**GROWING OLD IN A YOUNG WORLD/SEPTEMBER 15TH A.M.**

**ECCLESIASTES 12:1-7**

1. **THE CHALLENGES OF GROWING OLD**
   1. **The Reason (Ecclesiastes 9:5; Psalm 37:25; 90:10; James 4:14; Job 14:1; Ecclesiastes 12:1-7)**
2. **THE CULMINATION OF GROWING OLD**
   1. **The Reward (2 Corinthians 4:16)**
      1. Grandchildren (Psalm 127:3; Proverbs 17:6)
      2. Gray Hair – Wisdom (Proverbs 16:31; Ecclesiastes 1:16; Proverbs 19:20; 4:1,11-13; Titus 2:2, 6-8; Titus 2:3-5)
      3. Doing Good – More time (Galatians 6:10; James 1:27)
      4. One day closer to seeing God (Ecclesiastes 7:1; Philippians 1:21-23; 2 Timothy 4:6-8)