

Following Jesus In 2022

Comments From Church Family

- Fear, Mistrust, Uncertainty
- Selfishness, Me First attitude
- Deception, Discord and Destruction
- Complacency, Indifference
- Fear, Stress, Greed
- Chaos, Fear, Self-centered
- Despair, Floundering, Seeking.
- Confused, Illogical, Self-preening
- Desperate, Uncertain, Lack of Purpose
- Need for Truth
- Lack of Integrity in most people in positions of power
- Lack of Compassion
- Distrust, Disappointment, Frustration
- Searching, Tolerant, Hopelessness
- Lost, Directionless, Anchorless, Purposeless and Hopeless, Godless
- Chaotic, Divided, Fearful
- Helplessness
- Western world Christian morals and values waning
- Global impact of wars
- Internet causing moral corruption
- Godless, Worried, Angry
- Chaos, Disrespect, Self-centeredness
- Opportunities

MUCH OF THE INFORMATION WE RECEIVE FROM NEWS ORGANIZATIONS IS FALSE

44%

% agreeing with statement

OFFICIAL GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTS OF EVENTS CAN'T BE TRUSTED

52%

% agreeing with statement

PAROUS DATA TRUST AND MISINFORMATION IN CANADA 2022

Causes Of Uncertainty In Society

- Destruction of the Family Unit
- Division and Isolation; Divide and Conquer
- God created us to be in community
- Eccl.4:12 – “And though a man might prevail against one who is alone, two will withstand him—a threefold cord is not quickly broken.”
- “My Truth” being my ultimate authority- Rom.1:21-32
- Lack of integrity in political leaders
- Agenda driven News
- Turning away from God

Actions For Hope

1. Understand the Evil One has a plan to control the world. His tools are always Lying, Deceiving, Destroying – 2 Thess.2:9
2. Jesus is our Model – John.5:17,19-20; 15:3-5,11; 17:20-23 We are to be Christ centered – John 3:27-30
3. “Put off” the sinful nature and “Put on” the new self – Eph.4:22,24; 17-32
4. Live the Fruit of the Spirit – Gal.5:16-26
5. Look for Opportunities – God is at work, join Him!