

**First Baptist Church of Hampton**  
**Rev. Dr. Todd C. Davidson, Senior Pastor**  
**September 10, 2023**  
**Sermon Outline Closed Notes:**

**Sermon Scripture:** John 13:21 – 32 (GNT)

**Message Title:** Perpetrating a Fraud!

**Current Context:**

- One of the reasons that our children, millennials, and Generation Z-ers are detaching from church and organized religion is because we have lived a f\_\_\_\_\_ faith in their faces every day.
- They have watched us claim to l\_\_\_\_\_ each other, but hear us talking about our fellow church members, our brothers and sisters with regularity.
- The truth is that we must be willing to face the pain of life because with no pain there's no p\_\_\_\_\_!
- Your pain is where you get your p\_\_\_\_\_ from.
- The church is not a for-profit business prioritizing the b\_\_\_\_\_ l\_\_\_\_\_, but we must be about God's business that convicts us to be b\_\_\_\_\_ l\_\_\_\_\_!
- Jesus, in the text, is visibly emotional, as He must confront the is-ness of His present r\_\_\_\_\_.
- The text says He is t\_\_\_\_\_ in His Spirit; meaning the writer saw something in Jesus that caused Him to record His emotional condition...the pain of being Himself!
- Jesus refused to perpetrate a f\_\_\_\_\_.
- And when you are willing to be you God made you, you can s\_\_\_\_\_ with strength and you can face whatever you have to face with dignity and with your h\_\_\_\_\_ lifted up!

**Relevant Question:**

- How do I avoid fraudulent faith?

**Sermon Observations:**

1. You must be willing to face i\_\_\_\_\_ t\_\_\_\_\_!
2. If you face i\_\_\_\_\_ t\_\_\_\_\_, then you'll be able to overcome i\_\_\_\_\_ t\_\_\_\_\_!
3. As a result (Of observations 1 and 2), you'll develop an i\_\_\_\_\_ t\_\_\_\_\_!

**Calvary Connection:**

- What's your testimony?
- Jesus faced t\_\_\_\_\_ in the Garden of Gethsemane; He faced t\_\_\_\_\_ at His trial; t\_\_\_\_\_ in His conviction; t\_\_\_\_\_ on that Friday; t\_\_\_\_\_ when they nailed Him to a tree! He faced t\_\_\_\_\_ and died on Friday! But early on Sunday morning, He got up with an i\_\_\_\_\_ t\_\_\_\_\_... "I have all power!"