

We say, "Don't judge a book by its cover." But that's exactly what these first-century Christians were guilty of doing. They were making judgments based on outward appearances and first impressions. Specifically, they were showing preference to the wealthy over the poor.

When we show partiality, three things happen:

1. We are inconsistent with God's heart.
2. We violate God's law.
3. We incur the judgment of God.

Yet when we show love for all people, three very different things happen:

1. We demonstrate our consistency with God's heart.
2. We fulfill God's law.
3. We receive mercy.

- ▶ Consider how you can ensure that you treat others equally, regardless of their appearance or circumstances.
- ▶ Survey your church membership to see if some are not fully accepted and make a decision to fully include them.
- ▶ Approach your church leadership about initiating a mission effort to reach those in your area who are marginalized.



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Welcome to First Baptist Church of Laurel Hill

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September 15, 2013

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Rev. Mike M^cVay

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Romans 16

¹⁷Now I beseech you, brethren, mark them which cause divisions and offences contrary to the doctrine which ye have learned; and avoid them. ¹⁸For they that are such serve not our Lord Jesus Christ, but their own belly; and by good words and fair speeches deceive the hearts of the simple. ¹⁹For your obedience is come abroad unto all *men*. I am glad therefore on your behalf: but yet I would have you wise unto that which is good, and simple concerning evil. ²⁰And the God of peace shall bruise Satan under your feet shortly. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ *be* with you. Amen.

The above verses are studied in detail on Sunday and Wednesday evenings. Ya'll come!

September 15, 2013

Opening prayer with the pastor ~ 9:30 am

Bible Study / Sunday School ~ 9:45 am

Morning Worship Service ~ 11:00 am



Welcome, Announcements

Worship in Prayer

Call to Worship

“Fill My Cup Lord”

(choir 702)

Invocation

O for a Thousand Tongues to Sing

#69

There Is Power in the Blood

#159

Follow On

#226

Worship with Tithes and Offerings

Special Music

“No One Ever Cared for Me, Like Jesus”

(choir 496)

God’s Message

Pastor Mike McVay

Response



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**Choir Practice ~ 5:15 pm ~ Open to All**  
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Evening Worship Service ~ 6:00 pm

Worship in Music and Prayer

#177 I Am Resolved

#334 Blessed Assurance Jesus Is Mine

#188 Jesus Is Tenderly Calling

Welcome / Announcements / Prayer

Message from the Bible

Response

Weekly Schedule of Opportunities for Praise, Worship & Service

Sun-Sat	Visitation Every Day,	Any Time
Wednesday	Prayer and Bible Study	6:30 pm
Friday	Youth Recreation Outreach	6:00 pm
1 st Sunday	Brotherhood Breakfast	7:00 am
Wed > 1 st Sunday	Business Meeting	7:15 pm
Last Thursday	Church Council	6:30 pm
3 rd Thursday	Care Givers Support Group	2:00 pm
3 rd Thursday	Group Bible Study & Fellowship	6:00 pm

Announcements

Good News Club

September 18th every Wednesday

2:30pm ~ 4:00pm

Going to need some help

There is a video to watch, see Pastor Mike or Patty

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Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> **Group Bible Study & Fellowship** 6:00 pm  
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Meet Me at the Pole

Wednesday, September 25th
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**AVAILABLE POSITIONS OF SERVICE**

1. Discipleship Director
2. Sunday School Nursery Worker

**BASIC REQUIREMENTS**

Commitment to attend all worship services  
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Bible Study

The Pressure of Partiality

James 2:1-13

Next week

The Pressure of Words

James 3:1-18

WE would LOVE to see YOU in Sunday Bible Study 9:45 am