

Faith Submits – Part 2 (Wisdom for Tomorrow)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION AND DISCUSSION

Read the following Scriptures from Sunday's message. What strikes you as challenging, convicting, or encouraging?

James 4:13-17 Proverbs 27:1 Psalm 8:1-4; 39:4-6
Luke 12:16-21 Luke 19:11-27 Matthew 25:31-46
Colossians 3:1-4

What attitude about our plans does James target in this passage?

Is James saying we shouldn't make plans for the future? What value is long-range planning if we don't know what tomorrow will bring?

Think about Augustine's saying "incurvatus in se" (curved-in on oneself). How do you see sin curving-in on you?

What is the solution to the "curvedness" in your life that results from sin? How will you embrace that solution this week and walk in it by faith?

Is there something God's Spirit has been prompting you to do that you have been resisting? Why? Get some wise, godly counsel and then take a step of obedience as He directs you by His Word.

REMINDERS

WEDNESDAY 7-29

Prayer in the Parking Lot—7:00 p.m.

And each Wednesday continuing through the end of summer. Bring your own chairs or sit in your car and we will meet outside the church for an hour to pray corporately for God's Spirit to bring revival to our church, our community, and our nation.

We hope you will join us! In the meantime, please join many of us who are interceding daily for revival in our land. 2 Chronicles 7:14

NEXT SUNDAY, AUGUST 2, 10:00 a.m. —Morning Worship Service

GIVING

Options for Giving:

- Offering Boxes mounted near back of Sanctuary & on the rolling mailboxes in the Foyer
- Online Giving www.brittfreechurch.com/give/
- Mail a check (address below)
- If you want to give to the Benevolence Fund, please indicate accordingly when you give.

Weekly Budget: \$8,700 Giving Last Week—General Fund \$9,303.12

PRAYER NEEDS

Please pray for these people with health issues or other concerns:

David Peterson Doug Kneisel Steve Redig Blanche Friedow Paul Delger

Nathan Hawley

Please pray for:

- •Our Nation at this turbulent time and for Repentance and Revival
- •Service Men & Women and Police Officers
- •Missionaries including Mark & Amy Chase—Slovakia
- •Prayer for those who are isolated at home and in nursing homes and assisted living
- •Our Search Committee for Director of Worship & Technology
- Our Search Committee for Youth Pastor
- Our Church Leadership
- •Pastor Steve & Carol Couch

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