

Trinity Bible Church

The Carpenter's House

April 1, 2012

*The Message:
The Sin Nature*

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday Apr 1 National Atheist's Day.
Wednesday Apr 4 The Lord's Prayer.
Sunday Apr 8 Resurrection Sunday.
Sunday Apr 15 Deacons' Meeting.

- ** Please pick up a copy of Moses Onwubiko's ministry newsletter(Grace Evangelistic Missions) from the missions table.
- ** Please be in prayer for all of our missionaries.

	February	Total 2012	General Fund	Building Fund	Missions YTD
Income	\$ 7,003.94	\$15,075.94		\$10,005.89	\$ 3,986.00
Expenses	7,307.58	15,092.92		Benevolence	2,961.00
Balance	(-303.64)	(-16.98)	\$ 16,480.05	\$ 984.24	1,025.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS & OFFERING

Hymns

*The Message:
Whose Fool are You?*

The Sin Nature

1. Three Types of Sin:
 - A. Imputed Sin. Rom 5:12-13, 18-19
 - B. Inherent Sin. Rom 6:6; 8:1
 - C. Personal Sin.
2. Imputed Sin:
3. Inherent Sin:
 - A. Nomenclature
 - B. Additional scriptural references.
 - C. The Sin Nature resides in the body of flesh and seeks to control the soul. Rom 7:14-24; 8:3
 - D. The functions of the Sin Nature are hostile to God and cannot *please* God in any way. Rom 8:7-8
 - E. The "Sin Nature" began with a trend away from God, before a sin had occurred. Gen 3:1-5
 - F. Initial marks of the Sinful Nature.
 1. Sin. Gen 3:6
 2. Guilt. Gen 3:7
 3. Legalism. Gen 3:7
 4. Possession of knowledge of a "pseudo-good."
 5. Fear of God. Gen 3:8
 6. Excuses. Gen 3:12
 7. Damaged marriages. Gen 3:17
 8. Need for an innocent sacrifice to redeem it. Gen 3:21
 - G. The Sin Nature alone is _____ to condemn mankind. Rom 5:18
 - H. Jesus came to _____ the Sin Nature. John 1:29
 - I. One who lives by the Sin Nature is a _____ of it. John 8:34
 - J. Slavery to the Sin Nature is a _____ for the Believer.
Rom 6:12-14
 - K. The _____ of the Sin Nature is its rebellion against law.
1 Cor 15:56-58
 - L. It is _____. Heb 3:13

- M.** We must _____ ourselves to “lay it aside.” Heb 12:1-2;
Gal 5:16-23
- N.** The Sin Nature at work is _____:
1. Feeds false and twisted information into the soul, through rebellion against the Word of God.
 2. Programs the individual with the knowledge of human good and evil, becoming an “inventor of evil.”
 3. Seeks to enslave to its lusts, by rebelling against true righteousness.
 4. Leads by fear, guilt and self-righteousness.
 5. Entices to personal sins.
 6. Rebels against established authority.
 7. Lures to agencies of human good.
- O.** The Sin Nature’s _____ consequences are negated at the point of faith in Jesus Christ. Rom 8:1-2
1. Without faith in Jesus Christ, one will _____ in their sins.
John 8:24
 2. The penalty and power of the Sin Nature has to be _____ through faith. 1 John 3:4-10
 3. Believers are not condemned by the _____ of a Sin Nature because the Indwelling Holy Spirit has overruled the penalty.
 4. The Sin Nature is not removed until _____ death or the _____. 1 Cor 15:50-58
- P.** The power of the Sin Nature is an ongoing _____ battle for the believer.
1. One must be able to _____ sin. Rom 4:15; 5:13
 2. One must _____ sins committed. 1 John 1:9
 3. It is a life and death _____. Heb 12:4

Foolishness:

1. Definition: lacking in sense, judgment or discretion.
2. Sing a Song of Foolishness.
Psalm 53: A Maskil of David
 - A. To reject the _____ of God.
 - B. To think God doesn't _____ everyone.
 - C. To reject the _____ depravity of man.
 - D. To attack God's _____.
 - E. To not _____ God.
 - F. To not seek God's _____.
3. To call someone a "fool" and not _____ about their soul is worthy of hell. Matt 5:22-25
4. But to identify the truly foolish, who have misplaced priorities, is _____ . Matt 23:16-18
5. Fools lack _____ in their speech. Prov 17:7
6. Being foolish dishonors one's _____. Prov 17:17
7. Some Foolish Things:
 - A. To return evil for _____. Deut 32:5-6
 - B. To have an unstable _____. Matt 7:26-27
 - C. To be _____ in the last days. Matt 25:1-3
 - D. To be _____ wise but not _____ wise. 1 Cor 1:20-25
8. Whose Fool are you?
 - A. We are called to realize that the foolish things of the world will eventually _____ the worldly wise. 1 Cor 1:26-31
 - B. True Wisdom leads one to become a fool for _____.
1 Cor 3:18-23
 - C. We do not need to have all the _____, just follow the One who does. 1 Cor 4:6-13