

Sermon: Forgetting the Past
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1. When it comes to your past, what do you tend to think about?
2. What was difficult for you in 2015?
3. Do you have any goals or resolutions for 2016?
4. Read Philippians 3:12-14.
 - A. What does it mean to "forget what is behind?"
 - B. What does it mean to "strain toward what is ahead?"
 - C. What does it mean to "press on toward the goal?"
5. What in your past hinders you in your relationship with God?
6. How could you let God help you with forgetting your past? What do you think God's perspective is regard your past?
7. Read Jeremiah 29:11. What does this verse say about God's perspective regarding your future?
8. Read Ecclesiastes 2:1-11, 17. These verses were written by King Solomon who had it all. Why do you think he wrote these words?
9. What does it mean that you have a God shaped piece to your life where only God fits? What have you tried to fit in God's place? How did that work out for you?
10. "Deep within our heart is a God-shaped hole. A perfect fit for Jesus in every way. No heart is too big; no heart is too small. Jesus is the answer. He fits them all." Have you put Jesus in the God-shaped hole in your life? If so, what do you expect God to do in your life in 2016?