



Let's Keep Praying For

- Levi, health
- Alex re upcoming surgery
- Anne, healing and new living arrangements
- Joan
- Brian as he struggles with Tinnitus
- Jerry M, Glen P
- Betty, in long term care home
- Dan's father, Tim F
- Francesca
- Ruth Zimmerman COVID protection in PNG
- Ruby as she has ongoing tests
- Art, surgery



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

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“Quote” of the week

"Do not look to your hope, but to Christ, the source of your hope."

—Charles H. Spurgeon

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

In these days of social distancing we won't hug you or shake your hand, but we welcome you into our gathering.

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. If you would like to request a special prayer, please let us know.

Those Scheduled to Serve:

	Today	Oct 11	Oct 18
Song Leader	Glenn	Glenn	Glenn
Communion	Art	Chad	Art
Preaching	Chad	Art	Chad

You may send contributions to churchcollege@yahoo.com

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).

Seeing By Faith

Do you see reality as God sees it? Remember when Elisha and his servant were surrounded by the Aramean army. The servant was fearful when he saw enemy chariots surrounding the city and said to Elisha, "Oh, my lord, what shall we do?" "Don't be afraid," the prophet answered. "Those who are with us are more than those who are with them." And Elisha prayed, "O LORD, open his eyes so he may see." Then the LORD opened the servant's eyes, and he looked and saw the hills full of horses and chariots of fire all around Elisha. (NIV 2 Kings 6:16-18)

If God were to open our eyes, what would we see for the Kingston church? What does God have as a plan for us? Can we look to the future with an eye of faith?

God gives a glimpse of his plans for us in Scripture. Two examples follow:

1. Matthew 28:18–20 (NIV) ¹⁸ Then Jesus came to them and said, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. ¹⁹ Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, ²⁰ and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age."
2. Ephesians 4:11–13 (NIV) ¹¹ So Christ himself gave the apostles, the prophets, the evangelists, the pastors and teachers, ¹² to equip his people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up ¹³ until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ.

These passages identify two kinds of growth God seeks for us.

Have we become complacent because we are used to being and thinking small? At times we may even try to justify it through a misapplication of Scripture. In so doing we miss God's vision

of the church as a tool to be used by God in the saving of the world, through Jesus. Surely God would have his church become a place where we grow together becoming closer to God and more like him in our daily walk. In so doing we will reach out to others with the wonderful news that God loves them and offers a wonderful gift to them through Jesus.

As you look with your eyes, what do you see? A group of people who show genuine concern for each other. A group who share a worship time on Sunday mornings? A group who is concerned about following the Bible?

What else might God want us to see beyond what we are now experiencing?

-Art



Alex is to have brain surgery on Oct 16 at Johns Hopkins. She will remain in Baltimore for about a week, then recover at home for a few months. It is hoped this will help with pain and sleep problems.

Art is scheduled to have cataract surgery on Tuesday.

Jerry M is in hospital.

Thanks to **Chad** for organizing the delivery of our lunch for today.