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Greetings My Family in Christ!

First of all, we are doing well, and we are very grateful and humbled by all of your notes of concern and inquiries of what we might need. As always our Lord has richly provided for us, but we will let you know when we start eyeing the squirrels for lunches. Sorry you haven't heard from me in a couple of days, but I have been working on getting things set up for providing a video taping of a simplified form of the Divine Service for Sunday, as well as hopefully Lenten Midweeks which we will post on our church website (www.stjohnsfarley.com) and also provide CDs to those without internet access.

I am also working on putting in a new tab/page on the website dedicated to our time while dealing with the Coronavirus -- it will have updated information on what is going on with the congregation and resources for our St. John's family to use at home for Bible Study, Devotions, etc.

If you could also send me your high school/college student's email I would appreciate it. I may already have it, but want to make sure so that I can also send them some great resources from Higher Things on a regular basis (and I'll share them on the website as well, for they are good for any age - great articles and video shorts).

Finally, again as I have written previously, be encouraged, strengthened and live like you are baptized - alive and held in Christ! Live each day with Eternal perspective and the knowledge that nothing in this world can separate you from the Love of God in Christ! Be especially aware of your fellow members -- not only praying for them, but in these days of isolation, give a quick phone call or send a note, and let us support and build one another in Christ. Know that you remain in my prayers, and more importantly, in the strong hands of Christ!

The Lord Bless you and keep you, The Lord make His face shine on you and be gracious to you. The Lord look upon you with favor and (+) give you peace. Amen Pastor