

From the Pastor's Heart

“Pray without ceasing.”

1 Thessalonians 5:17

Dearly Beloved,

How beautiful are those who bring good news!

Martin Luther knew something about prayer. He said that, in the consecrated life to Jesus, our entire life is a prayer. Whether we are walking down the street, shopping in the market, washing dishes, attending church, or any other event in life; we are praying in our doing, and doing in our praying.

Prayer is not merely an exercise; it is the lifeblood of the saint. Jesus never suggested that prayers go unanswered. He had the unlimited certainty that prayer is always answered. Let us be confident that God always answers prayer the best way – not just sometimes, but every time.

Whether we pray in adoration, contrition, thanksgiving, supplication; God is intimately involved, and He leads and refines us through our life of prayer. May we as a church understand that we will only travel in circles if we do not pray individually and together as His Church. Shall we pray?

Joyfully serving YOU!

Pastor Bill

