

# Historic White Marsh Church

June 9, 2024

Prelude Marjorie Lampkin - Pianist

Hymn ~ 626 The Lily of the Valley

Welcome and Announcements

Hymn ~ 92 O How I Love Jesus

Scripture Reading: James 1:12-15 Pastor Brad

Prayer

Hymn ~ 344 Grace Greater than Our Sin

Choir For the Beauty of the Earth 793

Sermon: "How to Triumph Over Temptation" Pastor Wes

Hymn ~ 353 Victory in Jesus

Benediction & Postlude

**Tithes & Offerings:** Please use the wooden offering box or mail your offering to: PO Box 24, Lancaster, VA 22503. Thank you!

**Membership:** If you are interested in becoming a member of Historic White Marsh Church, please talk to Rev. Wes Hall or Rev. Brad Perry.

*Historic White Marsh Church is an independent, Bible-believing, teaching, and Christ-loving Church. We are made up of Christians from diverse backgrounds, who are going to the same place (heaven) because of Jesus Christ our Savior.*

**Board Meeting:** Tuesday, June 11 at 1:00 PM

**NEW! Bible Explorers** 9:45 to 10:30 AM in Victory Hall

**A Baptism Service** is planned for Sunday, June 23 at 4:00 PM at Mike and Jean Bryan's waterfront. Would you like to be baptized? If you would, please let Pastor Wes or Pastor Brad know. A picnic will follow the baptismal service.

**FATHER'S DAY! Sunday, June 16** Invite your family and friends.

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Sundays with Alabaster Grace on 101.7 Bay FM Sundays 9:15-9:30 AM

**Sunday: Bible Explorers at 9:45 AM & Worship at 11:00 AM**  
**Thursday Bible Study: 6:00 PM**

## HOW TO TRIUMPH OVER TEMPTATION

James 1:12-15

### 1. Show your love for God by resisting temptation.

Consider the blessing and reward of triumphing over temptation. V. 12

### 2. Don't blame God when you are tempted. V. 13

### 3. Blame yourself when you sin. V. 14

### 4. Stop the progression of temptation. V. 14, 15

#### ALSO!

- Pray for strength. "Pray without ceasing." 1 Thess. 5:17
- Study and memorize Scripture that will help you stand strong.
- "Submit yourself to God and resist the devil." James 4:7
- Participate in activities that will strengthen you spiritually.
- Stay away from what tempts you and don't focus on it.
- Confess and forsake your sin when you fail. 1 John 1:9
- Remember that you "can do all things through Christ who strengthens" you. Philippians 4:13

#### Study Questions on James 1:12-15

1. On the basis of 1 Corinthians 10:13, can a believer have victory over any temptation? Why?
2. Why is a believer who has victory over temptation blessed and happy? V. 12
3. What is the correlation between loving God and resisting temptation? V. 12
4. What should we never say? What other Scriptures remind us that God does not tempt us but helps us resist temptations?
5. Why is it that God cannot be tempted to do evil? V. 13
6. What is to blame when you sin? What causes a believer to fall into sin? V. 14
7. What are some things you can do to be ready to resist temptation?

Wes Hall