



Let's Keep Praying For

- Jen as she recovers from surgery
- Ruby's great-nephew Shaun, radiation treatments
- The people of Ukraine & other war-torn areas
- Betty
- Dale and Marion's health
- Brian as he struggles with health issues
- Cancer patients: Anne, Tim F, Chad's cousins Grace & Harold, Laura Lynn, Patti-Anne
- Chad's parents Marilyn and Roy. Health issues

Use this space to note an idea from the sermon that you would like to remember:

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“Quote” of the week

"I don't see the big picture. I don't have a clue. But I know God does. I'm going to declare that, even if I don't feel it right now."

—Steven Curtis Chapman

Scheduled to Serve:

	Today	Jul 10	Jul 17
Chair	Art	Chad	Art
Preaching	Chad	Noel W	Chad

Contributions: send to churchcollege@yahoo.com or leave in box in foyer.

Key to the Kingdom – Fridays 8:30 am on Vision TV

Bulletin: If you have news you would like to see shared in the bulletin, please get it to Art by Thursday noon (kingstonchurchofchrist@yahoo.com or 613-876-4605).

Visitors, Welcome to our gathering! Join us in worship and fellowship.

Please join us in worshipping God as we sing, pray and read the Bible. We also share communion each Sunday remembering the sacrifice of Jesus who gave himself to die for our sins. If you wish to partake with us, you are free to do so.

We hold the Bible to be God's inspired message for us and hold it in highest esteem.

If a question comes to mind, please ask it. We will try to help you find answers from God. Please let us know of any way we can serve you.

The Blessing of Christian Friends

One of the great blessings of being a Christian is that you are not the only one. Though at times you may, like Elijah (1 Kings 19:10), feel like you are alone in the fight, the reality is that there are many other kindred spirits fighting the same battles and bolstered by the same determination to reach the same eternal goal.

Paul wrote the following to his friends in the church at Philippi: "I thank my God in all my remembrance of you, always in every prayer of mine for you all making my prayer with joy, because of your partnership in the gospel from the first day until now" (Philippians 1:3-5).

From these words we learn: (1) every time Paul thought of these folks, he was thankful for the memories they shared; (2) when he prayed for them, which was often, he did so with feelings of great joy; (3) what created his close relationship to them and prompted his pleasant emotions was their partnership in the promotion of a common cause – the Cause – the gospel of Jesus Christ. What a great church this must have been!

Some Practical Applications

- Write down the names of Christians for whom you have fond memories and offer a joyful prayer of thanksgiving to God for them.
- Send a note or email to those on your list expressing your gratitude for their friendship and/or influence on your life.
- Seek God's help in becoming such a friend to others. Consult the Proverbs for wisdom on the subject of friendship (Prov. 3:28-29; 11:12; 14:21; 17:17; 18:24; 24:28-29; 27:9-10, 17).
- Work side-by-side and hand-in-hand with another in the promotion of the gospel: send letters or care packages to overseas missionaries; teach via correspondence courses; give financial aid to those who are actively teaching others, as the Philippians did to Paul (Phil. 4:15-16).

Thank God for Christian friends!

~ Eddie Parrish, Rosenberg, TX

News & Notes

Food Cupboard: Donations are always welcome. Usage seems to be picking up slowly.

Koki Church in Port Moresby: We will be sending \$500 from the congregation to assist this congregation with their new building. Art and Ruby have added a personal donation that is being sent by Cheryl as well.

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God With Us

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God has promised to be with us
And He is, to that I can witness

We sometimes think He is not around
But then something happens that is profound
And we realize He has been with us all along
And we give Him praise with a song.

He has told us not to fear
That we are His children and to Him so dear
We are to put our trust in Him
No matter the situation that is grim
He never promised challenges would be none
But an external home when life is done.