



BASCOMB NEWS

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Kitchen Renovation

If you haven't seen the changes in the kitchen, you should definitely go check it out. The new countertops, backsplash, and sinks look great. Thank you Claude! We still have appliances that need to be replaced and new cabinet hardware would be awesome. But to do that, we need more donations. You can mail a check, drop by the office, or drop it in the collection plate marked "kitchen."

Visit Our Thrift Store!

9550 Main Street
Woodstock, GA 30188
678-324-7937
Tuesday – Friday
10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Saturday, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.



Volunteers needed! If you are available to help, contact Susan Austin at BascombMissionThrift@gmail.com.
Food Pantry needs: canned meats & fruit, hearty soups

SOCKS FOR HOMELESS VETS

Drop them in the basket in the Narthex.



GIVE ONLINE

People only see what they are prepared to see.

Ralph Waldo Emerson

January 22 — Third Sunday after the Epiphany
"People Only See What They Are Prepared to See"

In 2002, Brenda and I both had Lasik surgery on both of our eyes. After our surgeries, my eyes adjusted quicker and better than hers did. For me, I ended up with 20/12.5 vision which is better than what is perfect vision which is 20/20 vision. This new vision opened up a new way of seeing things for me. Things close and things afar were no problem for me to see.

That was some 20 years ago, and my eyes are no longer 20/12.5 or for that matter, not even 20/20. My vision has changed over the years due to age and with me spending too much time in front of the screens of computers and cell phones. I share that to warn you, so don't be surprised one day if you see me standing in the pulpit with reading glasses on.

Anyway, as I thought about this article the last couple of days, I have become more focused on the year 2023 becoming a year of vision. For myself, I am going to try to follow what is written at the top of this article written by Ralph Waldo Emerson. I want to be able to see what I am prepared to see *but I also want to see what God has prepared me to see, too.*

I don't know what the future holds for me as a pastor, husband, father, and grandfather; but I do know that God has been so faithful to me for so many years and in so many areas of my life. I believe that God isn't going to stop now. I pray this for myself and for our church.

*God is not done with Bascomb yet!
You just wait and see.*