

PUBLIC WORDS

FROM THE BOARD OF ELDERS

God is at work in and through this church in so many great ways, and we as a Board of Elders are encouraged by what we see Him doing here. We see it in the way people's lives are being changed every week. It is a sign of the presence of the Lord among us.

God has had His hand upon us throughout the years as a congregation, and we thank Him for His faithfulness to us, His favour, and the way He is stirring our hearts for His will. And we thank Him for the vision He has given us: *Releasing the Kingdom of Heaven on Earth*. That vision has brought us to this point.

Today is a special day for us in our history as a church: the time has come for us to together seek God for His new name for us.

The idea of a new name for our church began as far back as ten years ago. In 2008 our Elders all agreed that we would eventually—in God's timing—need a new name. Over the years we have talked about it, shared it with our Membership, prayed about it, and waited on God for His timing to move ahead. In November 2017 our Elders sensed the time had come to move forward.

We believe that God already has a new name for us. Please join together in earnestly seeking God and asking for His hand to be upon this process.

—The Board of Elders

SEEKING GOD

FOR HIS NAME FOR US