

Deidre Chat Thursday June 24

From WGM to Everyone: 10:49 AM

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From Me to Everyone: 10:59 AM

We're so glad you're back with us! :-)

Ephesians 3:14-21

Legacy of aliveness from generation to generation the saints are called to be!

God's past faithfulness is on display because we are here gathered here from around the world on God's mission! We fulfil the prayer prayed centuries ago!

The prayer of the Ephesians has been unfolding generation after generation. Centuries ago someone took seriously the call of faith.

The promise that has held true in the past is true today.

When people belong to Christ, no two ways about it--they belong to the family of God!

Radical unleashing of God who wants ALL people to be His. Our heritage--passing on the good news of God through generations.

Because of love, we cooperate with God as carriers of Light

Put the whole of your being into the hands of God, live out what you have been beckoned towards...

No one gets to the end because of a family name...each generation chooses.

My family gave me a sense of steady witness that Jesus is alive and that holiness is a call and a possibility. BUT it isn't my witness until I step into it and make my faith my own worked out in a world that my grandparents and great grands couldn't imagine, in my generation.

What does it mean to be holy in THIS generation?

what does it mean to build on the best of tradition and yet be shaped by this generation?

What does it mean to be alive in Christ in THIS generation, today?

What does it mean to be Christ bearing NOW?

The crisis of today is not overwhelming to God, not unknown to Him. God is at work drawing each generation to Himself.

Each generation is called to active spiritual service!

Are we discipling thoughtfully the next generation so they can live out Jesus in their generation?

Are we curious disciples of Jesus willing to step out knowing God is going before us?

Are we storytellers of God's stories?

Are we spies looking for what He's doing?

Are we ambassadors of Jesus?

Tattoos on the Heart.

Father Greg Boyle.

What is your God sighting this week?

Stories of faith that shape us--are we telling them so others can know God?

Do we shine? Live a life that invites others in to see Jesus? Do we serve the ones He brings us? Do we listen, listen wholly? Are we living in reconciliation? Are we welcoming? Are we giving up or hanging in there with the ones who need us for a long haul? Are we walking streets, sharing Jesus' love and life? Are we willing to care for the ones God gives us?

From Me to Everyone: 11:36 AM

Gather, keep, ponder, learn from God's stories and then share them and live them.

John 17 Jesus' prayer for the generations yet to come...us!

The prayers that root us and call us toward fruitfulness are measured by our lives lived in Christ.

Your fruitfulness is measured by your life lived in Christ!

Life and hope and Jesus' love for the world can be worked out in real time by us in faithful witness.

The Glory is revealed in the church, living out, loving.

The church in the world, not of it. It's values don't make us. The church hearing God's call for renewal and reaching out.

Not for our glory but for God's.

The church is in you and me. The church is never closed down. The church is rooted and grounded in love, holy, fruitful, faithfully serving God's ways in this generation and the ones to come.

We're doing more than we know...fruitful in the future to the glory of God the Father.

As we gather and are sent, come together, gather to be equipped and the equipping sends us as Christ's people for His sake rooted in love, our inner being strengthened with the Spirit...
filled with the love and fullness of God.

This is our sending prayer--He's gathered us, captured us in His love, filled us
and then by the power within us He is able to do more than we ask of imagine.
for HIS Glory in the church and all generations

As we live into this and live this prayer out, faithful witness of Christ in us lives on and says "Look what God did, does, will do!"

Echo of time is in Eph 3:14-21

From Laura Lea to Everyone: 11:38 AM
Amen!

As we live in it, we are following in the footsteps who have gone before and make a path for those following and Jesus is the One who is and will be remembered.

Give us courage, wisdom, understanding that we might equip those You have given us.

When we are in Christ who is in us, we can do more than we ask or imagine for the sake of Jesus in all generations!