

CHRISTIAN FINANCIAL PLANNING

*For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evils.
It is through this craving that some have wandered away from the faith
and pierced themselves with many pangs.*

1 Timothy 6:10

2,000 years later we agree with God, but our agreement is not always a not good thing. Consider the following statistics that demonstrate how 1 Timothy 6:1-10 is still a powerful truth:

- **78%** Percentage of Americans who live paycheck to paycheck.
- **\$29,400** Average student loan balance.
- **90%** Percentage of Americans who buy things they can't afford.

You can wander into debt, but you can't wander out. With all those payments going out each month, there's nothing left for you. There's nothing left for God, and you hate the trap you are in.

But there is hope, there is help. Every day, people are making the decision to get out of debt and change their lives. They're ready to sacrifice and get rid of their fear of change or their addiction to stuff. 2017 Can be that year for you. Take control of your finances—and your life—by deciding to get out of debt for good!

To get out of debt, you've got to change your habits. Create margin. Earn extra income. Live on rice and beans. You can be debt-free and we want to help you. We'll show you how.

Let's learn to put God first in our finances and manage what he has given us the way he instructs. The practical and powerful class will be divided into half Dave Ramsey videos (they're really good) and half Biblical teaching & discussion.

Topics will include saving, debt, budgeting, insurance, retirement & college planning, building wealth, real estate & mortgages, and giving.

- This class will run each Wednesday night during the Spring Quarter.
- Beginning **Wednesday night March 1 at 7:00PM** in Room 27, taught by **Kevin Culley** and **Bradley Field**.

*Wealth gained hastily will dwindle,
but whoever gathers little by little will increase it.*

Proverbs 13:11

Grace & Peace
Derek

Sunday Conference call:

To listen to our Sunday morning service live,
call 1-877-380-7755 followed by 4651356
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Family News & Notes

- **JoAnn Brusseau** is suffering with a bone spur.
- **Ann Estes** has bronchitis.
- **Frieda Fiveash** is recovering from pacemaker replacement.
- **Brenda Lofton** has severe pneumonia.
- **Kitty Ussery** is in North Delta Hospice.
- **Jane Winstead** will soon be going back to rehab.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER

HEALTH ISSUES: Joe Albritton, Cindy Caldwell, Tim Edge, Jerry Frederick, Sonia Henry, Beverly Hutcheson, Ken Joines, Misha Kimbell, Peggy McGowen, Bill Newport, Banks Ready, Jerry Richardson, Chris Rogers, Louise Schmittou, Tonya Smith, Kitty Ussery, Jamie Vorhof, Helen Weathers, Lula Whittle.

REHAB: Cora Epperson, Nancy Holmes, Dot Richardson, Jane Winstead.

SHUT-INS: Ann Estes, Valeria Canada, Robert Coleman, Maxine Drewery, Lorene Edge, Evelyn Fowler, Irmagene Hall, Jackie Lorenson, Dot McEwen, Billy & Betty Moore, Dorinda Murphy, Ann Woodson, Sallye Giles.

SYMPATHY

Goodman Oaks would like to extend our sympathy to the family of **Harvey Geeding** at **Harvey's** passing.

SHARE

SHARE will meet today at **3:45PM**.

CHILDREN'S EDUCATION MINISTRY

The ballots were cast and the votes have been tallied: Our preschool program will now be known as **Little L.a.m.b.s. (Living as my bible says)**, and our K-6 program will be known as **KFC (Kids for Christ)**. Thank you to our 5th & 6th graders for narrowing down the selections on the ballot and to all who participated in our online survey!



NURSERY WORKERS

February 19

10:00 (0-24 mos) Debbie & Rebecca Dean,
Lou Thomas
(2 years) Jennifer & Allison Davis
5:00PM: Pat Hasler, Jean Kuykendall

February 26

10:00 (0-24 mos) Lisa Eddlemon,
Maranda Bunker
(2 years) Tricia Massey, Laurie Hammer
5:00PM: Debbie Herring, Susan Brownfield

THE PETITION OF PRAYER

Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts, as we also have forgiven our debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil"
(Matthew 6:10-13)

"I want Jesus to come back, just not right now." Have you ever heard someone say that? Jesus taught us to pray the opposite. *Your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as it is in heaven.* Praising God reaches into our lives. By praising God we are committing our lives to following him. In one sense, the church is God's kingdom but that is not the end of the story. I'm not satisfied with the church being God's kingdom and the world being up for grabs.

The early church prayed *Marana tha*, "Come Lord Jesus" (1 Corinthians 16:22), which was a prayer for God's kingdom to come and God's will be done **on earth** as it is in heaven. Is that what you want?

"Give us this day our daily bread." God has promised to provide for our needs but not our greeds. Do you trust that God will provide for you?

"Forgive us our debts as we also have forgiven our debtors." Debt is an economic idea. The ancient Jews and early church thought in terms of a *sin debt*. Jesus teaches us to ask God to forgive us so long as we forgive those who have a sin debt against us.

"Lead us not into temptation." Or, "do not cause us to go." This is a Hebrew way of saying, "Lord, protect us."

Did you notice how little of this model prayer has to do with our material needs or even our physical health? It has everything to do with our relationship with God and with his will for the entire world.

Matthew

THURSDAY SCHOOL

The spring semester of **Thursday School begins February 23**. Our ministry volunteers are committed to serving all of the families of Desoto County with children ages 3-5 who wish to attend. To this end we pray, therefore registration is always open! In order for us to prepare for your child, register today at www.goodmanoaks.com/children. Please share this information with a friend, and contact Alan Underwood if you have any questions: alan@goodmanoaks.com.

YOUTH NEWS

GUYS & GIRLS GROUP

Next **Sunday night, February 26**, we will have our guys and girls groups at the McCormick's house. Get dropped off at **4:45PM** and be picked up at **7:30PM**.

AREA WIDE

Our next area wide is at the Gilmore Street Church in Senatobia on **Sunday, March 5**.

WELCOME, GUESTS!

We are honored with your presence and your willingness to join us in worshipping God today. An attended nursery for 0-24 months is available in the foyer and 2 year olds meet in room 5. Children ages 3-5 will be dismissed after the Lord's Supper for Children's Church. Hearing assistance is available at the sound booth.

If you are a member of the Church of Christ and are looking for a place to worship and serve, please consider placing yourself under the oversight of our shepherds and becoming part of our family in serving the Lord.

If you are not a member of a church and would like to learn more about the Church of Christ, we would be honored to answer any questions you may have. Please fill out an ivory visitor's card and drop it in the offering plate. If you would be interested in a home Bible study please call Derek McNamara at 662-349-3600.

MEETING TIMES

Sunday:

Bible Class	9:00AM
Morning Assembly	10:00AM
Evening Assembly	5:00PM

Wednesday:

Bible Class	7:00PM
1700 Goodman Rd. E • Southaven, MS 38671	

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Today's Sermon by Dr. Evertt Huffard

FOLLOWERS GOD WANTS EPHESIANS 5:20—21

THE WEEKLY RECORD

Contributions:	
Sunday Offering	\$ 19,928
Weekly Budget	\$ 22,900
Attendance:	
Bible Class	330
Morning Assembly	521
Midweek Class	197

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ORDER OF WORSHIP February 19, 2017

Singing - Luke McNamara

23 "Our God, He Is Alive"

Welcome - Dr. Derek McNamara

"There's A Stirring"

Prayer - Milton Kuykendall

792 "My Eyes Are Dry"

The Lord's Supper and Offering
Bill Pounders

123 "The Steadfast Love Of The Lord"
"Wonderful, Merciful Savior"
"In Christ Alone"

Message - Dr. Evertt Huffard

FOLLOWERS GOD WANTS EPHESIANS 5:20—21

Invitation Song:

470 "Victory In Jesus"

Shepherd's Prayer - Jimmy Eddlemon

Him we proclaim,
warning everyone and teaching everyone
with all wisdom, that we may present
everyone mature in Christ.
~Colossians 1:28

