

God Will Take Care of It!

Casting all your care upon Him; for He careth for you. 1 Peter 5:7

Trust in Him at all times, ye people, pour out your heart before Him: God is a refuge for us. Psalms 62:8

A few weeks ago while getting ready to go to Sunday morning service, this thought ran threw my mind “God Will Take Care of It”. I had not been praying about anything specific, just meditating on the goodness of the Lord. Those words kept repeating over and over in my mind throughout the rest of the day. I challenge you to say these words too and claim it in Jesus name and believe it. I know, it is easy to just say it, but it can be harder to say with a heart full of faith. No matter what you may currently be going through or needing an answer or miracle for, God is ready to assist us with any burden or need. When we decide to give a problem to Him, I imagine God probably says something like “I was just waiting on you to finally give it to me, don’t worry, I will take the reigns from here and I can handle it”. My, my, what a revelation to realize that God is able to take care of things for us— and believe it. Our answer/miracle/resolution may not come in quite the way we had thought it would or in our time frame, but God always knows best and we need to trust Him. One day a few months ago, as I was worshipping I heard myself say “You are my everything Jesus”. The words just came out I guess from my heart, then I smiled and said, yes, God, Amen to what I just said, you ARE my “Everything Jesus”!

God knows so well how to speak peace into our souls when we take time to listen. If you are like me, too many times we pray and do all the talking and proceed on with whatever else we need to do for the day. But when we take time to just mediate on the goodness of God, then God can speak to us, but we have to stop and listen, tune out other things on our mind i.e. what we need to make for supper, what we need to pick up at the grocery store, etc. I usually have things constantly flying through my head and I certainly don’t trust my mind to remember it all so I keep pen & paper handy & make lots of notes and reminders to myself. It’s not unusual for me to be writing myself reminders on a notepad while driving my car. As I pray, my thoughts sometimes wonder to someone I need to call/text or something that needs to be done for an upcoming event, because I was praying about it. I can make a quick note about it, and then go ahead and continue praying without too much of an interruption. Whatever hindrances or distractions you need to remove, do it, to spend quality time with God.

No matter what you are in need of God to take care of for you—issues at your job, a new job, financial blessing, relationship or marriage issues, salvation of your family, family problems, healing in your body, direction in your life, etc. —obey the Lord and do what you can do (i.e. daily prayer, worship, reading the Word, fasting, having faith, paying your tithes, attending church), and bring your needs to the Lord in prayer and let “God Take Care of It”.

Love & prayers, Missy Grimm



Prayer: God, thank you so much for Your love. Help us to always put our trust in You, knowing and believing that You will take care of our every need. We rebuke doubt and fear, and pray in Your name, that it will be replaced with faith and trust in You. May our faith soar! We pray on our spiritual armor—the helmet of salvation, the sword of the Spirit, the shield of faith, the breastplate of righteousness, the belt of truth and shoes of peace. We worship You Lord, we adore You and reverence Your name! Amen

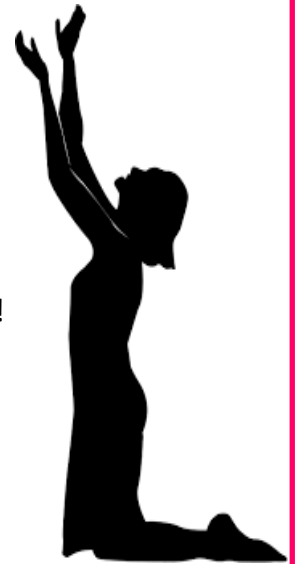


Monthly Prayer Focus

March's prayer focus is **Praise** and **Worship**. Pastor gave us a challenge in his Sunday message the end of February to praise God **3** times a day (morning/afternoon/evening). Please join the church family with this prayer focus this month. Whether it be a sacrificial praise when our life seems upside down; with our hands raised; bowing on our knees; with a loud voice; in singing; celebrating—acting a little crazy because God is so awesome; or clapping, dancing, shouting—uninhibited praise. There is power in praise! Praise draws us closer to God and draws God closer to us!

A 1-page sheet with notes from Pastor's sermon which includes the 7 Hebrew words, their meaning & scripture references are available on The Rack in the church foyer. If you missed hearing the sermon, it is available on the church website archive videos.

Let every thing that hath breath praise the Lord. Praise ye the Lord. Psalms 150:6



Personal Devotion Idea for the Month

Memorize Scriptures

Have you memorized a scripture this year yet? Memorizing scriptures plants the Word of God into our mind and soul. If you don't already do so, quote scriptures daily as part of your devotion. If you already do, that's awesome, start learning more. When you speak scriptures out loud in prayer, you are coming into agreement with God; you are releasing His power to perform His Word.

Here are a few of the scriptures that I quote daily—Psa. 118:24; Psa. 19:14; Prov. 3:5-6; Joshua 24:15. One I'm working on memorizing now is a little longer—2 Sam. 22:33-37. Personalize the scriptures to yourself and say them out loud daily in Jesus name!

His Word is a lamp unto our feet and a light unto our path—Psalms 119:105.

It is quick, powerful & sharper than any 2-edged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul & spirit, & of the joints & marrow, & is a discerner of the thoughts & intents of the heart—Hebrews 4:12.

Hosting a Chosen Ladies Meeting or Discover Group Meeting

- If you would like to host a Chosen Ladies Meeting at your home, please contact Stephanie Kingsbury.
- If you would like to host a Discover Group at your home, please contact Matthew Grimm.

If you miss a day or get behind in your daily Bible reading plan, don't quit or get discouraged, keep reading!



Reading the Word is time well spent!

Important Dates



Sunday, March 1 **Family Prayer**, 6:00 p.m. at the church

Monday, March 2 **Chosen Ladies Meeting**, 6:00 p.m., at Stephanie Kingsbury's home

Sunday, March 8 **Seniors Discover Group**, 6:00 p.m. at I-HOP Restaurant on Peoples St, Johnson City

Sunday, March 15 **Chosen Ladies Meeting**, 6:00 p.m., at Dawn Jones' home

Sunday, March 29 **Discover Groups**, 6:00 p.m. multiple locations to be announced