

Dear Wayfarer on the Highway of Holiness,

Isaiah 35:4 Say to those with anxious heart,
"Take courage, fear not.

Behold, your God will come with vengeance;
The recompense of God will come,
But He will save you."

5 Then the eyes of the blind will be opened
And the ears of the deaf will be unstopped.

6 Then the lame will leap like a deer,
And the tongue of the mute will shout for joy.
For waters will break forth in the wilderness
And streams in the Arabah.

I pray that we trust that King Jesus came in the flesh.
I pray that we trust that King Jesus is the Savior.

We will begin this year opening Acts 4 together in Congregational Worship and Teaching. We will see that there is **"salvation in no one else."** We will be emphasizing how God has called us as believers to **"proclaim Christ to ALL people."** As with everything, we want to begin with Scripture and build on Scripture so we are encouraging everyone in our body of believers to spend time in Acts in January... There are 31 days in January and 28 chapters in Acts... We encourage a chapter a day lining up with the day of the month and a few days for make-ups. Christy has pulled out some shorter passages for younger children and short passages for older children as well (see the attachment). Gospel conversations abound in the Book of Acts! Be encouraged, pray for one another, and report back to the church at Candies Creek as God provides YOU with opportunities, until ALL have heard!

Special thanks to Kim Woulfe who led us in a sweet time of prayer utilizing the ACTS prayer strategy of Adoration, Confession, Thanksgiving and Supplication for 2021. May Scripture and Prayer undergird and empower ALL that we do!

Finding Gladness and Joy in The King,
Pastor Stan

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