LIFE GROUPS

Sermon Notes



MAKING SENSE OF YOUR PAST PRESENT & FUTURE

Moses prayed, 'Teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom.' (Psalm 90:12) We believe we're made for more than just getting through life. How do we wisely steward our one life – our past, present and future – so that our numbered days count for Christ in this life?

Teach us to number our days, that we may gain a heart of wisdom. Psalm 90:12 NIV Teach us to realise the brevity of life, so that we may grow in wisdom. Psalm 90:12 NLT

#1 Be GRATEFUL (for the past)

Give us gladness in proportion to our former misery! Replace the evil years with good. (Psalm 90:15, NLT)

#2 Be CONTENT (in the present)

Satisfy us each morning with Your unfailing love, so we may sing for joy to the end of our lives. (Psalm 90:14, NLT)

#3 Be READY (for the future)

Always be prepared to give an answer to everyone who asks you to give the reason for the hope that you have... (1 Peter 3:15, NIV)

GRATEFUL - CONTENT - READY

Questions

- 1. What might be the first step in coming to terms with your past?
- 2. What was the last thing you wholeheartedly thanked God for?
- 3. Are you too busy imagining / fearing the future to live content in the present?
- 4. How do you prepare yourself to be ready for your next God-given opportunity?

