

Core Characteristics of Heaven:

1. **God will be with us.**

They will see his face, and his name will be on their foreheads.

Revelation 22:4

2. **He will be our God.**

Behold, the dwelling place of God is with man. He will dwell with them, and they will be his people, and God himself will be with them as their God.

Revelation 21:3

3. **There will be no pain or suffering.**

He will wipe away every tear from their eyes, and death shall be no more, neither shall there be mourning, nor crying, nor pain anymore, for the former things have passed away.

Revelation 21:4

His Peace

Therefore, having been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Romans 5:1

PRAYER WARRIORS:

While interceding in the 24/7 prayer room, we want to press into Jeff's messages, as you pray for our church family, community, and the world. Also, we encourage you to utilize the various stations that are meant to help inspire you and help us pursue unity in prayer.

This past month we have been going through various messages. You may consider praying through these passages:

- **Revelation 21:10-11:** *And he carried me away in the Spirit to a great, high mountain, and showed me the holy city Jerusalem coming down out of heaven from God, having the glory of God, its radiance like a most rare jewel, like a jasper, clear as crystal.*
- **Hebrews 11:13:** *These all died in faith, not having received the things promised, but having seen them and greeted them from afar, and having acknowledged that they were strangers and exiles on the earth.*
- **Revelation 22:13-14:** *I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end. Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they may have the right to the tree of life and that they may enter the city by the gates.*
- **Revelation 22:20-21:** *He who testifies to these things says, "Surely I am coming soon." Amen. Come, Lord Jesus! The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all. Amen.*
- **Matthew 1:22-23:** *All this took place to fulfill what the Lord had spoken by the prophet: "Behold, the virgin shall conceive and bear a son, and they shall call his name Immanuel" (which means, God with us).*
- **Luke 19:10:** *For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.*

Prayer for:

Citywide Fast:

We want to make you aware of a citywide fast with the Houston Church Plant Network (HCPN), all the churches as a whole and WoodsEdge are gathering for a citywide fast February 1-28. More details to come.

Upcoming Events:

Pray over these upcoming events in your weekly intercession time.

Sunday AM Classes | starting January

Prayers for those in attendance to grow through Bible study groups that engage people in disciple-making and connection.

Wednesday Night Prayer Service | resumes January 3

Join us in worship and intercession as we press into topics each week such as children, marriage, healing, revival, Houston becoming a city of God, and so many more.

FREEDOM WEEKEND - Student Ministry | January 12-14

Pray that our students would experience true freedom in Jesus – freedom from their pas, freedom to embrace who God has created them to be, and freedom to step boldly into their destiny.

Perspectives – Missional Life | January 16

Prayer for those going through the class as they learn, grow, and engage in God's global purpose to all the nations and invitation into the remarkable opportunities to co-labor with Him in His global purpose.

re|engage Interest Nights – Marriage Ministry | January 15 & 22

Prayer for the marriages within our church body and those that will attend. That their marriages may be enriched, healed, restored in their walk with Christ and each other. Launch begins January 29.

Word & Spirit Course – Prayer Ministry | starts January 28

Prayer for those studying the theological foundation for the Spiritual Gifts and opportunities to get hands-on discipleship in authentically pursuing the Spiritual Gifts in each of their lives.