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**As we wait for something it seems like forever. As we age it feels quicker but still not the best. As children, if we got to wait in time out or in the corner for 15 minutes seemed like forever. Even as adults if the doctor is 15 minutes late it seems horrible. We are definitely in a microwave society. We expect everything now! This is how the adversary wants it. God is different:**

**Isaiah 40:31**

**English Standard Version**

**<sup>31</sup> but they who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength;  
they shall mount up with wings like eagles;  
they shall run and not be weary;  
they shall walk and not faint.**

**So God's thinking is different from this world. The world wants us to expect it all now. God Wants us to wait. He will renew us and allow us to continue. Satan wants us to rush into it and not know where to go or turn. Different thinking for God:**

**Philippians 4:10-13**

**<sup>10</sup> I rejoiced greatly in the Lord that at last you renewed your concern for me. Indeed, you were concerned, but you had no opportunity to show it. <sup>11</sup> I am not saying this because I am in need, for I have learned to be content whatever the circumstances. <sup>12</sup> I know what it is to be in need, and I know what it is to have plenty. I have learned the secret of**

**being content in any and every situation, whether well fed or hungry, whether living in plenty or in want. <sup>13</sup> I can do all this through him who gives me strength.**

**God want us to Rejoyce in His renewal, be in need of Him, to be content and let Him give you strength.**

**We have to remember to relay on him, and allow those uneasy times to become easy. To let his plan come forward in everything. What brings me comfort is this:**

**Jeremiah 29:11**

**New International Version**

**<sup>11</sup> For I know the plans I have for you,” declares the Lord, “plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you hope and a future.**

**Jeremiah 1:5**

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**<sup>5</sup> “Before I formed you in the womb I knew<sup>[a]</sup> you, before you were born I set you apart; I appointed you as a prophet to the nations.”**

**He knew me before I was formed. He had a plan for me from the beginning of time. He loves me that much.**

**Basking in His love,**

**Chaplain Tony**

