

CANTON CHURCH OF CHRIST

November 13, 2022

We are happy to have you with us for worship today. Please come back at any opportunity you may have. We hope that you find your visit with us spiritually beneficial.

SELFISHNESS HINDERS RECEIVING

(see reverse side)

PRAYER LIST

Ray Hendrix as he continues on chemotherapy. He and his family are in need of our prayers

Vicki Jackson is having vision issues and has an upcoming surgery

Gerald Merritt, Mark Scott's father has been diagnosed with cancer

Max Grist still is dealing with various health issues, endoscopy scheduled for 17th

Julian Blackwell as his medical issue remains undiagnosed

Kacan McCall undiagnosed health issues

Gerald Chastain, the Scott's friend that has incurable cancer

Chris Jackson's mother dealing with various health issues

One Liner Wisdom: *Tomorrow's Forecast...God reigns and the Son shines...*

November Birthdays *Ursula Thompson 2nd*

Out of town:

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What do I get out of it?... That is the question coming from the self-centered person. Want the answer? Not much! The reason--- it will keep one from giving much, and in return the world will reciprocate sparingly. No one can get much from self-centeredness, for it is littleness--- a big interest in a little object.

You can not go far, if you are tied to self. Self absorption forges the chains which so bind a person to his own unhappiness, cynicism and defeat that he is left bound--- but no gagged--- while the world passes him by.

O I could go through all life's troubles singing, Turning earth's night to day, If self were not so fast around me clinging, To all I do or say.

Frederick William Faber 1814-1863

....not seeing mine own profit, but the profit of many....---I Corinthians 10:33

ON THE OTHER HAND, BE LOYAL TO YOURSELF... Self Loyalty ---An ingredient of every worthwhile: Character, goodness, honor, accomplishment. We can survive betrayal of supposed friends, but not self.

The Judases without are not half as deadly as the Judas within. Others can let us down and we can still come out on top, but not if we let ourselves down. It is hard to recover from self-inflicted blows.

Be true to self and you can look friend and foe in the eye; betray yourself and your countenance falls.

Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me. --- Psalms 51:10

