

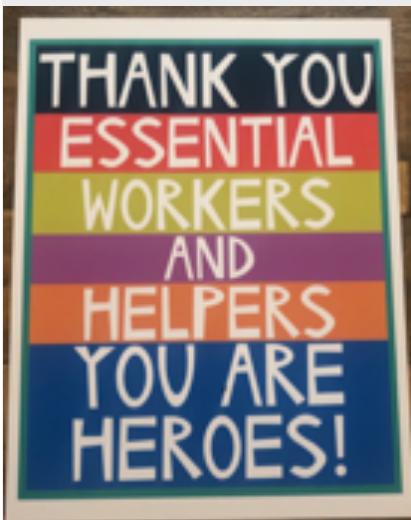
# WEEKLY NEWS/DEVOTION

CHURCH MOTTO: FOLLOW US AS WE FOLLOW CHRIST

## Keeping yourself Safe

1. Wear a face covering in public places.
2. Stay at least 6 feet from other people.
3. Frequently wash your hands for at least 20 seconds.

## Thank you Essential Workers



Greetings,

This is the day that the Lord has made, we will rejoice and be glad in it. There will be information forthcoming for the annual session that will be held virtually. Also, please be on the lookout for a link, which will consist of some questions to help me prepare to move the church forward in the upcoming year. Continue to hold on to God's unchanging hands because man can fail you, but God is faithful and just. No weapon, formed against you shall prosper. Let's continue to pray for one another and for our essential workers that is taking care of everyone else, even in the midst of a pandemic. I miss each and every one of you and know that Pastor is praying with you and for you. Please tune in Sunday morning for a life changing word, that will help you understand what you have been carrying all along is about to reveal to you the purpose of your pain. Don't give up and don't give in, just know that all things work together for the good of them that love the Lord. Please find your devotion on the next page.

God Bless,

Rev. Corian Roberson

## Weekly Devotion

Recently, someone asked me if I could go back in time what would I change. I quickly responded by answering “nothing”. I believe that every experience is a learning experience whether good or bad. Yet after that conversation I pondered my answer. I came to the conclusion that although I had no regrets about my life experiences; I did have regrets about how I interacted and responded to people.

### James 3:5

“So also the tongue is a small member, yet it boasts of great things. How great a forest is set ablaze by such a small fire?”

Words are so powerful. Just a few words can break peace and hurts others.

Have you ever said something that you wished you could take back? Have you ever hurt someone with your words? Have you ever been hurt with words? Have you ever judged someone without knowing the “full story” or getting to know them? Yes, it is true that sticks and stones may break your bones, but words break spirits.

I challenge you to speak life, think positive, and show love.

### Ephesians 4:29

Let no corrupting talk come out of your mouths, but only such as is good for building up, as fits the occasion, that it may give grace to those who hear.

