

St James News: Thought for the day – Friday 2nd October 2020

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God the unchanging

As I sit in my study, looking out of my window, I can see and hear what I think are quite strong winds, but which the BBC weather calls - *A fresh breeze* from the East! Certainly, one of my cats, Gerogey, who normally likes to go out, beat a hasty retreat back home when I let him out this morning! Having said that, he has just meowed, which is his, *let me out* meow! So perhaps he has re-assessed the situation and agrees with the BBC! However you assess the weather, have a good and safe day.

We all have different views on what is happening in our world at the moment, specially with things changing constantly, disrupting plans, routines, and hopes. In the midst of all of that, we have a constant, in the Faithful One, who is so unchanging. The bible describes God as the Father of lights who has no turning, who never changes. He is the solid rock on which we can stand, un-shifting sand. His love endures forever, His Faithfulness to us is great.

May we hold on to our umbrellas, hats, coats etc, and hold on to The One who is always with us, and will never let us go. And let us hold each other to Him.