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WELCOME

TO FINCASTLE BAPTIST CHURCH
we're *glad* you're here



HOW CAN I KNOW I AM GOING TO HEAVEN?

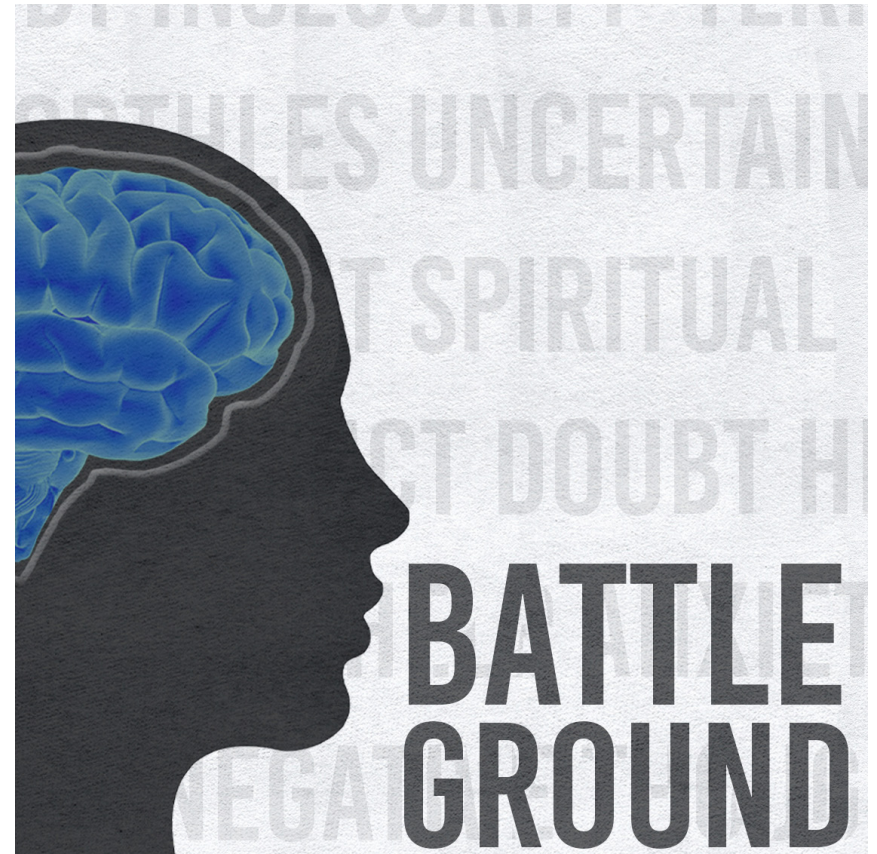
Step #1: Realize God loves you. "For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish, but have eternal life." John 3:16

Step #2: Realize you are separated from God because of sin. "For all have sinned and come short of the glory of God." Romans 3:23
Our solution: People try to earn their way to heaven through good works, religion, morality, etc. "There is a way that seems right to a man, but in the end it leads to death." Proverbs 14:12
God's solution: A relationship with Jesus Christ who died on the Cross and rose from the grave, paying the penalty for our sin. "...For there is one God, and one mediator between God and men, the man Christ Jesus." 1 Timothy 2:5, "For it is by grace you have been saved, through faith and this not from yourselves, it is the gift of God – not by works, so that no one can boast." Ephesians 2:8-9

Step #3: Receive Jesus Christ as personal Savior. "If you confess with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved." Romans 10:9
You may wish to use the sample prayer below. "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord will be saved." Romans 10:13

*"Dear God, I now believe that you love me, died on the cross and rose from the dead for my sins. I admit that I have sinned and I right now ask You to come into my life, forgive me, and take me to heaven whenever I die. I want to follow you as Lord for the rest of my life.
In Jesus Name, Amen."*

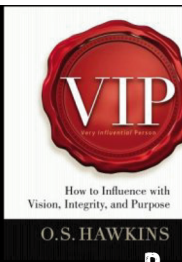
If you have believed...welcome to the Family of God! If you have made a decision for Christ, please tell our staff, or if you have any questions, call the church office at 540-473-2861.



— FINCASTLE CAMPUS —

WE EXIST TO GLORIFY GOD BY HELPING OTHERS
KNOW GOD • GROW IN GOD • LIVE FOR GOD

— APRIL 25, 2021 —



THE SHARPENING
Mens Bible Study
Each Wednesday in May
6:00pm - 8:00pm

Register at fincastlebaptist.org/men



Kids Awards Night

April 28th | 6:15pm



Baby Dedication

COMMITTING OUR CHILDREN TO THE LORD

May 16th, 2021

Register at fincastlebaptist.org/events

UPCOMING EVENTS

National Day Of Prayer

May 6

Graduate Recognition

May 23

River Baptism

June 6

New Here?

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CLASS 101

DISCOVERING CHURCH MEMBERSHIP
FINCASTLE CAMPUS | TONIGHT!

REGISTER AT:
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VOLUNTEER ORIENTATION

Today at 12pm // Prayer Room



ON THE WAY

Listen to:

On the Way
Sundays at 9am

On 101.9 The River or
Wherever you listen to
podcasts.

MIND WARS

BATTLEGROUND - Part #1

Pastor Kevin Cummings – April 25, 2021

II Corinthians 10:3-5

I. We all are in a battle for our _____.

“I do not understand what I do. For what I want to do I do not do, but what I hate I do. For I have the desire to do what is good, but I cannot carry it out. For I do not do the good I want to do, but the evil I do not want to do—this I keep on doing.” Romans 7:14, 18

A. Everything we do good or bad _____ as a thought.

“For as he thinks in his heart, so is he.” Proverbs 23:7 (NKJV)

1. The greatest battlefield is a few inches long.
2. God has given us power over our thoughts.

B. Our _____ are always moving in the direction of our strongest thoughts.

1. What goes in your mind comes out in your life.
2. Most of life's battle are won or lost in the mind.

*“Be careful how you think; your life is shaped by your thoughts.”
Proverbs 4:23 (GNT)*

C. The life we have is a _____ of the thoughts we think.

THOUGHT AUDIT

Worried	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Peaceful
Negative	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Positive
Worldly	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	Godly

D. _____ our lives starts by changing our thoughts.

1. To change our thoughts, we must forge a new path.

“Do not conform to the pattern of this world, but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing and perfect will.” Romans 12:2

2. What we think determines who we become.

II. Believers fight the battle for our thoughts _____

A. We have different _____. (Ephesians 6:11-20)

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- The sword of the Spirit. (Matthew 4:1-11)
- The practice of prayer. (Jeremiah 33:3)

B. We replace the lies with _____.

1. Truth demolishes strongholds. (John 8:32; 14:6)
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II Peter 1:3*

ACTION POINTS: 1.) There is a battle for your _____

2. Taking captive every thought starts with _____

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ACTION POINTS: 1.) There is a battle for your soul and mind.

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