsofthehousehold.com/

**BIBLE READING PLAN** (IN M1): [January 14 - May 19] The class will look at different passages each week to help us mine the riches of God's Word as part of our daily devotion to enjoy the grace of God revealed in Scripture.

**PRINTED BIBLE READING PLANS** can be found in the lobby. We are recommending three plans.

- Five day Bible plan (https://www.fivedaybiblereading.com/)
- M'Cheyne Bible Reading (www.edginet.org/mcheyne/printables.html)
- Read Scripture app by Bible Project

### **SAVE THE DATES!**

**MEN'S RETREAT:** April 5-7at Ft. Bluff; Cost \$165 (scholarships available) **COMBINED CHOIR WORSHIP SERVICE** (AT HPC): April 14, 6:00 pm

KIDS' SPRING MUSICAL: April 21, 6:00 pm

**ST. Louis Mission Trip:** June 1-8 **VBS:** July 22-26, 9:00 am - 12:00 pm

COMBINED CHOIR WORSHIP SERVICE (FBC SODDY DAISY): Sept. 15, 6pm

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