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Sunday: 9:30 AM Bible Class 10:30 AM Worship Wednesday: 7 PM Bible Class

Welcome to our Visitors. You are our honored quests. Please fill out a visitor's card and let us know if you have any questions about our congregation.

Serving Today

Song Leader: Jimmy Wilson **Opening Prayer:** Roger Weaver Scripture Reading: Austin Bruce

Communion:

Lead: Jerry Sirmans Assisting: Ben Blaylock Side: McMorris Tater Side: Tom Lester Sermon: David West Closing Prayer: Ken Lathrop

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Today's Service

- 212
- 196
- **Opening Prayer**
- Scripture Reading: I Corinthians 15: 20-26
- 189 (Communion)
- **Sermon: The Last Enemy to be Destroyed:** Death
- 294 (Invitation)
- Closing Prayer

IN LOVING MEMORY



Sister Opal Grissom passed away last Thursday evening. A Memorial Service will be held on August 24th in Cookeville, TN. Her Obituary can be viewed at www.hhfunerals.com. Please keep Donna and the family in your prayers.

Announcements

- **Directory Update.** We are in the process of updating the Directory. Please check the Master Directory on the table in the fover and make any required changes. If you need a new picture, see Pam Lester. If you are not currently in the Directory and wish to be, please see Jimmy Wilson.
- Men's Business Meeting, Saturday, August 27th, 9 AM, at the building. Please see Roger Weaver for more details.

Special Prayer Requests

- Paul Eldridge
- **Yvonne Parker**
- **Tom Lester**
- **Suzy Wilkerson**
- **Iwana Smith**
- Kathy Eldridge
- **Helen Moore**
- Jenneta May Member at Gary and Pat Miller's congregation in KY.
- Debra Urbin Doris Booth's Daughter
- Jerry Gialdella Tom Lester's Cousin
- Joe Weathers Friend of the Lester's

Event Calendar

August 27th - Men's Business Meeting, 9AM September 12th - Ladies' Bible Class, 7PM

Upcoming Birthdays

August 29th - Sara Robey



LORD, PLEASE WALK WITH ME!!



YESTERDAY AND TODAY

"Forgetting those things which are behind . . ." (Philippians 3:13).

A FAMOUS MOTIVATIONAL SPEAKER USED TO SAY THAT WE SHOULD LIVE IN "DAY-TIGHT COMPARTMENTS." He wasn't speaking in a religious context, but I believe what he said is true for religious people. Having learned from the past, we need to forget it . . . and seize the fresh opportunity that each new day brings to us.

One of my personal daily disciplines is to review each day at the end of the day. I don't always have a lot of time to do it, but I try to review each day at least briefly before going to bed. I try to learn as much as I can from the day, even from the mistakes that were made. But once that review is done, I commit that day to the Lord and go to bed looking forward to the next morning. When I arise, my morning routine has nothing to do with the day before — it has everything to do with the new day that has arrived.

I've never "put my hand" to any kind of literal plow, but even a boy raised in town can see that it would be hard to plow a straight furrow if one kept looking backward (at least in the days before GPS-guided tractors). And Jesus did say something about that, didn't He? "No one, having put his hand to the plow, and looking back, is fit for the kingdom of God" (Luke 9:62).

The past can be a valuable resource, certainly. We should be encouraged by it, and also humbled by it. Above all, we should be instructed by the past. But the past is gone. So whatever we were, what we are now matters more. We need to think about our past as Paul thought about his. What he had been was regrettable. "But by the grace of God," he said, "I am what I am" (1 Corinthians 15:10).

Many people nowadays keep a daily journal. Imagine a person writing in so much detail each day that he or she needed to begin a new journal book each morning. In a sense, that's what we are called upon to do at the start of each new day. But as we expectantly open that fresh, never-before-used book and start writing, we need to have decisively closed the previous day's book.

"Finish every day and be done with it. You have done what you could. Some blunders and absurdities no doubt crept in; forget them as soon as you can. Tomorrow is a new day; begin it well and serenely and with too high a spirit to be cumbered with your old nonsense. This day is all that is good and fair. It is too dear, with its hopes and invitations, to waste a moment on the yesterdays" (Ralph Waldo Emerson).

Gary Henry – WordPoints.com

Today's Bible Question

During the sermon on the mount, Jesus told his listeners to not be "anxious about tomorrow" because?

- A. "Tomorrow may not come"
- B. "We have no control over tomorrow"
- C. "Tomorrow will take care of itself"
- D. "God will take care of tomorrow"

YESTERDAY IS history,
TOMORROW IS A mystery,
BUT TODAY IS A gift.
THAT'S WHY WE CALL IT
THE PRESENT.

-A.A. MILNE



Answer to Today's Bible Question

Answer: C Matthew 6:34