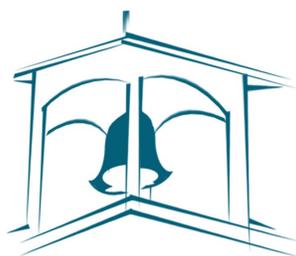


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Happy Easter from St. Margaret's House

Hello friends, we miss you and the hustle & bustle in the house. This newsletter will be slightly different to accommodate for the current crisis hitting our nation. As you all know SMH is closed until further notice. We are hoping to open in May, but as of now we are taking it one day at a time. A number of our staff is working from home. You can reach us at info@stmargarethouseeny.org, through our website or via Facebook. Please do not hesitate to contact us for future reservations or prayer needs. We are here for you!

Please periodically check out our website for updates and like us on Facebook. We will be posting activities to do during the quarantine.

Blessings,
SMH



Happy Easter Friends!

I'd like to encourage you to pray frequently, believe, and picture Psalm 91 while reading. Here are excerpts from Psalm 91, with my comments, are as follows:



Vs. 1 He/she who dwells in the shelter of the Most High,
abides under the shadow of the Almighty. *(picture this)*

Vs. 2 He/she shall say to the Lord,
"You are my refuge and my stronghold,
my God in whom I put my trust."

Vs. 3 He shall deliver you...from the deadly pestilence.

Vs. 4 He shall cover you with His pinions *(wing tips)*,
and you shall find refuge under His wings; *(picture this)*
His faithfulness shall be a shield and buckler *(armor)*.

(Picture this when you are out in public, protected by God's armor encasing you.)

Vs. 5. "You shall not be afraid of any terror by night,
nor of the (infection) that flies by day;

Vs. 6. Of the plague that stalks in the darkness,
nor of the sickness that lays waste at mid-day.

Vs. 7. A thousand shall fall at your side
and ten thousand at your right hand,
but it shall not come near you.

(Remember this and repeat it when you are out in public or afraid.)

Vs. 9. Because you have made the Lord your refuge,

Vs. 10 There shall no evil happen to you,
neither shall any plague come near your dwelling.

Vs. 14. God is speaking here: "Because he/she is bound to me in love,
therefore will I deliver him/her;

I will protect him/her because he/she knows my name *(meaning Me)*.

Vs. 15 He/she shall call upon me, and I will answer him/her;
I am with him/her in trouble;
I will rescue him/her and bring him/her to honor.

Read, pray, and picture this Psalm every morning, along with all the other things that you do to prepare for the day. Let it soak into you so that it gives you confidence, courage, and hope. Know that God is with you everywhere, all the time, and that no matter what happens, God will not abandon you to leave you to face your challenges alone. Also, remember to give thanks for God's loving presence and faithfulness and for your many blessings.