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“Who is he that saith, and it cometh to pass, when the Lord commandeth it not?...

Let us search and try our ways, and turn again to the Lord” (Lam 3: 37, 40).

Dear brethren,

Regardless of any human or scientific explanation that is given about this global pandemic, the biblical truth is that it is from and under the control and the purposes of our eternal, sovereign and gracious Lord.

We are kept well by the grace of God and pray the same for all of you. We are also mindful of all those who are still in the hospital or lost their dear ones, in your country and in our country. We pray our Gracious God may comfort them and make all of us to examine our lives and works in the light of Eternity.

As in many countries the lockdown in our country is for more than a month now and churches are also closed. We thank God for the technology which enables us to have some kind of communion via the web. However, we cannot have a biblical personal close felt contact in our door to door outreach and fellowship in worship and other gospel work. This great desire was felt by all of us who experienced a lockdown because of coronavirus.

So, this year we were unable to have our Spring and Autumn special evangelistic meetings as in previous years. However we try to keep in touch with some of our regular subscribers of our paper, and some not so regular attenders before the pandemic, by phone or by the web. Some of them are Alerxandros, Thanassis, Kostas, Maria.

Makis is still a backslider for a long time. I keep in touch with him having from time to time personal fellowship and prayer with him. He is pleased to hear our sermons on the web and read a short gospel message every other day through the internet. Please pray with us that he may be rescued from all false religion and return under the sound of the true gospel.

Constadina our recent contact, is a young girl with many family and personal problems. Theofanis knew her in past years and keeps in touch with her explaining the gospel and encouraging her to trust the Lord for her salvation. She visits our website and promises to come to our church's services soon after the lockdown is over.

Thank you for your prayer for Antonis a man in his forties who had serious surgery last year. He is much better now but, unfortunately, he has not yet a serious desire to trust and follow the Lord.

Our outreach activities, such as door to door distribution of our evangelistic paper “Times of Refreshing” continues although now it is more difficult as personal or close contacts are avoided due to the pandemic. Pray also for all those who visit our church's website, read our paper and hear our Sunday morning's sermons.

Please pray with us for those who are walking by our premises daily, reading our two large Bible exhibitions in the front with a number of different bible texts. Some, from time to time, step in during morning hours, asking for a free copy of the N.T, or more information.

Please pray also for the three minutes gospel message transmitted through an automatic telephone answering device, 24 hours. Many hear the gospel 24 hours a day but very few are responding asking for a copy of the NT or our paper “Times of Refreshing”.

We thank God through the technical help of Theofanis and another young man in our church, we have been able to have our own site on the internet for our church and our gospel activities such as our evangelistic paper “Times of Refreshing”, biblical lessons by correspondence and sermons from our Sunday worship on YouTube.

Our website address is www.kairoianapsyxis.gr and on Facebook:
<https://www.facebook.com/kairoianapsyxis>

Theofanis is keeping well and is a good help to me in the pulpit and in other gospel activities of the church. He is doing his second year of studies via the internet, in the Metropolitan Theological seminary, London. Please pray for him as he desires to serve the Lord. He is praying that the Lord will prepare and show him the way to be more useful and effective in our church’s activities.

We are thankful to our Gracious Lord, as we were able this year to cover all our church’s premises expenses (Rent, electricity, telephone and water bills etc) although still some church members are jobless. Please pray that the Lord may raise a new young generation to continue the gospel work here and elsewhere, providing a suitable person to replace me here in our church.

So, we thank all of you under God, for your faithful prayers and gifts towards the work of the gospel throughout this year and the many years in the past. May our Gracious and Sovereign Lord and Saviour, continue to bless you, your families and your churches, this Christmas season and enjoy a blessed and fruitful new year for His glory.

We look to our merciful and Sovereign Redeemer not only to save people from this pandemic but to grant repentance and saving faith to many. Let our trust and prayers address Him who though always rich, became poor for our sake (2 Cor. 8, 9).

Yours in our Lord’s service

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