

A Great Day in the Kingdom – 1/10/25

Christmas is over, and soon Lent and Easter will be upon us. Time does move quickly, as does this life on Earth. We live and are fixated at times on our Earthly experience. Earth is not supposed to be our home. Christie and I have moved numerous times, throughout our marriage, as have virtually all couples today. Every place we lived, we made our home, although Aledo is by far our favorite place to live.

Living this Earthly life can be both a Blessing and a trial. We live in fallible bodies in a fallen world. We go home after work, return home after a trip, and miss home when we are away. However, we are in no way home. Earth is where we currently reside. Yes, there are good times, yet God does remind us that one day we will experience perfection in Christ. That perfection will not occur here!

In Paul's letter to the Churches in Philippi, he writes, "**But our citizenship is in heaven, and from it we await a Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ.**" **Philippians 3:20**

Did you know that our Holy Scripture speaks of our home being other than Earth at least 35 times?

God is driving His point home! Remember, there is a better place waiting for you. Enjoy your time on this Earth, but you're not home yet!

Have Blessed Week, Church!!!

Love to You All!!!

God Bless!!!

Pastor Joel