

Daily Devotion For December 6, 2021

“For to us a child is born, to us a son is given; and the government shall be upon his shoulder, and his name shall be called Wonderful Counselor, Mighty God, Everlasting Father, **Prince of Peace.**” Isaiah 9:6

Yesterday during our service of worship, Pat Wong lit the second advent candle and read the above passage of scripture from Isaiah 9:6. The second advent candle, is the candle of peace.

Scripture reveals to us that our God is the giver, sustainer, and author of peace. In order for us to fully grasp and live with the peace promised to us in Scripture, we must first understand that the nature and character of God is one of peace.

Scripture is filled with declarations about God’s peaceful nature and desire for peace on earth. I Corinthians 14:33 says, “For God is not a God of confusion but of peace.” Romans 14:17 says, “For the kingdom of God is not a matter of eating and drinking but of righteousness and peace and joy in the Holy Spirit.” And Philippians 4:9 says, “What you have learned and received and heard and seen in me—practice these things, and the God of peace will be with you.”

God longs for you to experience His peace in the midst of any circumstance that you might find yourself today. Nothing robs God of his peace. Nothing can take it away. Peace is within the very nature of our Creator. And when we come to him, open our heart, and receive his presence we can experience His peace.

Thought For Today: Reflect and meditate on the peace of God. Where are you without peace today? Cast your burdens and cares upon Him and allow His peace to fill you throughout the day. “Now may the Lord of peace himself give you peace at all times in every way. The Lord be with you all.” 2 Thessalonians 3:16

Today’s Prayer Focus: Take time to review the updated prayer fuel and let the Holy Spirit lead and guide you as you pray. Deo Volente.