

Announcements

Sun. Jan. 14 th	Sunday School	9:15 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
	<i>"Jesus Overcomes Temptation"</i> – Matthew 4:1-11	
Mon. Jan. 15 th	Church Office Closed	
	Martin Luther King Day Observance	
Wed. Jan. 17 th	Men's Breakfast	8:00 a.m.
	Spring Arbor Sunday School	2:30 p.m.
	Wednesday Bible Study	4:00 p.m.
Sun. Jan 21 st	Sunday School	9:15 a.m.
	Worship Service	10:30 a.m.
	<i>"Two Inseparable Questions"</i> – Acts 9:1-19	

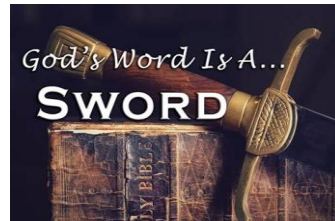
The Best Weapon (Matt. 4:1-11)

Jesus' experience in the wilderness provides a lesson on how to deal with temptation. *Being* tempted is not a sin. But *giving in* to temptation is.

After fasting and praying in the wilderness for 40 days, Jesus was physically weakened and hungry. At that point, Satan came and suggested that Jesus turn stones into bread. Under most circumstances eating bread would be fine, but for Jesus to have followed Satan's directive by using His power for such self-serving purpose would have been sinful.

Jesus resisted Satan's temptations with the Word of God. While Satan was twisting Scripture in order to justify sin, Jesus was using Scripture correctly in order to resist Satan and sin. God's Word, correctly interpreted and hidden in our hearts, is our best weapon against Satan's craftiest temptations.

(Quoted from the Soul Care Bible, page 1233)



SPILMAN MEMORIAL BAPTIST CHURCH

January 14, 2024



Jesus Overcomes Temptation

601 Madison Avenue
Kinston, NC 28501

www.spilmanbaptist.org

info@spilmanbaptist.org

[252-522-3011](tel:252-522-3011)

The Worship of God
January 14, 2024
Second Sunday after the Epiphany

COMMUNION WITH GOD

Meditation and Silent Prayer

Prelude Melony Rasbury-Cobb

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

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAISE AND PRAYER

Call to Worship Hymn 53
In His Time by Diane Ball

Prayer of Adoration and Invocation Pat Moore

Hymn of Creation and Providence Hymn 43
This Is My Father's World by Maltbie D. Babcock

WORSHIP THROUGH PRAYER

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

Hymn of Life and Ministry Hymn 122
Tell Me the Story of Jesus by Fanny J. Crosby

Scripture Reading Matthew 4:1-11

Instrumental Selection Melony Rasbury-Cobb

Deacon of the Month:	Laverne Burks
Usher/Greeter:	Shag Carlyle
Care Team Week:	Bess Hooks

WORSHIP THROUGH PROCLAMATION



Jesus Overcomes Temptation

Matthew 4:1-11

Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

WORSHIP THROUGH RESPONSE

Hymn of Our Sin Hymn 272
I lay My Sins on Jesus by Horatius Bonar

Benediction.....Dr. H. Powell Dew, Jr.

PostludeMelony Rasbury-Cobb



WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

An offering plate is placed in the vestibule
for your tithes and offerings.

Armour of God

Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand (Ephesians 6:13 KJV).

Belt of Truth
(Ephesians 6:14)

Sword of the Spirit
(Ephesians 6:17)

Feet of Peace
(Ephesians 6:15)

Helmet of Salvation
(Ephesians 6:17)

Breastplate of Righteousness
(Ephesians 6:14)

Shield of Faith
(Ephesians 6:16)

