

## SERMON NOTES:

### The Heart of God

I Samuel 16:1-13

[1Sa 16:1-13 NIV] 1 The LORD said to Samuel, "How long will you mourn for Saul, since I have rejected him as king over Israel? Fill your horn with oil and be on your way; I am sending you to Jesse of Bethlehem. I have chosen one of his sons to be king." 2 But Samuel said, "How can I go? If Saul hears about it, he will kill me." The LORD said, "Take a heifer with you and say, 'I have come to sacrifice to the LORD.' 3 Invite Jesse to the sacrifice, and I will show you what to do. You are to anoint for me the one I indicate." 4 Samuel did what the LORD said. When he arrived at Bethlehem, the elders of the town trembled when they met him. They asked, "Do you come in peace?" 5 Samuel replied, "Yes, in peace; I have come to sacrifice to the LORD. Consecrate yourselves and come to the sacrifice with me." Then he consecrated Jesse and his sons and invited them to the sacrifice. 6 When they arrived, Samuel saw Eliab and thought, "Surely the LORD's anointed stands here before the LORD." 7 But the LORD said to Samuel, "Do not consider his appearance or his height, for I have rejected him. The LORD does not look at the things people look at. People look at the outward appearance, but the LORD looks at the heart." 8 Then Jesse called Abinadab and had him pass in front of Samuel. But Samuel said, "The LORD has not chosen this one either." 9 Jesse then had Shammah pass by, but Samuel said, "Nor has the LORD chosen this one." 10 Jesse had seven of his sons pass before Samuel, but Samuel said to him, "The LORD has not chosen these." 11 So he asked Jesse, "Are these all the sons you have?" "There is still the youngest," Jesse answered. "He is tending the sheep." Samuel said, "Send for him; we will not sit down until he arrives." 12 So he sent for him and had him brought in. He was glowing with health and had a fine appearance and handsome features. Then the LORD said, "Rise and anoint him; this is the one." 13 So Samuel took the horn of oil and anointed him in the presence of his brothers, and from that day on the Spirit of the LORD came powerfully upon David. Samuel then went to Ramah.

God's heart despises \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 1)

God desires \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 2-5)

God covets our \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 6-10)

God will often use the thing you are \_\_\_\_\_. (v. 11-13)



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January 19, 2025



The word "connect" is an important word to us. We want to help you "connect" to Jesus, to our biblical community of believers and to your calling as a Christian. This bulletin is intended to give you a snapshot of Dayspring connection opportunities. For more information and details, explore our website by simply scanning the QR code.



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### Believe Class

**February 2 / 6:00pm / Kids' Worship Center**

We are starting the Next Step Classes which lead to membership in the church. We have 3 classes: Believe, Belong & Become. Believe is the first step where we look at your faith and work through what we believe. This class gives you a basic understanding about your faith, the Bible, prayer and the church universal. This is a time to explore your faith through listening and asking questions as the pastor leads you through a time of study. Plan for an hour to an hour and a half. If you are new to the church, a new Christian or have never been part of this class, plan to sign up and attend. Sign up at the Information Desk in the church lobby.

## WEEKLY CALENDAR:



### Sunday, January 19, 2025

9:30 & 11:00am Worship Services / Worship Center  
9:30am Sunday School Classes  
Adult / Fireside Room 204 / Room 104  
Youth / Community Room  
11:00am Youth Set-Up for Spaghetti Dinner / Grades 6-12th / Gym  
12:00pm Spaghetti Dinner/Dessert Auction / Gym  
6:00-7:30pm **NO Youth PM** / Grades 6-12th / Community Room  
6:30pm The Edge / Young Adults ages 18-25-ish

### Monday, January 20, 2025

8:00-8:45am Cardio Drumming / Kid's Worship Center  
9:00am-11:00am Pickleball / Gym  
6:00-7:00pm Cardio Drumming / Kid's Worship Center

### Tuesday, January 21, 2025

5:30-6:30pm Cardio Drumming / Kid's Worship Center  
7:00-8:00pm Al-Anon (for families affected by addiction) / Room 402  
7:00pm Ladies Life Group / The Book of Acts / Fireside Room 204

### Wednesday, January 22, 2025

9:00-11:00am Pickleball / Gym  
7:00-8:15pm Project 456 / Grades 4-6th / Kid's Worship Center  
7:00-8:30pm Youth Small Groups / Grades 7-12th / Community Room

### Thursday, January 23, 2025

5:30-6:30pm Cardio Drumming / Kid's Worship Center  
6:45-7:45pm Cardio Drumming / Kid's Worship Center

### Friday, January 24, 2025

6:00-9:00pm Pickleball / Gym

### Saturday, January 25, 2025

8:00-9:30am Men's Life Group / Fireside Room 203

### Sunday, January 26, 2025

9:30 & 11:00am Worship Services / Worship Center  
9:30am Sunday School Classes  
Adult / Fireside Room 204 / Room 104  
Youth / Community Room  
11:00am Youth Service / Grades 6-12th / Community Room  
6:00-7:30pm Youth PM / Grades 6-12th / Community Room  
6:30pm The Edge / Young Adults ages 18-25-ish

### **Discipleship Bible Study**

**Beginning January 21 / 6-7pm / Fireside Room 204**

Come learn how to read the Bible and discover for yourself who Jesus is and how He wants you to live your life. Bring your Bible and let's dig in together! To attend, please sign up at the Information Desk.

### **Ephesians Bible Study**

**February 10 / 6:30-8:00pm / Fireside Room**

Join Pastor Wayne for a 4 week study on the Book of Ephesians on Monday evenings: Feb. 10, 17, 24, & March 3. Please register to attend at the Information Desk on online at [www.oneplusgod.org](http://www.oneplusgod.org).

### **Upcoming Mission Trips & Bible Tour**

**Visit [www.oneplusgod.org](http://www.oneplusgod.org) or the Global Missions Desk to register**  
Registrations are open for our next trip to Nicaragua (Oct. 23-30), as well as trips to Thailand, Jamaica, South Africa and Papua.

The Bible Tour to Turkey, September 5-15, will focus on the early church's growth, their struggles under persecution, and John's vision in Revelation, especially the seven churches. Evening devotionals and teaching on Revelation and Paul's journey will also be available to enrich your experience.

### **Volunteer Opportunities**

**Homeless Shelter, Leapin' Ministries, & Voice of Hope**

While starting the New Year, let us not forget to be good servants for the Lord by volunteering. Each facility appreciates our help, love & opportunities of spreading the gospel of Jesus. If you are interested in volunteering, please contact Sharon Surber at 740-360-1741. Can't volunteer but would still like to help? Leapin' Ministries is in desperate need of boy's clothes and shoes and men's coats and jeans. All donations can be dropped off at the Information Desk in the church lobby.