Greetings to you in the name of Christ!

Well friends, it has officially begun. I have started packing my house. For many of you, this process is one that you have been through as well. And it is a struggle, trying to consolidate all your worldly possessions into some sort of order that will be able to fit into a vehicle. I find that I keep running into the problem of thinking of got everything into its appropriate box only to discover that I’ve missed some items. For example, I packed a box full of what I thought were all my puzzles. And then two days later I look around and realized that I have missed several puzzles that didn’t make it in.

Even outside of packing up a house I think we all have these moments, times when we thought we had it all together only to turn around and realized that we’ve missed something important. It is perhaps the most difficult to handle when it occurs in our faith life. Those times when we believe that we understand all there is to know about God’s presence in the world, only to have some challenge confront us and realize that we still don’t know what God is doing. These moments call us to rely on our church family and to continue in our growth as Christians.

May we always support one another in every challenge to life and faith that we encounter.