

A Good Listener to God (Part II)

James 1:22-25

Because We Are Born By God's Word, We Must:

I. Receive the Word Reverently, vv. 19-21

II. Receive the Word Repentantly, v. 22

III. Receive the Word R_____, vv. 22-25

A. By A_____ our Who We Are, v. 22

B. By R_____ What We Have Seen, v. 23

C. By P_____ in What We Do, v. 24-25

Responding to God's Word:

1. How does God want my beliefs and/or actions to change?
2. How can I specifically apply the truths I have learned to accomplish this change?
3. What is the first step I must take toward bringing about this change? Be specific.

Opportunities for the Week

Sunday, December 3, 2023

9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Morning Worship*
5:00 PM Adult Choir Practice
6:00 PM Farmdale Family Christmas

Wednesday, December 6, 2023

6:15 PM Finance Committee Meeting
6:45 PM Quarterly Business Meeting

Saturday, December 9, 2023

9:00-11:00 AM Community Clothes Closet

Sunday, December 10, 2023

9:30 AM Sunday School
10:30 AM Morning Worship*
5:00 PM Adult Choir Practice
6:00 PM Adult Bible Study
116 KIDZ/TEENZ

*Facebook Livestream is available



Honor God in Your Giving

You may give by placing your offering in the offering plate or online at farmdalebaptist.com/giving. You may also give by downloading the Generosity app on your phone or by texting "@farmdalebc" to 52014.

Financial Report

Offering for November 26, 2023	\$2,756.03
Weekly amount needed to meet budget	\$3,320.98
Fiscal Year Annual Budget	\$172,691.08
Required as of November 26, 2023	\$29,888.82
Received as of November 26, 2023	\$24,231.98

How to Become a Member of Farmdale Baptist Church

Any person may offer themselves in person as a candidate for membership in this church at any worship service in any of the following ways:

- 1) **Baptism** Upon a public profession of their faith in Jesus Christ as their Savior and a commitment of their life to him as Lord, a person may be received as a candidate for baptism.
- 2) **Letter** A person may be received upon presentation of or promise of a letter of dismissal from another church; provided they have received Jesus Christ as their Savior and Lord and have followed with baptism by immersion.
- 3) **Statement** A person may be received upon their statement of a prior conversion experience and baptism when no letter is obtainable.

Farmdale Baptist Church

Expositing the Scripture ~ Exalting the Savior

Equipping the Saints ~ Evangelizing Sinners



SECOND SUNDAY OF *Advent*

December 3, 2023

Senior Pastor: Rob Ginter
Associate Pastor: Jonathan Bennett
Music Leader: Benita Decker
Pianist: Tommy Goins

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Morning Worship

Prelude
 Call to Worship *James 1:22-25*
 "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing"
 Advent Candle *Love*
 Worship and Praise
 "Thou Who Wast Rich"
 "Facing A Task Unfinished"

Tommy Goins
Pastor Rob
Hymn #88
The Children

Offertory Prayer
 Worship through Giving*
 Message "A Good Listener to God (Part 1)"
James 1:19-21

Pastor Rob

Hymn of Dedication & Response
 "Holy Spirit, Living Breath of God"

Benediction "Go Tell It On the Mountain"

An audio version of each Sunday's sermon is available online at:
www.farmdalebaptist.com
 See Scotty Bryan or the sound technician for more information.

Serving Today in Children's Ministry	
Nursery	Shirl Eggers Jenny Bennett

Additional Farmdale Christmas Activities *

Dec. 3- Dec. 31	Lottie Moon Offering Emphasis	
Dec. 12	6:00 PM	Annual Ladies Dinner
Dec. 16	5:00 PM	116 KIDZ Christmas Dinner (Firefighters will pick up donated toys) Youth Progressive Dinner
Dec. 17	6:00 PM	Farmdale Christmas Pageant Presented by children, youth & adults.
	TF	Churchwide Christmas Party
Dec. 20	6:30 PM	Caroling



Farmdale Family Christmas Tonight at 6:00 PM



You will not want to miss this special event as we begin the Christmas season. You are encouraged to bring a new *unwrapped* toy to put under the tree during the service. We will collect toys through Wed. Dec. 13th. The Franklin County firefighters will pick up the toys during the 116 KIDZ Christmas party on Dec. 16th. These toys will be given to needy children in our community this Christmas season.



quarterly business meeting

This Wednesday
@ 6:45 PM

Please make plans to attend this important time of reports, planning, and business as we work together to further the Kingdom of God in the coming church year.



Christmas Food Boxes

Thank you, church for taking all the food ornaments. All purchased items need to be returned by today. Please return your ornament with your items. See Jane Ann Bryan for more if you still need to bring your items. The Men's Fellowship is collecting monetary donations to purchase perishable food items (meat, milk, etc.). Donations can be given to Doug Kirk or Scotty Bryan.

Ladies Christmas Dinner
 Annual
 All women are invited!
 Dec. 12 @ 6:00 PM
 Bring a friend.
 Childcare provided!

Christmas Card Post Office
 Today - Dec. 17
 Feel free to bring cards for folks who regularly attend.
 Cost is 50¢ per card.
 All proceeds go to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering.

Happy Birthday!
 12/5 Jane Ann Bryan
 12/7 Aaron Sebastian
 12/10 Clinton Young

Impacting Lostness Together Week of Prayer for International Missions



Every day, 157,690 people enter eternity without the hope of Jesus. Join us as we observe the Week of Prayer for International Missions, praying for IMB missionaries, their ministries and the unreached people and places they serve. Please take some time away from your busy schedule each day this week to read daily email reminder or utilize the Week of Prayer brochure in your bulletin as you pray for the over 2.8 billion people around the world who have little or no access to the good news of Jesus. Prayerfully consider what you and your family will give this year to the Lottie Moon Christmas Offering. Our church goal is: \$2,500.

♪ Adult Choir Practice: Today @ 5:00 PM ♪
 Anyone can participate. See Benita for more info.



It is important to tell the people you encounter this season about the real meaning of Christmas and invite them to church.

~Everyday in the WORD~

Join us in reading the Bible through in 2023

There is a PDF copy of the daily plan in the foyer. It is also available on the YouVersion app, accessible on your phone or other device.

This week's reading assignment:

2 Peter 1-3 ~ Habakkuk 1-3 ~ Jude
~ Haggai 1-2 ~ Zechariah 1-6 ~ Isaiah 44-50

Acts 1:8 Weekly Prayer Focus

Praying for God's Kingdom to reach our Jerusalem, Judea, Samaria, and the ends of the earth.

Please pray this week for the following local church, North American Mission Board (NAMB) missionary and unreached people group (UPG). Watch the screens during the announcements and Morning Worship for specifics about each prayer focus.

Local Church	The Point Community Church Frankfort Pastor-Andy Lawrence
NAMB	Jonathan & Melissa Parnell City Missionary- Send Twin Cities Minneapolis-St. Paul, MN
UPG	The Ramgarhia (RAHM-gar-ee-ah) in India