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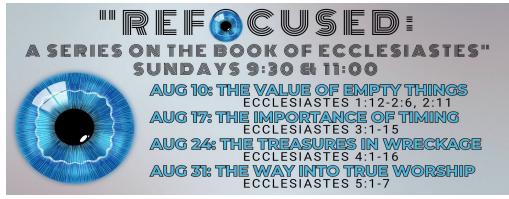


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A Series on the Book of Ecclesiastes
"The Importance of Timing"
Ecclesiastes 3:1-15 (p 473)

To find notes and discussion questions on this week's and previous week's sermons, click on the QR code to the right or go to firstprotestant.com/sermon-study/.

New material posted weekly.





Entry Song "Yes I WIII"

Welcome and Announcements

Rev. Dr. Andrew Keuer

Responsive Call to Worship

Pastor: Eternal God, Maker of space and time,

Congregation: Free us from the need to control our time.

Pastor: Teach us rather to number our days,

Congregation: That we may gain wisdom to receive each moment as a gift.

Pastor: Slow us down to behold Your glory now,

Congregation: And prepare us to be people who, like You, give time to those

who need it most.

Pastor: As we worship You now, the God who is present to all generations, Congregation: Show us a glimpse of the beauty You bring to all things in their

ime. Amen

Blessing of the Backpacks

Songs of Praise

"Your Love Never Fails"
"Holy is the Lord"

Prayer and Scripture Reading

Ecclesiastes Ecclesiastes 3:1-15 (p.473) - Vann Kean

Sermon

Refocused: A Series on the Book of Ecclesiastes:

"The Importance of Timing"

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Song of Praise

"Trading My Sorrows"
Offering will be collected during this song

Closing Song

"House of the Lord"

Closing Blessing (from Numbers 6)

The Lord bless you and keep you;

the Lord make his face shine on you and be gracious to you;

the Lord turn his face toward you and give you peace.







The Weeks Ahead











CONTINUES THROUGH SUMMER - JOIN AN ADULT CLASS TODAY
SEE CLASS DETAILS AND CONTACTS ON BACK COVER



Sunday School

<u>Sundays, 9:30am Adult Sunday School Classes</u>

The River Rats! (Heritage House, 1st floor) - Rodney Fischer

<u>Sundays, 9:30am Youth Sunday School Classes</u>

Middle School (Bormann Room) Jodi Butler High School (Bormann Room) Adam Burroughs

Sundays, 11:00am Adult Sunday School Classes

Faithful Servants (Heritage House upstairs) – Lynn Herr

Legacy Builders (Heritage House main level) – Celeste Salge

Kingdom Seekers/C.A.L.M. Class (Heritage House upstairs)

Wayne Wise, Chris and Kristi Beabout

Young Family Class - STAY TUNED - new opportunity forthcoming.

Mid Week Groups

Band of Brothers (B.o.B.s) - Chris Beabout - 830-560-0262

The B.o.B's meet on the 1st and 3rd Tuesday of each month. Open to men of all ages, 6:30-8:00PM in the Well at FPC. No bible experience necessary. Please join us.

Tuesday AM Women's Bible Study - Kaye Polston 214-616-9608

The Women's Bible Study is a diverse group of all ages and denominations. We meet every Tues. morning at 10 am in the church office. We welcome all women to join as we seek to expand our faith and knowledge.

The Tuesday night Women's Bible Study group will take a break during the summer. They will start a new study in the fall. Text Sue Saur for more details. 830.708.0302, or email her at sue@firstprotestant.com

Flying Fingers (Heritage House) - Sally Voges 830-708-8707

Wednesday mornings at 9:00 for a time of sewing, quilting, fellowship & more! Contact Sally Voges for more info.

Home Groups

Susan and Tim Thomas - Wednesdays, 6:30 pm *timcthomas84@gmail.com*

Flower announcements in our church bulletin are dedications of flowers that are given in honor or memory of someone or something.

They can be given to celebrate an anniversary, baptism, birthday, or any special occasion.

Visit the flower calendar in Schumann Hall or call the church office. 830-609-7729 x 110

Today

The altar flowers today are in celebration of the 60th wedding anniversary of Edie and Don Burquest, August 21st.

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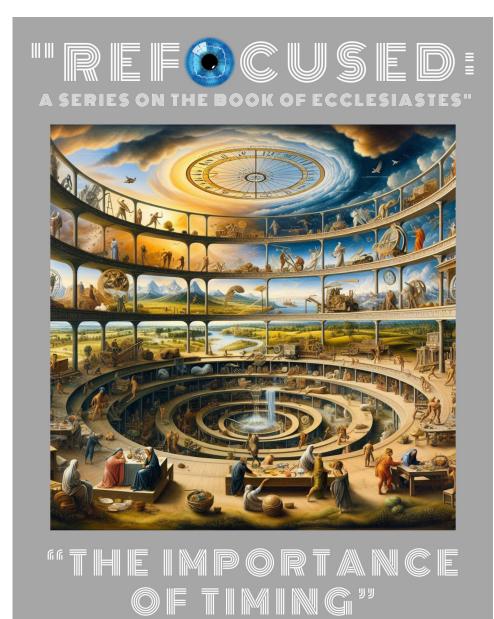
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ECCLESIASTES 3:1-15