



# BBC UPDATE

## New Hampshire Module



*Dr. Thomas M. Strouse*

During the week of July 23-27, the Lord blessed the Bible Baptist Theological Seminary module with eighteen students of the Word of God. Good friend and faithful minister of the Gospel, Dr. Chester Kulus and his sweet wife Nancy, hosted Dr. Thomas Strouse during the week, as he taught at Calvary

Independent Baptist Church (Plymouth, NH) on the books of six Minor Prophets, namely, Obadiah, Joel, Amos, Jonah, Hosea, and Micah. This was an effort to examine these prophets in chronological order, recognizing their respective dates and audiences. The next module will include the remaining six Minor Prophets (Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi). Along with the classroom discussion, the food and fellowship were a blessing.



*Some of the students at the New Hampshire Minor Prophets Module*

## Galilean Baptist Summer Camp

Galilean Baptist Church in Stafford Springs, CT hosted her annual Camp Week the last full week of July, under the leadership of Pastor Stephen Hinebaugh. Pastor Jon Stockton was the guest speaker during the week, and several Bible Baptist Church members attended, including Mr. Ryan Strouse, Mr. Jeff Skorupski, and Mr. Bill Gagnon and family. Several were challenged in their spiritual walk by the godly preaching and edifying activities. We thank the Lord for this Christ-centered local church camp ministry.



*BBC Members that attended camp.*



*Pastor Stephen Hinebaugh and Pastor Jon Stockton lead the camp.*



*August Gagnon was a camp counselor.*

# SUMMER CAMP

Galleon Summer Camp

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Photos



*Bible Memory Verses!*



*Camp Leaders watching all the activities*



*Camp Friendships!*



*Field Games!*



*Water Games!*



## Love for Christ Demonstrated



Philippians 1:18-23

Love is more than a word. Many times people say, "I love you" but go on to treat the person just the opposite. Love is an action as well as a word. In Philippians chapter one, the Apostle Paul reveals his love for the Lord Jesus Christ his Savior.

*Pastor Cas Reeves*

First, Paul's love for Christ was revealed in his rejoicing over the preaching of Christ (1:18). Second, His love for Christ was revealed in trust in the Spirit of Christ's supply, assistance or provision of His many benefits (1:19). Third, his love for Christ was revealed by Paul who greatly magnified, Christ in his body (1:20). Forth, Paul's love for Christ was revealed in that he realized Christ was his life (1:21). And finally, His love for Christ was revealed in his desire to be with Him (1:23).

As we consider our love for Jesus Christ, what do our action reveal? Can we see a love in our life for the preaching of Christ; for the work and benefits of the Holy Spirit; for a desire to allow Christ to control our life; for a desire to allow Christ to be magnified in our life; for realizing Christ is our life; and desiring to be with Christ.

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## DEVOTIONAL CORNER

Save the Date!

### VBS - Door-ology

*Inside or out, Where are you?*

August 23-24 6-8:30 PM

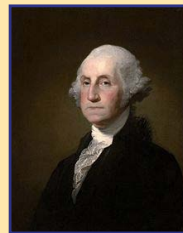
August 25 9 AM - 12:00

Place: BBC

## Quotes From the Past: George Washington

1732-1799

1st President of the USA



George Washington

*"Labor to keep alive in your breast that little spark of celestial fire, called conscience."*

## BBTS Summer Schedule

Aug 20-24, 2018

Fairhaven Baptist College Module

*"Minor Prophets, Part One"*

## BBTS Fall Schedule

**Mondays**

**Bibliology II**

**9:00AM - 12:00PM**

**Tuesdays**

**Greek I**

**6:00PM - 9:00PM**

**Wednesdays**

**Minor Prophets I**

**9:00AM - 12:00PM**

*All Courses Taught by Dr. Thomas M. Strouse  
Classes Begin Monday, August 27, 2018*



Pre-service skit



Ryan Strouse and Pastor Jon Stockton in deep conversation.

# GROW IN GRACE DEVOTIONAL FOR WOMEN

## Are You UNMOVEABLE?

**Philippians 1:27** Only let your conversation be as it becometh the gospel of Christ: that whether I come and see you, or else be absent, I may hear of your affairs, **that ye stand fast** in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel; (emphasis added)

**Reflection:** Have you ever seen someone who thinks they will be pushed or punched position their feet and body in a stance so that they brace themselves from falling? It reminds us of being purposed, intentional, guarded, alert, persistent, prepared, etc...

Paul exhorts several times to stand fast, be steadfast, and be unmoveable. Why do you think he says this so many times in his epistles? Did he know the wiles of the devil to knock the believer down? Did he see others fall away from the faith and stop serving the Lord?

**1 Corinthians 15:58** Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.

**1 Timothy 4:1** Now the Spirit speaketh expressly, that in the latter times some shall depart from the faith, giving heed to seducing spirits, and doctrines of devils;

**Challenge:** If Paul was exhorting the first century churches from members to fall away from the faith, does this also pertain to our church members today? Do you think you are above falling away? How much easier is it to fall away if you do not gather with the saints each time they meet, verses sporadic and irregular attendance? How does one insure standing fast? What steps will you take to ensure your steadfastness?

If you would like to receive Grow in Grace morning devotions email: [Elenas6259@gmail.com](mailto:Elenas6259@gmail.com)



Join us this summer for  
**Vacation Bible SCHOOL!**

*"I am the door: by me if any man enter in, he shall be saved."* John 10:7

Inside or outside...

...where are you?

**When?**  
August 23rd & 24th  
6:00-8:30 pm  
August 25th  
9:00 am- 12:00 pm

**Where?**  
Bible Baptist Church  
40 Country Squire Road  
Cromwell, CT 06416

Open to all children entering K-5 through 6th grade

Bible Stories  
Crafts Songs  
**FUN!!!**  
Bible Verse Memory  
Games Snacks

### Growing in Grace: A 12 Week Devotional for Women Books 1 & 2

This 12 Week Devotional is a ministry of Bible Baptist Church in Cromwell, CT. It is designed for women, and is meant as a support for victory in daily Christian living. Spiritual victory comes by having the Genuine Christ, Accurate Biblical Teaching, Applying the Infallible Word of God, and a Humble Heart.



Book 1



Book 2

Please contact Bible Baptist Church ([Elenas6259@gmail.com](mailto:Elenas6259@gmail.com)) if you would like a complimentary copy of Book 1 or 2.

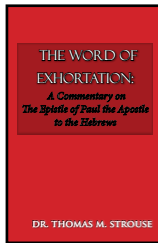
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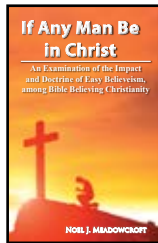
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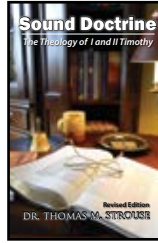
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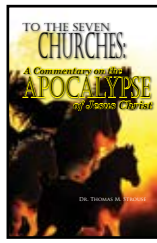
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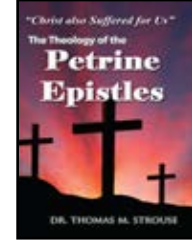
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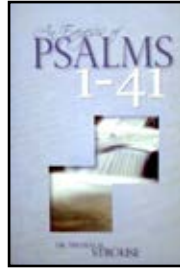
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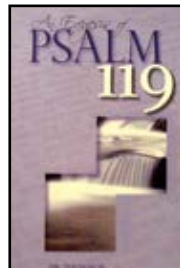
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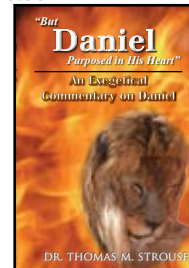
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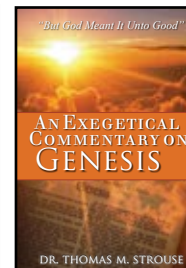
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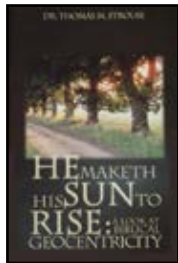
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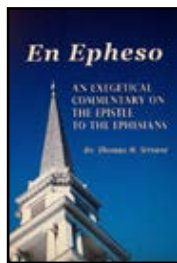
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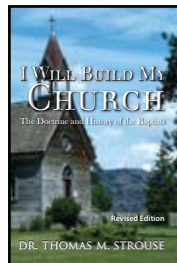
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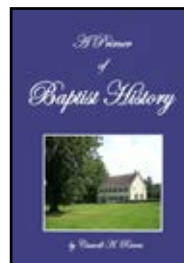
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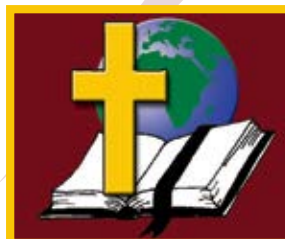
New Hampshire Module Barbecue...



... delicious!

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