

Good Morning All,

It is refreshing to see our congregation working through so many different mechanisms to allow us to continue encouraging one another, as a Church family, at a time when we cannot gather in person. I do not know why I am at all surprised by this... as we're clearly reminded, in [1 Corinthians 3:16](#), that we are God's temple and that His Spirit lives among us. I'd therefore ask you again, if there are any others in our congregation who are not yet signed up for our Emails, or included in our WhatsApp group, or following us on Social Media, please encourage them to do so. As always, we want to ensure that we're taking every opportunity to share the wonderful gospel message.

In consultation with Alistair & Niomi, there are some items that we'd like to draw your attention to:

IN PLACE TODAY:

- Our **informal WhatsApp group** continues to operate and acts as a method of encouragement and prayer point sharing for many in our congregation. If you're not already in this group, and would like to be, please let me know. Also, if you are in this group, but notifications on your handset are too much, let me know and I can talk you through disabling those
- The **CPC Youth Instagram Group** is up and running - search for **cpc_youth_2020**. Niomi has already been sharing with our Youth through this mechanism.
- **Kids' Weekly Bible Packs** - Niomi has shared details on how to receive those. Please contact Niomi if you want to receive these.

TOMORROW (SUNDAY!):

- Niomi has a short children's message recorded and ready to go. She will share it on [our Facebook page](#) tomorrow before 11.30am.
- The Moderator will share a Sunday Sermon tomorrow. This will be available from 6am on the PCI website. See [here](#) for more details. Our plan will be, God willing, from next week, to have a short sermon from Rev. Smyth.
- Tomorrow night, Niomi will go live with "**Alive on the Sofa**" at 8pm. See the **cpc_youth_2020** Instagram page for more details.

PRAYER:

- I know we will all be continuing to remember one another, our congregation and our community as a whole in prayer but we want to remind you also about PCI's [Let's Pray](#). Let's Pray is a weekly email and A5 booklet resource, providing prayer topics and requests for the coming week, running from Sunday to Saturday. In case you're not in a position to download any of these for yourself, I've attached an email, sent to the Rev. Smyth, that contains more information on this useful resource.
- As per our last update, as we move in to next week, we will also test some mechanisms to allow corporate prayer... be that even in "small groups". We fully appreciate that corporate prayer is very much a key part of our "church life" and we need to make this happen.

Apologies for the long email... there was a lot to get through today. I am hoping that, as we move forward, we can share more concise and timely updates with pertinent information. In the meantime, let me know if you think there's anything else we can be doing to help communicate & share better.

Praying that all we're doing is worthy to His name,
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