

20 November, 2020

Dear Church family friends,

As I write, we are on the other side of our stewardship celebration and rapidly approaching one of my favorite seasons of the year. We have much to be grateful for. On behalf of our community of faith, thank you for your prayers and pledges towards our budget for the New Year. This season has proven to be a challenge yet we remain optimistic towards the direction online community of faith. The pandemic has encouraged us to continue our streaming with excellence while broadening our scope of ministry. I'm not sure we could have foreseen the opportunity before us were it not for these unusual circumstances. I'm excited about our venturing God is leading us.

We are in the process of upgrading our live streaming capabilities and are excited about our growing into this new landscape of mission and ministry. I'm most grateful for the spirit of our church—including its warm family feel, excellent music, engaging sermons, varied in house discipleship opportunities and many outreach ministries. I know you feel the same way about these things working to make our church so important within our community.

This Thanksgiving, enjoy the rich fellowship of family and friends, remembering to do so safely. Pray daily, read the Scripture, and remain obedient to the Holy Spirit leading you to do the next best thing. In doing so, you will experience the Lord growing your faith with a full measure of joy, gratitude, and trust in the One who never changes.

I pray your Thanksgiving is safe and rich in blessings beyond your expectations. I'm thankful to be in service among you and with you!

May each of you, dear church family, continually experience the peace of God which passes understanding.

Thankful for you, I remain,



Pastor Sam