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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 guests. 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: Angelo Cusimano

Scripture Reading: Ben Blaylock

Communion:

- Lead: Troy Vargas
- Assisting: Austin Bruce
- Side: McMorris Tater
- Side: Tom Lester

Sermon: David West

Closing Prayer: Jerry Sirmans

Usher: Ken Lathrop

Today's Service

- 5
- 559
- Opening Prayer
- **Scripture Reading: I Chronicles 16: 23-29**
- 175 (Communion)
- 44
- **Sermon: To God Be The Glory**
- 287 (Invitation)
- Closing Prayer

Prayer Requests

- **Randy Blaylock**
- **Perry Dawkins**, Trudi Dawkins' Son
- **Dwayne Martin Sr.**, Lester's Grandson's Grandfather
- **Maria Gomez**, friend of Sandy Lathrop
- **Paul Eldridge**
- **Yvonne Parker**
- **Tom Lester**
- **Suzy Wilkerson**
- **Iwana Smith**
- **Kathy Eldridge**
- **Jenneta May** – Friend of the Millers.
- **Debra Urbin** – Doris Booth's Daughter
- **Jerry Gialdella** – Tom Lester's Cousin
- **Joe Weathers** – Friend of the Lester'

Event Calendar

November 5th – Ladies' Day, 11:00 AM – 1:00 PM

November 5th – Men's Breakfast, 9:00 AM

November 6th – Day Light Savings Time ends

November 12th – Youth Get Together, 4:30 PM - 7 PM

November 14th – Ladies' Bible Class, 7 PM

Upcoming Birthdays

October 30th – Jay Polk

November 8th – Troy Vargas

November 8th – Paul Eldridge

November 9th – Jim Byrnes

Announcements

- **The Annual Ladies' Day is next Saturday.** In preparation, we ask that you please tidy-up around your seating area today before you leave.
- **Men's Breakfast, Saturday, November 5th, 9 AM** at the Breakfast Club Restaurant, 1977 Alafaya Trail, #101, Oviedo, FL, 32765. (Just north from the corner of Alafaya Trail and Chapman road.)
- **Youth Get Together, Saturday, November 12th, 4:30 PM – 7 PM** at the Parker's house. Please let Yvonne Parker or Angelo Cusimano know if you plan to attend.
- Copies of an **updated Birthday List** and the **November Service Schedule** are available on the table in the foyer.
- **Wednesday Night Class.** We will begin a six-part, World Video Bible School Course on the Reliability of the Bible. Please join us.



Today After Services

DIFFICULTY INCREASES THE SATISFACTION

"I am filled with comfort. I am exceedingly joyful in all our tribulation" (2 Corinthians 7:4).

FOR THE CHRISTIAN, DIFFICULTY IS A FACT OF LIFE. In a world where horrendous war is being fought between good and evil, hardship is only to be expected. Paul said, "We must through many tribulations enter the kingdom of God" (Acts 14:22). And continuing the military metaphor, he urged Timothy to "endure hardship as a good soldier of Jesus Christ" (2 Timothy 2:3).

The hardship is not the whole story, however. For the Christian, no matter what hard things are happening, there is always a great "nevertheless." Speaking of himself and his coworkers, Paul wrote, "We are hard pressed on every side, yet not crushed; we are perplexed, but not in despair; persecuted, but not forsaken; struck down, but not destroyed" (2 Corinthians 4:8,9).

Paul had the great ability to experience joy in the midst of tribulation. To the Corinthians, he wrote, "I am filled with comfort. I am exceedingly joyful in all our tribulation." The hardship was undeniable, and Paul wasn't one to underestimate it. But he had learned, in Christ, to see that the hardship was worth suffering.

For the people of God, there is coming a rest. "Then I heard a voice from heaven saying to me, 'Write: "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord from now on". "Yes, says the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their works follow them"' (Revelation 14:13). But the rest is not yet; it will come "in due season" (Galatians 6:9). Meanwhile, we must derive our joy not from pleasant circumstances but from the hope of heaven — and the knowledge that, even now, many good things are happening that will eventually contribute to the Lord's triumph over all evil.

Difficulty and joy are not incompatible, as many people think. If a person wanted joy, even in this world, he wouldn't necessarily look for a completely wrinkle-free lifestyle. Difficulty enhances joy, and the Christian ought to have experienced the truth of that principle more than anyone else. Properly dealt with, difficulty

increases the satisfaction we feel when the hardship has been overcome. So, for those bound for heaven, the difficulty doesn't do anything but guarantee that their rest is going to be that much sweeter.

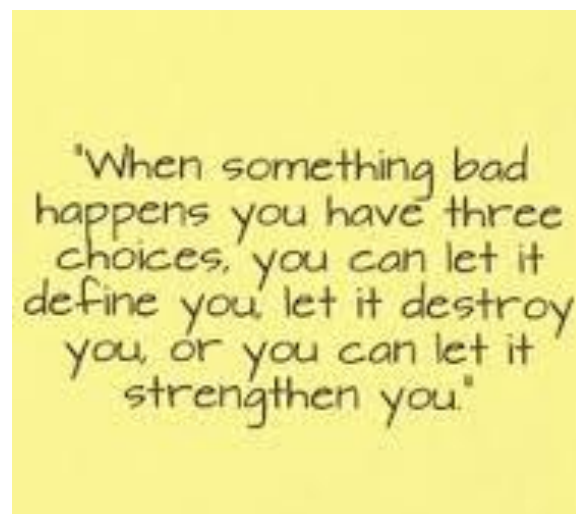
"Difficulty and joy are mutual friends" (Tim Hansel).

Gary Henry – Wordpoints.Com

Today's Bible Question

The writer of Hebrews tells us to "hold fast the confession of our hope without wavering, for he who is faithful is _____"?

- A. Loving
- B. Forgiving
- C. Faithful
- D. Merciful



TIME TO "FALL BACK"

Daylight Savings Time ends next Sunday, November 6th. Don't forget to set your clocks back one hour.

Answer to Today's Bible Question

Answer: C
Hebrews 10:23