

KINGDOM WORDS

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Happy New Year

As we ushered in the new year on Friday, I sent and received many texts and well-wishes. One message I received sort of stuck out to me because it was a little different than the others. We've all been hearing how rough 2020 was and many people have expressed that they couldn't wait for it to be over. But this message said, "Secular folk will view 2020 as harsh [and] say we should forget it due to the pain and sorrow that was experienced. But if that pain and sorrow brought you closer to Christ, it was for your benefit and that is His will..." That kind of puts the past year in a different context, right? And context is so important. Take a look at the image added to this page. Is it a sunrise or a sunset? It's hard to tell without the context.

In what context will you move into this next year? Are you just glad that 2020 is over or are you excited for what the new year will bring? Will you resolve to pray more, read more, do more? Maybe. Hopefully. I think we should all strive to be better than we were the day before. Whatever your plan, please remember that God has a plan and a purpose for your life. It starts here...

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your strength." Deuteronomy 6:5 NKJV

-Sis. Alison Legall, Women's Ministry



What does the future hold for YOU?

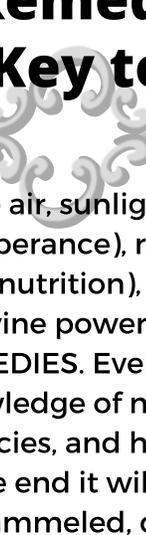
"...In order to have perfect health, our hearts must be filled with hope and love and joy." Ellen G. White, *Counsels on Health*, pg. 587

Greetings Woodbridge Church family and friends! How can we experience the key to better health? By getting rid of the old way of life! (Bad habits). Take on a brand new way to live. A life fashioned by God, clothed in His Goodness (Nature's True Remedies), Ephesians 4:22-24. I encourage us all to resolve to be obedient and use the key that God has given us to reap a future in health of body and mind. Have a safe and healthy 2021.

"Good resolutions are like crying babies in church; they should be carried out immediately." -C.M. Sheldon

In His Service,
Diane Parker
Health Ministry Leader

Nature's True Remedies - The Key to Health



"Pure air, sunlight, abstemiousness (temperance), rest, exercise, proper diet (nutrition), the use of water, trust in divine power - these are the TRUE REMEDIES. Every person should have a knowledge of nature's remedial agencies, and how to apply them...But in the end it will be found that nature, untrammelled, does her work wisely and well. Those who persevere in obedience to her laws will reap the reward in health of body and health of mind." E.G. White, *Ministry of Healing*, p.127.

JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

- 1 - Mariana Msusa
- 2 - Larry Shade
- 3 - Marlana Lewis-Owate
- 4 - Sally Watts
- 8 - Jessica Vaz
- 8 - O'Neil Bean
- 16 - Victor Chona
- 16 - Andrew Fadlin
- 17 - De'Mournae Perry
- 20 - Jessica McNeil
- 22 - Franchelle Beach
- 23 - Brandon Durham
- 24 - Dennis Boone
- 25 - Angel Chapman
- 29 - Natasha Climens
- 30 - Jessica Melvin
- 30 - Christopher Palmer

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**SUBMISSIONS FOR THE
NEWSLETTER ARE WELCOME
FROM EVERYONE!**

**YOU MAY SEND SUBMISSIONS
TO MRSALEGALL@GMAIL.COM BY
THE 20TH OF EACH MONTH**

THANK YOU IN ADVANCE!

Our Troublesome Religious Questions

by Edward Leigh Pell

An excerpt submitted by Bro. Rupert Gosine

Christians have not only neglected our privileges as sovereigns and left the government of the world to anybody who might claim the divine right to rule it, but we have allowed the world to come into and govern the church. In our haste to make Christianity popular with the world, we have not only kept our hands out of its affairs, but we have allowed it to put its hands into our affairs. We have made the most fatal of all blunders - the blunder of compromise. And we have made it over and over again. For more than 1600 years compromise has been our besetting sin. We began by compromising with the pagans. We compromised with pagan worship until our worship became more pagan than Christian. We compromised with pagan philosophy until our philosophy became more pagan than Christian. And from the day that we began this unholy flirtation until now, whenever the spiritual power of the church has cooled, it has immediately begun to look around for a new compromise. And unlike the burned child who dreads the fire, we have never profited by our terrible experience. The church has suffered more from compromises than from all other evils put together, yet we seem to have made more compromises in the last generation than in any other since the day of our first great surrender to paganism. We have compromised with wealth, we have compromised with society, we have compromised with a materialistic science... (35-37).



Family Life Corner

Quote of the Month

The first work to be done in a Christian home is to see that the Spirit of Christ abides there, that every member of the household may be able to take his cross and follow where Jesus leads the way. - {AH 20.1}

Not by might nor by power, but my Spirit says the Lord of Hosts.
Zachariah 4:6

10 Days of Prayer

Jan. 6 - 16, 2021
Sign up at
TenDaysofPrayer.Org

Feeling disconnected?

Here are some resources that you might find helpful

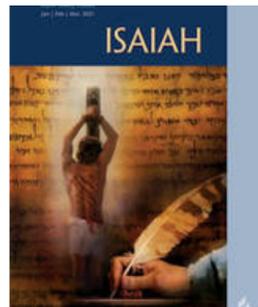


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Stay tuned for our online book club resuming **Thursday, Jan. 14**

And there are several ways to worship together each week!

Worship Service | Saturdays | 12:00 Noon
Sabbath School | Saturdays | 10:00 a.m.
Community Prayer Revival | Wednesdays | 7:00 p.m.