



Dear Friends,

The Apostle Paul made a personal assessment of where he was in life and made this resolve to the Church at Philippi: “Brethren, I count not myself to have apprehended: but this one thing I do, forgetting those things which are behind, and reaching forth unto those things which are before, I press toward the mark for the prize of the high calling of God in Christ Jesus”. Talk about “personal inventory.”

January is a good time for each of us to take a similar inventory of where we are and what lies ahead. I heard the reason the rearview mirror is so small, and the windshield is so large is because what is behind us is OVER. What is in front of us has BIG POTENTIAL. So, I’m choosing to look out the front windshield.

As our students returned from Christmas break, there was excitement about finishing the course. The windshield is BIG, and the FUTURE is bright. New students, cooler days and our focus being on finishing strong will give the Holy Spirit fertile ground to work in.

I know that any success we have enjoyed has been on the prayers and shoulders of many faithful supporters. We have ridden through some highs and lows of victories and crushing disappointments. One occasion was when a person had lied, stolen from me, and dragged this ministry’s name through the mud. I was so hurt. It seemed easier to give up than press on. In the middle of this, I stopped long enough to hear Him say, “I didn’t bring you to this point for you to give up now.” That issue was instantly put in the rearview mirror! Thank God for lessons from the past which provide steppingstones for the future.

Thanks to everyone who has been faithful in your support. This facility has a long-standing reputation for having friends we can count on to keep us in the fight. Rev. David Wilkerson would be so proud of the FAITH BASED CONCEPT we are holding onto. In the Adult & Teen Challenge Corporate structure, we are operating in the original DNA we started with in 1958. That was GOD – Faith – Bible.

We wish you a Happy and Prosperous New Year and may all your dreams be fulfilled.

Helping Hurting People,

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January 2024 Service Schedule

Sunday, January 21st - 10:30 a.m.

Pinegrove Baptist Church

Sumter, SC

If you are involved in a church or any community groups, Auxiliary Meetings, Ladies and Men's Meetings, we would love to come visit, give a presentation of our ministry and help spread word of Adult & Teen Challenge. 843-520-4888

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