

Prophetic Word for City Church Cambridge

As read by Angela Kemm on 1st January 2017

I believe God is calling us to build and expand on the foundation that is already there. The structure is firm enough to take the rigours of expansion that He will bring to mind in the coming year.

We will be called a 'market place' church as we will be coming and going from this building into society, then back again.

Four stones with which to build this year will be:

Everyday Encouragement: We need to intentionally encourage each other so that any cynicism, doubt or disillusionment will be broken and hope restored. And we will take encouragement and hope to a waiting world which will bring great healing to minds and hearts.

Everyday Encounter: As we seek the face of God and worship Him, He will fill us with peace and power for ourselves and for a broken world. The Lord says "Seek my face." Our answer "Your face will we seek." His presence gives us security, love and courage.

Everyday Expectation: As we read the Bible and hear preaching, we will be expectant that He will speak to us, give us great power and that we will inherit all His promises as He is not a man that He should lie. He has said it, so He will do it. All His promises are 'Yes' in Jesus. Expectation creates opportunity.

Everyday Experience: As we come together as family, we learn the ropes through preaching, teaching, practise and the experience of His miraculous power. We then take our ropes of knowledge and experience, in the power of the Holy Spirit, into society where we pass on pieces of our rope by teaching them about Jesus, bringing healing and making disciples. We will experience His wonderful miraculous power as we serve others in this way. And we will experience joy.

"The Spirit of the Sovereign Lord is upon us because He has anointed us to bring Good News to the poor. He has sent us to proclaim liberty to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to set at liberty those who are oppressed, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour."