Peace and Trust (Isaiah 26:3, 4)

Central Truth: There is a connection between internal peace and trust in God.

I. A Definition of Trust

- trust as "confidence" Psalm 118:8,9
- trust as "leaning" Proverbs 3:5
- trust as "hope" Jeremiah 17:7
- trust as "fearlessness" Isaiah 12:2
- trust as "committal" Psalm 37:5 (see Luke 23:46)

II. A Benefit of Trust (Isaiah 26:3,4)

A. The Principle: the reality

the relationship - "Shalom" as inner oneness "trust" as the absence of a divided mind

B. The Practice: the commandment – "trust" (Bātach)

the claim – Jehovah as "rock"

III. A Portrait of Trust - (Daniel 6)

A. The Decree 6:8 - the decree represents life's challenge

B. The Decision 6:10 – prayer as an act of trust and "mind occupation"

C. The Deliverance 6:18-23