

Monday, 10 August, 2020 – Weekly Inspiration from Rev. Jason

Many of us are feeling inconvenienced or bent to the decisions of others. Insofar as this is not a direct hazard to your well-being, we should bear in mind that our lives are not defined in terms of this world, but rather that we focus on Life in Christ, even in this world.

From Paul's letter to Peter: "So then, those who suffer according to God's will should commit themselves to their faithful Creator and continue to do good." (1 Peter 4:19)

From Oswald Chambers: "To choose to suffer means that there is something wrong; to choose God's will even if it means suffering is a very different thing. No healthy saint ever chooses suffering; they choose God's will, as Jesus did, whether it means suffering or not."

Merciful Lord, grant us strength in this day to choose your will, and to hold fast to such joy regardless of what we may face in this world, in our earthly lives. To you be the glory, now and always. Amen.