A good start for your day and a good goal for your week

A Word from Wayne Lamunyon

Here is a good way to start your day and to face anything else that's happening in your life:

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways acknowledge Him and he will make your paths straight."

(Proverbs 3:5-6)

Furthermore, other people need to know about this kind of faith.

So invite someone to share your faith this week ... and make it a habit every week of your life.



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Faith on the move in a "family" context

Time is – not – on our side if we, as individuals and as a body of believers, do not make some needed changes.

But (and this is really good news) time -is – on our side if we are willing to do things differently.

You've probably heard – at least a dozen times – the clichè, "If you want what you've always had, keep doing what you've always done." (I don't know how many times l've heard those words.)

But counselors and consultants keep repeating this idea because people keep doing what they have always done and then – complaining that things are not getting better.

As followers of Christ and a church, we've got to take a fresh approach, first, on the level of the practice of our personal faith and, second, on the level of our shared faith as members of the family of God.

But before we are ready to make changes, we need to know what results we want. What – exactly – are we supposed to be doing, personally and together as followers of Christ?

I believe we are supposed to be becoming more like Jesus, by the grace and power of 'God and not in our own will-power.

We are to follow Jesus into a deeper prayer life, into a deeper understanding and devotion to the Word of God and into a greater practical love for each other and all people.

Time spent alone with God and with each other – with open hearts and open Bibles – has the potential of transforming our church and our community.

So let's pray: "Lord, we want what you want for us, and we will do what is needed, in your grace and power."

Come as you are. But don't stay as you are. Be transformed by the renewing of your mind.



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Welcome

Generations is a place of prayer, worship & personal involvement.

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Upcoming Events

- Wednesday night children and youth meetings
 ... children at 5:30 PM (with a meal) and Youth at 7:00
- Sunday morning service
 Coffee Shop at 10:00 AM. Worship at 10:25.
- Sunday evening younger singles and couples
 Beginning January 18 (time to be announced)
- Special Super Bowl Sunday LifeChurch message, February 1

By video, we will hear from NFL personnel, including players from both competing teams, who believe in Christ.

Worship Team

Bobby Garringer, Sound: Wayne Lamunyon

Order of Worship January 11, 2015

10:00 AM Coffee Shop Opens 10:25 Call to Worship Song:

"My Redeemer Lives"
As the music plays, please move to the seating area. All who wish – and are able – may stand at their seat as we sing.

Announcements

See "Upcoming Events" above.

Prayer Requests & Prayer Lighting of the Advent Candle 10:40 Worship

All who wish and are able, are invited to stand as we sing. "Because He Lives"

"His Love Endures Forever"

10:45 Children's Message

Duck Duck: "Dying for Love" (John 15:13)

10:50 LifeChurch Message

"Jesus and We" – Craig Groeschel

11:20-25 Communion

Acts 2:22-24

Proceed to the table and return to your seat. We will take the symbols together after prayer.

11:30 Altar Call

"I Saw the Light"

11:30-35 Offering & Dismissal

Acts 2:46-47

List of Prayer Requests:



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