

Hey guys!

Well, it looks like we're going to continue with our online-only services for now. So please continue to Join us as we go through the book of John together. The theme of John is 'believe.' And if there's ever a time we need to be reminded to 'believe,' It's right now. It's amazing how studying the word of God is able to give us a right focus, reminding us who's in control and that He has a plan, even when it may not make sense to us.

Due to the Mayor's recent address on March 23, all small groups are scheduled to resume in May. If all goes well with government efforts to contain the spread of the CoronaVirus, our next Wednesday service will be on April 15. As for Sundays, the plan is to continue with the 10AM 'online-only' services until we return to 'in-person' services on Easter Sunday (April 12). Keep in mind, all this is subject to guidance we get from the city as we move forward.

Though we are unable to gather together right now, we believe this is NOT a time to pull back on ministry. So, here's what we plan to do

First, we (the church leaders and myself), plan to personally call everyone in our fellowship to touch base with you and see how you're doing. So, if you haven't already received a call... you will. If you don't receive a call from us, it's because we don't have your information.

If you feel we may not have your information, At the end of this update, we'll tell you HOW you can PROVIDE that information so that we CAN reach out to you. In our announcements we often emphasize our desire to be able to reach out to all who come through our doors. Well, as a result of this pandemic, we've discovered all the more how important it is that we have the ability to reach out to you as a member of this fellowship. We really do WANT to know how you're doing, how we can pray for you, and if you have any needs.

This pandemic presents a unique opportunity for each one of us to be the hands and feet of Jesus – especially during a time when many of us can't physically be present to serve and bless others. So here's what we're going to do - we'd like to ask you to partner with us as we begin a 'Care 2 Share' campaign. We want to connect those who are resourceful and able to give with those who may be 'at-risk' and may be needing assistance. You can participate by dropping off items at the church such as: toilet paper, paper towels; Hygiene items like: soap, sanitizer, and cleaning products; Baby Items like: formula, diapers, and wipes; Over the Counter Medicines like: cough and cold remedies, and non-perishable food. And... You won't even need to come inside. You can drop them off between the two buildings, near the sanctuary door on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 9:00am-2:00pm. A staff member will be here to bring the collections into the church. That way we can practice the 'social-distancing' recommended by the government and still work together as the body of Christ.

Above all, we're trusting God. This is an extraordinary time to be a believer and to be a witness for Christ. The Power of a pandemic is a big thing, but it's nothing compared to the power of our God. So, will you pray that God will use US, His church, in a way that brings glory to His great Name. As we step up and 'care 2 share' with those who may need a little help during this time.

God bless, Troy

Pastor Troy's Video message and instructions on completing the visitor card can be found on:

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