

# SERMON NOTES

Pastor Mike Bronson

Luke 12:49-59 (CSB) — Jesus the Divider

## 1. A TIME OF DIVISION

## 2. A TIME OF DECISION



Thank you for joining us on this Lord's day.

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# WELCOME!

**We're glad you have joined us for our weekly worship gathering.** Our prayer is that during this time, you would see the beauty, grandeur, and glory of God as we worship him together in song, prayer, and the preaching of His word.

**We exist to see people saved, lives changed and Jesus glorified.** Our desire is that you know Jesus Christ, be born again and rest in the gospel.

## Connect With Us!

**We'd ask everyone to fill out a Connect Card located in the seat in front of you.** Please place this card in the offering plate, as it passes by.

**If you're interested in visiting with one of our members or pastors, please indicate that on your Connect Card.** We'd love to buy you a cup of coffee, or simply make a phone call, to tell you more about us or answer any questions you may have. We won't surprise visit or spam you!

**We value membership at West Haven.** The idea of experiencing salvation without belonging to a local church is foreign to the New Testament. If you would like to explore membership, please give us your best contact information on the back of the Connect Card. One of our pastors will be in touch with you!

## CALENDAR

### Sun., February 4

8:30 a.m. Donut Fellowship  
Lord's Supper  
4:00 p.m. Sermon & Churchwide Prayer

### Mon., February 5

6 p.m. Klamm Workout

### Tues., February 6

6 a.m. Prayer Meeting  
6:30 a.m. Donut Ministry

### Wed., February 7

6:15 p.m. AWANA  
6:30 p.m. Student Ministry  
6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study

### Thurs., February 8

9:30 a.m. W.O.W. group meets  
6 p.m. Klamm Workout

### Mon., February 12

6 p.m. Klamm Workout

### Tues., February 13

6 a.m. Prayer Meeting  
6:30 a.m. Donut Ministry

### Wed., February 14

6:15 p.m. AWANA  
6:30 p.m. Student Ministry  
6:30 p.m. Adult Bible Study

## MEMBER INFORMATION

### BUDGET DETAIL AS OF 1/26/2018

Weekly Budget Requirement - \$8,830.43  
General Fund Receipts - \$6809.00  
Month to Date Budget Requirement - \$35,321.72  
Month to Date Giving - \$45,004.30

## Ministry Leaders

### AWANA

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# NEWS & UPDATES

## Sermon & Prayer

**4:00pm Today!** Please join us in the Train Station. Chris Small will preach. We pray immediately afterward. The example of the early church as well as the command of James is to “pray for another.” Let us cease striving in the flesh and come together ask God to do what only He can do!

## Giving Statements

Today is the last day to pick up your giving statements. They are available in the foyer in alphabetical order. Thanks for your generous giving!

## Prayer Team & Scripture Reading Team

I would like a rotating team of men and women who would pray and a team of men and women that would read Scripture during our service. The goal is to bring our services more in line with Scripture and to increase your participation in our services. Each team will require a one-hour training session. To participate on either team please email Christina at [christina@westhavenbaptist.org](mailto:christina@westhavenbaptist.org). Thanks!  
Bro. Mike

## Surveys

Inserted in your bulletin is a survey from our Buildings and Grounds Team. Please help them help us by completing the form and putting it in the box in the foyer. You will notice there are a few other items as well such as serving in the nursery and ushering. There is a place for everyone to serve

## Senior Fellowship

Monday, February 12 at Noon

Senior Adult Fellowship Meal in the Fellowship Hall will be baked potatoes, trimmings, cake, & ice cream. Bring a friend!

## *A Weekly Note From*

# PASTOR Mike Bronson

**Good morning!** I'm glad you are here on this Lord's Day. There are many things I want to call your attention to this morning!

**1. Tonight is our sermon/prayer meeting at 4 p.m. in the Train Station.** Chris Small will preach. We pray afterward. I hope to see you this afternoon!

**2. The next two sermons will be from Luke 13:1-4.** They are entitled “The Problem of Evil, or What Should I Do When My World Caves In?” The existence is probably the most difficult question Christians face. We ask for God to show us the biblical answers.

**3. Please keep working through your “OneLife” worksheets that are available in the foyer and also on our website.** Tuesday night I was catching up on reading. I read the blog of J.D. Greear, who will be the next president of the Southern Baptist Convention. He pastors a megachurch in North Carolina. Not only are they undergoing a similar emphasis, Greear poses an exciting question. “Recently, at The Summit Church, we asked each member of our congregation to identify one person they could pray for and seek to bring to Christ over the year. The phrase we kept repeating was, ‘Who’s your one?’ This emphasis led to our most evangelistically effective year to date. What would it look like if every Southern Baptist asked God to let him or her lead one person to Christ next year and our agencies worked with pastors and church leaders to make that a possibility?”

## *Find Your Way*

# **AROUND WEST HAVEN**

Sunday School and Adult Bible Studies begin at 9:15 a.m. Our worship service will begin at 10:30 a.m. Feel free to sit anywhere you like!

## **SONGS**

We stand when we sing, but it is not a requirement. You are welcome to sit.

## **OFFERING**

Giving is a part of our worship. As a visitor, do not feel obligated to give.

## **MESSAGE**

We preach from the Bible. If you do not have one, please take one from the kiosk in the foyer.

## *Connect With*

# **OUR STAFF**

### **PASTOR MIKE BRONSON**

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## *Tools to Help You*

# **NAVIGATE OUR CHURCH**

## **CHILDREN**

We have a cry room in the back of the worship center, and a nursery is on the lower level. Children's church is available for Kids K-2<sup>nd</sup> in the lower level. Feel free to take your children down before the service.

## **AWANA**

Our children meet every Wednesday night at 6:15 p.m. for our AWANA program. To register, simply come into the foyer some time after 6 p.m.

## **STUDENTS**

Our 7<sup>th</sup> to 12<sup>th</sup> grade Student Ministry meets each Wednesday night at 6:30 p.m. during the school year.

## **FACILITY**

If you have never been in our building, please stop by the visitor kiosk in the foyer. We would love to give you a tour!

## **RESTROOMS**

There are two sets in the upper level and two in the lower level. Changing tables are available in men's and women's restrooms.

## **VOLUNTEERS**

We do nationwide background checks on every person working with students and children.