

20 Trafalgar Street  
St. Thomas, ON (not a mailing address)

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

*"Ye are all children of light, and the children of the day; We are not of the night, nor of darkness. Therefore let us not sleep, as do others; but let us watch and be sober. For they that sleep sleep in the night; and they that be drunken are drunken in the night. But let us, who are of the day, be sober, putting on the breastplate of faith and love; for an helmet, the hope of salvation by our Lord Jesus Christ, who died for us, that, whether we wake or sleep, we should live together with him. Wherefore comfort yourselves together, and edify one another, even as also ye do."* 1 Thessalonians 5:5-11.

The assembly in St. Thomas would like to invite our brethren once again for a time of meetings and fellowship together over the weekend of April 3rd to 5th.

The world we live in is a night scene, and it is very easy today to take on that same nature and fall into a state of slumber and intoxication. The Lord has called us to the opposite; to be watching and sober. May we each learn to walk an individual path of faith, like in Gideon's day, when the oppression of the Midianites "left no sustenance" in the land. Gideon was found threshing wheat in the winepress, out of sight from the enemy. It may have been a meager harvest, but it was the personal path of faith provided by the Lord. He then was able to lead Israel out into the night, walk right up to the enemy, and publicly proclaim the faith he had gathered in secret. When those vessels were broken in the dark of night, the light burst forth, and what a testimony it was to the world. The more our vessels break, the more the light can shine out. It is our prayer that the time together would be for mutual encouragement, comfort, and edification.

*"And the three companies blew the trumpets, and brake the pitchers, and held the lamps in their left hands, and the trumpets in their right hands to blow withal: and they cried, The sword of the Lord, and of Gideon."* Judges 7:20

*"The path of the righteous is as the shining light, going on and brightening until the day be fully come."*  
Proverbs 4:18

"Our earthen vessels break;  
The world itself grows old;  
But Christ our precious dust will take  
And freshly mold:  
He'll give these bodies vile  
A fashion like His own;  
He'll bid the whole creation smile,  
And hush its groan."

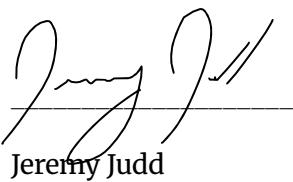
- 316, *Hymns for the Little Flock*

January 12th, 2026

The meetings are planned, if the Lord will, to begin with prayer at 1:30 pm on Friday, April 3rd, at Parkside Collegiate Institute, St. Thomas, the same location as in previous years. We also plan on using the same hotels as last year, both located in St. Thomas. Subsequent meetings will be held at the school on Saturday and Lord's Day, with both lunch and supper being served at the school. It would be appreciated if all those planning to come notified us by March 25th.

Please refer to the attached page for registration instructions, travel directions, additional planned activities, as well as some important points regarding our desires and burden for everyone who attends. We ask that all those invited be in prayer ahead of time for those who have the responsibility of speaking at the conference, and the submission to the leading of the Spirit in the meetings.

With much love in our Lord Jesus Christ from the saints gathered in St. Thomas, Ontario,



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Jeremy Judd



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Will Hayhoe



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Curtis Simpson