**Churches-In-Homes   Week Beginning 18/04/2021**

**Notices:**

1. Next Corporate Communion Service: Sunday, May 2, 10.00am
2. Notice for all leaders: The next Strategy Day is Saturday, May 8. Details to follow this week, by email.

**Church YouTube channel**

If you subscribe to King’s Church St Paul’s Cray YouTube channel, with the option to receive notifications, you will be alerted when a new resource is uploaded.

The link below will take you to the Church YouTube channel.

<https://bit.ly/2BjG1Je>

If you do not have a google account, you will need to find out how you may still subscribe. There are videos that explain how you may do so. Click on the link below to see an example.

<https://youtu.be/wuoCvxnFnlA>

**Title:**  Stand firm – Endure unjust suffering

**Main text**: 1 Peter 2:18-25

**Discussion/practical application**

Are there areas in your life where you find yourself suffering injustice?

Are there things that you feel simply aren’t fair?

We should consider:

* The example of Jesus and others who have been/are suffering,
* The challenges faced by our oppressors themselves.
* Where we ourselves can do better in positions of authority
* Submitting and performing every task as unto the Lord
* Being commendable to God as a goal; undeniable to man as a biproduct.

**Pray …**

* That we will be encouraged in areas of challenge - in particular, those where we feel we are experiencing injustice.
* That we will be given the right perspective, and also the counter-cultural and humanly unbelievable joy in the face of injustice.
* For those in authority, whether you consider them good or bad.