

**PRIVILEGED TO  
SERVE TODAY:**

Opening Prayer  
Song Leading  
Scripture Reading  
Closing Prayer

**AM**

Dale Aden  
Dale Ballentine  
Monte Morris  
Josh Brasher

**PM**

Freeman Mahan  
Nick Bryant  
Mark Wright  
Steve Foster

**NEXT WEEK:**

Opening Prayer  
Song Leading  
Scripture Reading  
Closing Prayer

David Bryant  
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Steve Foster  
Mark Wright

Sherrill Smith  
Nick Bryant  
David Brasher  
Dylan Holt

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**SCHEDULE OF SERVICES**

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**SUNDAY:**

Bible Class    9:00 AM  
Worship       10:00 AM & 5:00 PM  
(Meet-Eat-Meet each fifth Sunday)

**WEDNESDAY:**

Bible Study   6:30 PM



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# The Follower

July 10, 2022

## *Mife's Listakess*

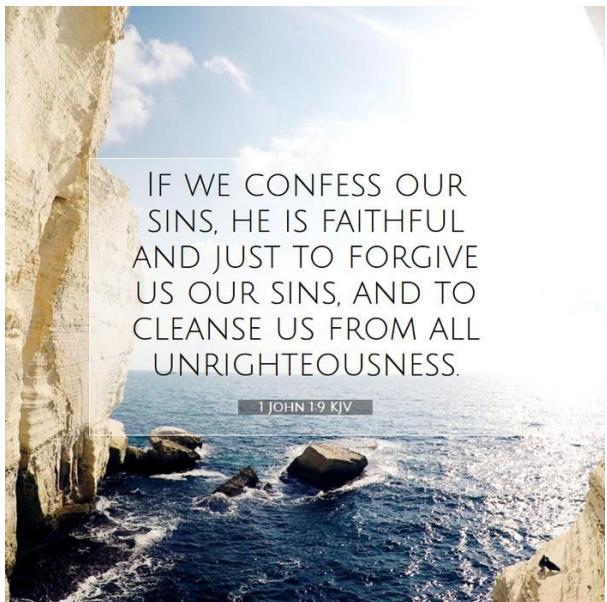
Do you ever feel as though you are the only one who is making any mistakes? Or perhaps that everybody else seems to have it all together, thus focusing more attention on what you perceive to be glaring blunders? Well, think again! Imagine if you had been the president of a Michigan bank who advised Henry Ford's lawyer not to invest in the new motor company, assuring him, "The horse is here to stay, but the automobile is only a novelty." Or consider Gary Cooper's comment about Clark Gable accepting the role of Rhett Butler, which he had turned down: "'Gone with the Wind' is going to be the biggest flop in Hollywood history. I'm just glad it'll be Clark Gable who's falling flat on his face and not Gary Cooper." There was even a Boston sportswriter who summed up young Ted Williams by saying, "I don't believe this kid will ever hit half a singer midget's weight in a bathing suit." Well, whatever that meant, Williams resoundingly proved him wrong!

These miscalculations from the public record are mentioned to emphasize one important point: At some time in our lives, all of us are going to make mistakes. Unfortunately, the shame associated with some mistakes (*continued next page*)

causes an inordinate amount of suffering due to our own refusal to forgive ourselves. However, this self-imposed burden can be overcome when we realize that obedience to Christ removes the source of our guilt. Christians can take great comfort in the fact that as we make the effort to correct and humbly confess the wrongs in our lives, God is "faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness" (1 John 1:9).

The key to all of this is in our humbling of self. If we are willing to face our mistakes with a steadfast resolve for betterment in the future, then we will have taken some giant steps toward removing those constant stumbling blocks from our pathway to Christian maturity. Let us continue to forge ahead "toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus" (Philippians 3:14).

-Ken Forrest, Booneville MS church of Christ



## *Remember in Prayer . . .*

- **Jean** is to have a heart cath on the 21st.
- **Rita** is scheduled for surgery on her knee on the 29th.
- **Doyle Kelly** was hospitalized yesterday afternoon with sepsis. Gail and David have gone there.

**PRAYER LIST:** Miss Mary; Robert Williams (Sandy's son-in-law); Celisa; Orvaline; Joe Wilson (now on hospice); Ginger Avery; Lois and DeVon Arrington; Craig Ballentine...

## *News and Notes . . .*

- **We welcome our visitors;** we are indeed honored to have you with us. Please give us an opportunity to get acquainted with you following services.
- Keep our **Annual Singing** on Friday, July 29, in your plans and prayers.
- **Summer Youth Series** Monday night at Holladay. Departure time to be announced.
- **Wednesday night devo:** Freeman

### **MEMORY VERSE - Philippians 4:19**

*But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus.*