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What are we living For?

A man had a great many benefits and perks in life. The admiration of peers and competitors, resort townhouses, and considerable wealth. But, one day very soon after he retired his life was dramatically changed after a visit to the doctor. He had an aggressive form of cancer. A few months later he was dead.

This is not a commentary on the morality or priorities of the man. I know nothing about either.

His story points out that his well-laid plans and successful career could not forestall the inevitable end result common to every man.

It should also provoke a question. For what are we living? Is our identity tied to our career? Do we want to be known as the life of the party? Is it all about travel and adventure? Does life revolve around going to the river, campground, fishing hole, beach or mountains? Is it sports, shopping, spending or spirituality?

Of necessity, all of us have a central focus. It is the thing that forms the bull's eye for which we repeatedly aim.

Too many times, something becomes the thing in "first place" over Christianity. Colossians 1:18 reminds us Christ must come to have first place.

When it comes to our jobs, Jesus must take first place.

When it comes to our recreation, same thing.

When it comes to relationships, He deserves primary position.

Whatever we say or do, Jesus must be at the forefront.

He warns that we may invest in the wrong kind of treasure rather than the true riches (Matthew 6:19-21). He admonishes us to seek the kingdom first over "things" (Matthew 6:33).

He warns against choosing family members over Himself (Matthew 10:37).

When life draws to a close, one will be confronted by the reality of what he or she made first place. Certainly, when we cross the sea of time to eternity, there will be no denying, rationalizing, debating or arguing what our "bull's eye" was.

In our heart of hearts, however, we already know what is most important to us. It is what occupies the greatest amount of our interest, time, energy, emotion, resources and effort. It is the reason we live. The thing is, when we die, that for which we have lived will either help us live eternally or be the cause of our eternal death.

Listen as Paul encourages us to "set your affection on things above and not on things of the earth" (Colossians 3:2) Set your mind on the things above, not on the things that are on earth.

Prayer Request

Cindy Blackburn Please pray for God's healing and comfort for her.

Esther & Gene Crisp Please keep them in your prayers.

Kathy Easter (Friend of Dale Kuhn) Please pray that the treatment she's receiving will continue to be successful to heal her.

Marleigh Gilbert 4 yr.old battling leukemia. Please pray for her recovery.

Mr & Mrs Glispie (Gary's Parents) Please pray for God's peace and comfort to surround them and bless those caring for them.

Peggy Hollback Please continue praying she will be blessed with better health.

Vicki Harlow Please pray for God's healing for her.

Oaklyn Keller Please pray for healing for this child fighting leukemia.

Cheryl Lemon Please pray she'll have better health And strength for Mike as he cares for her.

Angie Martin(Tamara'sNiece)Battling Cancer

Sue Mefford (Penny's Friend) She is suffering with brain seizures. Please pray for her.

Noah Oesch Please keep this baby in your prayers.

Kim Woods (Gary Glispie's Sister) Please continue to pray for God's healing.

Judi Allison Elbrooke Room #535

Marie Coriell Elbrooke Room #506

Esther & Gene Crisp Randall Res. #123

Sarah Gilliland Hillview Room #213

Helen Hayward Homebound

Please, Pray for our nation.



Veterans Day Tribute

**Sunshine's Thanksgiving Service
Sunday, November 28**

Sunday Morning Live Streaming Links:

<https://sunshinecofc.church/sermon-media>
<https://sunshinecofc.sermon.net>

Welcome To All of Our Guests

Thank you for coming. Please come back!

Gluten Free Communion Available

We have gluten free communion bread available for anyone who needs it. It can be found at the **Welcome Center**. You may simply pick it up before the services on your way into the auditorium.

We Are Glad You Are Here!

KID'S Club

*Kids Pre-K - 6th grade, each Wednesday Evening. Kid's Club will be the Wednesday Evening Bible class. It includes a short & fun video reviewing the lesson taught on Sunday. Come join us!

*Ladies Wednesday Night Bible Class taught by Nola Kelley

Please read:

John 8

We'll meet in the annex.

Come Join Us!

Elders Prayer Session

Thursday, November 18

SUNSHINE CHURCH of CHRIST
We Invite You To Join Us
Sunday Morning 10:00 AM
Sunday Eve. Class 6:00 PM
Wednesday Evening 7:00 PM
You may also call 855-565-7670
to hear the lessons by phone.

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**Attention Sunshine Members:**  
**Call-Em-All-Update**  
Please review the list posted on the glass in the foyer. Please place a check mark if the number by your name is correct, also add other numbers that need included. We would like numbers for everyone that has a phone in your family.  
**\*Please make corrections as needed.**

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Teen Events Coming Up
Spirit Fest in Corbin, Ky.
Nov. 19,20,21

Winterfest 2022
In Gatlinburg, Tenn.
February 18-20, 2021

Please see Tim Gampp for details.

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Sunshine Innermission group will be having a Thanksgiving dinner for the students on Nov.23. We have a list of foods we would appreciate being donated for this dinner.  
If you can help with this, please see Alley Vannatta or Kendall Riley to sign up. Food can either be dropped off at the church building anytime the day of until 6:00 pm or if you need someone to pick it up at your home we are happy to do this also, just let us know.  
Call Jamie or Tammy  
Alley or Kendall  
**Thank You!**

**HAPPY  
VETERANS  
DAY!**

**THANK YOU SO MUCH  
FOR YOUR SERVICE TO  
OUR COUNTRY**

**The November Item is**  
**Peanut Butter**  
**For Mid Western Children's Home**

## **Family Bible Time**

**"All people are like grass,  
And all their glory is like the flowers  
of the field; the grass withers  
and the flowers fall, but the word of the  
Lord endures forever."**

**1 Peter 1:24**

**Jesus Christ the same yesterday,  
and today, and forever.**

**Hebrews 13:8**

# Those Who Serve

| <b>Sunday Morning</b> | <b>11/14/2021</b> | <b>11/21/2021</b> | <b>11/28/2021</b>    |
|-----------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Worship Leader        | Jared McCray      | Zach Coriell      | Shaun McCray         |
| Scripture Reading     | Jerry Gamp        | Terry Grashel     | Steve Williams       |
| Prayer                | Shane Mougey      | Lonnie Hollback   | Mike Coriell         |
| Communion             | Josh Coriell      | Dave Deacon       | Aaron Kallner        |
| Message               | Jamie Riley       | Jamie Riley       | Thanksgiving Service |
| Announcements //      |                   |                   |                      |
| Prayer                | Shaun McCray      | Rich Book         | Wayne Gamp           |
| <b>Sunday Evening</b> | <b>11/14/2021</b> | <b>11/21/2021</b> | <b>11/28/2021</b>    |
| Worship Leader        | Jacob Bowe        | Jacob Miller      | Jared McCray         |
| Communion             | Rich Book         | Dale Kuhn         | Ryan Coriell         |



**Sunday** Worship - 10:00 am  
Bible Study - 6:00 pm

**Wednesday** Bible Study - 7:00 pm

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## Howell's Mill Christian Assembly

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We have been given a \$50K matching gift pledge from Sept to December 2021 in memory of Alice Bartley. A fuller article is in our newsletter and a snapshot below shares the heart of this gift. If you love and support our ministry, consider making a gift this fall that will be doubled! Because we know everyone doesn't give the same way, there are 4 ways you can give. 1). Easytithes Online <https://app.easytithes.com/app/giving/hmca> 2). Venmo HMCA by scanning the QR code picture below 3). Text Giving to the number on the picture below or 4). Send a paper check to HMCA.

Have a wonderful day!