To Those Following Christ,

Hebrews 7:18 For, on the one hand, there is a setting aside of a former commandment because of its weakness and uselessness 19 (for the Law made nothing perfect), and on the other hand there is a bringing in of a better hope, through which we draw near to God... 25 Therefore He is able to save forever those who draw near to God through Him, since He always lives to make intercession for them.

I pray that we know King Jesus as a better hope.

I pray that we draw near to God.

I pray that His intercession for us encourages us.

Sunday, you are welcome to be a part of congregational worship at 8:00 and 10:30 WITH MASKS ON INSIDE or at the pavilion or on https://candiescreek.com/livestream/. We will hold OFF on community groups inside. Please be safe and considerate of others. Please know that we continue to have a few members testing positive and that the number of cases, hospitalizations and deaths continue to rise in our community. We are not opening the doors to make anyone feel guilty for not coming. We are opening the doors because we are aware that some may really need to sense the presence of the Lord as they gather with others. God knows our hearts. If you have questions or concerns with where your heart is, then please feel free to contact me. I want God to draw us to Himself and our part is to set our hope on Him and Him alone. His "lovingkindness is better than life" (Ps. 63:3).

Saturday, Nov. 21st from 9-noon, Philippi Baptist Church will host Glenn Sheppard with a word for people in our community on "The Price of Revival." Please take a moment to pray for revival in your own heart and in the ministries of our churches.

Sunday, Nov. 22nd at 3:00pm, outside at the Bradley County Courthouse Plaza will be a multi-ethnic, interdenominational Com-Unity Gathering of Praise and Thanksgiving for the general public. Please come join in this time of prayer, worship and the giving of thanks.

Anchored by a sure and steady HOPE, Pastor Stan

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