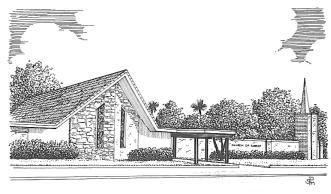


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Making "Today" Your Own!

How do you spend the blessed currency of time? Do you have a "pocketful" of day or have you "spent" your day already? "Today" is the most important time for each one of us because it is all we have been given! We are not promised next year, next month, next week, or even tomorrow. Today is important because it is when we can make the "choice" to obey, to encourage a brother or sister, to take the first step in living a life for Christ; to find one's life in losing it (Luke 9:24).

James says that our lives are as a vapor that appears for a little while and then vanishes away (James 4:14). Life is like a vapor, which is but for a moment. Like the morning fog, it vanishes in the heat of the sun. A day in your earthly life is a valuable and precious gift because it is soon over.

Sin may deceive us by telling us, "You've got time". Therefore, the inspired writer of the book of Hebrews tells us to "exhort one another day by day, so long as it is called To day; lest any of you be hardened through the deceitfulness of sin" (Hebrews 3:13).

The saying, "The road to hell is paved with good intentions" means that intending to take care of important duties at a future time is the pathway to eternal ruin. Though we plan to do something good (study the Bible, obey the gospel, teach the lost, call a discouraged brother or sister, visit the sick, minister to the needy) our hectic schedules crowd out our good intentions. We may forget that there will not always be a "tomorrow".

We are not promised tomorrow. "Today" is all we have. James gives us instructions on what our attitude should be concerning "Tomorrow": "For that you ought to say, If the Lord will, we shall live and do this or that. But now ye rejoice in your boastings: all such rejoicing is evil. Therefore, to him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin" (James 4:15-17 – KJV). We must, like the five wise virgins, make preparations for the Lord's second coming. Will Jesus find us "watching" and "waiting"? (Matthew 25:13).

Brethren, regarding the "day", let us imitate the saints of the first century of whom it is said, "And **every day**, in the temple and at home, they ceased not to teach and to preach Jesus as the Christ" (Acts 5:42 – ASV).

By Mike Riley (GEWATKINS.NET)

We have a commitment, empowered by the Holy Spirit,

To give glory to God

To be unified in reaching others

To be living witnesses for Christ

Welcome to the Falm Springs Church of Christ



We are very pleased to welcome all who have come to worship. Your presence is a blessing. May you find joy, encouragement and hope as we praise God together.

"And pray in the Spirit on all occasions with all kinds of prayers and requests. With this in mind, be alert and always keep on praying for all the Lord's people. (Ephesians 6:18)"

Pray for our Church family:

For: Joyce Winings who thankfully is now home with David and Eloisa and Betty Johnson who is struggling with diabetes. Pray for those that mourn: Wanda Goodenough and family as well as Jeff Mercer and family. We ask that you pray for the improved health of: Mae Britton, Kerry Britton, Sue Collins, Phyllis Francis, Wanda Goodenough, Delores Jensen, Betty Johnson, Brenda Jones, John Leonard, Roy & Lucy McDonald, Jeff Mercer, Jerry Munn, Dail Paramore, Francis Pati and Joyce Winings.

Pray for family & friends:

Please pray for Natalia Wood who's mother recently passed away, Kathy's son-in-law Jonny Westom and family as they mourn the loss of his grandparents and for the improved health of: Mary Fields, Keith & Lisa Britton, Delores' brother Len, Marjorie Counts, Kathy's husband Kevin, Brianna Schaldweiler, Robert Gray, Derek Fields, Dail's friends Marie and Teddy Kovack who is recovering from cancer surgery, Brenda's son Uriah, Rossie Stansbury, and Wanda's daughter Lynette.

First responders: Please keep those who are serving their communities in your prayers: Phyllis Francis' extended family member Alisha K. (EMT). Dail Paramore and Stuart Huggins' family members: Joanna Carter (Nurse), Luther Carter (Naval Officer), Jody Huggins and Jory Huggins (both are MI Patrol Officers). Jerry Munn's sister, Dr. Janice Massey of N.C. If you have family members or friends you would like to add to this prayer list, please let Kathy know.

Military:

Jeff Mercer's son-in-law Brandon Deusenberry, Glenn Fields, and Kathy's family friends T. Burgess and T. Cairo.

Prayer Warriors Corner

Eternal God, Our Father, I thank you for this day and I thank You that You are my one and only God. I give You praise and honor that You deserve. Thank You for the spiritual wisdom and knowledge that You have provided to me. In Jesus' name. Amen.

Frank S. Paramore

Read: Mark 14:53-65

News:

Please pray for Lynette as she continues to recover from surgery, Jerry and Camelia's daughter Christy who is suffering with severe back problems and Roy and Lucy as they will be visiting family in Texas for another week.

Reminder: Our new email address is: pscoc@outlook.com. Please discontinue using the @hotmail address as this it is no longer in use. Thank you.

Individually wrapped **communion supplies** are available for those who are not comfortable with in-person worship service and/or during temporary closures.

To Love Someone More Dearly (My Task)

To Love someone more dearly every day, to help a wandering child to find his way,

To ponder o'er a noble tho't and pray, and smile when evening falls, within the jasper walls: This is my task.

To follow truth as blind men long for light, to do my best from dawn of day till night,

To keep my heart fit for his holy sight, and answer when He calls, and answer when he calls: This is my task.

And then my Savior by and by to meet, when faith hath made her task on earth complete,

And lay my homage at the Master's feet, within the jasper walls, within the jasper walls: This crowns my task.

Maude Louise Ray, 1913



Birthdays:

Susana Delgado: 11/1 Wanda Goodenough: 11/29



Wedding Anniversaries

E. Olea & S. Delgado: 11/18 Mario & Yanira Fuentes: 11/28

Worship service: Sunday mornings @ 10:30 a.m.

Unvaccinated individuals are required to wear a mask or cloth face covering

Please bring your own bible

While we will be having in-person worship service on Sunday mornings, we understand that there are still many of our number that are still not comfortable attending. Please know that our thoughts and prayers are with you, and that you are truly missed.

In the meantime, the expenses of maintaining the building, yard care, property insurance, utilities, etc. continue. If you can continue your financial support, please mail it to:

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God bless us all and bless our families and loved ones too.

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