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My Dear Brethren,

Greetings with Psalm 18:2,

“The LORD is my rock, and my fortress, and my deliverer; my God, my strength, in whom I will trust; my buckler, and the horn of my salvation, and my high tower.”

And Psalm 91:15

“He shall call upon me, and I will answer him: I will be with him in trouble; I will deliver him, and honour him.”

As many of you may already be aware, on Thursday, February 24, 2022 the dreadful encounter that world leaders had been anxiously foreseeing yet hoping to avoid became a reality as war broke out between Russia and Ukraine.

Not since World War II has Europe been faced with such an event and its impact will be felt around the world.

For our dear brothers and sisters in Ukraine and Russia this will bring a great test of their faith and resolve to follow the truth and remain faithful to the God of heaven. The challenge facing our young people in these regions is now especially grave since both countries are imposing mandatory military conscription forcing young people into service against their will. Once again, history repeats itself as brother is called upon to take up arms against brother.

At this crucial moment, as a world church we must come together in earnest prayer and fasting on behalf of our brethren in this region. Let us pray for their safety, and that they will be kept out of harm's way, but also that they may be used by God even under these dire circumstances to share the hope of salvation with those around them. And, let us especially hold up our youth praying that they will be used as a shining example of a faithful people who chose to serve God rather than man.

Without a doubt we are living in the final days of Earth's history and we know that as we rapidly approach the return of our Saviour that turbulent times are ahead. Nevertheless, let the soldiers of Christ lift high the banner of Prince Emmanuel and fight the good fight of faith by seeking the lost, rescuing the perishing and sharing the only real hope that this world has, Jesus.

May God help us all to draw nearer to Him and to each other so that we come together in unity praying for His protection and guidance.

Maranatha!



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