For Friday, March 27, 2020

A Word of Encouragement from Pastor Elizabeth

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

"Be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might."

We live not on our own strength but by the empowerment of God's Holy Spirit, whose gifts make us stronger and better than we could ever be without Him.

Ask the Holy Spirit of God, who dwells within us who believe, to empower you in areas of service to others at this time, so that you can be fruitful in good works and meet the needs that we see all around us.

As our economic system grinds to a slow drag, it becomes more and more necessary that we be sensitive to the needs of others. They may not say anything to us, but we can ask them what they need.

Let us be vigilant in doing the works of Christ — pray for healing of the sick, pray for deliverance of those who are oppressed by evil or seduced by addictions, be a friend to those who are lonely or grieving the loss of a loved one. There is plenty to do, if we truly open our eyes.

-Pastor Elizabeth Coleman