

REMEMBER

When things are not going in the way you wish them to go, nor in the way you think best, **remember:** "it is not in man that walketh to direct his steps" (Jer. 10:23).

When the things you have received are not the things you wanted, **remember:** "Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights" (James 1:17).

When you are depressed with the cares of this life, and you do not think yourself capable of going on, **remember:** "The peace of God, which passeth all understanding" (Phil. 4:7) can be yours.

When you try to live right, but fall victim to sin, **remember:** the Psalmist declared, "Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee" (Psalm 119:11).

When you feel your temptations are greater than you can bear, and you fear that their weight will soon collapse your supports, **remember:** "God is faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able" (I Cor. 10:13).

When you feel that no man before you has ever carried the kind of load you must carry, **remember:** Jesus carried His cross to Calvary (John 19:17).

When you think that your contributions of time and effort are useless, and that you can offer nothing to God worth-while, **remember:** Paul declared that your labor in the Lord is not in vain (I Cor. 15:58).

When you feel that you are incapable of learning God's Word, and that you are unable to find the truth you are seeking, **remember:** Jesus promised, "seek, and ye shall find" (Matt. 7:7; John 7:17).

When you feel that you have no influence on the lives of others, **remember:** "For none of us liveth to himself, and no man dieth to himself" (Rom 14:7).

When you feel that no one cares for you, **remember:** Jesus cared enough to die for you.

When you feel that no man loves you, **remember:** Jesus loved you enough to offer salvation to you.

When you feel that no one is your friend, **remember:** Jesus said, "Ye are my friends, if ye do whatsoever I command you" (John 15:14).

When you feel you need guidance, protection, comfort, hope, and consolation, **remember:** it is "For in him, we live, and move, and have our being; as certain also of your own poets have said, For we are also his offspring" (Acts 17:28).

Whatever the need, whatever the problem, **remember:** Jesus of Nazareth, "who loved me, and gave himself for me" (Gal. 2:20).

- Tim Smith, *Beacon*, Bellview Church of Christ, Pensacola, FL -

"... we will remember the name of the Lord our God." - Psalm 20:7

News & Notes

NO COVERED DISH DINNER TODAY. This evening's service: 5:30 p.m.

BAPTISM: Jessica Shafer (Docie Moore's sister).

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY: Each Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.

MEN'S BREAKFAST: Next Saturday, March 11th, 8:30 a.m. at Columbiana Church of Christ. Sign-up sheet in the foyer.

TRI-STATE WIDOWHOOD FELLOWSHIP: Next Saturday, March 11th, 11:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m. at our Fellowship Building. Hosted by St. Clair Ave. Church of Christ. Widowhood Workshop Ministry for widowers and widows. No cost to attend. Attendees can expect: Learning, Love, Laughter, and Lunch.

TIME CHANGE: Next Saturday, March 11th. Before retiring for the night remember to turn your clocks ahead 1 hour. Daylight Saving Time begins.

WORKSHOP at St. Clair Ave. Church of Christ, March 12-15th (Mon. - Wed., 7:00 p.m.), "Navigating Life's Storms" with Dean Miller. We will dismiss here on Wed., March 15th to go to St. Clair Ave. and support this effort.

SECRET SISTER PROGRAM RESUMING: Sisters participating, please complete the form and return by Sunday, March 19th.

LADIES INSPIRATION DAY: Saturday, April 22nd, Steelton Church of Christ, New Martinsville, WV. "Pray ... a Latte!" Speaker: Clista Heintzman. Details on the bulletin board.

PANTRY: Canned lima beans.

SICK & SHUT-IN: *Calcutta Health Care:* Peggy Linger, Pat Allison. ***At Home:*** Lori Rowand (John Sprout's niece) 305 Bentley Ave., Newell, WV 26050, Debbie Waite, Nancy Cox, Mike West, David Strum (Karen's husband), Jim Hadley, Barbara DeLong, Claudette Miller, Cheryl Renfro Walker. Herman McHan, 7401 Elmwood Drive, Lisbon, OH 44432. ***Fox, Pepperberry Suites, Chester:*** David McCoy. ***In Indiana:*** Bill Miller (Prostate cancer). ***In Rehab (address will follow later):*** Sharon Beck. Home address: 807 Camden Ave., Weston, WV 26452.

GOSPEL MEETINGS

Hillview Terrace, Moundsville	March 12-17	Terry Jones
Pennsboro	March 26-31	Roger Rush
CHESTER	April 2- 6	Terry Jones
Steelton, New Martinsville	April 2- 6	Mark Bass
Kent	April 20-22	Ralph Price

Count Blessings

*I thought, I'll count my blessings, I surely have three or four.
But when I started counting, I soon had more than a score.*

*Encouraged, I went on counting, my list was growing long;
And when I had reached one hundred, I still was going strong.*

*Now, I know if I count my blessings, and thank God for every one,
When I have counted forever, I will have only just begun.*

- Beatrice Thatcher White -