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#### Introduction

How important is a promise?

- A promise is a covenant or declaration that one will do exactly what he say or something will happen just as pledged.
- When God makes a promise to His people, it will come to pass.

#### Acts 2:39

For the promise is to you and to your children, and to all who are afar off, as many as the Lord our God will call.

As believers of Christ, we should understand the importance of promises:

#### I. God's Promises: We can count on.

# A. We can count on God's promises because of God's character.

- First of all, He's not a man. He's not human. He doesn't have a fallen nature.
- 2. He's never sinned, never lied. He

is the essence of righteousness and can't lie.

3. He is the truth and only speaks the truth.

#### Numbers 23:19

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# B. We can count on God's promises because God is unchanging.

- 1. Unlike us, God never changes in His person or His purposes.
- We may change our minds as we age, or our situation changes, or we get more information.
- But God doesn't decide to do something then a thousand years later realized it was a bad decision.

#### Hebrews 13:8

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday, today, and forever.

# C. We can count on God's promises because of His infinite wisdom.

Because of His infinite wisdom, when He makes a promise, it's the best possible promise He can make.
 He won't discover later He could have made a better promise.

God never needs to make course

corrections.

He doesn't make it up as He goes along. He knows the end from the beginning.

#### Titus 1:2

In hope of eternal life which God, who cannot lie, promised before time began.

#### Jeremiah 29:11

For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, says the Lord, thoughts of peace and not of evil, to give you a future and a hope.

# II. Man's Promises: How to be counted on?

#### A. Remember whose you are.

 As Christians, the Holy Spirit lives inside us. His power is ready to teach us to carefully consider promises before we make them.

#### 1 Corinthians 3:16

Do you not know that you are the temple of God and that the Spirit of God dwells in you?

# B. Understand that promises come with responsibility attached.

 If we break them, we will suffer the consequence of lost trust, which is difficult to regain.

#### Numbers 30:2

If a man makes a vow to the Lord, or swears an oath to bind himself by some agreement, he shall not break his word; he shall do according to all that proceeds out of his mouth.

#### Malachi 3:8-12

8"Will a man rob God? Yet you have robbed Me! But you say, 'In what way have we robbed You?' In tithes and offerings. 9You are cursed with a curse, For you have robbed Me, Even this whole nation, 10Bring all the tithes into the storehouse, That there may be food in My house, And try Me now in this," Says the Lord of hosts, "If I will not open for you the windows of heaven And pour out for you such blessing That there will not be room enough to receive it. 115 And I will rebuke the devourer for your sakes, So that he will not destroy the fruit of your ground, Nor shall the vine fail to bear fruit for you in the field," Says the Lord of hosts; 12"And all nations will call you blessed, For you will be a delightful land," Says the Lord of hosts.

# C. Say "yes" or "no", but not "yes" then "no".

 Admitting you can't take something on is better than breaking your word down the road.



Romans 8:1-2 (KJV)

'There is therefore condemnation to them which are in Christ Jesus, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit. 'For the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus hath made me free from the law of sin and death.

### **LEAP Testimonials**



Prince Euan M. Nadonza

LEAP student

I learned faster, and I got smarter.



Mary Ann Grace M. Attona

Parent of Raijien Viel R. Altona, Jian Krystal F. Altona and Jamilah Kate F. Altona

Maganda po ang naging experience nila kasi na-practice nila nang maigi ang reading. Pinakanahirapan kami sa reading gawa ng galing kami sa online class so mahihirapan pa silang mag-adjust. Sa pakikisalamuha, mas maganda kasi kahit first time niya, nagkaroon siya ng mga friend dito. Mas madali silang natuto. Salamat din kay Teacher Shey at mga teacher nila na nagtitiyaga.



#### Alma B. Borilla

Parent of Eliana Marie Celestine B. Borilla and Elisha Angelique B. Borilla

Since pandemic kasi ay nasa bahay lang sila so hindi nila na-experience ang pagpasok sa school everyday. Lalo na si Macy, nag-kinder siya dito sa UCA pero online nga lang. As preparation sa incoming school year ay naisipan namin na i-enrol sila sa LEAP para matutunan nila ang pakikisalamuha sa ibang bata kasi hindi nila iyon naranasan.



### Hannah Margarette C. Gan

LEAP student

I thank everyone. I love this school because it is amazing, and all the teachers are kind, nice, and sweet. Teacher Mita is the best! I love learning here in UCA.



Read the questions about the significant people and events in the Bible. Choose the correct answer on the right column.

Look for Sis. Aira Tolentino and present your answer. For the first one to answer correctly, a FREE VOV will be given next week.

- \_\_\_\_How old was Josiah when he became king?
  - \_\_\_What were the names of Joseph's two sons?
- \_\_\_\_Who was Jacob's youngest son?
  - \_\_\_How many sons did Noah have?
- \_\_\_\_What was the name of the child who was born in the tribe of Levi, and adopted by Pharaoh's daughter?
- \_\_\_\_\_Who was sold into slavery by his brothers?
- \_\_\_\_\_Who was the widow who met baby Yeshua at the temple?
- \_\_\_\_What was David doing when Samuel called to anoint him king?
- \_\_\_\_\_When Samuel was called by God as a child, who did he think was calling him?
  - \_At the feeding of the 5000, a young boy provided what food?

- A. Moses
- B. Benjamin
- C. Five barely loaves and two small fish
- D. Joseph
- E. Taking care of sheep
- F. Anna
- G. Three: Shem, Ham, and Japeth
- H. Eight
- I. Ephraim & Manasseh
- J. Fli

Romans 8:3-4 (KJV)

<sup>3</sup>For what the law could not do, in that it was weak through the flesh, God sending His own Son in the likeness of sinful flesh, and for sin, condemned sin in the flesh: "That the righteousness of the law might be fulfilled in us, who walk not after the flesh, but after the Spirit.

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# Providing the needs of the community

The opportunity to reach the community has been favored upon United Christian Academy (UCA) as it was chosen again to be a vaccination site to fight the spread of COVID-19.

Individuals near the vicinity went to UCA Campus last July 15, Friday, to receive their vaccines provided by the Barangay Vaccination Team headed by Medical Officer Dra. Catherine Anne Malaki. The said vaccination program offered vaccines and boosters of Pfizer, Sinovac, and Moderna to children, adults, and senior citizens. All participants and even health workers followed the safety and health protocols, such as physical distancing, wearing of face masks, and hand sanitation outside and inside the premise.

The vaccination ended successfully with the assistance and accommodation of Rev. Dr. William Sy and some UCA and UCF workers



UCA provides a shed and chairs for the participants to use while waiting for the vaccination.



Rev. Dr. William Sy discusses vaccination with the health workers.









Hundreds of residents line up as early as 6:00 AM to avail the free vaccination service of the local government.









The health workers and barangay officials carefully attend to the need of the individuals from all ages—from safety protocols, documents and requirements checking, dissemination of information, to the vaccination itself. UCF also prepares a comfortable and well-ventilated vaccination area inside its chapel.

### Fernando Rosales

Pinagpapasalamat ko na nabakunahan na rin ako. Hindi kasi ako makapunta sa mga vaccination site dahil malayo ito. Salamat dahil ang UCA ay malapit lang kaya masaya talaga ako dahil ako ay nabakunahan na.

#### Erna Carbonilla BENEFICIARY

Mabilis ang naging proseso ng vaccination at hindi na kami naghintay pa nang matagal. Maoyos ang serbisyo at ang pag-a-assist nila sa amin. Nogpapasalamat ako dahil kapag ito ay sa ibang lugar pa ay mahirap dahil sa sobrang dami ng tao. Matagal din matapos pero dito sa UCA ay mabilis kaming natapos.

#### Amy Martinez BENEFICIARY

Maayos ang vaccination dahil malapit sa lugar namin at dahil doon ay naging convenient iyon para sa akin. Maganda rin dahil may aircon sa loob ng vaccination area at higit sa lahat ay mababait ang mga staff.

#### Melinda Gaspan BENEFICIARY

Very organized ang pamamalakad sa vaccination program at talagang very comfortable kaming mga nagpabakuna. Nagpapasalamat din ako sa arrangement na ito dahil nakita namin na hindi siya maguio bagkus ay well-planned ang serbisyo na ginawa sa lugar na ito.

#### Shiela Ido BENEFICIARY

Maayos ang serbisyo at lahat ng staff dito sa UCA ay nagtutulungan upang matugunan at mabakunahan lahat ng bata. Nagpapasalamat ako dahil dito ay nabakunahan ang mga anak namin para safe sa darating na pasukan at para hindi mahawaan ng COVID-19.

#### Meriane Agtang BENEFICIARY

Nagpapasalamat ako dahil dito sa UCA ginanap ang vaccination. Maganda rin ang pagtanggap sa amin ng UCA at mga health worker.

#### Blue Regala BENEFICIARY

Naging maayos ang bakuna at naging mabilis ito. Nagpapasalamat ako dahil kahit medyo natagalan ang 2<sup>nd</sup> dose ng anak ko ay naging mabilis naman ang serbisyo at talagang naasikaso kami dito nang maayos.

#### Olga Ngo BENEFICIARY

less than two hours, we were done with the service. Comfortable ang waiting kasi mahangin sa loob because of the fans. I have always been thankful to UCA because they sent the message before the school year started.

Para sa mga susunod na Barangay Vaccination, antabayanan ang mga anunsyo sa UCA at UCF Official Facebook page.

#### Romans 8:5-7 (KJV)

<sup>5</sup>For they that are after the flesh do mind the things of the flesh; but they that are after the Spirit the things of the Spirit. <sup>6</sup>For to be carnally minded is death; but to be spiritually minded is life and peace. <sup>7</sup>Because the carnal mind is enmity against God: for it is not subject to the law of God, neither indeed can be.

MUSIC CLINIC FEATURE

# Praising the Lord through one's gift

Through psalms, songs, hymns, and dances, the magnificent Name of the Lord is praised and lifted up on high as students wholeheartedly let themselves be trained to develop their God-given talents.

UCF Music Clinic students and parents experience a well-spent summer as they gather week-by-week to develop their skills in dancing and making

music—an avenue where they can express their gratitude, praises, and worship unto the Lord. Instructors from the UCF Music Ministry give their hearts as they teach their knowledge about music to the students and parents of all ages.

Truly, nothing could ever hinder a person from praising and touching the heart of God. Through music, we can glorify His Name and experience the great move of the Holy Spirit.



### Percussion







UCF Music Clinic offers access to various instruments that can help children's learning.

### Guitar









Keuboard

The students and parents are given the opportunity to learn and enhance new skills.

### Dance









Ballet and street dance classes are also offered by UCF Music Clinic. Members from the Dance Department help improve their students' dancing abilities.



Melodies are created by the very tips of our fingers—with the right heart, we can praise the Lord.

Scan QR code to check updates and announcements from UCF Music Clinic's Facebook page.



Enroll now!

UCF Music Clinic has an ongoing promo.

For more details, turn to page 13.

Romans 8:8-10 (NKJV)

<sup>8</sup>So then they that are in the flesh cannot please God. <sup>9</sup>But you are not in the flesh, but in the Spirit, if so be that the Spirit of God dwell in you. Now if any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of his. <sup>10</sup>And if Christ be in you, the body is dead because of sin; but the Spirit is life because of righteousness.

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# Pagsisikap para sa ministeryo

Ang pangakong kalaguan ng Panginoon para sa ministeryong ipinagkatiwala Niya sa panambahan ng UCF ay patuloy na pinanghahawakan at nasasaksihan ng bawat isa.

Hawak ang pangakong ito ng Diyos, ang mga manggagawa at boluntaryo ng panambahan ay buong pagsisikap na ginagampanan ang mga nakaatang na gawain sa kanila sa Mt. Tabor *Church Re-Creation Center*. Hindi pa man nakikita ang kabuuang plano ng Panginoon para sa lugar na ito, ngunit

naniniwala ang bawat isa na hindi sayang ang kanilang oras at pagod sa pagsunod sa tawag ng Panginoon. Kaya naman ating balikan ang mga naging gawain sa Mt. Tabor nitong linggo.

Ang tiwala natin ay sa Diyos lamang na may mas malaking plano sa panambahan at sa buhay ng bawat isang patuloy na naniniwala at nagtitiwala sa Kaniya. Ating suportahan ang mga gawain sa Mt. Tabor dahil ang lugar na ito ay ginagamit ng Panginoon para sa Kaniyang ministeryo.



Upang maging maaliwalas at kanais-nais ang harapang bahagi ng Mt. Tabor Farm, ang mga in-house trainee worker ay gumawa ng landscape na kanilang nilagyan ng iba't ibang mga bato at mga halaman. Nagpintura rin sila ng steel matting na gagamitin bilang garden arch kung saan gagapang ang mga itatanim na halaman.





Romans 8:11-12 (NKJV)

"But if the Spirit of Him that raised up Jesus from the dead dwell in you, He that raised up Christ from the dead shall also quicken your mortal bodies by His Spirit that dwelleth in you. 12Therefore, brethren, we are debtors, not to the flesh, to live after the flesh.

# Pakikinig ng Salita ng Diyos

ng paghayo upang ihayag ang Mabuting Balita ay utos ni Hesus sapagkat sa pakikinig nagsisimula ang pananampalataya at kamalayan sa katotohanang nagmumula sa Panginoon.

Ang pananampalataya ng bawat manggagawa ng UCF ay patuloy na nagiging matatag din sa pagtugon sa tawag ng paglilingkod. Layunin ng Home Bible Church (HBC) ang ihayag ang buhay na Salita ng Diyos dahil ang pananampalataya ay umuusbong sa pakikinig. Nagmimistulang tagapagsalita ng Diyos ang bawat isa dala-dala ang pag-ibig, pag-asa at patotoo bilang mga anak at lingkod ng Panginoon. Ang bawat manggagawa mula sa iba't ibang departamento ay buong sigasig na nagpapagamit at sumusuporta sa gawain. Nagiging daluyan ng Mabuting Balita, pagpapala at pagmamahal ng Diyos ang bawat isa.



AREA 3

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I FADER Bro. Noe Amancio Sis. Lizette Escartin



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HOST: Sis. Gladale Agluba



MASVILLE

LEADER-Sis. Merryll Lhorvin Santos HOSTS: Sis. Kristine Jayma Palma & Sis. Marcelina Empic



TANZA, CAVITE

LEADER: Sis. Lera Mai Cobarrubia HOST: Bro Lito Coharrubia



MANDALUYONG HOST: Sis. Gerlyn Pacris



AREA 6



HOST: Sis Nelia Tolentino



AREA 2

LEADER & HOST: Bro. Adrian Klein Laurel



AREA 4

LEADER: Sis. Sushmita Murillo HOST-Sis. Ivy Cabus



AREA 7

LEADERS: Sis. Liezla Ala & Sis. Glynis Hermosa HOSTS: Bro. Andres Chavit & Sis. Lisa Chavit



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LEADER Sis Ma. Innahelle lurilla HOSTS: Bro. Jess Mark Marcelino & Sis. Imelda Yadao

Naniniwala ang UCF na ang pagpapagal ngayon ay magbubunga ng mga kaluluwang makakakilala sa Diyos, mga buhay na magpapagamit din upang magbigay luwalhati sa Panginoon at mga susunod din sa tawag ng paglilingkod. Kaya't huwag tayong panghinaan ng loob sa pagbabahagi sapagkat buhay ni Hesus na ating Tagapaglitas at Panginoon ang ating inihahayag.

### Purihin ang buhay at tapat na Diyos!

Para sa mga nagnanais na magbukas ng Home Bible Church

sa kanilang tahanan, makipag-ugnayan lamang kay Rev. Morrell Estrellado. Inaanyayahan ang mga wala pang HBC na dumalo at makiisa sa HBC na malapit sa inyong lugar upang ang Salita ng Panginoon ay patuloy na mabigyang halaga sa buhay ng bawat isa Pagkakataon mo rin ito na maibahagi ang iyong karanasan at patotoo sa Diyos!

Romans 8:13-15 (NKJV)

<sup>13</sup>For if ye live after the flesh, ye shall die: but if ye through the Spirit do mortify the deeds of the body, ye shall live. <sup>14</sup>For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the sons of God. <sup>15</sup>For ye have not received the spirit of bondage again to fear; but ye have received the SPirit of adoption, whereby we cry, Abba, Father.



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Kung tayo'y pinag-isa ng Panginoon, kasama ng pagmamahal at pagpapatawad ng Panginoon, tayo, bilang mga anak ng Diyos ay dapat marunong ding magpatawad.

Rev. James C. Sy, ThB, CEdM, EdD Panelist (Administrative Pastor)

Kung paano ang Diyos ay nagpatawad sa atin, magpatawad din tayo sa ating kapwa. Si Paul ay dating makasalanan ngunit noong siya ay nagbalik-loob sa Diyos, naranasan niya ang pag-ibig ng Diyos, naranasan din niya na magpatawad sa mga umalipusta sa kaniya.

> Rev. Fidel C. Dillo, ThB Panelist (Associate Pastor)



Sabi ng Bibliya, noong tayo raw ay makasalanan, inibig na tayo ng Panginoon. Hindi Niya tiningnan ang ating kasalanan bagkus dahil sa Kaniyang nag-uumapaw na pagmamahal sa daigdig, ibinigay pa Niya ang Kaniyang bugtong na Anak na si Hesus upang tayo ay mapatawad.

Rev. Ryan Christian C. Tabay, ABMC, MDM Panelist (Associate Pastor)

Ang pagpapatawad ay isang uri ng desisyon ng isang Kristiyano. Sapagkat alam niya na at the end of the day, still, forgiveness is the best decision you could ever have during your time.

> Rev. William G. Sy, ThM, CEdD, EdD Host (Head Pastor)



It's a good example na mayroon mang makasakit sa atin, gayahin natin si Jesus at ang mga sumunod sa Kaniya. Magpatawad din tayo at huwag nating patagalin ang ating galit.

Rev. Morrell B. Estrellado, BSECE, ThB, MDM Panelist (Associate Pastor)

Tayong mga buhay, it is our duty also na humingi talaga tayo ng tawad kung tayo ay nagkasala para maibigay sa atin ang talagang basbas na 'Pinapatawad na kita.'

> Rev. Ricardo B. Jacob, BSME, ThB Panelist (Associate Pastor)





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# The greatest commandment

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#### Matthew 22:36-40 (NKJV)

<sup>36</sup>Teacher, which is the great commandment in the law?" <sup>37</sup>Jesus said to him, "'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind.' <sup>38</sup>This is the first and great commandment. <sup>39</sup>And the second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.' <sup>40</sup>On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets."

#### Introduction

In the Ten Commandments in

Exodus, you will notice that the first four commandments are commandments that talk about our relationship with God. That's why Jesus summarized it, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind."

And the remaining commandments are commandments pertaining to our relationship with other people, our neighbors. That is why Jesus told us, "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

### Love the Lord with all your heart, soul, and mind.

#### Matthew 22:37 (NKJV)

Jesus said to him, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind."

#### Roma 3:23-24 (MBBTAG)

Sapagkat ang lahat ay nagkasala, at walang sinumang nakaabot sa kaluwalhatian ng Diyos.

#### Matthew 22:39 (NKJV)

And the second is like it: 'You shall

love your neighbor as yourself."

#### 1 Corinthians 13:5 (NIV)

It does not dishonor others, it is not self-seeking, it is not easily angered, it keeps no record of wrongs.

#### Romans 5:8 (NKJV)

But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.

#### Galatians 5:22-23 (ESV)

<sup>22</sup>But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, <sup>23</sup>gentleness, self-control; against such things there is no law.

#### Deuteronomy 6:1-2 (ESV)

"Now this is the commandment-

#### Romans 8:16-18 (KJV)

<sup>16</sup>The Spirit itself beareth witness with our spirit, that we are the children of God: <sup>17</sup>And if the children, then heirs; heirs of God, and joint-heirs with Christ; if so be that we suffer with Him, that they may be also glorifies together. <sup>18</sup>For I reckon that the sufferings of the present time are not worthy to be compared with the glory which shall be revealed in us.

the statutes and the rules—that the Lord your God commanded me to teach you, that you may do them in the land to which you are going over, to possess it, 2that you may fear the Lord your God, you and your son and your son's son, by keeping all his statutes and his commandments, which I command you, all the days of your life, and that your days may be long."

#### Deuteronomy 6:3 (NKJV)

Therefore hear, O Israel, and be careful to observe it, that it may be well with you, and that you may multiply greatly as the Lord God of your fathers has promised you—'a land flowing with milk and honey.'

#### John 10:10b (NKJV)

I have come that they may have life, and that they may have it more abundantly.

#### Psalm 37:25 (NKJV)

I have been young, and now am old; Yet I have not seen the righteous forsaken, Nor his descendants begging bread.

#### Deuteronomy 11:19 (NIV)

Teach them to your children, talking about them when you sit at home and when you walk along the road, when you lie down and when you get up.

#### Deuteronomy 11:20 (NIV)

Write them on the doorframes of your houses and on your gates.

#### Ecclesiastes 12:13 (NKJV)

Let us hear the conclusion of the whole matter: Fear God and keep His commandments, for this is man's all.

#### Love your neighbor as yourself. Jeremiah 29:11 (ESV)

For I know the plans I have for you, declares the Lord, plans for welfare and not for evil, to give you a future and a hope.

#### Galatians 5:14 (NKJV)

For all the law is fulfilled in one word, even in this: "You shall love your neighbor as yourself."

#### Matthew 22:39 (NKJV)

And the second is like it: 'You shall love your neighbor as yourself.'

#### 1 Timothy 6:10 (NKJV)

For the love of money is a root of all kinds of evil, for which some have strayed from the faith in their greediness, and pierced themselves through with many sorrows.

#### Mga Kawikaan 25:21 (MBBTAG)

Kapag nagugutom ang iyong kaaway, pakainin mo at painumin kung siya'y nauuhaw.

#### John 13:34-35 (NKJV)

"34A new commandment I give to you, that you love one another; as I have loved you, that you also love one another. <sup>35</sup>By this all will know that you are My disciples, if you have love for one another."

#### Mateo 5:44 (MBBTAG)

Ngunit ito naman ang sinasabi Ko, ibigin ninyo ang inyong mga kaaway at ipanalangin ninyo ang mga umuusig sa inyo.

#### John 15:13 (NKJV)

Greater love has no one than this, than to lay down one's life for his friends.

#### Conclusion

#### 1 John 4:19 (NKJV)

We love Him because He first loved us.

#### Romans 2:5-9 (NKJV)

<sup>5</sup>But in accordance with your hardness and your impenitent heart you are treasuring up for yourself wrath in the day of wrath and revelation of the righteous judgment of God, <sup>6</sup>who "will render to each one according to his deeds": <sup>7</sup>eternal life to those who by patient continuance in doing good seek for glory, honor, and immortality; <sup>8</sup>but to those who are self-seeking

and do not obey the truth, but obey unrighteousness—indignation—and wrath, or tribulation and anguish, on every soul of man who does evil, of the Jew first and also of the Greek.

#### Romans 13:8-10 (NKJV)

<sup>8</sup>Owe no one anything except to love one another, for he who loves another has fulfilled the law. <sup>9</sup>For the commandments, "You shall not commit adultery," "You shall not murder," "You shall not steal," "You shall not bear false witness," "You shall not covet," and if there is any other commandment, are all summed up in this saying, namely, "You shall love your neighbor as

yourself." <sup>10</sup>Love does no harm to a neighbor; therefore love is the fulfillment of the law.



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# AWIT PARA SA PANGINOON

Sa ating buhay Kristiyano ay kaakibat na natin ang pagbibigay papuri at pasasalamat sa Panginoon. Sa ating pag-awit sa Kaniya, ito ang nagiging laman ng ating mga panalangin at nagbibigay luwalhati sa Kaniyang kabutihan sa ating buhay. Narito ang isa sa kapatiran ng UCF na nagbigay ng kaniyang awitin na alay sa Diyos.



I thank God for creating music as an instrument to worship Him. Recently ay sobrang tumatatak sa akin ang kantang "Nothing is Impossible". My everyday prayer is for God to keep me sharp and reliable para sa mga buhay na ipinagkakatiwala ng Lord sa akin. Kahit ang tingin ko sa sarili ko ay ganito lang, He is allowing me to experience various cases as if He's preparing me for the next big thing. Sobrang maraming mga breakthrough ang ipinagkakatiwala sa akin ng Lord. His blessings are coming one after the other. Praise God! The everyday progress sa journey ko is something to be grateful for. God is always making a way to keep me on track. Nai-stretch ako when it comes to my skills and the same time, ang responsibility ko sa patient ko to help them with what's making them uncomfortable. I praise God kasi walang imposible sa mga paraan Niya basta nakaayon sa purpose at will Niya. I will always choose Him as my partner in everything. Purihin ang Panginoon!



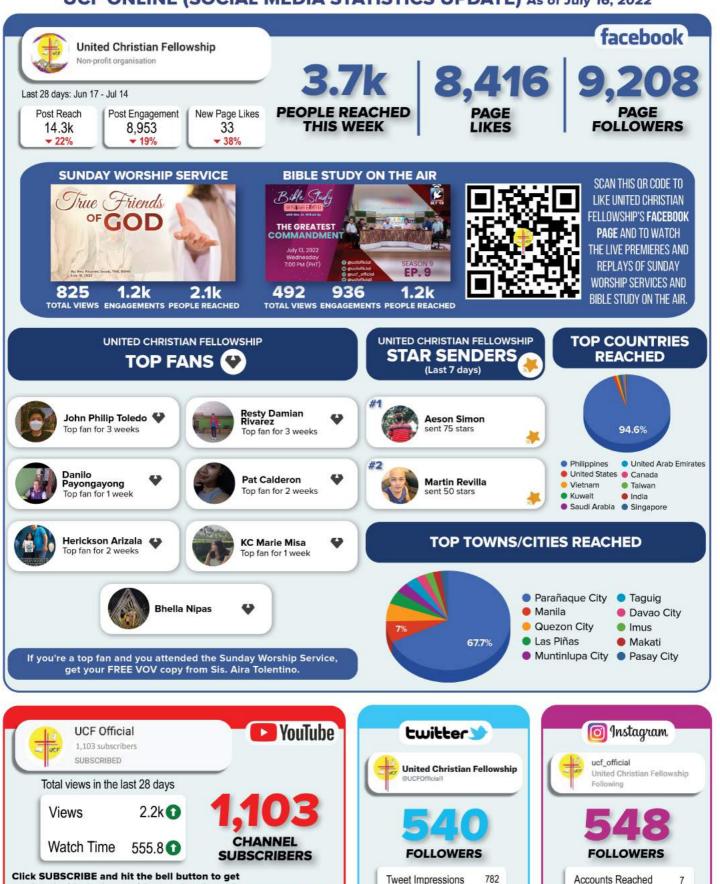
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Romans 8:19-21 (NKJV)

<sup>19</sup>For the earnest expectation of the creature waiteth for the manifestation of the sons of God. <sup>20</sup>For the creature was made subject to vanity, not willingly, but by the reason of Him who hath subjected the same in hope, <sup>21</sup>Because the creature itself also shall be delivered from the bondage of corruption into the glorious liberty of the children of God.

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offers in Christ Jesus is repentance. Without repentance, there is no salvation; not because of Jesus Christ but because we cannot come back to God. Jesus is the Savior. But how can we come back to God? It is through repentance. That's why after His testing in the wilderness, Jesus began saying, "Repent, for the Kingdom of God is at hand." How is this Word so important that the first sermon of Jesus Christ ba nanginginig? Iyon ang gustong sabihin is the temptation in the wilderness?

WITHOUT REPENTANCE, THERE IS NO SALVATION: NOT BECAUSE OF JESUS CHRIST BUT BECAUSE WE CANNOT COME **BACK TO GOD** 

What is repentance? This is not feeling guilty. It is not when you just acknowledge your sin and you feel guilty. It is not being sorry when we experience those consequences of the sins that we did. We felt that kind of remorse. It is not trying to be a good person or being self-righteous. And it is not being religious just to show people that we practice forgiveness and repentance. So, these four are not repentance.

Most of the time the word "repentance" is misunderstood because of these words. And most people, if they feel guilty and they say sorry, automatically they say that they already



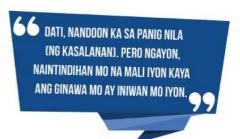
Rev. Dr. James Sunday Worship Servce July 7, 2019

Repentance repent. That is not repentance. Kapag binasa different from natin ang James 2, pinapahiwatig sa atin is na mainam na naniniwala tayo sa Diyos. Maraming tao ang nagsasabi na naniniwala first sila sa Diyos pero ano ang katotohanan doon? Enough ba na naniniwala ka na may Diyos? Base dito, hindi. Bakit kaya kino-compare ni James ang brethren sa demons? It's a clear comparison. Tandaan ninyo na sa Book of James, ang kinakausap niya dito ay mga believer. Sinasabi niya na, "Kayo, naniniwala kayo sa Diyos. Mainam iyan pero ang demonyo rin ay naniniwala sa Diyos. Ano ang pagkakaiba niyo?" Sabi niya, "Ang demonyo ay nanginginig pa." Kayo ni James sa pahayag niya. Hindi sapat na sabihin mong naniniwala ka sa Diyos. May mga taong nagsasabing naniniwala sila at may takot sila sa Diyos pero hindi iyon ang nakikita sa buhay nila. Bagkus sa totoo lang ay lip service lang iyon.



Repentance, according to Psalm 32:5 is, "I acknowledge my sin to You, and my iniquity I have not hidden. I said, 'I will confess my transgressions to the Lord, 'And You forgave the iniquity of my sin." Repentance is being truthful about your sin. Hindi ka magiging totoo sa kasalanan mo kasi kapag sinabi mong totoo ka sa kasalanan mo, ipinamumuhay mo na ito. Kailangan matutunan mong ihayag ang katotohanan. Huwag mong ikahiya. Yes, nagkasala ka pero hindi mo na gustong ipagpatuloy iyon. Kailangan tanggapin mo ang katotohanan na iyon na nagkasala ka. Kailangan aminin mo na nagkasala ka. Mayroong tinatawag na mga unspoken rule. Mayroong tinatawag na principles behind all those rules. The first principle about sin is that we all have sinned. The second principle is that the wages of sin is death. Sa langit, kung ano ang nakalagay sa batas, mangyayari iyon.

Maraming nagsasabi na ang Diyos daw ay pag-ibig. Tama iyon. The problem is isang side lang iyon. Ang Diyos din ay hustisya.



Kaya nga may impyerno kasi may mga taong naririnia na ana Salita na Diyos pero ayaw pa nilang sumunod. Nandito ako hindi para magbigay ng judgement dahil ang judge natin ay si Jesus. Ako ay nandito para magbigay ng babala. Kapag inamin mo na ang mga kasalanan mo, puwede ka na pumunta sa number two. Ano ang number two? It is turning away from your sin. Hindi mo agad nauunawaan nang isang upuan ang kasalanan. Mayroon siyang detalye. Habang pinapaunawa sa iyo ng Holy Spirit, then naunawaan mo na unti-unti kang magbabago.

Gawin mo muna ang number one. Unawain mo muna iyon. Tanggapin mo muna kasi hindi ka makakapunta number two. Lagi ka mangangatuwiran. Hindi mo alam kung bakit. Ang natatanggap mo na lang ay puro sakit. Hindi mo naintindihan kung bakit. Nagiging hyper ang emotion at hindi gumagana ang utak nang tama kaya walang pang-unawa at puro nararamdaman lang. Ganoon din ang kasalanan. Minsan, kapag tayo ay gumagawa ng kasalanan, nag-e-enjoy ka. Halimbawa, sinabihan ka na bawal mag-ingay pero ang gagawin mo, sasadyain mong mag-ingay. Para ano? Para sikat ka. Kaso lang, hindi mo naintindihan na may judgement doon. Ang judgement doon ay delikado. Ide-deny niya lahat ng kasalanan niya kapag nalaman na niya kung ano ang kaparusahan. Ganoon ang tao.

Ang tao na pinagtatakpan ang kaniyang kasalanan ay hindi mamamayagpag. Kung sinuman ang maghayag ng kasalanan at iwan ito ay siyang kaaawaan. Kapag naintindihan mo ang number one at naintindihan mo ang number two, pupunta ka na sa number three. It is hating sin. Dati, nandoon ka sa panig nila. Pero ngayon, naintindihan mo na mali iyon kaya ang ginawa mo ay iniwan mo iyon. Inamin mo tapos iniwan mo at nagsimula ka nang lumakad papunta sa tamang daan.

Romans 8:24-25 (NKJV)

<sup>24</sup>For we are saved by hope: but hope that is seen is not hope: for what a man seeth, why doth he yet hope for? <sup>25</sup>But if we hope for that we see not, then do we with patience wait for it.

# Sunday Worship Service Highlights



Ang Diyos ay nagsasalita sa atin sa pamamagitan ng Bibliya. Tuwing nagbabasa tayo ng Bible ay nakikipag-usap sa atin ang Panginoon.



If we are a friend of God, dapat lagi tayong naka-attach sa Kaniya.



Para sa isang mananampalataya, the Word of God is power.



Malalaman natin ang plano ng Diyos sa buhay natin through His Word.



Kailangan muna natin maligtas para ma-experience natin iyong tinatawag na plan of God sa buhay natin.

# LIFE THEN, **FE NOW**

# COMMUNICATION

During the time in the Bible, there were no cellphones, telephones, fax machines, and other technologies to help them in communicating with one another. They knew information mostly through word of mouth and signage posted in public places, which were handwritten. Another way was through messengers, who would ride camels, horses, or boats to get to their destination to deliver a certain message. And that would take days, weeks, and even months to be delivered.

Just as when Paul wrote letters to various churches while he was in prison, he sent Titus to send his Letter to the Corinthians, Epaphroditus to deliver his Letter to the Philippians, and others who delivered the rest of Paul's letters to different churches to warn, to encourage, and to pray for them. Even though Paul was far from the churches and it took a long time and effort to have his message delivered, it did not hinder Paul to share the Word of God with them.

Now, with various media and technologies available, people can easily communicate with one another even when they are from different parts of the world with just a few taps of our fingers. With this kind of convenience, it is easier and faster to share information with other people—what more the Word of God, which will bring great impact on people's lives? We should take advantage of this and maximize our resources to reach out to people with the Gospel.

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Romans 8:26 (KJV)

<sup>26</sup>Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.



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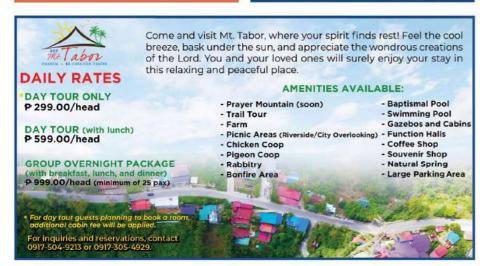
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Romans 8:27-28 (KJV)

<sup>27</sup>And He that searcheth the hearts knoweth what is the mind of the Spirit, because He maketh intercession for the saints according to the will of God. <sup>28</sup>And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to His purpose.

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### The promises...

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#### Matthew 5:37

But let your 'Yes' be 'Yes,' and your 'No,' 'No.' For whatever is more than these is from the evil one.

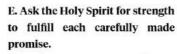
#### D. Believe in promise power.

- People trust us to do what we say we will do. As ambassadors of Christ, it's not only our character at stake. Others form opinions about Jesus based on our actions.

#### 2 Corinthians 5:20

Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore you on Christ's behalf, be reconciled to God.

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- Promises are a measure of trust. With the Holy Spirit's help, we can keep every single promise we

#### John 14:26

But the Helper, the Holy Spirit, whom the Father will send in My name, He will teach you all things, and bring to your remembrance all things that I said to you.

#### Challenge

- If God has said it, He will do it.
- If God has spoken it, He will fulfill
- Do you have any promise to God that you don't do?



#### WHY READ THE BOOK OF LAMENTATIONS?

There book in the Bible that is filled with sorrowful poems. It grieves for the

destruction of Jerusalem and that is the Book of Lamentations, believingly written by Jeremiah.

In this book, Jeremiah sadly portrayed how Jerusalem and Judah suffered from the judgment of God. He taught God's people that those who refuse to respect Him and those who disobey Him will have to go through immense suffering. Lamentations talk all about the "funeral" of Jerusalem as the people here were fairly judged.

God used the city of Babylon to bestow the punishment He has for Jerusalem.

As this book is read, it will seem as though God has been defeated; it seems as if His promises have failed; it seems as if all hope is lost. But this is not the view of the book. It depicts how it is not alright to sin. This book puts in front of us the horrible rebellion consequences of against God, of acting that we are better, smarter and that even our ways are higher. There is a consequence in thinking such and in rejecting God's law and writing your own.



Write the points to remember from the sermon as you seek God in your life.

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