

We as servants of Christ and ambassadors of his Kingdom would like to remind you of our ministry here at Church Built of Living Stones. It is a ministry of reconciliation given to us by our Father. Our instruction is not to teach you the things of God in rules and regulations, but to encourage you that the only one who can teach you of the Father is Jesus Christ and he will do this by the power of his word and Spirit. Our teaching ministry towards you is for you to trust that you can be taught of the Lord and that you need no man to mediate between God and yourself except the man Christ Jesus.

This may be daunting to you at the beginning, but it will eventually release you into God's Holy Kingdom from which you will never wish to depart.

The attacks and slanders will be immense and will continue until the last enemy is overcome.

But fear not the Lord will be on your side. (Read Psalm 124).

The Kingdom of God is like leaven or yeast in a lump of dough and it is growing and advancing throughout the earth and will bear fruit to God's glory. We are saying that Christ is building his Kingdom and its inhabitants are as living stones built up to be a holy habitation for God. We will never have a bricks and mortar building. We do not solicit money to spread the good news. At the same time, we encourage giving to the poor in spirit, by this we mean give your whole life to Christ and his Kingdom and you will see the salvation of God in effect. Our endeavour is to see God's people go forth and proclaim Jesus and Christ's Kingdom without the restrictions of denominational power overriding them.

Everyman in the body of Christ Jesus has a purpose and can go forth in the power of God's Spirit with a new tongue and prophecy. The new tongue is the Gospel and the Spirit of Prophecy is the Lord Jesus Christ. They tell the world that God the Father is not holding their sins and lawlessness against them and that he grants them the Holy Spirit to guide and lead them into all truth.

The Holy Spirit leads them to Jesus and Jesus teaches them all things of the Father.

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### May His Kingdom come

We cry out in the wilderness of this present evil age amid the hindering religions of this world to the seeker, the broken hearted, the captives, the bound, the sick, the down trodden, the voiceless and those that live in darkness who see a great light – look up for your King comes. His name is Jesus and he brings a Kingdom which encompasses all the glories of the coming age. Seek and you shall find, ask and it will be given you, knock and it will be opened unto you. He will grant those that seek first his Kingdom riches of glory that this world knows nothing about. He comes not for the righteous but the sinner and he will receive you with open arms and give you a vision of hope that has its origins from the heart of God. Obey his calling - come into the light, don't hover on the edge of the light, come into the light, all your prayers will be answered in the light.

### Fear not, do not be afraid

In the world you will have trouble and tribulation from which none of us who belong to Jesus are exempt, as it is the arena of redemption for the faithful. Jesus' own words reverberate and echo in our minds *"I have told you these things so that in me you may have peace. In this world you will have trouble, but take heart! I have overcome the world"*. And in (1 John 4: 4) *You, dear children, are from God and have overcome them, because the one who is in you is greater than the one who is in the world.*

We have warned for many months that men are going to be tried and to be found wanting because their trust is in the arm of the flesh which cannot save. It is abominable to see so called men of God fawning over leaders in the political sphere. It is paramount that prayers, intercessions and thanksgiving be made for everyone – for Kings and all those in authority, that we may live peaceful and quiet lives in all Godliness and Holiness. We must pray for these men, but not put our trust in them. There will be earthquakes, famines and pestilence in various places and fearful events and great signs from heaven and men's hearts will fail them through fear of the events coming on the earth. The only true peace comes from Christ who is our life, who is abiding in our hearts. Get ready for greater upheavals in the financial realm, where gold and silver will not be able to save as it corrodes. The corrosion will eat your flesh like fire. These are not my words they are the words of the apostle James (5: 3).

The warning to us all is not what do we trust in – but whom do we trust. *Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding, in all your ways acknowledge him and he will direct your path.*

Every man's work will be tried by fire and it will not be the evil one's purpose (though he may be an instrument). It will be Jesus' coming as the John the Baptist has prophesied in (Luke 3: 16-18).

*16 John answered them all, "I baptise you with water. But one more powerful than I will come, the thongs of whose sandals I am not worthy to untie. He will baptise you with the holy Spirit and with fire. 17 His winnowing fork is in his hand to clear his threshing floor and to gather the wheat into his barn, but he will burn up the chaff with unquenchable fire." 18 And with many other words John exhorted the people and preached the good news to them.*

You may think these words troubling, but in essence they are the truth, and the truth is good news and will set you free.

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## February 2026 Message

### 1 Corinthians 2: 1-5

*<sup>1</sup> When I came to you, brothers, I did not come with eloquence or superior wisdom as I proclaimed to you the testimony about God. <sup>2</sup> For I resolved to know nothing while I was with you except Jesus Christ and him crucified. <sup>3</sup> I came to you in weakness and fear, and with much trembling. <sup>4</sup> My message and my preaching were not with wise and persuasive words, but with a demonstration of the Spirit's power, <sup>5</sup> so that your faith might not rest on men's wisdom, but on God's power.*

Dear Friends,

What a wonderful time to be a follower of Jesus Christ as we see the fulfilment of many sayings of Jesus come to pass.

The singularity of purpose that can only be accomplished by a Sovereign God is rapidly appearing through the veneer of religious propaganda. Yes – Jesus is Lord to the glory of God. Many proclaim another gospel of denominational authority even denying the Lord who bought them. It was through the Fathers patience and endurance of truth that the Holy Spirit was able to quell the exuberance of natural thinking in naturally minded men and overcome the darkness of the human mind with the wisdom thoughts from heaven. The WORD over time was finally proclaimed by prophets and written down as scripture – yet some times in cryptic form – which eventually allowed the fullness of God's WORD to be fulfilled and become flesh and dwell amongst us. This heavenly WORD could only be fulfilled by the ONE sent by God. The scripture that cannot be broken was revealed in part to holy men and women as they sought the grace to be revealed in the future by the power of the Holy Spirit. Our gracious Father was revealing that he was going to send his ONE and ONLY begotten Son into this darkened world as the Lamb of God who would take away the sin of the world. This message is suppressed, altered, falsified and denied by forces that deny life eternal and the truth that is in Jesus Christ alone.

### 1 Peter 1: 10-20

*<sup>10</sup> Concerning this salvation, the prophets, who spoke of the grace that was to come to you, searched intently and with the greatest care, <sup>11</sup> trying to find out the time and circumstances to which the Spirit of Christ in them was pointing when he predicted the sufferings of the Christ and the glories that would follow. <sup>12</sup> It was revealed to them that they were not serving themselves but you, when they spoke of the things that have now been told you by those who have preached the gospel to you by the Holy Spirit sent from heaven. Even angels long to look into these things. <sup>13</sup> Therefore, prepare your minds for action; be self-controlled; set your hope fully on the grace to be given you when Jesus Christ is revealed. <sup>14</sup> As obedient children, do not conform to the evil desires you had when you lived in ignorance. <sup>15</sup> But just as he who called you is holy, so be holy in all you do; <sup>16</sup> for it is written: "Be holy, because I am holy." <sup>17</sup> Since you call on a Father who judges each man's work impartially, live your lives as strangers here in reverent fear. <sup>18</sup> For you know that it was not with perishable things such as silver or gold that you were redeemed from the empty way of life handed down to you from your forefathers, <sup>19</sup> but with the precious blood of Christ, a lamb without blemish or defect. <sup>20</sup> He was chosen before the creation of the world, but was revealed in these last times for your sake.*

This scripture witnesses to the truth and the Holy Spirit reveals to the heart and minds of the obedient the ability to change their mind to repent and believe the gospel. This is the evidence of being born again. But just as the scripture is given to establish the truth of the gospel in us by declaring faith in Christ, there are deceiving enemies who strongly oppose us, attempting to prevent us from overcoming. These enemies are agents of Satan - men and women who love the praises of men and the exaltation of self, who misinterpret

the written word. They turn the freedom that is in Christ into mere rituals, attendances and appearances of outward righteousness but neglect the inner working of the Holy Spirit. They prefer to make the outer of the cup clean just as the religious men were doing at the time of Jesus. If the message of the righteousness of God is applied to any other person or religious denomination or movement it will dull and deceive the senses, because there are none righteous only Christ Jesus.

Let us read Mark 4: 10-12.

#### **Mark 4: 10-12**

*<sup>10</sup> When he was alone, the twelve and the others around him asked him about the parables. <sup>11</sup> He told them; "The secret of the kingdom of God has been given to you. But to those on the outside everything is said in parables <sup>12</sup> so that, "they may be ever seeing but never perceiving, and ever hearing but never understanding; otherwise they might turn and be forgiven!"*

Jesus was using a direct quote of scripture by Isaiah the prophet. Warning, what you hear can bind and make the heart callous. True faith comes by hearing and hearing the Word of Christ. Romans 10: 17.

#### **Isaiah 6: 8-10**

*<sup>8</sup> Then I heard the voice of the Lord saying, "Whom shall I send? And who will go for us?"*

*And I said, "Here am I. Send me!"*

*<sup>9</sup> He said, "Go and tell this people:*

*"Be ever hearing, but never understanding;*

*be ever seeing, but never perceiving.'*

*<sup>10</sup> Make the heart of this people calloused; make their ears dull and close their eyes. Otherwise they might see with their eyes, hear with their ears, understand with their hearts, and turn and be healed."*

Many pulpits are proclaiming a gospel that promotes themselves, their denomination, but never proclaiming the kingdom of God and the rightful ruler of this kingdom.

Jesus was the true teacher of the gospel, because he was the ONE sent by God as the Saviour of the world. He is and was and always will be the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. The prophet Isaiah was sent by God to tell the people that their hearts were calloused and they were refusing to be healed and forgiven because they were hearing the wrong message.

In **Mark 4: 2-9** it states.

*<sup>2</sup> Jesus taught them many things by parables, and in his teaching said: <sup>3</sup> "Listen! A farmer went out to sow his seed. <sup>4</sup> As he was scattering the seed, some fell along the path, and the birds came and ate it up. <sup>5</sup> Some fell on rocky places, where it did not have much soil. It sprang up quickly, because the soil was shallow. <sup>6</sup> But when the sun came up, the plants were scorched, and they withered because they had no root. <sup>7</sup> Other seed fell among thorns, which grew up and choked the plants, so that they did not bear grain. <sup>8</sup> Still other seed fell on good soil. It came up, grew and produced a crop, multiplying thirty, some sixty, or even a hundred times."*

*<sup>9</sup> Then Jesus said, "Whoever has ears to hear, let them hear."*

After this teaching, Jesus opened up the true understanding of the parable stating that the people are like the seed.

#### **Mark 4: 13-20**

*<sup>13</sup> Then Jesus said to them, "Don't you understand this parable? How then will you understand any*

*parable? <sup>14</sup> The farmer sows the word. <sup>15</sup> Some people are like seed along the path, where the word is sown. As soon as they hear it, Satan comes and takes away the word that was sown in them. <sup>16</sup> Others, like seed sown on rocky places, hear the word and at once receive it with joy. <sup>17</sup> But since they have no root, they last only a short time. When trouble or persecution comes because of the word, they quickly fall away. <sup>18</sup> Still others, like seed*

*sown among thorns, hear the word; <sup>19</sup> but the worries of this life, the deceitfulness of wealth and the desires for other things come in and choke the word, making it unfruitful. <sup>20</sup> Others, like seed sown on good soil, hear the word, accept it, and produce a crop—some thirty, some sixty or even a hundred times what was sown.”*

There is opposition to the true gospel and many false assumptions have been added to the scripture, and now through false teaching, the bonds and chains of religious authority are harder to break and overcome than any previous bondage to carnal sin. Religious sin is rampant and it is captivating millions of sincere people who are in fear of men, instead of fear of God. These men and their teachings claim they are the righteous ones and put a bushel over the light, the light is always Christ. Jesus is and always will be the Righteous One, our righteousness before God must be faith in the righteousness of Christ, not in our own righteousness.

Jesus Christ is Lord and anyone who teaches or stands between you and Christ will cast a shadow over the truth in your mind. A true teacher of the gospel will proclaim Jesus as Lord/Saviour/Sanctifier/Redeemer/Judge and the only way to the Father. They will never teach anything that takes away your personal relationship with Christ. They will never lord it over God’s heritage, but encourage a believer to remain in Christ.

There is no compromise in this statement and belief. We do not need to attack the nay sayers; we only need to speak the truth that is in Christ. We have been redeemed from Sin, Satan and the World, now by the power of God we are sent back into the world to proclaim the gospel of truth. There will be opposition along with doubts and fears, but the promise of God is “He will sustain and protect us” and “will never leave us nor forsake us”. Many will have to leave their denominational ties and come outside the camp to know the Lord in sincerity and truth. We must all face the last enemy death, on the basis of our own faith. No pastor, no pope can stand before the bema seat for you. This is your privilege, your joy to stand in judgement before the “ONE” whom you adore and trust, the Lord Jesus.

**If you love his judgements now, you will be eager to stand before the eternal judge, then.**

We are no longer bound to the law for righteousness before God, because our righteousness is achieved by faith in Christ who fulfilled the law for us. Every penalty that the law demands was met and paid for by God’s only begotten Son. He paid the highest penalty and price for sin and every trespass of the law, by his death on Calvary. He bore the curse of the law when they crucified him on Calvary. The scripture says - cursed is a man that hangs on a tree. It was evil men who fulfilled the prophetic word that Christ would die on a cross (tree). You cannot crucify yourself, it is impossible, someone else must do the deed. This was a premeditated act of evil to crucify the Son of Glory. This act was perpetrated by evil authorities, evil rulers, evil kings, evil religious leaders.

### **Matthew 27: 1**

*Early in the morning, all the chief priests and the elders of the people came to the decision to put Jesus to death.*

These religious leaders plotted and planned the Lord Jesus’ demise.

These evil men were agents of evil spirits and Satan. They said; “we have a law, and by this law he must die”. They used the law to crucify and kill the lawgiver. Today the same evil spirits and desires in all of mankind are operating as angels of light. Only those who have the mind of Christ can discern between good and evil. Obedience of faith brings the contentment of godliness and the assurance of faith in Christ.

### **Philippians 2: 1-16**

Paul’s encouragement.....

<sup>1</sup> If you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from his love, if any fellowship with the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion, <sup>2</sup> then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and purpose. <sup>3</sup> Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit, but in humility consider others above yourselves, <sup>4</sup> Each of you should look not only to your own interests, but also to the interests of others. <sup>5</sup> Your attitude should be the same as that of Christ Jesus:

<sup>6</sup> Who, being in very nature God,  
did not consider equality with God something to be grasped;

<sup>7</sup> but made himself nothing  
taking the very nature of a servant,  
being made in human likeness.

<sup>8</sup> And being found in appearance as a man,  
he humbled himself  
and became obedient to death -  
even death on a cross!

<sup>9</sup> Therefore God exalted him to the highest place  
and gave him the name that is above every name,  
<sup>10</sup> that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow,  
in heaven and on earth and under the earth,  
<sup>11</sup> and every tongue confess that Jesus Christ is Lord,  
to the glory of God the Father.

<sup>12</sup> Therefore, my dear friends, as you have always obeyed—not only in my presence, but now much more in my absence—continue to work out your salvation with fear and trembling, <sup>13</sup> for it is God who works in you to will and to act in order to fulfil his good purpose. <sup>14</sup> Do everything without complaining or arguing, <sup>15</sup> so that you may become blameless and pure, “children of God without fault in a crooked and depraved generation, in which you shine like stars in the universe <sup>16</sup> as you hold out the word of life – in order that I may boast on the day of Christ that I did not run or labour for nothing.

We know who is of God and who is of the evil one. The kingdom of God is righteousness, peace and joy in the Holy Spirit and those that serve Christ in this manner are pleasing to God and approved by men. The mind of Christ is humble, meek and gentle and does not exalt itself. It thinks not highly of itself, but thinks in the uplifting of others and always proclaims Jesus as Lord of heaven and of earth.

Many preach the law as a method of righteousness before God. The only righteousness that God accepts in this world today is faith in Christ. To come into the sheep-fold some other way is to come as a thief and a robber. Jesus said; “my sheep hear my voice and a stranger they will not follow”. True faith is a singularity and that singularity is Jesus the Christ. Love is the determining factor or fruit of the Spirit of Christ.

#### **Galatians 4: 21-29**

The apostle Paul writes.....

<sup>21</sup> Tell me, you who want to be under the law, are you not aware of what the law says? <sup>22</sup> For it is written that Abraham had two sons, one by the slave woman and the other by the free woman. <sup>23</sup> His son by the slave woman was born in the ordinary way, but his son by the free woman was born as the result of a promise. <sup>24</sup> These things are being taken figuratively, for the women represent two covenants. One covenant is from Mount Sinai and bears children who are to be slaves: This is Hagar. <sup>25</sup> Now Hagar stands for Mount Sinai in Arabia and corresponds to the present city of Jerusalem, because she is in slavery with her children. <sup>26</sup> But the Jerusalem that is above is free, and she is our mother.

<sup>27</sup> For it is written:

“Be glad, O barren woman,

*who bears no children;  
break forth and cry aloud,  
you who have no labour pains;  
because more are the children of the desolate woman than of her who has a husband.”*

*<sup>28</sup> Now you, brothers, like Isaac, are children of promise. <sup>29</sup> At that time the son born in the ordinary way persecuted the son born by the power of the Spirit. It is the same now.*

The law is good and holy and was ordained by God, but it was powerless to bring the life of God – because if we failed in one tittle we were guilty of every other law.

Now through faith in Christ we can have access to the throne room of God and receive help in a time of need. Are you born again by the teaching of men or by the promises of God?

Jesus is our only hope of righteousness – he is the provision God his Father has made for our sanctification and redemption. Now live in the freedom that Christ has set you free – do not get entangled with the yoke of bondage that religious men are also in bondage too. Only the one sent by God can deliver you from every yoke of bondage. That “ONE” sent by God is Jesus Christ our Lord. The Father sent the Holy Spirit into the world to bring to our remembrance that Jesus Christ is Lord. Any other message regarding our right standing before God is false. You must be born again from above before you can see or enter this kingdom of God which does not come by natural observation. In this kingdom, Jesus is Lord. He that does not have the Spirit of Christ, which is the Spirit of truth is none of his.

This phrase is a direct quote from Romans 8: 9, emphasising that true Christianity requires the indwelling of the Holy Spirit. It distinguishes between living according to the (sinful nature) and the Spirit of Christ. Without the Spirit of Christ one does not belong to Christ. This Holy Spirit brings life in contrast to the law which cannot and will not bring life. To continue in the law as a source of righteousness before God is not taught by the Holy Spirit who only reveals faith in Christ as God’s righteousness. This righteousness of faith in Christ promises future resurrection from death into eternal life. This Holy Spirit causes us to repent and put to death the deeds of the flesh. This teaching does not suggest a category of “non-spirit filled Christians”, it implies that if the Spirit is not present, the person does not belong to Christ at all. It also is not about works. Having the Spirit is distinct from knowing about Jesus or of attending church and obeying rituals or doing good works. The Spirit within testifies to a believer’s heart that they are God’s children and their father is the Father of the Lord Jesus Christ. This is the true family of God. Now the Holy Spirit is their teacher, guide and protector. Their life is hidden with God in Christ and they live in the unity of love, joy and peace that does not come from the values of the world. The Holy Spirit will strengthen the grace, mercy and love that is not experienced anywhere else than within the kingdom of God. The Kingdom of God is not like the kingdoms and denominations of men which continually need reform and are intent on changing the world instead of redeeming people out of the world through Christ.

Jesus’ message proclaims a kingdom without end that is accessible now by faith in him, and the darkness is passing away because the true light is now shining. The coming kingdom is here and the sinner knows that there only hope of righteousness before God is in Christ and now through the power of the Holy Spirit they worship him and give him all the glory, honour and power both now and forever.

#### **John 4: 23-24**

*<sup>23</sup> Yet a time is coming and has now come when the true worshippers will worship the Father in spirit and truth, for they are the kind of worshippers the Father seeks. <sup>24</sup> God is spirit, and his worshippers must worship in spirit and truth.*

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