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Days

21 Days of Prayer & Fasting
Hopewell Christian Fellowship Daily Devotional

Day 4 - Monday, January 5, 2009

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Theme: Seeking God first

Scripture: Matthew 6:33

Key verse: Matthew 6:33 But seek first the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you. (NKJV)

Meditation: We worry, we fret, we plan, we stress, we struggle with the future, and we still are not in control. Today's verse shows us that we are doing it backwards. We need to seek God's kingdom first and His right ways and all that He has for us will follow. As we make God our priority, seeking His ways first, all our worries and stress becomes His. We will not have to carry a burden that we were not designed to bear. When we make God's ways of living our ways of living our view of life will change from our limited view to His unlimited view. We can then face what's in front of us at the moment, because we know that God is in control. So let us seek God first, make Him the priority of our lives and rest in Him.

Prayer: Father, I thank you that you are in control and know all that I have needed. I pray that as I seek you first I will see that you care for me, and have a way of life that is easier than all my striving could ever be. Help me Father to live in your kingdom and see things through your perspective and not through mine, and be thrilled by You every day. Amen