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SEEK PRAYER INITIATIVE RE-LAUNCH

Here are some of our prayer groups that are accepting new members:

Sundays, 6:00-7:00 pm in the office building, led by Pastor Valerie

Mondays, 11:00-Noon in the office building, led by Barbara Rashleigh

Tuesdays, Noon-1:00 pm in the sanctuary, led by Pastor Shawn

Saturdays, 7:00-8:15 pm on Zoom, led by Pastor Valerie and Dan Link, contact at 605-431-5164 for the Zoom link.

We invite you to join us in praying this week for:

- That our body would be "living stones" in the house God is building called "Destiny." (1 Peter 2:4-5)*
- That our lamps would be full of oil, at the ready, when Jesus comes. (Matthew 25:1-13)*
- Think about 3 people who either don't know Jesus or have drifted away from their faith whom you can start praying for this week.*

OUTREACH TEAM MEETING— TODAY, 5:00 p.m.

Pastor Shawn will lead this meeting, gathering anyone who wants to dream, plan, and brainstorm ways to reach and serve our neighborhoods with the love of Jesus. We need your Holy Spirit-inspired input, ideas, and strategies.

MEN'S BIBLE STUDY— Sundays, starting TONIGHT, 6:00-to-7:30 pm

Join the men for their five-part Bible study series, Kings and Kingdoms. Matthew Davis will lead this series. Get to know the other men of Destiny and fellowship, and dig deeper into God's plan for your life.

FOLLOWING HOLY SPIRIT IN WORDS OF WISDOM— Monday, Nov. 18, 6:00-to-8:30 pm

What is the gift of the word of wisdom, and how do you partner with Holy Spirit to operate in this gift and bless those around you? Come and learn about this gift and discover how you may already be operating in this gift.

MEN'S GAME NIGHT— Saturday, Nov. 23, 6:00 pm

Bring your favorite family-friendly board or dice game. There will be music, fellowship, and, of course, games. Snacks will be provided.

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MESSAGE NOTES: 11.10.24 | BUILT, Part 7: Shine On

Jesus shares an inside message of what the _____ of the _____ looks like.

"You are the light of the world. A city set on a hill cannot be hidden, nor do people light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on the lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house. Your light must shine before people in such a way that they may see your good works and glorify your Father who is in heaven." **Matthew 5:14-16 NASB**

- The house Jesus builds is designed to _____ light.
- Our common calling is to be the _____ of Jesus in the world.

GOD IS BUILDING YOU INTO A HOUSE THAT WILL SHINE

1. _____ is the light of the world.

Then Jesus again spoke to them, saying, "I am the Light of the world; the one who follows Me will not walk in the darkness but will have the Light of life." **John 8:12 NASB**

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. He was in the beginning with God. All things came into being through Him, and apart from Him, not even one thing came into being that has come into being. In Him was life, and the life was the Light of mankind. **John 1:1-4 NASB**

...for you were once darkness, but now you are light in the Lord; walk as children of light (for the fruit of the light consists in all goodness, righteousness, and truth) as you try to learn what is pleasing to the Lord. Do not participate in the useless deeds of darkness, but instead even expose them, for it is disgraceful even to speak of the things which are done by them in secret. But all things become visible when they are exposed by the light, for everything that becomes visible is light. For this reason, it says, "Awake, sleeper, And arise from the dead, And Christ will shine on you." **Ephesians 5:8-14 NASB**

The people who walk in darkness will see a great light; those who live in a dark land, the light will shine on them. **Isaiah 9:2 NASB**

2. Our mission is to be the _____ of light to the world.

- Without you, the world is _____, but with you, the world can _____.

"And this is the judgment, that the Light has come into the world, and people loved the darkness rather than the Light; for their deeds were evil. For everyone who does evil hates the Light and does not come to the Light so that his deeds will not be exposed. But the one who practices the truth comes to the Light so that his deeds will be revealed as having been performed in God." **John 3:19-21 NASB**

- Our prayer is: "God, put me up on a _____."

Therefore humble yourselves under the mighty hand of God, so that He may exalt you at the proper time... **1 Peter 5:6 NASB**

Whatever you do, do your work heartily, as for the Lord and not for people... **Colossians 3:23 NASB**

3. How are we to be a light in the world? Our method is to _____.

4. How can we up our wattage output?

- a. "...that they may see your _____, and glorify your Father who is in heaven." (Matt 5:16)
- b. Let light shine out of your _____.

For God, who said, "Light shall shine out of darkness," is the One who has shone in our hearts to give the Light of the knowledge of the glory of God in the face of Christ. But we have this treasure in earthen containers... **2 Corinthians 4:6-7a NASB**

THREE QUESTIONS ABOUT GETTING YOUR "SHINE ON"

1. Are you connected to the Light of Jesus?
2. Are you embracing the _____ of the times and the _____ of the mission?
3. Is there a _____ in your life?