

TO SERVE TODAY:	AM	PM
Opening Prayer	Nick Bryant	David Bryant
Song Leading	Keith Peevyhouse	Nick Bryant
Preside Lord's Supper	D Bryant, N Bryant	
Scripture Reading	Mickey Keen	Dale Aden
Closing Prayer	Monte Morris	Dylan Holt
NEXT WEEK:		
Opening Prayer	Mark Wright	Dale Ballentine
Song Leading	Keith Peevyhouse	Nick Bryant
Preside Lord's Supper	D Bryant, N Bryant	
Scripture Reading	Dylan Holt	John Henry Long
Closing Prayer	Noah Brasher	David Bryant



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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 second Sunday)

**WEDNESDAY:**      Bible Study    6:30 PM  
                             (Fellowship & devo each fourth Wednesday)

## *But the Flesh Is Weak...*

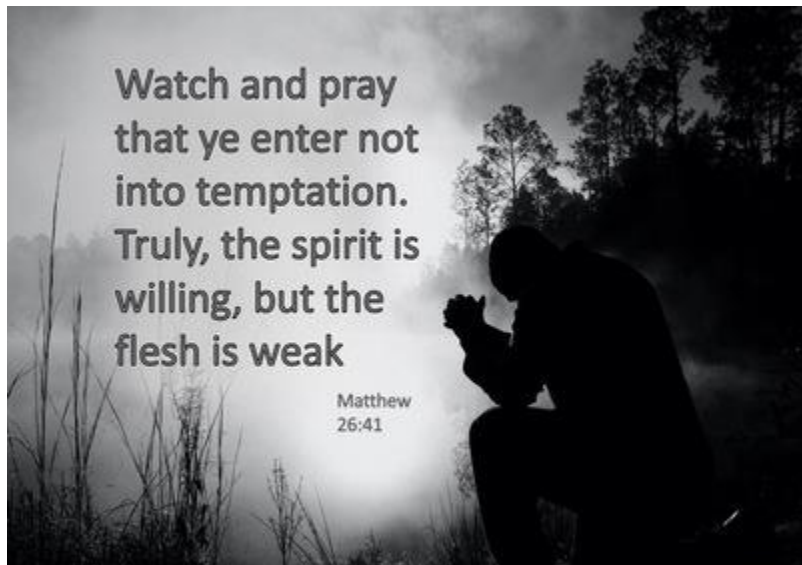
Jesus, accompanied by eleven of His disciples, went to the garden called Gethsemane. While there, He separated Himself from them for a time of prayer, asking Peter, James, and John to stay close to Him and watch while He prayed. When He returned and found them asleep, he asked Peter, "What, could ye not watch with me one hour? ...the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak" (**Matt. 26:36ff**). These men had adamantly let Jesus know that they would not forsake Him as He had predicted, and then could not even stay awake while their Master was praying. They wanted to do what He asked, but sometimes their best intentions resulted in shortcomings because their bodies failed them.

We need to realize that we, too, have the same issues. We are well-intentioned to be faithful followers of Jesus when we obey the gospel. We are well-meaning when we consider what we might do in order to better serve Him. But we allow events in life to cause us to procrastinate - or sometimes never get around to - doing that service for the Lord that we truly meant to do. For us, the spirit is willing, but the flesh is all too often weak.

What shall we do, then? We need to pray to God for forgiveness for not being the servants we intended to be, and ask for more wisdom, strength, and conviction to get about doing what we know He wants us to do (**Jas.1:5**). Our guilt should not come from being unable to do what we should on our own, but from not regularly asking God for direction and for the courage to get the job done. Then we need to work to overcome the weaknesses of our flesh and get busy doing that which we know we should.

We should learn from the mistakes of the eleven, as well as our own, and commit ourselves to doing better from this day forward. Jesus gave us His all. Can we not strive to do the same for Him?

*~Freeman*



## *Remember in Prayer . . .*

- **Olivia's** MRI to determine the cause of pressure behind her eyes is scheduled for Tuesday of next week, April 2.
- **Sandy** is sick with flu symptoms, and **Monte** has difficulty getting around.
- Mark's brother **Kevin** got a good report regarding his colon cancer. It is a treatable form, and he is being scheduled for an MRI, probably the first week of April.
- **Jennifer Wroten's** twins were scheduled to get tubes in their ears on Thursday.
- Please keep the family of **Alwayne Wood** in prayer in his passing. He was Mickey's last living uncle; his service is this afternoon.

**PRAYER LIST:** Miss Mary; Pam; Monte & Sandy; John Henry; Joann Moore; Kristi Martin (Rhonda's sister); Carolyn Lovelace (Dale Aden's sister); Burl Tidwell (cancer); Karmen; Dennis Foster...

## *News and Notes . . .*

- **We welcome our visitors;** we are indeed honored to have you with us. We ask that you complete a visitor card and leave it in the pew or the collection plate, and please allow us the opportunity to get acquainted with you following services.
- We are very pleased to have **Dorian** with us today to report on the mission work. This is also a **MEET-EAT-MEET** day with lunch immediately following morning services, and a devo immediately following lunch.
- This Wednesday is **FELLOWSHIP & DEVO** night. A head-count is appreciated, so those planning to participate are asked to sign up on the foyer board.
- **Devo Wednesday night: Freeman**

**America has a tendency, as Israel did, to forget Who  
brought us to where we are.**

**~John DeBerry (at PTP)**

**MEMORY VERSE - Luke 5:31-32:**

*<sup>31</sup>And Jesus answered and said to them, "Those who are well do not need a physician, but those who are sick, <sup>32</sup>I have not come to call the righteous, but sinners, to repentance." (NKJ)*