



**P**lease welcome the Fuqua family with us. Dwight has been preaching for many years and hope to get the very best of the wisdom accumulated by him from God’s word. Make plans to help us have a good meeting by coming each night you can and bringing a friend!

Please make plans to stay with us this morning after church for a potluck meal and get to know the Fuquas better.

**In Need of Prayer:** **Boyd Copas** is having to get therapy at the nursing home. **Blanche Lyon** is showing slow improvement. We are saddened at the passing of Phyllis Dyer. Sister Dyer served as an elder’s wife for 37 years here at Mt. Gilead. She will be greatly missed and I know the family appreciates your condolences. It was good to have such a great crowd of singers with us for the funeral. The food afterward was excellent and plentiful. **Bette Scott** is getting treatments for her condition. **Eugene Emberton** is still trying to get his strength back. Connie Carter is still having health problems after starting treatment for heart spasms. Be in prayer also for the Hagan Family in the passing of James. Be listening this morning for others we will announce about. Our complete prayer list is at [www.mtgileadchurch.net](http://www.mtgileadchurch.net)!

**Gospel Meeting:** I will be in a Meeting immediately following this one Beech Bethany in Clay Co. TN. That Meeting will be Friday to Sunday with evening service times at 7pm for the evening worship.

**Church Camp:** Applications are out front. You can save \$5 by going online and registering at [statelinecamp.com](http://statelinecamp.com)

## OUR WORDS

There are many ways we use our words each day. In a recent study researchers found that on average, women speak 16,215 words per day and men speak 15,669 words per day. Some people use very few words and some people seem to never stop talking, even to talking in their sleep. By the time we are 1 year old, most of us are using words and our vocabulary only grows from there.

Today, let us begin to look at how we spend our words. Most of us use at least some of our words each day in a negative way. Gossiping, lying, backbiting, cursing, telling coarse jokes, and complaining are all ways of spending our words. When we spend our words in these fashions, the cost will often be far more than we ever imagined. We may lose family, friends, spiritual brethren, credibility, the respect of others, and possibly even our own souls.

Jesus said, “I tell you on the day of judgement people will give account for every careless word they speak, for by your words you will be justified, and by your words you will be condemned” (Matthew 12:36-37 ESV).

Paul exhorted, “Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear” (Ephesians 4:29).

How we use our words each day can have a great impact on our lives and the lives of those around us. We can spend these words in a careless even destructive manner or we can use them in a productive way, to build people up. Next week we will look at the positive side of things and how we can use our words in a productive helpful way.

*Brad Tolbert Monticello, AR*

### April 8, 2018

Announcements:	Jarad Bartley	
Opening Prayer:	Tony Harlan	
Closing Prayer:	Dayton Birdwell	
Scripture Reading:	Brad Harlan	
Song Leader:	David White	
Head Table:	Mike McPherson	
Wait on Table:	Larry Clements	Chandler Clements
	Shawn Massingille	Ben Massingille
Ushers:	Dennie Biggerstaff	Ray Cecil Lyon
Main Door Greeter:	Jarad Bartley	
Side Door Greeter:	Tony Harlan	
Kitchen Dr Greeter:	Larry Copas	

***What Must I do?***

) **Hear the Gospel - Acts 15:7**  
 ) **Believe the Gospel - Mark 16:15,16**  
 ) **Repent of Sins - Acts 17:30**  
 ) **Confess Christ - Rom. 10:9,10**  
 ) **Be Baptized for the Forgiveness of Sins -**  
**Acts 2:38**

Then, as a Christian we must:  
**LIVE FAITHFUL UNTO DEATH - REV.**

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**2:10**

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### **Birthdays**

Billy	Grissom	04/08
Jerry	Short	04/08
Carol	Norrod	04/10
Caden Thomas	Geralds	04/10
Porter	Ford	04/10
Robert	McPherson	04/11
Bart	Rowland	04/11
Jill	Ford	04/15

#### *Elders:*

VeachelHarlan.....270-487-5727  
 Roger Deckard.....270-487-8544  
 Steve Carter.....270-487-8746

#### *Deacons:*

Larry Copas, Bobby DaleGeralds, Kevin  
 Deckard, Jimmy High, Ray Cecil Lyon,  
 MichaelMcPherson, Tony Harlan, Jarad Bartley

#### *Evangelist:*

Tim McHenry, 931-258-3494, cell: 270-427-0520  
 12955 Clay Co. HWY Moss, TN 38575

#### Schedule of Services:

**Sunday:** Bible Study... 9:30am  
 Morning Worship... 10:05am  
 Evening Worship... 6pm  
**Wednesday:** Bible Study... 6pm

**Listen to our Sunday Morning Radio Sermon on WTKY 1370  
 AM & 92.1, 102.7, 101.5 FM at 8:30am each week, and to our  
 weekday 10min program after the Noonday news.**