

Period 4's Lenten Calendar

Lent is the epitome of our lives.













Change your life forever,
not for 40 days.



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FEBRUARY 2018

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MARCH 2018

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February

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APRIL 2018

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March 

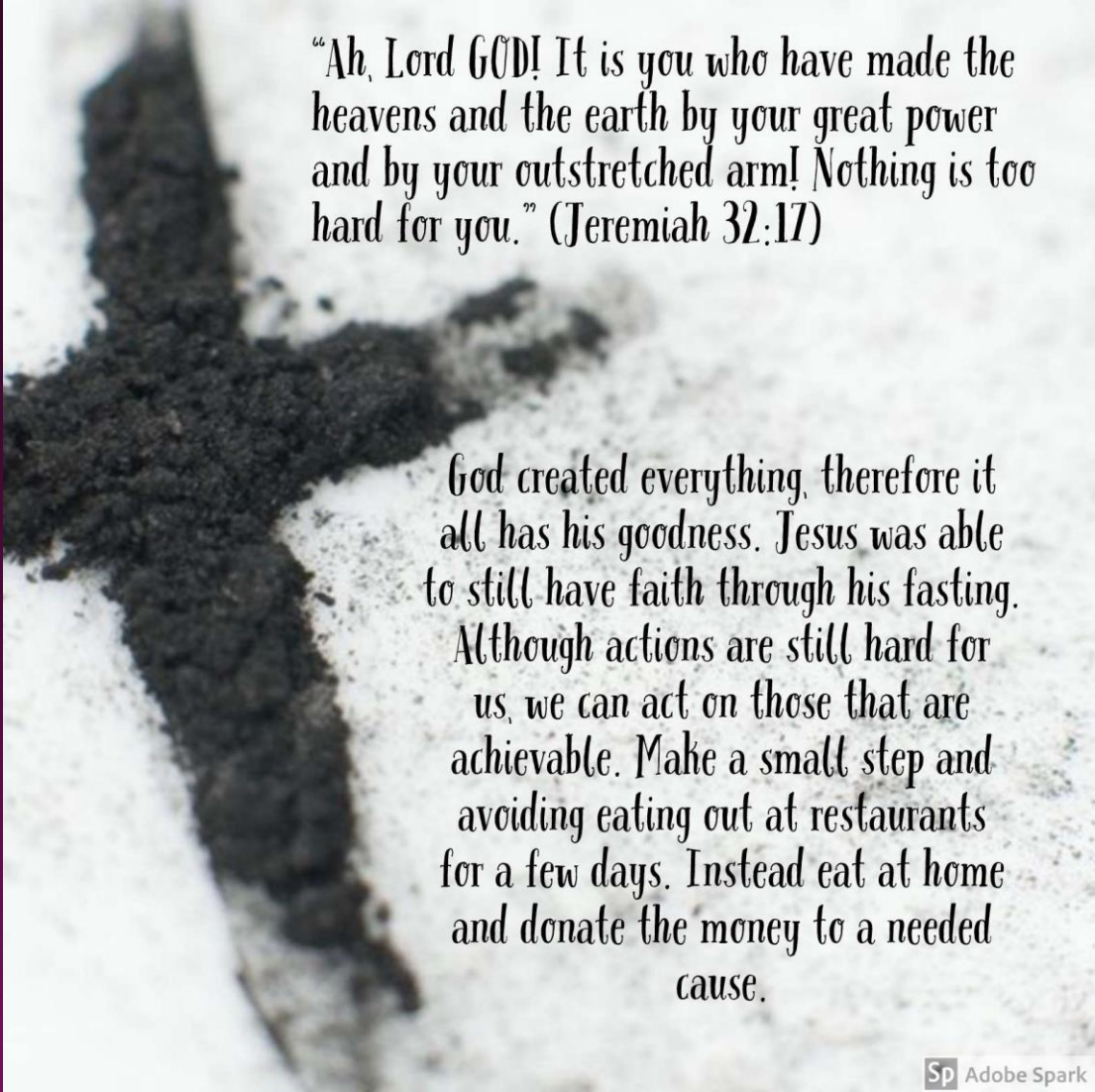
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- We do **not** recommend that you click through every slide in order. The calendars are designed so that you, the reader, use it each day.
- Click on the door for today's date to access a message, image, song or video for your reflection.
- To return to the monthly view, use the calendar icon in the bottom right corner of the slide.
- Best viewed in Full Screen mode.
- Please note that the calendar template was designed so that the week starts with Monday and ends on Sunday.



February 14, 2018



“Ah, Lord GOD! It is you who have made the heavens and the earth by your great power and by your outstretched arm! Nothing is too hard for you.” (Jeremiah 32:17)

God created everything, therefore it all has his goodness. Jesus was able to still have faith through his fasting. Although actions are still hard for us, we can act on those that are achievable. Make a small step and avoiding eating out at restaurants for a few days. Instead eat at home and donate the money to a needed cause.



February 15, 2018



**"I CALL HEAVEN AND EARTH TODAY TO WITNESS AGAINST YOU. I HAVE SET BEFORE YOU LIFE AND DEATH, THE BLESSING AND THE CURSE. CHOOSE LIFE, THEN."
(DEUTERONOMY 30:19)**

REFLECT ON THIS BIBLE VERSE IN THE QUIET OF YOUR HEART AND THE WAYS YOU CAN BE A BETTER STEWARD FOR GOD'S CREATION. RECYCLE WHENEVER YOU CAN TO CHOOSE LIFE.

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February 16, 2018

*"I am the light of the world. Whoever follows me will not walk in Darkness, but will have the Light of Life."
(John 8:12)*

PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE
CARRYING NEW LIFE, THOSE
WHO WISH TO CARRY LIFE,
AND THOSE WHO SEEK TO
END LIFE.

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February 17, 2018

“God saw everything that he had made, and indeed, it was very good.” (Genesis 1:31)

Since all God's creation is good, we need to help take care of all living creatures. To do this, try to volunteer at an animal shelter within the next few months.

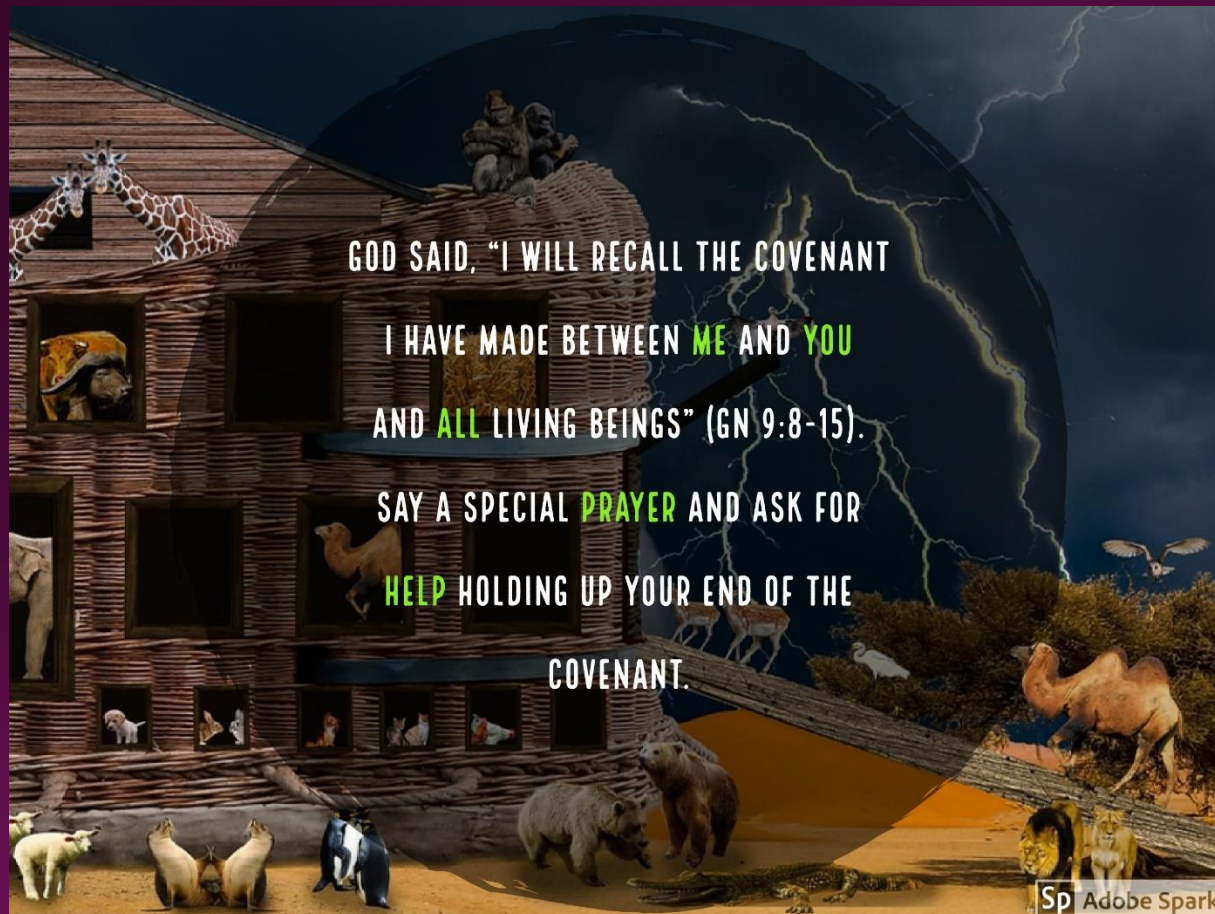


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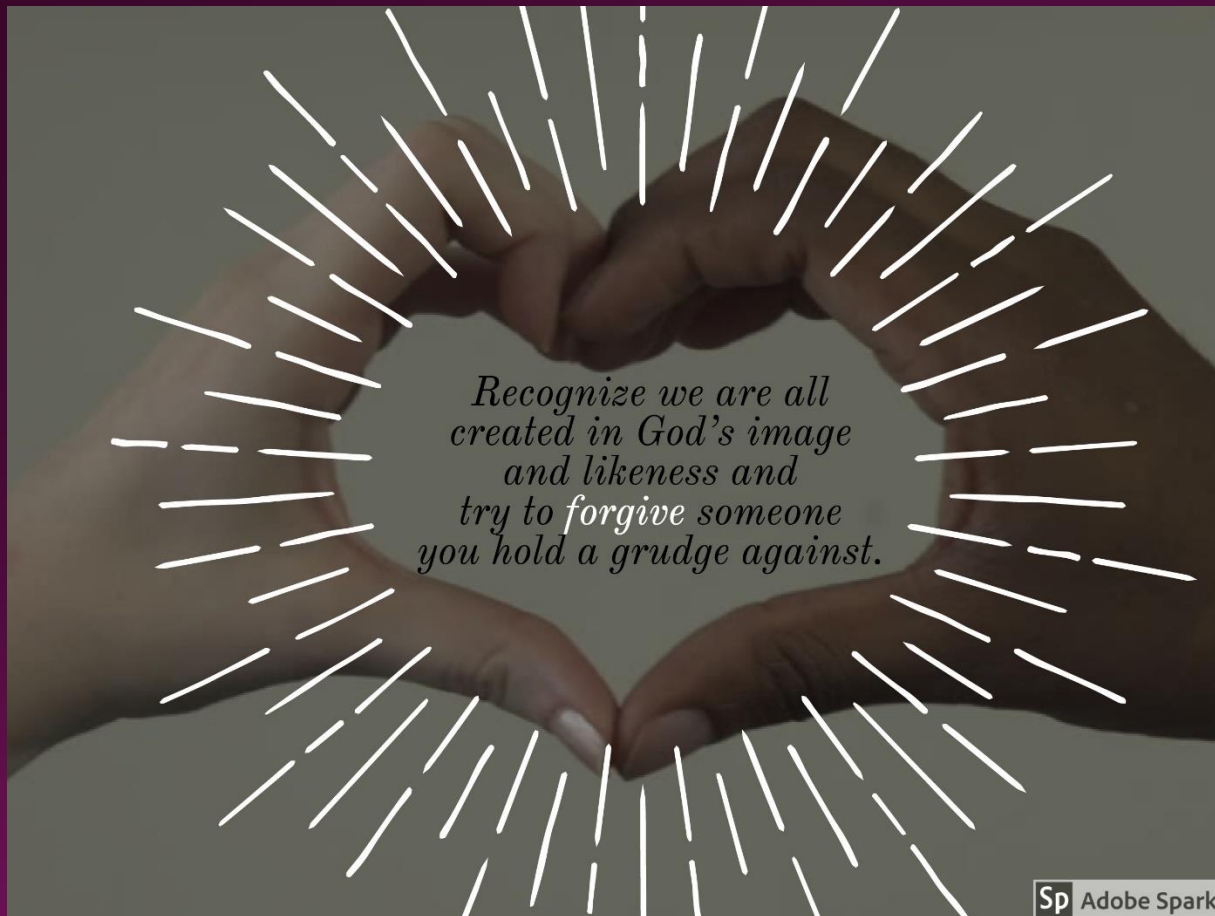
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February 18, 2018



February 19, 2018



February 20, 2018



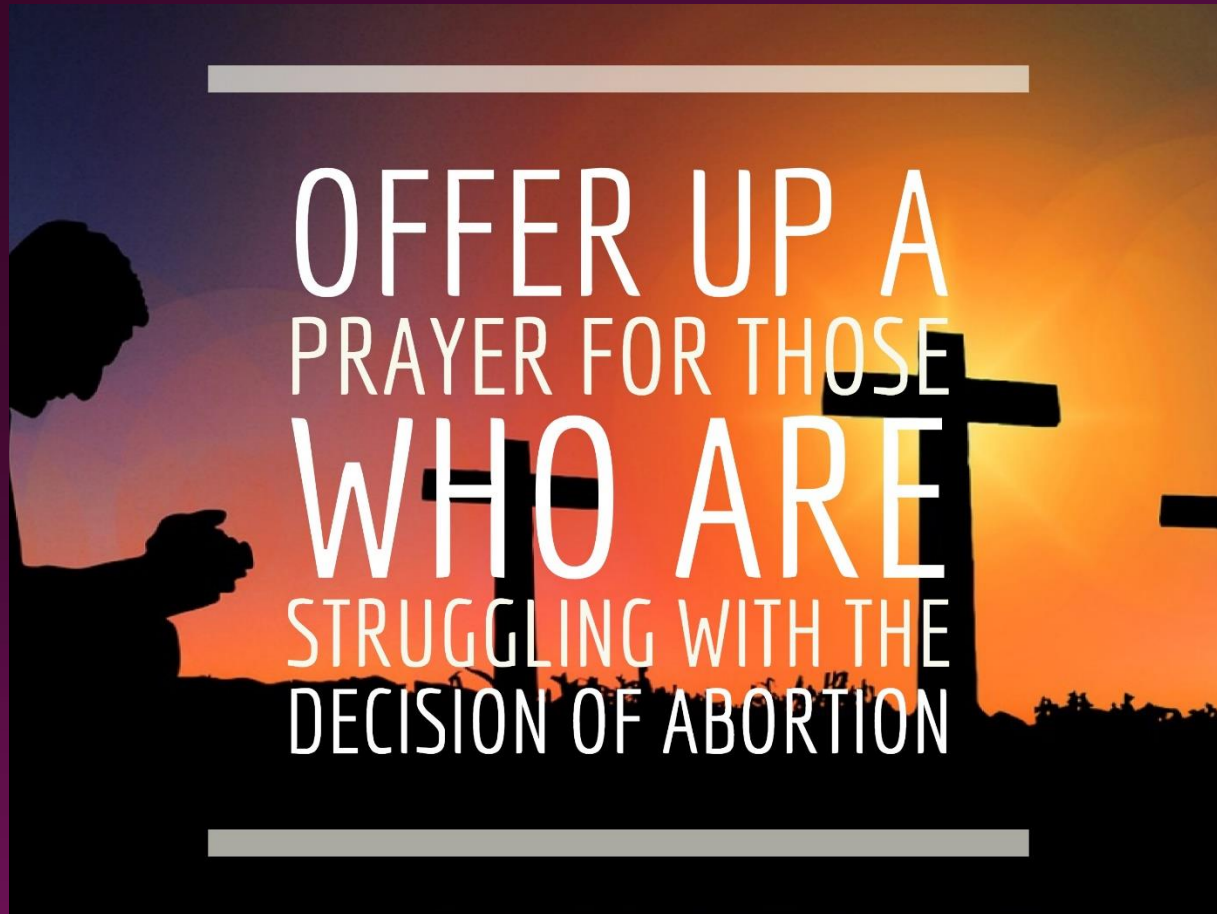
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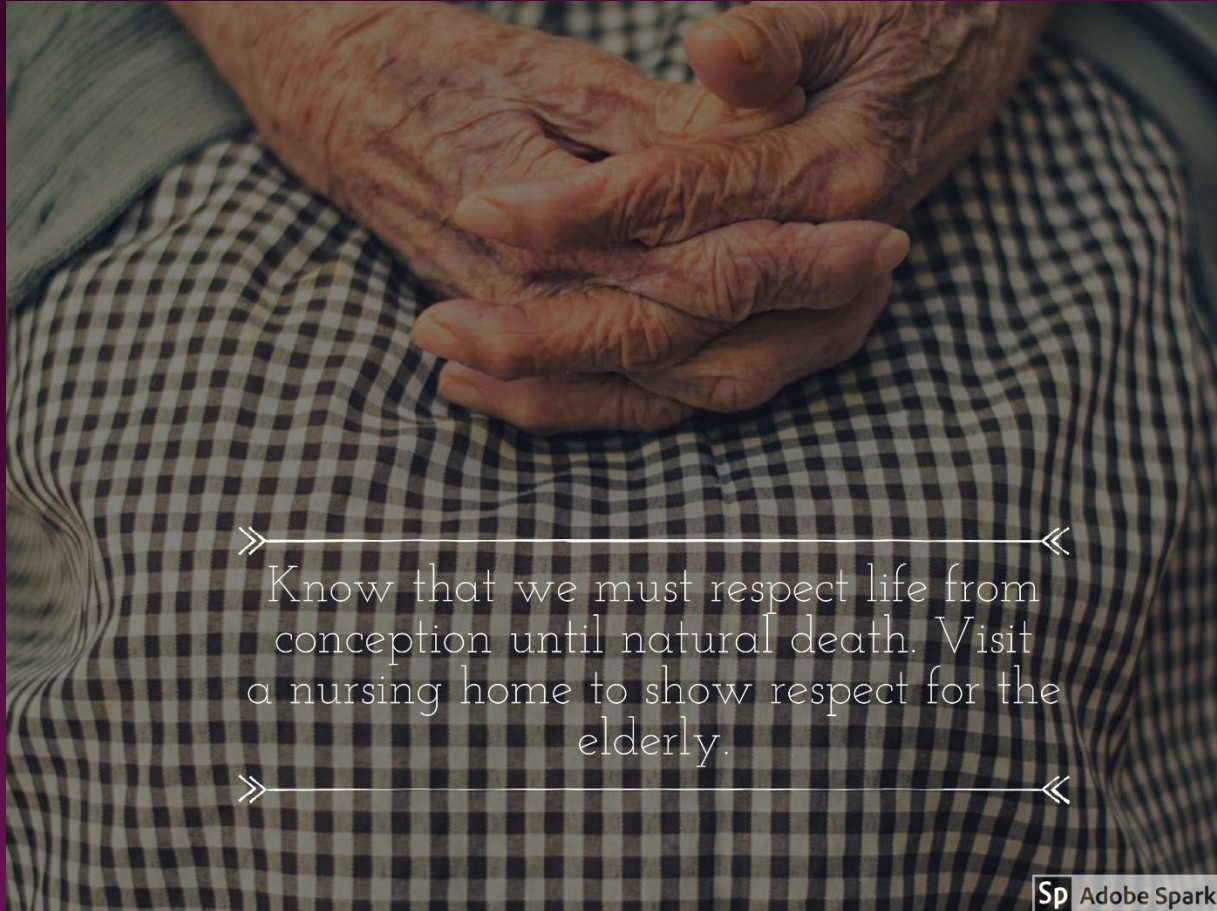
February 21, 2018



February 22, 2018



February 23, 2018



»—————«
Know that we must respect life from
conception until natural death. Visit
a nursing home to show respect for the
elderly.
»—————«



February 24, 2018





February 25, 2018

“TO CARE FOR THOSE WHO ONCE CARED FOR US IS ONE OF THE HIGHEST HONORS.” – TIA WALKER

Do an act of service for someone you look up to today.

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February 26, 2018



*Try to **focus** on what is important.*



*Listen to God and allow yourself to be
directed.*





February 27, 2018

A NEW COMMANDMENT I GIVE YOU: LOVE ONE ANOTHER. AS I HAVE LOVED YOU, SO ALSO YOU MUST LOVE ONE ANOTHER.

BY THIS ALL MEN WILL KNOW THAT YOU ARE MY DISCIPLES, IF YOU LOVE ONE ANOTHER.” -JOHN 13: 34-35

LOOK INTO CHARITIES THAT YOU CAN GIVE TO OR WORK AT ONE TO HELP THOSE IN NEED.



February 28, 2018



*Take a few seconds
to tell your
parents how much
you **love** them.*





March 1, 2018



The best kinds of friends are
the ones that require no
thanks.

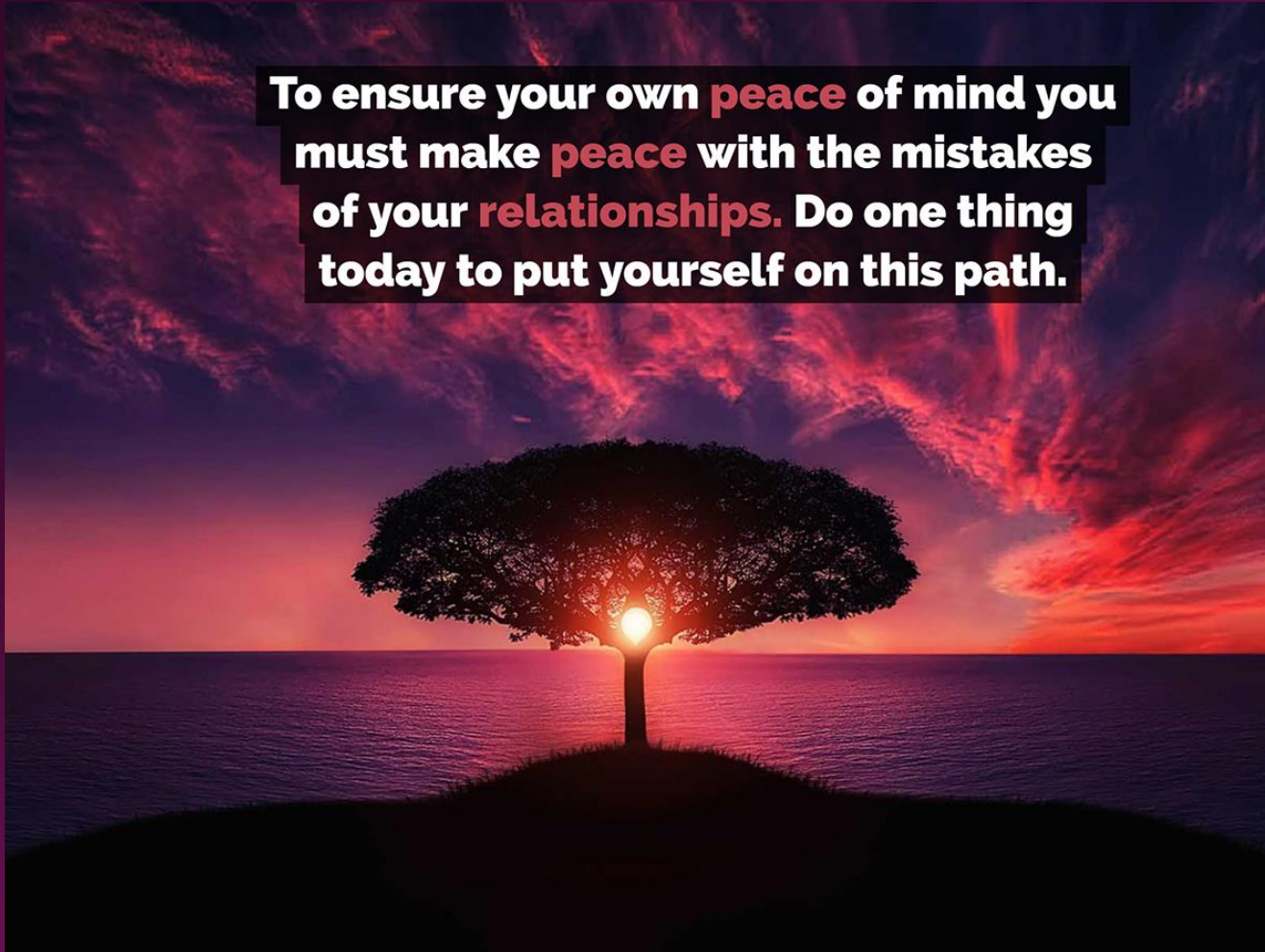
Pray
for
that
friend
today.



March 2, 2018



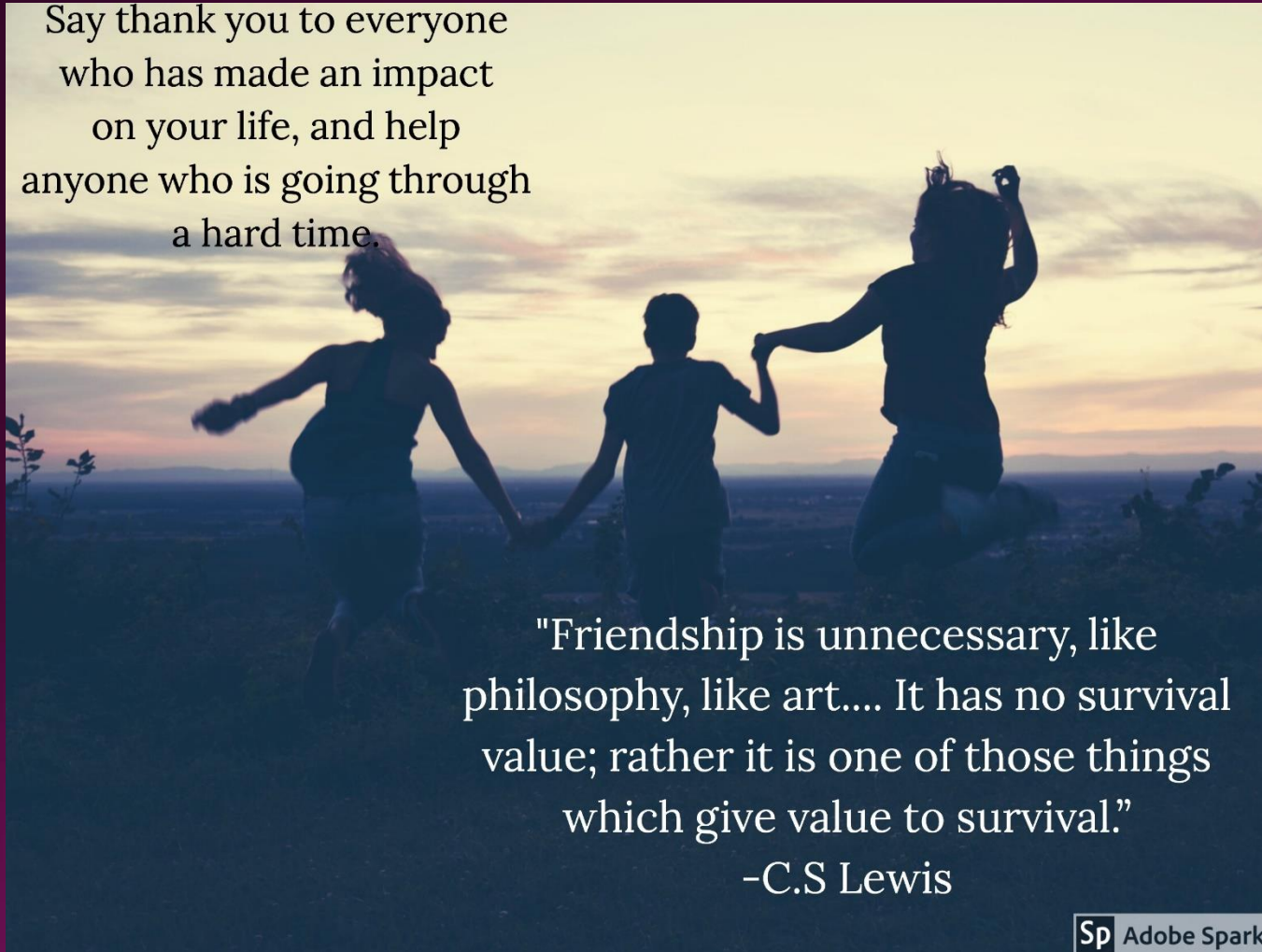
To ensure your own **peace of mind you must make **peace** with the mistakes of your **relationships**. Do one thing today to put yourself on this path.**





March 3, 2018

Say thank you to everyone who has made an impact on your life, and help anyone who is going through a hard time.



"Friendship is unnecessary, like philosophy, like art.... It has no survival value; rather it is one of those things which give value to survival."

-C.S Lewis



March 4, 2018

*Embrace
your right
to emigrate
and immigrate*

*“Do not neglect
to show hospitality
to strangers...”*

Hebrews 13:2

WELCOME AN INTERNATIONAL STUDENT

INTO YOUR HOME OR THROW A

WELCOME GET TOGETHER FOR A NEW

INTERNATIONAL FAMILY IN YOUR

(CHURCH) COMMUNITY



March 5, 2018



View & reflect on
[this video](#)
about the rites of
moral & cultural values



March 6, 2018

**“LIFE IN SOCIETY IS NOT
SOMETHING ACCESSORY TO
HUMANITY...MEN AND WOMEN DEVELOP
ALL THEIR TALENTS
AND BECOME ABLE TO RISE TO THEIR DESTINY.”**

GAUDIUM ET SPES, 1965

*Talk to a friend, parent, or other trusted adult
about vocations. Ask him or her how he or she
heard God calling him or her to the single, married,
or religious life.*



March 7, 2018



Pray that the world will live in perfect
harmony, where all rights are
protected, and each individual will
feel loved.

“To deny people their human
rights is to challenge their very
humanity.” -Nelson Mandela



March 8, 2018

Give respect to everyone and their choice of religion, for all are crafted with human dignity, which is a right we must respect.



“The constitutional freedom of religion is the most inalienable and sacred of all human rights.”
- Thomas Jefferson



March 9, 2018

"MAN HAS THE RIGHT TO LIVE. HE HAS THE RIGHT TO BODILY INTEGRITY AND TO THE MEANS NECESSARY FOR THE PROPER DEVELOPMENT OF LIFE, PARTICULARLY FOOD, CLOTHING, SHELTER, MEDICAL CARE, REST, AND, FINALLY, THE NECESSARY SOCIAL SERVICES."

PACEM IN TERRIS, 1963



CLEAN OUT YOUR CLOSET AND DONATE THE CLOTHES TO A LOCAL GOODWILL OR CLOTHING DRIVE.

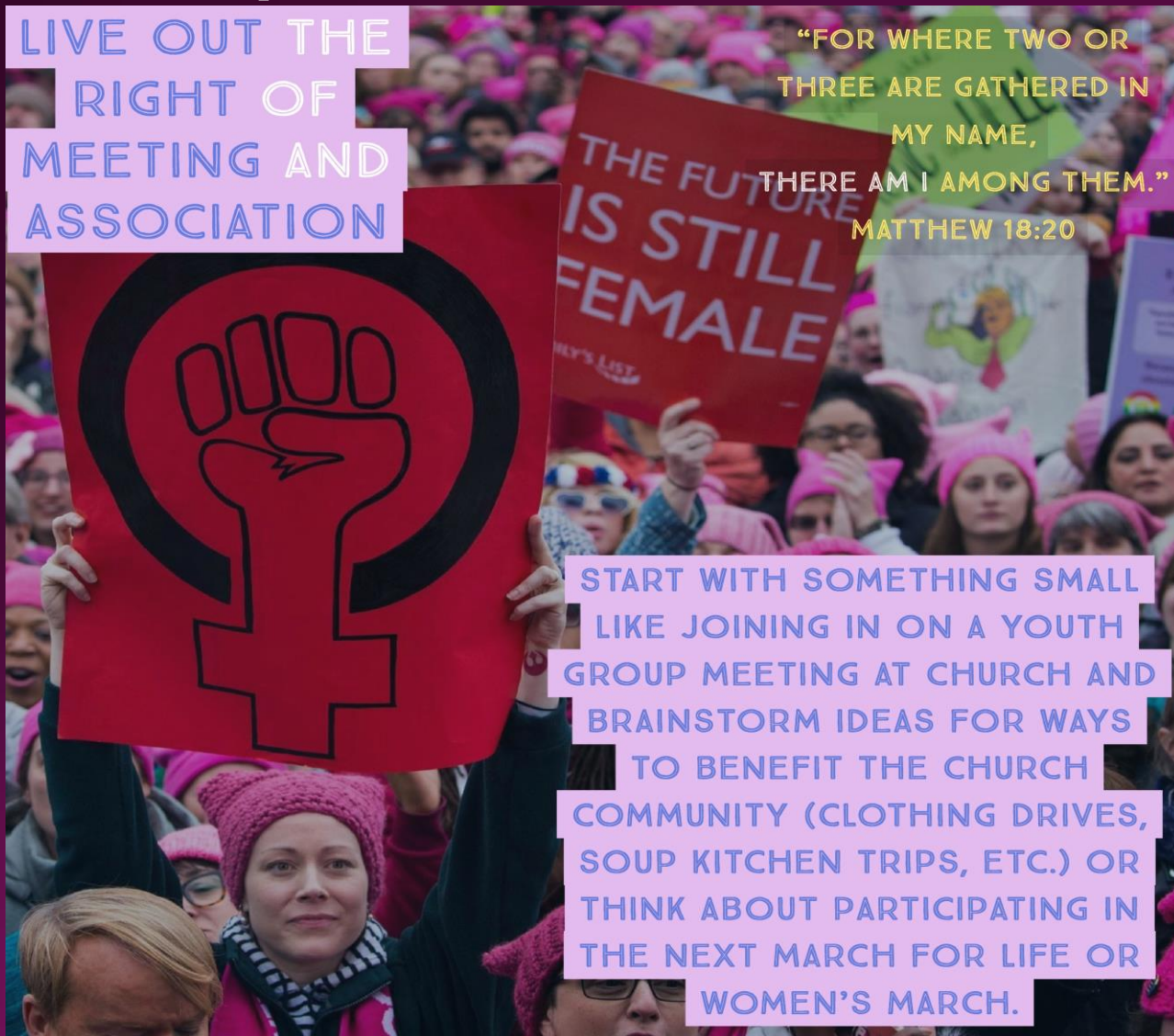


March 10, 2018

LIVE OUT THE
RIGHT OF
MEETING AND
ASSOCIATION

“FOR WHERE TWO OR
THREE ARE GATHERED IN
MY NAME,
THERE AM I AMONG THEM.”
MATTHEW 18:20

START WITH SOMETHING SMALL
LIKE JOINING IN ON A YOUTH
GROUP MEETING AT CHURCH AND
BRAINSTORM IDEAS FOR WAYS
TO BENEFIT THE CHURCH
COMMUNITY (CLOTHING DRIVES,
SOUP KITCHEN TRIPS, ETC.) OR
THINK ABOUT PARTICIPATING IN
THE NEXT MARCH FOR LIFE OR
WOMEN’S MARCH.



March 11, 2018

“IF YOU CAN'T FEED A HUNDRED PEOPLE
THEN FEED JUST ONE.”

-MOTHER TERESA

GATHER A GROUP OF PEOPLE IN YOUR
COMMUNITY TO HELP FEED THE POOR



March 12, 2018

TAKE LEGISLATIVE
ACTION AND GET
INVOLVED IN YOUR LOCAL
GOVERNMENT **TO FIGHT**
FOR THE RIGHTS
OF THE POOR

BE A **VOICE**
FOR THE
VOICELESS



March 13, 2018

*“Blessed are the
poor in spirit, for
theirs is the kingdom
of heaven.”
-Matthew 5:3*

*Help those who aren't in relationship
with God*



March 14, 2018



March 15, 2018



Read 'The
Development
of Peoples'
to learn
more about
Poverty

[The
Development
of Peoples](#)



March 16, 2018



March 17, 2018



[Read more about Toys for Tots](#)



March 18, 2018



March 19, 2018

CARRY ON THE WORKS OF **CESAR
CHAVEZ**

*Is your work contributing to
the goodness of the world?*

**"WE CANNOT SEEK ACHIEVEMENT FOR OURSELVES
AND FORGET ABOUT PROGRESS AND
PROSPERITY FOR OUR COMMUNITY"**



March 20, 2018

*REKUM NOVARUM, A SOCIAL ENCYCLICAL,
STATES THAT WORKERS DESERVE
A WAGE THAT IS SUFFICIENT
TO SUPPORT A FAMILY.*



**EMPLOYERS: RECONSIDER
YOUR WAGES. ARE THEY FAIR?
ARE THEY SUBSTANTIAL? DO THEY REFLECT THE
EMPLOYEES' HARD WORK?**



March 21, 2018

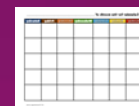
SAY A *PRAYER OF THANKS* FOR THE *OPPORTUNITY TO WORK*



*Sweat and toil,...present the Christian
and everyone who is called to follow Christ
with the possibility of sharing lovingly in
the work that Christ came to do."*

Saint Pope John Paul II. On Human Work

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March 22, 2018

Inspiration:

*FROM SOUP
KITCHEN TO
BAKERY...*

A GROUP OF HOMELESS PEOPLE,
WHO ATE AT THE SOUP KITCHEN
DAILY WERE GIVEN THE
OPPORTUNITY TO BE TRAINED
FOR WORK IN A BAKERY BY
THE VOLUNTEERS AT THE SOUP
KITCHEN. THIS PROVIDED THE
HOMELESS WITH A FAIR CHANCE
TO GET A JOB.

Challenge:

CHALLENGE YOURSELF TO HELP THOSE WHO ARE
UNEMPLOYED BY OFFERING THEM A JOB DOING
SOMETHING SIMPLE WHENEVER POSSIBLE. IF YOU
ARE AN EMPLOYEE, REFER THE UNEMPLOYED PERSON
TO YOUR EMPLOYER.



March 23, 2018

Challenge: Practice integrity and equality in your work. Share what you have with others and work together to achieve a common goal of fairness.

“Anyone who has two shirts should share with the one who has none, and anyone who has food should do the same.”

-Luke 3:10-14



March 24, 2018



March 25, 2018

"MANY PEOPLE SPREAD THEIR CLOAKS ON THE ROAD, AND OTHERS SPREAD LEAFY BRANCHES THAT THEY HAD CUT FROM THE FIELDS. THOSE PRECEDING HIM AS WELL AS THOSE FOLLOWING KEPT CRYING OUT:

"HOSANNA!

BLESSED IS HE WHO COMES IN THE NAME OF THE LORD!
BLESSED IS THE KINGDOM OF OUR FATHER DAVID
THAT IS TO COME!" -MARK 11:1-10

THE PEOPLE CHEERING FOR JESUS WERE THE SAME INDIVIDUALS THAT RIOTED FOR HIS CRUCIFIXION A FEW DAYS LATER. REACH OUT TO AN INDIVIDUAL YOU MAY HAVE "CRUCIFIED" IN THE PAST. FAST FROM HURTFUL WORDS THAT TEAR OTHERS DOWN.



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March 26, 2018



"I, the LORD, have called you for the **victory of justice**, I have grasped you by the hand; I formed you, and set you as a **covenant of the people**, a light for the nations." -Isaiah 42:6-7

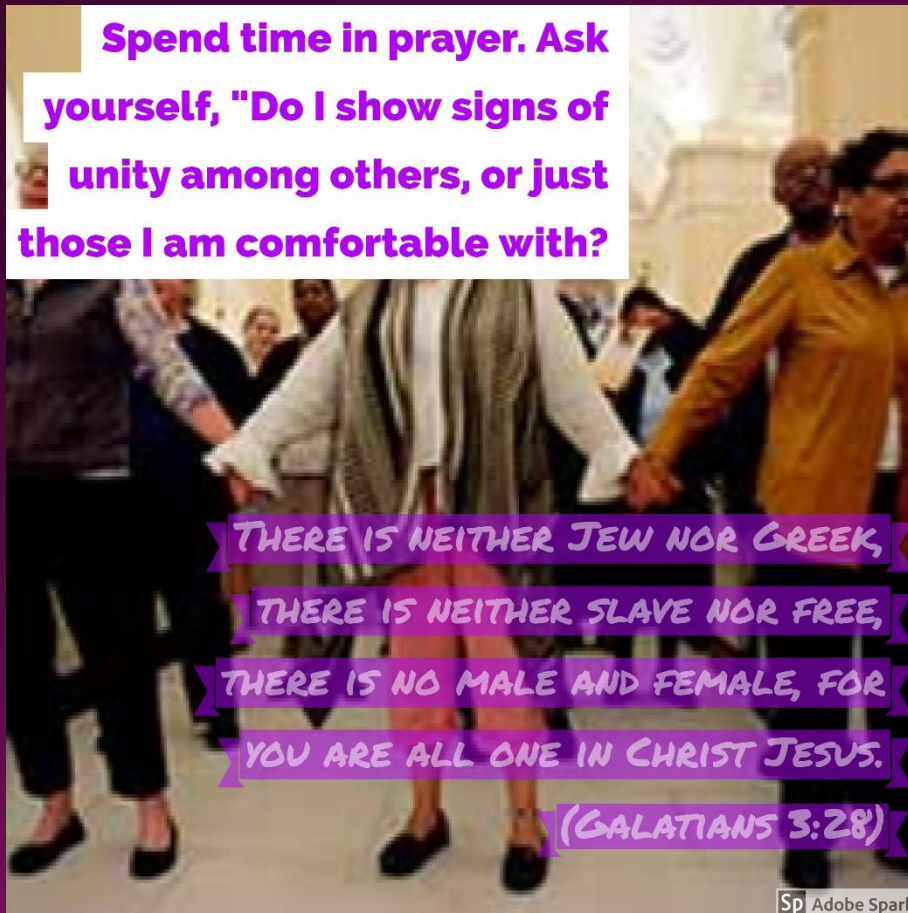
Fast from alienating yourself from others. By creating separations, you distance yourself from God and others. **Welcome the "stranger"** in you life by talking to someone new today.

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March 27, 2018

Spend time in prayer. Ask yourself, "Do I show signs of unity among others, or just those I am comfortable with?"



THERE IS NEITHER JEW NOR GREEK,

THERE IS NEITHER SLAVE NOR FREE,

THERE IS NO MALE AND FEMALE, FOR

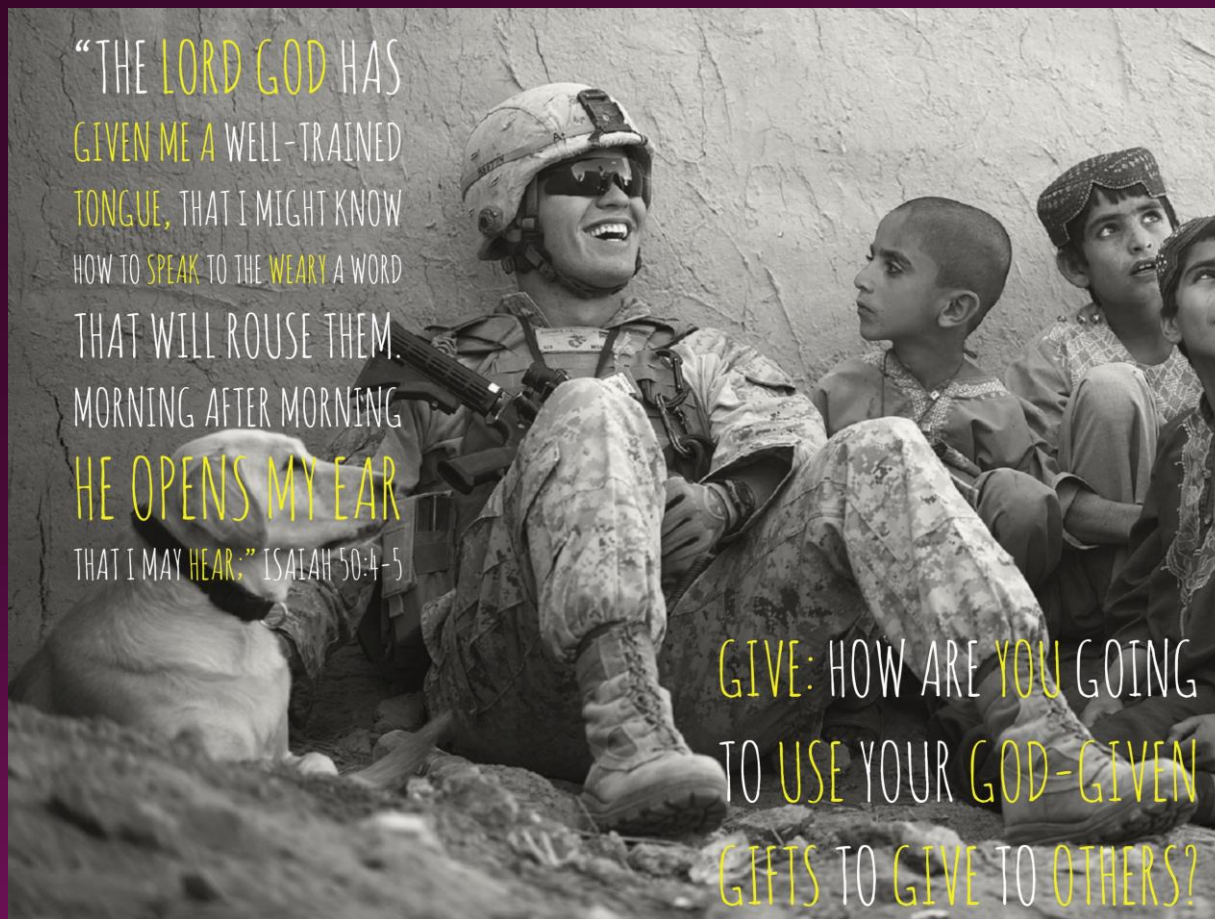
YOU ARE ALL ONE IN CHRIST JESUS.

(GALATIANS 3:28)

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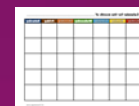


March 28, 2018



“THE LORD GOD HAS
GIVEN ME A WELL-TRAINED
TONGUE, THAT I MIGHT KNOW
HOW TO SPEAK TO THE WEARY A WORD
THAT WILL ROUSE THEM.
MORNING AFTER MORNING
HE OPENS MY EAR
THAT I MAY HEAR.” ISAIAH 50:4-5

GIVE: HOW ARE YOU GOING
TO USE YOUR GOD-GIVEN
GIFTS TO GIVE TO OTHERS?



March 29, 2018

Spend time giving alms- Ask yourself, do you serve others, or simply yourself?

**“THE BEST WAY
TO FIND YOURSELF
IS TO LOSE YOURSELF
IN THE **service**
OF OTHERS.”**

Mahatma Gandhi



March 30, 2018

"They shall look upon him
whom they have pierced."

John 19:37

Pray that we may have the wisdom to recognize and
see God in our communities and within ourselves.

Think of those whom we have "pierced" with our
actions and work to make things right.

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March 31, 2018



April 1, 2018

*Lent is the epitome of our lives.
Our service does not end after today.*



Watch this video and meditate on how you can continue to care for God's creation all year.

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