## From the Pastor's Heart

"Forsake not the fellowship of the saints."

Philippians 4:21

Dearly Beloved,
He Is Risen!
INDEED!

It is clear from the Scriptures that Christianity is, at its core, relational. There is at every part of the Body of Christ, relational commands by God to be devoted to one another as we travel this journey of life.

"You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your mind, and you shall love your neighbor as yourself." Matthew 22:37,39

The fellowship of the saints is an inclusive fellowship where everyone matters. The fellowship of the saints is a holy fellowship, set apart from the world. The fellowship of the saints in a Christ-centered fellowship. And, the fellowship of the saints is a family fellowship which is supportive and enthusiastic in its very nature.

As we move forward together in fellowship and worship, we will be forming small groups called Abundant Life Groups. These groups of six to eight people will join in small groups to fellowship to study, pray and just get to know one another better. They are designed to bring us closer as a church.

This Sunday after service, I will share with you how this new opportunity for
family life will work. I am excited to join with you in God's next step in our church
life. Be blessed and be a blessing!

Love In Christ,

Pastor Bill