

Sermon Notes

The Invitation For Kingdom Participation Will End

Matthew 21:28-46, 22:1-14; Mark 12:1-12; Luke 13:6-9; 14:15-24

The Parable & The Interpretation (The Two Sons)

- One son said he would not work but did work
- The other son said he would work but did not work

Lived obedience is a good indicator of actual belief.

The Parable & The Interpretation (The Barren Fig Tree)

- A fig tree produced no fruit
- The lack of fruitfulness made its removal imminent without change

The call for fruitfulness considering God's ultimate judgment should be heard with urgency.

The Parable & The Interpretation (The Wicked Tenants)

- A landowner planted a vineyard and leased it to tenant farmers
- A landowner sent his slaves to collect fruit, but the farmers harmed or killed the slaves
- A landowner sent his son, and the tenant farmers killed the son

Those who should have received the prophets and Jesus, killed them.

The Parable & The Interpretation (The Wedding Banquet And The Feast)

- A king gave a wedding banquet for his son
- A king sent out slaves to summon those invited
- The invited either refused to come or were hostile to the slaves
- A king widened his invitation to the banquet

Only those who give a proper response to God are part of the people of God.

The Proclaimer



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Announcements

Gospel Night

E-41, a bluegrass ensemble from Liberty University, will perform tonight, March 20th at 7:00 pm in the Sanctuary. A portion of the night will consist of singing along with some of the church's favorite hymns.

Women's Scavenger Hunt

Join the women of Liberty on Friday, March 26th at 1:00 pm in the Ministry Center for some competitive fun. This is a great opportunity to get out and meet other women. There will be a time for fellowship at the end of the scavenger hunt. Please register online at www.libertybconline.org.

Youth and Young Adult Night of Praise and Worship

Liberty Baptist Student Ministries would like to invite you to their night of "Praise and Worship" in the Ministry Center on March 30th, at 6:30 pm. Liberty University Students, led by Isabelle Brunet, will lead praise music followed by a message by our Youth Pastor, Tommy Brooks. After the service, there will be a meet and greet time with refreshments. The young adults will meet with John and Chris McSweeney, and the youth and their parents will meet with Tommy Brooks. All young adults, youth, and parents are encouraged to attend to learn more about our ministries and meet our ministry leaders. Church members are also encouraged to attend. This month we are focused on mentoring our youth leadership. Our youth leaders will be speaking and giving testimony on Wednesday nights this month. The speakers are as follows: Nick Dresmich on the 9th, Bethany McSweeney on the 16th, and Caleb Deller on the 23rd. Please bring your students out to support our youth leaders.

Easter Lilies

Orders are now being taken for Easter Lilies in honor or in memory of your loved ones. The cost per lily is \$15.00. You must place your **order by April 1**. Use the envelopes specifically designated for Easter Lilies. Please print legibly on the envelope and include your phone number and payment. The envelopes are in the Sanctuary vestibules and on the Welcome Center desk in the Ministry Center. Payment is due with the order.

Operation Egg Fill

We need your help! There are about 12,000 eggs and we need to fill them all with candy and tape them up for the event. If you are interested in helping with this mighty task, please pick up your bags outside the church office or by the Welcome Desk at the Ministry Center. Your bag includes eggs, candy, tape, and instructions. Return the bags, with the filled eggs, back to the church by Sunday, April 3rd in time for the Most Eggcellent Easter Egg Hunt. Thank you!

Children's Nutrition Ministry

This school year, the CNM is providing weekly food bags to 70+ children/students in Appomattox County Schools that are in need of supplemental nutrition support. Our LBC family has been very supportive of this ministry and we thank you for your faithfulness to serve and support. Due to this increased need, we are in need of financial support as well as volunteers to help with packing bags and inventory. Contributions can be made either on-line to the CNM designated account or by noting CNM on contributions. If you are willing to volunteer, please reach out to either Gwen Pillow @ 434-660-2629 or Kay Robertson @ 434-444-2449.

Annie Armstrong Offering

Goal \$15,000

Year to Date \$7,505.60

This Week At Liberty

Sunday, March 20

- 8:30 am Early Morning Kid's Church
- 8:30 am Early Sunday School
- 9:00 am Hispanic Worship Service - Fellowship Hall
- 9:30 am Early Worship Service - Sanctuary
- 10:00 am Sunday School
- 11:00 am Worship Service - Ministry Center
- 11:00 am LBC Kids / Children's Church
- 5:00 pm KIDSing & Cherub Choir
- 6:00 pm Awana
- 7:00 pm Gospel Night - E-41 - Sanctuary

Tuesday, March 22

- 7:30 pm Focus Prayer and Worship - Fidelis Room

Wednesday, March 23

- 6:00 pm Prayer Group - Fidelis Room
- 6:30 pm Women's Prayer Meeting - Room 202
- 6:30 pm Youth Wednesday Night - Ministry Center

Thursday, March 24

- 6:30 pm Women's Hope Group - Ministry Center - Room 209
- 6:30 pm Men's Hope Group - Parsonage

Saturday, March 26

- 7:00 am Gideon's Weekly Prayer Meeting - Room 210
- 1:00 pm Women's Scavenger Hunt - Ministry Center

Thank You

The Cole and Chidester families would like to extend our thanks to our Liberty Baptist Church family for all the kindness in the passing of Betty Cole. We are grateful for our church family.

Vital Signs

March 13

sunday School	255
Worship	429
Weekly Offering	\$18,612.68
Receipts to Date	\$214,646.23
Over Annual Budget	\$12,137.00

Online Giving

You can go to libertybconline.org/giving and use the links to give. You can also give by sending a text to 77977 with keywords **Lbcvirginia** for General giving or **Lbcdesignated** for designated giving.

New at Liberty?

Use your phone to scan the QR code below to fill out a visitor card.

