

VOICE OF THE VISION

Servants of God are to live a life that is obedient to His teachings and to lead people to follow Jesus Christ.



Rev. Dr. James C. Sy
Administrative Pastor

1 Thessalonians 2:4-8 (NKJV)

⁴But as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the gospel, even so we speak, not as pleasing men, but God who tests our hearts. ⁵For neither at any time did we use flattering words, as you know, nor a cloak for covetousness—God is witness. ⁶Nor did we seek glory from men, either from you or from others, when we might have made demands as apostles of Christ. ⁷But we were gentle among you, just as a nursing mother cherishes her own children. ⁸So, affectionately longing for you, we were well pleased to impart to you not only the gospel of God, but also our own lives, because you had become dear to us.

Introduction

There are two common questions in the topic of discipleship.

- Are you a disciple of Jesus Christ?
- Are you discipling others?

A disciple is a follower of Jesus Christ. The direction and aim of his/her life are to be obedient to Jesus Christ and His teachings as revealed in the Bible.

To disciple others is to help them follow Jesus Christ.

Discipleship is not merely a church program or activity but rather the culture of every believer. Every believer aims at helping other believers to become more like Christ, like Godly parents discipling their children.

Effective discipleship is built on a godly message, a godly manner, and a godly motive.

A. Godly message

Ephesians 2:8-9

⁸For by grace you have been saved through faith, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God, ⁹not of works, lest anyone should boast.

The gospel is God's finished work through Jesus Christ. That all who believed (faith) in Christ will be saved, not through merit of good works but through faith.

Romans 4:5

But to him who does not work but believes on Him who justifies the ungodly, his faith is accounted for righteousness.

The gospel is good news for sinners for the forgiveness of sins of those who believe.

Luke 18:11-14

¹¹The Pharisee stood and prayed thus with himself, 'God, I thank You that I am not like other men—extortioners, unjust, adulterers, or even as this tax collector. ¹²I fast twice a week; I give tithes of all that I possess.' ¹³And the tax collector, standing afar off, would not so much as raise his eyes to heaven, but beat his breast, saying, 'God, be merciful to me a sinner!' ¹⁴I tell you, this man went down to his house justified rather than the other; for everyone who exalts himself will be humbled, and he who humbles himself will be exalted."

Jesus said that the tax collector went to his house justified, whereas the Pharisee did not.

So why does the gospel have opposition? Because it takes away pride of the self-righteous. The gospel requires that we acknowledge that we are sinners without any claim for heaven. Also, unbelievers do not like the

truth about God's wrath and judgment against all sinners.

We cannot compromise the gospel just to win converts. False teachers will not tell people about their sins and the judgment to come. They will sugarcoat and focus on building people's self-esteem and how Jesus can help them to experience the best possible life on earth.

B. Godly manner

2 Timothy 2:24-25

²⁴And a servant of the Lord must not quarrel but be gentle to all, able to teach, patient, ²⁵in humility correcting those who are in opposition, if God perhaps will grant them repentance, so that they may know the truth.

Whenever people feel the love of Christ through us, they will more likely listen to the gospel that we present. Paul illustrates godly manner like a nursing mother. Babies are needy, difficult, inconvenient, and time-consuming.

Makapangyarihang pagkilos ng Diyos, ipinagdiwang!

Naging matagumpay ang pagdiriwang ng mga anak ng Diyos kasama ang mga miyembro at panauhin sa ika-36 na anibersaryo ng UCF noong Pebrero 26, Linggo, sa *UCF Sanctuary*. Ang naging selebrasyon ay nagpadama ng pasasalamat, pagmamahal at pagbabalik-sulit sa ating Diyos na buhay sa panambahang ipinagkatiwala Niya kay Rev. Dr. William Sy.

Sinalubong ng lahat ang mga dumalo nang may pusong nais Siyang maluwalhati para sa makapangyarihang pagkilos Niya sa panambahang Kaniyang tinawag. Mula bata hanggang sa mga may edad, ang bawat isa ay naglaan ng oras upang maitanghal ang kadakilaan ng Panginoon sa pamamagitan ng kanilang mga talento na ibinahagi sa buong programa.

Tunay na tapat ang Diyos sa paggamit Niya sa buhay ng Kaniyang mga anak upang maisakatuparan ang kalooban Niya sa loob ng mga nagdaang taon. Salamin nito ang 36 na taon ng UCF.



Pagpapaunlak sa mga bisita

Malugod at taos-pusong sinalubong ng kapatiran ang mga bisita at mga pamilyang maligayang dumalo sa ika-36 na anibersaryo ng UCF. Inasistahan ng mga usher ang bawat isa sa pag-scan ng kanilang mga QR code upang tuluyang makapagrehistro.



Matthew 6:25
(NKJV)

²⁵"Therefore I say to you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink; nor about your body, what you will put on. Is not life more than food and the body more than clothing?"

Praise and Worship

Malayang nagpuri ang lahat sa Panginoon upang maibalik sa Kaniya ang nararapat na pasasalamat sa Kaniyang naging pagkilos at pagsama sa panambahan sa 36 na taon.

Ang bawat isa ay nagbigay ng luwalhati sa Kaniya sa ipinamalas Niyang pag-ibig, kapayapaan, katapatan, kabutihan at pagpapala na nararanasan.



Sa pangunguna ng Praise and Worship Team, malayang nakapag-alay ng wagas na papuri sa Panginoon ang bawat isa at maging ang mga bisita. Ito ay isang araw na napuno ng kagalakan na nagmumula lamang sa Kaniya.



Sis. Gloria Ballon
Guest

"Pinakana-bless ako noong praise and worship kasi napaiyak ako noon. Saan man ako makarating, nagpapasalamat ako dahil nandyan Siya. Visitor ako pero happy ako na nandito ako. Nagpapasalamat ako dahil nakarating ako dito lalo na sa mga taong ginamit ng Panginoon para makarating ako."



Sinimulan ang pagdiriwang na ito sa paghahandog ng mga magagandang awit ng pasasalamat sa Diyos Ama.

Napuno ang panambahan ng mga awit at tugtugin ng mga mananampalataya ng Diyos.



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When a person commits to the Lord and will serve Him, it is their happiest moment in their life.

- Rev. Dr. William Sy

²⁶Look at the birds of the air, for they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns; yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? ²⁷Which of you by worrying can add one cubit to his stature?

Matthew 6:26-27
(NKJV)

Mga Pagtatanghal

Bitbit ang karangalan at papuri sa Diyos
Ama na tapat ay buong puso at galing
na umawit at sumayaw ang bawat
mag-aaral, kabataan, mga ina at ama
sa kanilang nakaaantig at espesyal
na presentasyong mayroong
layuning maitaas ang
Diyos.

CHILDREN'S FELLOWSHIP AND UCA STUDENTS



Sa kanilang mga awitin at pagsayaw, naging mensahe para sa lahat na ang Diyos ay narapat bigyang papuri at luwalhati para sa Kaniyang katapatan.



Sis. Alma Burilla
Guest

"All throughout the program ay naging blessing po sa amin. Isa pa ay dahil ang mga anak po namin ay na-involve. Ang dream po namin ay maging God-fearing po ang mga bata. I hope na makasama pa sila sa ibang event."



YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

Higit na napagpala ang Diyos sa ipinamalas na pagtatanghal ng kabataan na naghatid ng isang magandang mensahe na ang Diyos ay laging nariryan anuman ang pagdaanan at harapin ng Kaniyang mga anak. Ang kanilang naging presentasyon ay deklarasyon na ang Diyos ay tunay na buhay.



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Maganda ang buhay ng isang tao kapag kilala niya ang Diyos at ginagawa niyang priority ang Diyos sa buhay niya.

- Rev. Dr. William Sy

Matthew 6:31-32
(NKJV)

³¹"Therefore do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?'" ³²For after all these things the Gentiles seek. For your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things."



Kanilang ipinapahayag ang desisyong sumunod sa Panginoon sa pamamagitan ng isang awiting nagsasabing buong puso silang maglilingkod sa kaniya.

ADULT FELLOWSHIP

Pagdaraoos ng programa

Ang espesyal na okasyon ay ginanap sa pangunguna na mga *host* na buong kagalakang inihatid ang bawat bahagi ng programa. Sinimulan ang programa sa panalanging inihatid ni Rev. Fidel Dillo. At sa pagtatapos ng buong selebrasyon, nagbahagi ng pangwakas na panalangin si Rev. Ricardo Jacob.



UCF 36th ANNIVERSARY MAIN HOSTS



Bro. Lito Burilla
Guest

"Natuwa ako sa mga presentasyong ipinakita kung saan na-involve ang mga bata pati ang mga ipinakitang video presentation na mayroong mga outreach program na nakakatulong sa mga tao. Maliban sa pagbahagi ng Salita ng Diyos, ito rin ay isang paraan upang ang kabataan ay mailapit din sa Panginoon."



Nasaksihan ng mga dumalong bisita ang buong programa na sumasalamain sa kabutihan at katapatan ng Diyos sa UCF.



Pagpapalabas ng AVP

Ang Multimedia Department ay naghanda rin ng mga audio-visual presentation (AVP) na nagpalabas ng mga makasaysayang pangyayaring naganap sa panambahang UCF sa mga nagdaang panahon. Dito ipinamalas ang malaki at makapangyarihang pagkilos ng Diyos sa panambahang Kaniyang tinawag.

³⁰Now if God so clothes the grass of the field, which today is, and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will He not much more clothe you, O you of little faith?

Matthew 6:30
(NKJV)

Pagbahagi ng Salita ng Diyos

Sa pamamagitan ng lingkod ng Diyos at Punong Pastor ng UCF na si Rev. Dr. William Sy, naibahagi ang kaniyang karanasan sa Diyos at ang pagkakaroon ng isang buhay na kasiya-siya dahil mayroong tapat na Panginoong pinaglilingkuran.



Nakinig mabuti ang mga bisita sa ibinahaging mensahe ni Rev. Dr. Sy na hindi lamang kapupulutan ng aral, bagkus ay makatutulong sa kanilang pagkilala sa Diyos.

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God is more than sufficient. Kapag nagbibigay tayo ng isa, ang Diyos ay nagbibigay pabalik. Mas malaki magbigay ang Panginoon.

- Rev. Dr. William Sy



Cake blowing and Offering

Sama-samang umawit ng “Happy Birthday” ang lahat para sa paggunita ng ika-36 na taon ng UCF. Masayang awit ng pagbati ang namutawi sa lahat kasabay ng pasasalamat sa Diyos. Ang panambahan naman ay nagkakaroon ng espesyal na offering para gunitain ang kaarawan ng bawat isa.



Psalm 138:1-2 (NKJV)

¹I will praise You with my whole heart; Before the gods I will sing praises to You. ²I will worship toward Your holy temple, And praise Your name For Your lovingkindness and Your truth; For You have magnified Your word above all Your name.

Pagkilala sa mga Manggagawa

Bilang pagkilala naman sa mga manggagawang patuloy na nagbibigay ng kanilang buhay upang magpagamit sa Panginoon ay binigyan ang bawat isa ng sertipiko ng pagpaparangal sa pangunguna ni Punong Pastor Rev. Dr. William Sy kasama ang kaniyang maybahay na si Sis. Dely Sy.



Ang abilidad at panahong iginugol ng bawat manggagawa para sa gawain ng Diyos ay kailanman hindi sayang sapagkat ang lahat ng ito ay alay para sa kalaguan ng Kaniyang ministeryo.



Certificate of Recognition Recipients



Ang puso ng bawat isa ay puno ng galak na lalo pang magpagamit para sa ministeryo ng Diyos sa pamamagitan ng UCF.



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Ang Kristiyano ay tinawag ng Diyos sapagkat ang bunga ng isang Kristiyano ay mabubuting gawa.

- Rev. Dr. William Sy

³³But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you. ³⁴Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about its own things. Sufficient for the day is its own trouble.

Matthew 6:33-34
(NKJV)

Salu-salo ng isang pamilya

Ang mga dumalo ay nagsalu-salo matapos ang programa. Maliban sa masasarap na pagkaing inihanda, naging pagkakataon ito upang makausap at makumusta ang mga bisita.



Kinagalakan ng bawat isa ang mga pagkaing inihanda ng pamilya ng UCF. Ang mga manggagawa ay kinamustarin ang lahat. Maging mga miyembro ng HBC ay kasama rin at malugod na nagpaunlak sa imbitasyon ng UCF.



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He is able to keep His promise.
God is able to save us from all
disaster even sickness. He is
able to heal us.

- Rev. Dr. William Sy

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Photobooth

Nagkaroon din ng oportunidad na ang bawat isa ay makuhanan ng litrato kasama ang kanilang mga kaibigan, kklase at mga magulang na magsisilbing isang magandang memorya ng pagsasama-sama sa naganap na okasyon.

Kagalakian din na makasama ang mga magulang at estudyante ng UCA sa selebrasyon ng pamilya ng UCF. Sila ay inimbihan din sa susunod na mga gawain.



Ang pamilya ng mga miyembro at manggagawa ng UCF ay nakadalo rin sa pagdiriwang. Hindi rin nila pinalampas na magpakuha ng larawan bilang souvenir sa espesyal na selebrasyon. Purihin ang Diyos sa gawain ito!



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Ang Diyos hindi lang nilalang ng langit at lupa mayroon Siyang kakayanan na panghawakan ang Kaniyang pangako sa atin.

- Rev. Dr. William Sy

³In the day when I cried out, You answered me, And made me bold with strength in my soul. ⁴All the kings of the earth shall praise You, O Lord, When they hear the words of Your mouth. ⁵Yes, they shall sing of the ways of the Lord, For great is the glory of the Lord.

Psalm 138:5
(NKJV)



Program Committee



UCF Pastors

Ministry Groups

Ang UCF ay kinabibilangan ng mga departamentong ginagamit ng Panginoon upang gampanan ang Kaniyang kalooban na nasasaad sa *vision and mission* ng panambahan.



Ushers



Choir



Band



Dancers



Kitchen Ministry



Multimedia

Kamangha-manghang pagsama ng Panginoon ang muling naranasan ng mga manggagawa matapos ang mga preparasyon na isinagawa ng bawat ministeryo ng UCF para sa anibersaryo. Tunay na isang kagalakan ang maglingkod sa ating Diyos na buhay.

Purihin ang Panginoon sa oportunidad upang magpagamit para sa Kaniyang ministeryo at maging parte ng Kaniyang panambahang magtatanghal ng kadakilaan at kaluwalhatian Niya sa sanlibutan!

**Psalms 130:2-5
(NKJV)**

²Lord, hear my voice! Let Your ears be attentive To the voice of my supplications. ³If You, Lord, should mark iniquities, O Lord, who could stand? ⁴But there is forgiveness with You, That You may be feared. ⁵I wait for the Lord, my soul waits, And in His word I do hope.

PASASALAMAT SA **KATAPATAN** AT **PROBISYON**

Matapos ang katagumpayan sa pagdaraos ng ika-36 na anibersaryo ng UCF ay nagkaroon ng *Thanksgiving Dinner* ang mga manggagawa at miyembro nito sa SM BF Vikings noong Lunes, Pebrero 27.

Ang buong lugar ay napuno ng pasasalamat, kagalakan at pagsasalu-salo na pinangunahan ng ating punong pastor na si Rev. Dr. William Sy. Masaya namang nagsama-sama ang kapatiran lalo na't mayroong masasarap na pagkaing kinagiliwan ng lahat.



Ipinalabas din ang buong *live broadcast* ng anibersaryo sa mga nagsipagdalo. Muling nasaksihan ng lahat ang mga presentasyon at maging ang mga AVP na nagpakita sa kasaysayan ng UCF at mga programa ng bawat ministeryo nito.



Masayang inalala ng kapatiran ang magagandang ginawa ng Diyos sa nagdaang anibersaryo at sama-sama rin silang nagsalu-salo sa masasarap na pagkain.



Sa pagtatapos nito ay nagbigay ng mensahe ng pasasalamat si Rev. Dr. Sy para sa mga manggagawa. Papuri sa Diyos para sa panambahang Kaniyang tinawag at gagamitin sa marami pang taon!

⁶My soul waits for the Lord More than those who watch for the morning—Yes, more than those who watch for the morning. ⁷O Israel, hope in the Lord; For with the Lord there is mercy, And with Him is abundant redemption. ⁸And He shall redeem Israel From all his iniquities.

**Psalms 130:6-8
(NKJV)**

Effective...

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But a loving mother is willing to sacrifice herself to become vulnerable and restricted when nursing her baby. That is the mother's love.

C. Godly motive

1 Thessalonians 2:4

But as we have been approved by God to be entrusted with the gospel, even so we speak, not as pleasing men, but God who tests our hearts.

Colossians 1:10

That you may walk worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing Him, being fruitful in every good work and increasing in the knowledge of God.

- We please God when we seek His glory, not our own.

1 Thessalonians 2:2

But even after we had suffered before and were spitefully treated at Philippi, as you know, we were bold in our God to speak to you the gospel of God in much conflict.

- We please God by enduring trials with joy.

1 Thessalonians 2:3

For our exhortation did not come from error or uncleanness, nor was it in deceit.

- We please God by exhorting the truth with moral integrity (without deception and manipulation).

1 Thessalonians 2:5

For neither at any time did we use flattering words, as you know, nor a cloak for covetousness—God is witness.

- We please God by financial integrity.

Conclusion

The godly message is the gospel; the godly manner is evident love for others; and, the godly motive is to please God from the heart.

If you're clear on the gospel, evident in your love for others, and doing everything to please God who examines your heart, God will use you to help others grow to be more like Christ.

WHY READ THE BOOK OF ACTS?



The Book of Acts is a sequel to the Gospel of Luke, which is both written by Luke, a physician who traveled with Apostle Paul.

The Book of Acts connects the writings of the New Testament by connecting what Jesus began to do and to teach as described in the Gospels with what He continued to do and teach through the apostles' preaching and the founding of the church.

The four Gospel narratives (Matthew, Mark, Luke, and John) account Jesus' life and teachings, and the Book of Acts gives a coherent account of the founding and growth of the church, the proclamation of the gospel, the creation of congregations, and evangelistic activities following the example of the apostles.

Moreover, Acts tells us about the Christian church's worldwide mission. What began in Jerusalem will spread to the world's most remote regions. Jesus had that in mind from the beginning. He constantly wanted His followers to take His message and spread the good news all over the world.

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