Good day all. We live in a world of many promises ~ the promise to be wealthy, have a happy relationship, have all that we want, suffer no distress, be without any loss, and so on and so on and so on. This list of promises we are conditioned by a conditioning world that conditions us we are naturally entitled to this perfect life ~ without any interruption to its unraveling perfectly, in a perfect stream in our life. One may call it the “Cinderella Complex” ~ where we naturally expect, because of the pain of this life, that our life will get better and only get better. And ANY interruption to this perfect stream of wonderment, of things we have amassed, of accomplishments we have accomplished, of plans we have planned, is met by bewilderment and confusion and anger and frustration and pain and despair. Our pride of entitlement, of that of a child, who wants and wants and only ever wants, and never sets sail on the path of renunciation, the time immemorial path of the saints. For it is in the ‘letting go’ of all our desires, the desires of the flesh, that we escape the pain of this life ~ for think back at a time when you suffered, or are presently suffering ~ and you will discover the cause of your suffering can be traced back to a desire of the flesh. Our ego-mind creates greater and greater plans of engagement for us to experience heaven without God. Who needs God when we can have heaven on earth, and take it by force, by wishing and excepting all that we want will be granted to us on a silver platter? But the ego knows we will suffer the pain of this life and this is its prime objective ~ to keep us disillusioned and separated from God. It causes us to worship this earthly life, and to feel disillusioned with God when things don’t work out. Which inevitably happens, because all earthly things are crumbling towers, designed by God to fall apart. It is God’s objective that we NEVER be satisfied by this earthly life ~ for if we were, our love for God, and only God, would be divided. Let us forsake expectation as the tool of the devil ~ for it is in the wanting and grasping and craving and lusting for the things of the morrow, that we inevitably fail and mourn and curse and feel bewildered. Find sanctuary in God who is beyond expectation, and He will pacify your heart and rest it assured, knowing His love can never fail. He will only ever give you what you need in the now and take what is no longer needed. He will only ever grant you what will help you to grow, and render to the dogs all your ego expectations. You imagine those around you are happy in their hearts, but they disguise the misery of their life. They too are trapped in the cycle of wanting, in the promise of a perfect life ~ but if you looked in their hearts you would see their despair and their hope for a better life. And this is because they are NEVER satisfied with their life in the present ~ and are inwardly searching for the next “fix” in their life. The highs and lows of an ordinary life are no match for the peace of a God-focused life. Let us rid our self of the tool of doom, of the evil of expectation, and begin again on a straight course of light ~ bound and set sail past the ocean of terror, of the despair of hope and loss.

Amen. And may you all be blessed in our Father’s love and grace.