

## Announcements

April 11th (Sun.)	Worship Service Sermon on the Mount The Character Traits of a Christian — Part 1 (Matthew 5:1-12)	10:30 a.m.
	NBA Executive Board Meeting Neuse Baptist Church, Kinston	6:00 p.m.
<b>April 13th (Tues.)</b>	<b>Leadership Meeting</b>	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>
April 14th (Wed.)	“Sunday” School in Sanctuary	10:00 a.m.
April 18 <sup>th</sup> (Sun.)	Worship Service Sermon on the Mount The Character Traits of a Christian — Part 2 (Matthew 5:1-12)	10:30 a.m.

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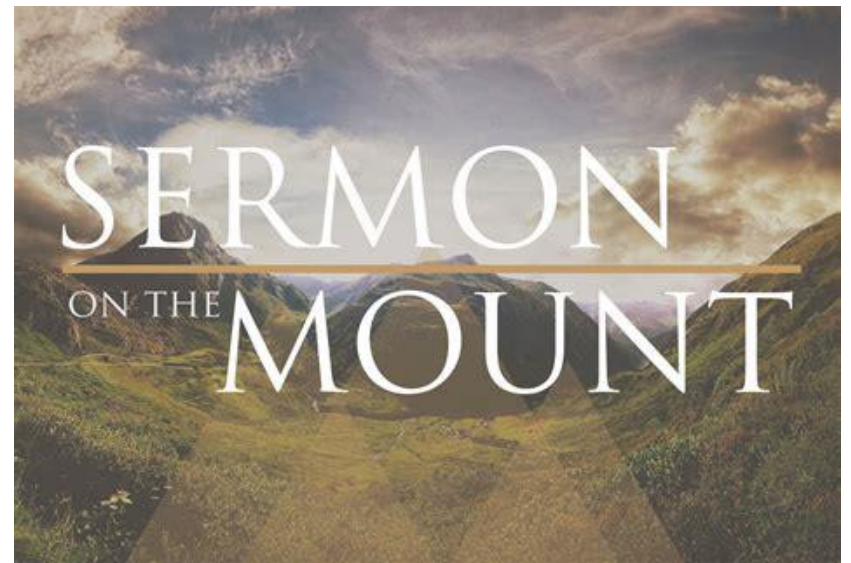
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# SPILMAN MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

601 Madison Avenue, Kinston, NC 28501

**April 11, 2021**



**We will be broadcasting via Facebook Live  
from the Sanctuary at 10:30 a.m.**

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*The Worship of God – April 11, 2021*  
*Second Sunday of Easter*

**COMMUNION WITH GOD**

Meditation and Silent Prayer

Prelude ..... Michael Cowan  
Hymns of Fellowship

Welcome, Announcements, and Concerns ..... Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

**PRAISE AND ADORATION**

Call to Worship ..... Hymn 457  
*Lord, Be Glorified* by Bob Kilpatrick

1. In my life, Lord, be glorified, be glorified,  
In my life, Lord, be glorified today
2. In my song, Lord, be glorified, be glorified,  
In my song Lord, be glorified today.
3. In Your Church, Lord, be glorified, be glorified,  
In Your Church, Lord, be glorified today.

Prayer of Adoration and Invocation ..... Jerry Crisp

Hymn of Testimony..... Hymn 533  
*He Lives* by Alfred Ackley

1. I serve a risen Savior, He's in the world today;  
I know that He is living whatever men may say;  
I see His hand of mercy, I hear His voice of cheer,  
And just the time I need Him, He's always near.

*Refrain:*

He lives, He lives, Christ Jesus lives today!  
He walks with me and talks with me  
Along life's narrow way.  
He lives, He lives, Salvation to impart!  
You ask me how I know He lives?  
He lives within my heart.

2. In all the world around me I see His loving care,  
And tho' my heart grows weary I never will despair;  
I know that He is leading thro' all the stormy blast,  
The day of His appearing will come at last.

*Refrain*

3. Rejoice, rejoice, O Christian, lift up your voice and sing  
Eternal hallelujahs to Jesus Christ the King!  
The hope of all who seek Him, the help of all who find,  
None other is so loving, so good and kind.

*Refrain*

**WORSHIP THROUGH WORD AND PRAYER**

Scripture Reading ..... Matthew 5:1-12

Prayer of Intercession ..... Dr. Dew  
(Please review our prayer list and pray for those listed.)

Children's Lesson..... The Beatitudes



Theme: Jesus gave us the recipe for happiness — the Beatitudes.

Object: The ingredients for making trail mix. (healthy choice of whole-grain cereal, raisins, dried fruit like cranberries or banana slices, walnuts or almonds, sunflower or pumpkin seeds, chocolate chips or M&Ms. etc.)

Scripture: *Now when Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to him, <sup>2</sup> and he began to teach them. The Beatitudes He said: <sup>3</sup> “Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. <sup>4</sup> Blessed are those who*

mourn, for they will be comforted.<sup>5</sup> *Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth.* <sup>6</sup> *Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled.* <sup>7</sup> *Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy.* <sup>8</sup> *Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God.* <sup>9</sup> *Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God.* <sup>10</sup> *Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.* <sup>11</sup> *“Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me.* <sup>12</sup> *Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.* Matthew 5:1-12

Can you help me make this trail mix? Let’s read the recipe to know how to make it. First, we will add some Chex Mix and M&Ms. (Hand the bags to children to pour into the bowl.)

Let’s see, next we add some pretzel sticks and then some yogurt-covered raisins. (Hand the bags to children to pour into the bowl.) We’re not done! We still have two more ingredients for our trail mix.

Let’s add the Cheez Its and the Honeycomb cereal. (Hand the bags to children to pour into the bowl.)

Well, the trail mix is all finished and I need someone to stir it. (Choose a child to gently stir the trail mix.)

So now we have a tasty snack we can enjoy later. (Set the trail mix aside.)

Did you know that Jesus gave us a recipe for living a happy life? In the book of Matthew, the Bible says, "Now when Jesus saw the crowds, He went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to Him, and He began to teach them." He taught them a lesson we call "The Beatitudes." Each one of the beatitudes starts with the words, "Blessed are they..." Some translations of the Bible use the word happy instead of blessed. So this is Jesus’ recipe for us to be happy.

I like that the word “beatitudes” has two parts to it: be and attitude. The Beatitudes are ways that we can be and attitudes we can have. Let’s look at a few of these be-attitudes. Jesus said to...

- Be merciful to people. To be kind when they are hurting.

Jesus said to...

- Be peacemakers when people are fighting.

Jesus said to...

- Have an attitude of pure thoughts.

Jesus said to...

- Have an attitude of wanting to do right.

Jesus also said that when we are sad, God comforts us and then we are happy.

I like that Jesus gave us a recipe for how to be and what kind of attitudes to have. And Jesus says that we will be happy if we follow His recipe.

*Dear God, thank You for the beatitudes. Please help us follow Your recipe for a happy and blessed life. In Jesus’ name we pray, amen.*

Children’s Sermon is from [www.sermons4kids.com](http://www.sermons4kids.com))

## WORSHIP THROUGH MUSIC AND GIVING

Hymn of Prayer and Fellowship with God..... Hymn 447

*Trust and Obey* by John H. Sammis

1. When we walk with the Lord  
In the light of His Word  
What a glory He sheds on our way!  
Let us do His good will;  
He abides with us still,  
And with all who will trust and obey.

*Chorus:*

Trust and obey, for there's no other way  
To be happy in Jesus, but to trust and obey.

2. Not a burden we bear,  
Not a sorrow we share,  
But our toil He doth richly repay;  
Not a grief or a loss,  
Not a frown or a cross,  
But is blest if we trust and obey.

3. But we never can prove  
The delights of His love  
Until all on the altar we lay;  
For the favor He shows  
And the joy He bestows  
Are for them who will trust and obey.

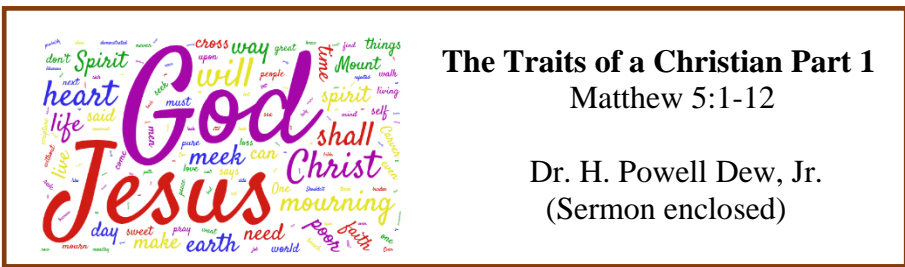
4. Then in fellowship sweet  
We will sit at His feet  
Or we'll walk by His side in the way;  
What He says we will do,  
Where He sends we will go;  
Never fear, only trust and obey.

**An offering plate is placed in the vestibule for your tithes and offerings. You may also use the enclosed envelope in your weekly packet to mail your tithes and offerings to the church.**



## WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION

Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.  
(Sermon enclosed)



Invitation to the Lord's Table	The Words of Institution
Prayer at the Table	Words of Hope and Comfort

Hymn of Prayer and Fellowship with God.....Hymn 446  
*Take Time to Be Holy* by William D. Longstaff

- Benediction ..... Dr. Dew

Postlude ..... Michael Cowan  
*Whiter Than Snow* by James Nicholson



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