

Dear sons of Abraham,

Galatians 3:6 Even so Abraham BELIEVED GOD, AND IT WAS RECKONED TO HIM AS RIGHTEOUSNESS. 7 Therefore, be sure that it is those who are of faith who are sons of Abraham.

I pray that we believe God (and His Word).

I pray that we are a people of faith.

I pray that we see the connection of both our heritage back to Abraham and our responsibility to continue to sow seeds for the future of God's work and God's family here on earth and forevermore.

Thank you for your continued generosity. I praise King Jesus for His people giving back to Him through His body, the local church. It is a privilege to be part of Christ body, and there are responsibilities that come with being His body.

We desire as a body and as a staff to honor the King as stewards of His provision! He truly has blessed us to be a blessing beyond ourselves. We have servants that continue to work overseas. We have people making sacrifices for their workplaces, for their family, for others, etc.

PLEASE DO NOT FEEL BAD IF YOU ARE UNCOMFORTABLE GATHERING in these times of uncertainty. Please know that we are counting on everyone wear their masks in the 8:00 am congregational gathering. There is more flexibility as masks in the 11:00 am congregational gathering are recommended while you are in your sitting area (and required entering and exiting). Gov. Bill Lee says, "COVID-19 hasn't let up, and neither can we. As we head into the holiday weekend, remember to wear masks in public, be smart about social distancing, avoid large gatherings, and stay home if you're sick." We continue to stick with our Phase 2 ReGathering In Person Guidelines (attached). This week, July 5, we will have both the 8:00 and 11:00 congregational gatherings.

You are loved by God,
Pastor Stan

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