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(Nobody Ever Tells Me Anything)



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From our Pastor Gospel Forgetfulness

Like many Bible readers, I'm often amazed by the disciples' blindness to Jesus' mission. Though He frequently told them of how He would die and be raised (Mark 8:31; 9:31; 10:33), they remained ignorant of such things. Up to the very moment of His arrest, they fought for their vision of what they wanted Jesus to be and do (Mark 14:47). When I read through the gospel accounts each year, it is a bit frustrating to read of their stubborn ignorance. However, if I am honest with myself, I am a lot like them. I often forget God's promises.



Failure in these areas is rooted in humanity's fallen nature. Neither culture, gender, genetics, or past experiences are ultimately to blame. The ladies who followed Jesus were little different than the Twelve. On resurrection morning, they approached Jesus' tomb in order to anoint His body with burial spices. They firmly believed He was dead. The possibility of resurrection wasn't on their minds in the least. Approaching the tomb, they saw two men "in dazzling clothes" (Luke 24:4). The men weren't just any men. They were angels! Seeing the sulking women, the men asked, "Why are you looking for the living among the dead?" (Luke 24:5). The angels' question is one that could be asked of many believers, as many are forgetful of resurrection truth.

As we head into the summer months, let's make sure we have our hearts and minds set on gospel realities. The flurry of activities can make us forget what matters most. It's easy to get our hearts so set on the things of life that we lose sight of Christ. May we not be guilty of living like Jesus' first followers, blind and ignorant of His resurrection power. Consider three ways we can safeguard ourselves from gospel forgetfulness.

Remembering Jesus' Words

Knowing that the women at the tomb had forgotten Jesus' promises, the angels encouraged them, saying, "Remember how he spoke to you when he was still in Galilee" (Luke 24:6). Their admonition emphasized an important spiritual discipline. God's people must remember God's Words. They must do what the Psalmist gave testimony of in Psalm 119:11 — "I have treasured your word in my heart so that I may not sin against you." Such activity requires regular attention to reading and studying God's Word. It also involves listening to teaching and preaching. However, such things alone aren't sufficient for a life of godliness. One must have a plan to intentionally and strategically remember God's Words. The first disciples heard teaching from Jesus Himself, but that alone wasn't enough to safeguard them from gospel forgetfulness. Their failure was rooted in a negligence to remember what Jesus said. Learn a lesson from the Twelve. Memorize God's Word.

Thinking on Jesus' Words

Once they have stored God's Word in their hearts, believers must then cultivate the practice of thinking on those words. When the ladies at the tomb heard the angels' instructions, they directed their minds to what Jesus had taught them in the past. Luke 24:8 says, "And they remembered his words." Their experience reveals that recalling and meditating on Jesus' words is a key to spiritual strength and success. Scripture instructs us in this matter by saying, "Your heart must hold on to my words. Keep my commands and live" (Proverbs 4:4). To avoid gospel forgetfulness, work at developing the habit of thinking on gospel truth. Don't let your down time be filled with vain thoughts. Avoid the temptation to allow the noise of social media to dominate your headspace. Make it your practice to put your mind on the principles of the gospel. Regularly preach Jesus to yourself!

Sharing Jesus' Words

After the women thoroughly remembered Christ's words, they ran to share the news of the resurrection with others. The Bible says, "Returning from the tomb, they reported all these things to the Eleven and to all the rest" (Luke 24:9). From their example, we can deduce a powerful principle for gospel-centered living. A good way to remember the gospel is to regularly share the gospel. When the truth of Jesus is regularly on our lips, we will be more likely to set our hearts on it. Avoid a lifestyle in which you rarely think of all the Lord has done for you. Tell others about Him!

June						
			1 Men's Morning Prayer (6:45 am) Drive thru Prayer (4:00 pm) Prayer Meeting and Bible Study (6:00 pm)	2	3	4 Classic Adult Fitness with Jackie (10:00 am)
5 Worship/LifeGroups (9:15 am, 10:45 am) Orlando Kids Camp Meeting (5:00 pm)	6 KidVenture (morning and evening)	7 KidVenture (morning and evening) Bread of Life (12:45 pm) Celebrate Recovery (6:30 pm)	8 KidVenture (morning and evening) Men's Morning Prayer (6:45 am)	9 KidVenture Family Day (morning and evening)	10 College Summer Night of Worship (7:00 pm)	11
12 KidVenture Celebration Sunday Worship/LifeGroups (9:15 am, 10:45 am)	13	14 Terrific Tuesday (11:00 am) Bread of Life (12:45 pm) Celebrate Recovery (6:30 pm)	15 Men's Morning Prayer (6:45 am) Students Yard Games Prayer Meeting and Bible Study (6:00 pm)	16 Classic Adult Picnic (11:00 am) College Summer Night of Worship (7:00 pm)	17 Riva Italy Trip begins	18 Classic Adult Fitness with Jackie (10:00 am)
19 Father's Day Worship/LifeGroups (9:15 am, 10:45 am)	20	21 Bread of Life (12:45 pm) Terrific Tuesday (6:00 pm) Celebrate Recovery (6:30 pm)	22 Men's Morning Prayer (6:45 am) Students Movie Night Prayer Meeting and Bible Study (6:00 pm)	23	24 Utah High School Mission Trip begins	25
26 Worship/LifeGroups (9:15 am, 10:45 am) Adult LifeGroup Leader Meeting (5:00 pm)	27	28 Bread of Life (12:45 pm) Celebrate Recovery (6:30 pm)	29 Men's Morning Prayer (6:45 am) Prayer Meeting and Bible Study (6:00 pm)	30		

KidVenture

KidVenture is Tabernacle's NEW and EXCITING way to do VBS outside the walls of the church! We want to go OUT into the community to CONNECT KIDS TO CHRIST! KidVenture is June 6-9 in eight parks and neighborhoods. Kids who have completed prek through completed 5th grade can participate in an exciting week of Bible learning, games, science experiments and music! For more information or to register, please go to tbckidventure.org.

Tabernacle Summer Missions

We will have a special commissioning for the Summer Mission Teams, Sunday June 5th.

1. Kid Venture (Local Missions) - June 6-9. We have eight sites throughout Bartow County (2 morning, 6 evening), with 200+ Tabernacle volunteers! Pray for good weather and the gospel to be shared clearly.
2. Riva, Italy (International Missions) - June 17-25. A team of 6 will lead English Summer Laboratory (like VBS). Pray that this will open-up opportunities for the Carpenter's (one of our families on the field) to reach families in their community.
3. Students in Utah (National Missions), June 24-July 2. A team of 47 students and leaders will be conducting ministries at 2 sites in northern Utah: Valley Baptist in Smithfield and Emmanuel Baptist in Hyrum. They will connect with students during planned activities. Please pray for good weather and the gospel to be shared clearly. We are also praying for students to fall in love with Great Commission Work.
4. International Family Youth Camp (International Missions), July 17-23. A team of Tabernacle staff and college students will minister to youth at a conference for international mission families in Orlando. This will be a week of planned camp for students who normally don't get to have camp. Please pray for this team to have an effective week ministering to these students.
5. International Family Kid's Camp (International Missions), July 28-August 2. A team (not finalized, if you're interested contact Steve McCombs), will provide a VBS-style day camp including outings and activities in Orlando for kids from several families connected to one of our families on the field. Please pray for an effective ministry week for these children.

Celebrate Recovery

Come join the leadership team for Celebrate Recovery! This ministry ministers to people experiencing hurts, habits, or hang-ups. Training & guidance will be provided through Step Studies. Celebrate Recovery meets Tuesday's 6:30 - 9:00 pm. If you would like more information, please contact Ray Dearmond (404-402-3549), Dick Forbes (770-386-0608), or Steve McCombs at the Church Office.



Parent/Child Dedication

On May 8th, Tabernacle celebrated Parent Child Dedication with nine families and twelve children dedicated to the Lord!

Preschool and Kids: Terrific Tuesdays!

June 14: Picnic and Play at Hamilton Crossing

Join us from 11:00 am - 1:00 pm at Hamilton Crossing playground!
Bring your own picnic!

June 21: Family Game Night at Tabernacle

Bring your favorite board games and dinner and come hang out with other families in the Tabernacle Fellowship Hall from 6:00 to 8:00 pm.



KidVenture Celebration Sunday

Sunday, June 12, is KidVenture Celebration Sunday! That morning, kids will share some of what they learned while at KidVenture! Kids will sing at both services. For those wishing to participate, please be in PowerHouse 15 minutes before 9:15 and/or 10:45 worship to line up. Kids are encouraged to sing both services.

Kid's Preteen Camp

PreTeen Camp (for completed 3rd-5th graders) will be July 18-21. There is a mandatory parent/camper meeting on Sunday, July 17, immediately following worship. Camper and at least one parent should plan to attend.

This year's theme is "Make Waves." Kids will study John 7:38, "Whoever believes in me ... rivers of living water will flow from within them." Bible studies will include "God, the Wave Maker," "Peter Catches a Wave," Jesus, the LifeSaver," "Make a Splash by Loving Others," and "The Ripple Effect – The Fruit of the Spirit." See Rebecca Willoughby for details (rwilloughby@tabernaclebaptist.org).



Yard Games

Join us at Delinger Park on July 15 for 9 square, corn hole, and other yard games!

Movie Night #1

Meet us in A200 on July 22 for our very first movie night! What will we watch? Not a thing!!! We are making our own movie! Be ready to show off your voice over skills!

Utah Mission Trip

June 24 - July 2, for completed 8th grade through College, cost is \$800. We will be serving several of our partner churches in Cache Valley, helping with their VBS, Youth camp, and other outreach opportunities. Space is limited! We are asking other local churches to partner with us on this event, so sign up at tabernaclebaptist.org/utah.

Middle School Yard Games

While many of us are in Utah, our middle school students are invited to the Smiths' house on June 29 for yard games! Address will be shared via our remind groups.

Summer Calendars

Our Preschool, Kids, and Student ministries have Summer event calendars available in an easy to grab and read format. You can find the Preschool and Kids events calendar in the Preschool lobby and the Kids check-in area. You can find the Student events calendar in the student area.



Summer Nights of Worship

Join us for a time of Worship and Fellowship where college students will get the chance to worship the Lord and dive into the Word together! We will gather at 7:00 pm on June 10 and 16, July 8 and 14. We will gather at 6:00 pm on August 4.



Picnic

The Classic Adults are having a picnic on June 16 beginning at 11:30 at the Cooper's Furnace day use area. Bring a side dish and a friend. Please sign up at the Classic Adult kiosk. Bring a lounge chair if you'd like.

Classic Adult Fitness with Jackie

Join us for Fitness with Jackie on June 4 and 18, and July 2, 16, and 30. We meet in A200 10:00 - 11:00 am. If you have 1-3 lb hand weights please bring them.

Branson, MO Trip

Only a few spots left! September 12-17 we will be heading to Branson, MO. Please sign-up at the Classic Adults Kiosk and pick up a flyer to answer all your questions. A COVID-19 waiver form and deposit of \$75 per person is required to sign up. Please make check payable to Tabernacle Baptist Church. Use the drop box located behind the Classic Adult Kiosk. Final Payment is due June 30; \$522 double occupancy and \$701 single occupancy per person.



Upcoming Events and Information

Father's Day

Father's Day is June 19! In honor of our Fathers, we are giving a gift to the Bartow Challenger League, which provides sports opportunities for kids and young adults who are unable to participate in "normally structured" sports leagues. They welcome people of all ages & physical abilities.

4th of July

Chaplain Eric Dean will be speaking in our Worship services on Sunday, July 3 as we celebrate the freedom we have in our country to worship God. Our church offices will be closed on Monday, July 4.

North American Mission Sunday

We have set aside Sunday, July 17 to emphasize our mission efforts in North America. Join us for a special day as we hear about all we are doing to reach those in North America with the Gospel!

Secret Church

We will be hosing two sessions of the Secret Church stream from this year on July 17 and July 24. More information will be coming soon.

LifeGroup Leader Training

We will host a LifeGroup leader training on Thursday, July 28. If you are a LifeGroup leader, please be on the lookout for more information about this training.

Quarterly Conference & Chill-Out

Our next quarterly conference is Sunday, July 31 at 5:00 pm. Following the conference, we will have a time of fellowship in and fun in the Fellowship Hall with ice cream.

Volunteers Needed

Media Volunteers

We have several ways to get involved with our media department. There are roles for people who are just looking to get involved with media and for those who have experience in the field. Most positions will serve for one service every Sunday for a month, and then will have 1-2 months off. There are some exceptions, and we will go over those expectations if you are interested. For more information and to fill out our brief survey, please go to tabernaclebaptist.org/media if you are interested.

Parking Lot Greeters

First impressions matter. Everyone who comes on our campus has a first impression of Tabernacle. Can you help us ensure guests feel welcomed and informed by serving on our Parking Lot Ministry? Positions include parking lot greeter, shuttle driver (golf cart), and crosswalk greeter. We are asking for a commitment to be put on a rotation with other volunteers. You can serve before and/or after each worship hour on Sunday mornings. Please go to tabernaclebaptist.org/volunteer and look for the Parking Lot Greeters section to sign up.

Job Opportunities

Part Time Housekeeper

Monday 9am to 4:30 (30 min lunch break)

Wednesday 8am to 4:30 (30 min lunch break)

Friday 8am to 4:30 (30 min lunch break)

Some occasional weekend work required

- We are looking for honest hard-working employees that can work as a team
- Must work your full assigned hours – occasional overtime can be required
- Must be able to stand, bend and move for long periods of time
- Must be able to lift 50-lbs and ability to climb ladders and stairs
- Must have an eye for small detail
- Must be okay with repetitive work
- Must have transportation to and from work
- Commercial cleaning preferred, but must be familiar with cleaning equipment such as vacuums, commercial mops, carpet cleaners
- Must be able to pass a background check- employment may start after background check approved.
- There is a 30-day review for permanent employment
- If you are on disability -you must be cleared by a doctor for above requirements
- After 3- months paid sick time and paid vacation hours will start accruing
- Insurance is not available for part-time employees

Weekday Preschool and Kindergarten Job Opportunities

Tabernacle Weekday Preschool is a half-day preschool that operates from August-May. We are currently in search of a kindergarten teacher, a toddler teacher and a 3 year old teacher. If you have a love of teaching and would like to be a part of our weekday family, please email rmayo@tabernaclebaptist.org.

How can I give?

- At Tabernacle: Drop in buckets as you enter or exit. Church office is open M-Th: 8:00 am - 5:00 pm, F: 8:00 am - 12:00 pm, or use drop box at the drive-through entrance on Tennessee Street.
- By Mail: 112 E. Church Street, Cartersville, GA 30120.
- Online: tabernaclebaptist.org/give or text any \$ amount to 770-285-0511

May Giving From God's Hands

	May 1	May 8	May 15	May 22	May 29	YTD 2022
Tithes & Offerings	\$84,769.43	\$54,940.67	\$40,076.75	\$46,067.25	\$46,618.93	\$1,275,373.65
Budget Requirements	\$56,423.00	\$56,423.00	\$56,423.00	\$56,423.00	\$56,423.00	\$1,206,720.08
Under/Over Budget	\$28,346.43	-\$1,482.33	-\$16,346.25	-\$10,355.75	-\$9,804.07	\$68,653.57



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