## What Do You Expect?

1 Timothy 4:11-16

Sunday, April 7, 2024 Pastor Brian Robbins

Age doesn't matter.  • Pastors are called to set an
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People are called to their pastors.
Teaching is a pastor's primary responsibility.  • Pastors are called to devote themselves to the
People shouldn't pile too many other
on their pastor.
<ul> <li>Character is the primary qualification for ministry.</li> <li>Pastors minister out of who they, not just what they</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>People should encourage their pastor to care for his</li> </ul>
, his, and his
<ul> <li>People should make sure their pastor isn't burdened by</li> </ul>
stress.
<ul> <li>1 Timothy 5:16,17</li> <li>Galatians 6:6</li> <li>Hebrews 13:17</li> </ul>

#### On Your Own: Better With Others

1. Do you usually respond to change with excitement, or fear? Do you have any fears about the change taking place in our church? What are you excited about?

- 2. What are some of the things you expect from a pastor? Do your expectations come from the Bible, or somewhere else?
- 3. What responsibilities do believers have to their pastors and other church leaders?

4. Pastors can only do their job well if their character is above reproach. Is this also true in other kinds of work? How is your own character affecting your ability to do the work God has called you to do?

5. What could you personally do to encourage Pastor JD and the Winters family as they serve our church?

#### TODAY'S GUEST PREACHER

Brian Robbins is the pastor of Community Church of Susanville, California, which happens to be the town he grew up in. After his ministry training, and before moving back home, he and his family lived in Lincoln City, Oregon, where he served first as the Associate Pastor of Faith Baptist Church, then as its Lead Pastor for over a decade. In this role, he met JD and Crystal Winters, taking JD on as a part-time and then full-time staff person in children's ministry.



The family of George Pool invite you to an open house this afternoon in honor of his 80<sup>th</sup> birthday, Sunday, April 7<sup>th</sup> from 2pm-5pm at his home. No gifts please. (245 Edgewood Dr., Silverton, OR 97381)

### Weekly Opportunities (here at S1B)

**WEDNESDAYS** Youth Group (6-12<sup>th</sup> grade) in Youth Building 6:30-8:00pm. AWANA (3yrs-6<sup>th</sup> grade) 6:30-8:15pm Theme: Questions

**THURSDAYS 7 to 8pm** Join in prayer with other believers in fireside room. "Devote yourselves to prayer, being watchful and thankful" (Colossians 4:2)

**SUNDAYS 9 to 10am** Youth and Adult Sunday School classes

"Joseph: Feast and Famine" upstairs in room #207 **Duke Ricketts** 

"Being a Fruit-Full Christian (Gal. 5:22-23)" in rm #111 Raoul Robles

6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade in Youth Building Zach Richman

Pam Warmack Ladies' class "Book of Luke" in room #110

#### Office Hours: Monday-Thursday from 9:00am-3:00pm.

(These are the best times to find someone in the office to assist you.) Church Phone: 503-873-6181 Mailing: PO Box 1800, Silverton, OR 97381

PRAYER/PRAISE/COMMENTS prayer@silvertonfirstbaptist.org For most other questions email info@silvertonfirstbaptist.org

# WELCOME 4-7-2024

## Today we welcome Jonathan "JD" Winters as our new Lead Pastor



JD and Crystal Winters came to Silverton First Baptist from Faith Bible Church in Lincoln City where he served several years as Youth and Family pastor and for a short period as interim Lead Pastor. He recently completed his master's degree Applied **Biblical** 

Leadership from Western Seminary in Portland. He adds this to his Bachelor of Communication Studies from Eastern Oregon University. An able preacher and teacher, his relaxed and friendly style is reflected in his personal relationships both within our church and in our community.

JD and Crystal have been married 21 years. They have five children, Austin, Jackson, Charles, Samuel, and Molly ranging between the ages of 20 and 11. The family has been community-oriented and enthusiastic

supporters of the schools and community events and organizations. Additionally, Crystal is highly regarded for her involvement in women's and worship ministries which have made her a much-appreciated addition to those areas in the church.

Please pray for JD and Crystal and the family to wholeheartedly depend on God as they serve Christ for the sake of others.

