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LIVING MOSAIC CHURCH – BURLINGTON, ON

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Dear Prayer Partners,

It has been quite the journey the last couple of weeks for Living Mosaic. This Sunday is officially our final worship service at Trinity Christian School. So where to from here?

Well, as a Body of Christ, we have discerned that God is definitely calling us to “go to where the people are”, and at this stage in our discernment, the direction we are to pursue is to meet Sunday mornings in the food court of the Burlington Mall. You may be thinking, “Great idea”, “That makes complete sense”, “Won’t work”, “Are you crazy?”, “That’s wrong”, “Why would you do that?”

Obviously, there are many unknowns and obstacles to be overcome if this is going to happen. But that’s the best part about this because we know that if it does happen, God did it, and we’ll have no doubt that He wants us there. I try to remind our folks that if this is not the place He has in mind for us, then He is using this process to get us “out of the box” and begin the journey to the place that He does have in mind.

As I said earlier, it’s been quite the journey. To quote one of our members – “It has been a very interesting, enlightening, exciting, frightening, affirming, and scary time for us to say the least!”

The best part for me as pastor is seeing how God has been speaking to people; stretching, renewing and reigniting their faith; and teaching us afresh the truth that the “church is not a building but the people”.

Please pray that God would open the right doors, and that we would have the courage, resilience, faith and wisdom to step through them when He does. We have our first meeting with the General Manager of the Burlington Mall on September 10. In the meantime, we will be nomads, meeting in various temporary locations in the city. If you’re planning on visiting us, please check our website for the location of our worship service for that Sunday.

Thanks for joining us in this journey through your prayers and support,

Leo Gatotos

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