

Privileged to Serve

Morning Worship

Announcements: Sibio Farrington

Song Leader: Chad Futrell

Opening Prayer: Kyle Pool

Lord's Table:
Presiding: Ron Austin

Assisting: Dave Carver
John Patchell

Sermon: Byran Hatcher

Closing Prayer: Tyler Christian

Those serving Wednesday

Song Leader: Chad Futrell

Opening Prayer: Chad Futrell

Teacher: Chad Futrell

Announcements: Byran Hatcher

Closing Prayer: Phil Byrd

Pantry Item

Canned applesauce & fruit

Sermon Notes *Rightly Divide*

I. Both Testaments are _____

II. The Old Testament has been

_____.

III. The New Testament is our

_____.

October 9, 2022

Welcome!

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Service Times

Sunday:
B. C. 9:00am
Worship 10:00am

Wednesday Night:
B. C. 7:00pm

Ladies' Class:
Tuesdays 10:00am

Elders
Wade Hedgepeth
Byran Hatcher

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The Cape Fear Crier

"Cry aloud and shout...for great in the midst of thee is the Holy One of Israel." Isaiah 12:6

Time's Up!

Time Goes Too Fast

By Ebony Black

Time is endless but goes too fast.
You long for the future, then yearn for the past.
Summer's heat quickly turns to frost,
A child grows, their innocence lost.

Time forever slips away,
With the setting sun and each dawn of a day.
The blossoms give way to falling leaves,
Another life taken; their family grieves.

Time can pass quickly, there's never enough.
You miss when it was easy; now life is too tough.
The long hot days yield to the winter chill,
A new life begins, while another stops still.

Time is something you can never gain,
It only passes and brings new pain.
A warm spring shower turns to freezing snow,
People enter your life, only to leave you and go.

Time reminds you of all that you've lost,
You try and regain it, but there's always a cost.
The warmth of the sun bows down to the cold,
A person once young, now frail and old.

Time is wasted every day,
Spent on moments that fade away.
So think carefully, think wisely about what you will do
With the limited time that is given to you.

Every thought in this wonderful poem is so true. When we are young time seems endless, but the older we get we realize how fleeting life is. Time is precious and it goes by so very quickly for each of us. There is never enough because we constantly mismanage it. There is a longing, it seems, to be anywhere else in time except in the current moment. This is how life passes so many by. So few moments are seized and capitalized; so few lived to its full potential. The Psalmist wrote, “number your days and apply your heart unto wisdom” (Psalm 90:12). Live each moment to its fullest.

How does one live wisely using each moment to its potential?

1. Take time to think. The difference between man and animal is his ability to think rationally and make choices. Think!
2. Take time to plan. Those that fail to plan, plan to fail. Live a purpose-driven life.
3. Take time to work. God planned for the first couple to work in the Garden. It was for their happiness. We, too, should be working.
4. Take time to play. This is the secret to recreating self. The Lord took time away from His work. Rest and recreation are essential to living to the full.
5. Take time to read. This is the foundation of knowledge. Read the Bible, obviously, but read lots of other things as well: fiction, non-fiction, history, science, poetry. Variety is the spice of life here.
6. Take time to be friendly. In order to have friends, one must first be a friend.
7. Take time to help others. You can't take it with you, so share! Didn't you learn that in Kindergarten!?
8. Take time to weep. Bad things happen in life. Grief is a part of life, a very healthy part of life.
9. Take time to laugh. It truly is the best medicine.

- BTH

By the Numbers

Attendance 10/2/22

Bible Class: 45

A.M. Worship: 65

Wed. B. C.: 27

Family News and Notes

It's a boy! **Matthew Wade Turnage** was born Tuesday morning, mom and baby are doing well. **Nazreen Sahib**, coworker of **Jennifer Hatcher**, has stage 4 cancer. **John Williams** will be have two procedures on his knee in the near future. **Kim Perkins'** mother is in rehab and receiving special care. **Expectant mothers:** keep all our expectant mothers in your prayers: Destiney Foster, Brianna Johnson, and Monica Ullom. Linda Williams' mother, **Mary Pipkens** and her brothers, **Wayne** and **Harry** all are in need of prayer because of serious health concerns. **Frances Salaz** is going through chemo. **Linda Hernandez** has been dealing with a heart issue and has not been able to be at worship. Let's remember one another in prayer.

Pray for our world leaders at this time. Active military: Pray for all active duty military members; they could be called to a conflict area at a moment's notice. Remember to pray for their families as well. We have 4 active duty members here at Cape Fear.

Also remember: **Margaret Langston, Vicky Carver, Deborah Ross**, and the **Davis** family. Please pray for those in Bible Studies, teachers and students!

Bible Reading Plan

Oct 9	Oct 10	Oct 11	Oct 12	Oct 13	Oct 14	Oct 15
Job 32-34	Job 35-37	Job 38-42	Ecc 1-4	Ecc 5-8	Ecc 9-12	Son 1-4
Ps 100	Ps 101	Ps 102	Ps 103	Ps 104	Ps 105	Ps 106

Events

Baby Shower: Congregational baby shower and potluck lunch for Elaine Turnage Sunday October 16 after morning worship see Gloria Emerick or Melany Hatcher for more details.

Silver Linings: Friday October 21 @ 11am

Pumpkin Carving: For all young people October 23 after morning worship at the Hatchers. Sign-up in the foyer on red clipboard

