

prayer guide  
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# OPENNESS

James has been our pastor for twenty years. Pray that our hearts are adapting and are open to a new pastor leading us, realizing that there may be differences.

Reflect that God is present, and is creating something new. While an unknown journey awaits, know that God is doing a new work in First Church, in you, and in Pastor James

For the Israelites, the Babylonian exile was both a physical and spiritual desert. In Isaiah 43:19, the tone shifts, and we read,

**F**or I am about to do something new. See, I have already begun! Do you not see it? I will make a pathway through the wilderness. I will create rivers in the dry wasteland.

Questions? Concerns? Ideas?  
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