Philippians 2:19-22 (NKJV)

Rev. Dr. James C. Sy Administrative Pastor

¹⁹But I trust in the Lord Jesus to send Timothy to you shortly, that I also may be encouraged when I know your state. ²⁰For I have no one like-minded, who will sincerely care for your state. ²¹For all seek their own, not the things which are of Christ Jesus. ²²But you know his proven character, that as a son with his father he served with me in the gospel.

Introduction

All Christians are bought by the blood of Jesus Christ. We are all servants of our Lord Jesus Christ. Being a servant is not an option, it is a calling of all believers. If you are not a servant, you cannot rightly call yourself a Christian.

Jesus Himself became a servant and gave His life for many.

Mark 10:45

"For even the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many."

Because of our selfish nature,

we must learn to cultivate a servant's heart. If we cultivate a servant's heart and endure a servant's hardships, we will receive a servant's honor.

A. Cultivate a servant's heart

- A servant's heart is centered on the Lord's will.

Many did not realize that Paul was not making decisions based on emotions and common sense but submits himself to the Lord's will. When he said, "But I trust in the Lord Jesus...", he has clearly saying that it is the Lord who will send Timothy and not by his instructions that Timothy will be sent. When Epaphroditus got well, he said, "God had mercy on him, and not only on him but on me also." Clearly his center is on the Lord's will.

Timothy served with Paul and had been proven to sincerely care for the saints and not seeking for his own interests.

Epaphroditus focused on the things of Christ, even to push himself almost to the point of death just to bring the gift to Paul.

- A servant's heart is willing to be sent anytime-anywhere, and to sacrifice anything just to be of service.

BELIEVER'S RESPONSIBILITIES:

If anyone had other motives beside the things of Christ, they will get tired and disheartened, angry, and hurt because of the way people treat them, frustrated and weary because of the hardships, and eventually quit in disappointment.

- A servant's heart puts others ahead of himself for the sake of the gospel.

You do things out of love and not because it is your duty.

You do things for their good that mostly put yourself in a bind.

You have no problem working together harmoniously without issue.

B. Endure a servant's hardships

- Persecutions are both from within and out. Some who claimed to be serving Christ may attack you out of envy and simply because you are telling the truth. - Circumstances strike us especially when we become complacent. Even your co-workers, who you expect to help you, will sometimes be the one to make it harder for you.

- The tasks ahead are really hard for any man to accomplish. It involves a life (physically, mentally, emotionally, and financially) of dedication and sacrifices.

C. Receive a servant's honor

- God is faithful and just to reward those who suffer for Him.

2 Timothy 4:6-8

⁶For I am already being poured out as a drink offering, and the time of my departure is at hand. ⁷I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith. ⁸Finally, there is laid up for me the crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous Judge, will give to me on that Day, and not to me only but also to all who have loved His appearing.

Matthew 25:21

His lord said to him, 'Well done, good and faithful servant; you were faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many things. Enter into the joy of your lord.'



rom different locations in the world, UCA gathered to celebrate the achievements of its students in the 26th Commencement Exercises at UCA Auditorium last Saturday, June 3, which parents and guardians attended. Aside from its face-to-face program, UCA broadcasted live on Youtube and Facebook to cater the students enrolled in the distance learning program.

With pride and joy in the Christ Jesus, parents gladly put on the awards and certificates to their children together with the

UCA school officials. As this event marked the end of their academic journey, this also symbolized the beginning of a new endeavor. The Lord has blessed UCA with a fruitful and productive school year where students unleashed their gifts and talents and discover more of themselves.

By the grace of God, another school year ended its chapter, but their learnings and experiences are inculcated in their hearts. Praise the Lord for His faithfulness and provision in the school He has called.



The ushers warmly welcomed the parents and students that are coming inside the campus. They joyfully assisted and gave UCA souvenir and flyers that featured the events and information about the school.







throughout the year.

Praise Him for His mighty acts; Praise Him according to His excellent greatness!

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Achievements

It was a joyous day in UCA as it was the recognition of the sweet fruits of their labor. Indeed, their efforts have paid off and it was a year well-spent learning and growing holistically.







Students, together with their parents, express the joy in their hearts for what the Lord has done this academic year.









There is no greater joy than seeing your child reach a big milestone and taking one step closer in reaching their dreams.







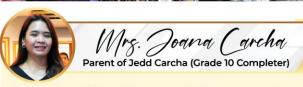
Parents and guardians give their utmost support and love to their children on this day.











"We are very blessed because for 13 years, naging parte ang UCA sa pag-develop ng attitude ni Jedd. Naging mabait na bata siya at naging malaking factor ang teachers. Dahil sa kanila ay natulungan nila akong gabayan si Jedd sa lahat ng aspeto."

Praise Him with the sound of the trumpet; Praise Him with the lute and harp! Praise Him with the timbrel and dance; Praise Him with stringed instruments and flutes!

Deuteronomy 5:33 (NKJV)

Graduation Opening Ceremony

UCA welcomed the graduates together with their parents and guardians with gladness and thanksgiving. It is indeed a milestone to celebrate and a new beginning to look forward.





The students are overjoyed in this momentous event as they will receive the fruit of their hard work for the whole year. They attentively listen also during the whole program.



The graduates and the completers took their graduation march with their supportive and loving parents. This academic journey they have experienced marks the beginning of a new chapter in their lives as students.







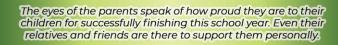














Jason Sanchez

Parent of Zoe Veronica Sanchez

"We are so blessed na maging part ng UCA family because we get to have Zoe learn the basics in school and have new friends. At syempre ang safety environment for our kids."









Psalm 150:5-6 (NKJV) ⁵Praise Him with loud cymbals; Praise Him with clashing cymbals! ⁶Let everything that has breath praise the LORD. Praise the LORD!

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Students, toge and guardians their medals handed out b

Students, together with their parents and guardians, went on stage to receive their medals and awards, which were handed out by the school officials.

Awarding Achievements









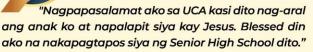






Students from Kindergarten and Grade 10 joyfully receive awards for their achievements this school year as they undergo the Moving Up Ceremony. Their hard work has paid off as they receive the fruit of their labor.





















To cap off the school year, the Grade 6 and Grade 12 students are recognized for their dedication and perseverance in their studies.

With their classmates and friends, the UCA students proudly and happily pose as they experience this exciting and meaningful milestone of their lives.

You will show me the path of life; In Your presence is fullness of joy; At Your right hand are pleasures forevermore.

Psalm 16:11 (NKJV)

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Pledge of Loyalty

Graduating students from Grade 12 declare their pledge of loyalty as led by UCA Alumna Ms. Jasmin Jimenez. Students pledged to uphold the beliefs and ideals instilled to them, as well as to be exemplary individuals in the society as testimony of UCA's upbringing of them.



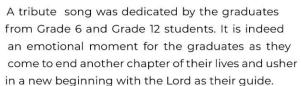








"I am super blessed na napunta ako sa UCA kasi natuto ako hindi lang sa education kundi pati rin sa Word of God. Napalapit ako sa Panginoon dahil sa school na ito and again, I am so thankful because I met new friends and my teacher is so kind."











Fresh roses are given to the parents and guardians while they sing their heartfelt graduation song.

Psalm 95:2 (NKJV) Let us come before His presence with thanksgiving; Let us shout joyfully to Him with psalms.

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Students, together with their parents, celebrate their academic milestones by capturing their happy and fulfulling smiles in the photobooth.







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After a year of hardwork, students finally reap their rewards for their diligence in school. This deserves a photo that will remember their special day with their loved ones.



Parents and guardians wear their big smiles together

with the students, to capture this memorable day.























The photobooth also serves as memorabilia for their classmates and families as they harvest the fruits of their hardwork and enter another chapter of their lives.

They shall utter the memory of Your great goodness, And shall sing of Your righteousness.

Psalm 145:7 (NKJV)



Pagsisikap sa pagsunod

ng walang humpay na paggawa ay tanda ng pusong nagsusumikap para sa gawain ng Panginoon. Sa pagsisimula ng konstruksiyon ng panambahan sa UCF Mt. Tabor Church Re-Creation Center ay nasasaksihan ng kapatiran ang pagsisikap ni Rev. Dr. William Sy na sundin ang kalooban ng Diyos.

Unti-unting mga pagbabago sa konstruksiyon ang nakikita sa bawat linggo na tanda ng pag-usbong ng ministeryong tiyak ay

Paggawa ng pader

gagamitin ng Panginoon. Mula sa paghahanda ng lupa, paghuhukay, pagsesemento at marami pang iba ay ibayong kalakasan din ang handog ng Diyos para sa mga manggagawa. Hindi hadlang ang anumang panahon o oras para maisakatuparan ang plano ng Diyos

Patuloy na panalangin ang ating ilaan para sa panambahang itinatayo sa lugar at para sa lahat ng taong nagbigay ng oras para sa gawain. Purihin ang Diyos sa Kaniyang katapatan!



Natuyo na ang sementong ibinuhos sa maa poste noona nakaraana linggo. Tinanggal na ang wooden frame nito na nagsilbing hulmahan ng bawat poste. Samantala, ang paligid ng poste ay tinambakan nang muli ng lupa upang mas mapagtibay ang mga ito. Dahil sa maulang panahon sa lugar, iniiwasan ring maging maputik ang paligid ng poste.



Pagsaayos ng poste

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kabila ng pabago-bagong Mt. Tabor sa nagpapatuloy ang gawaing alay para sa Diyos. Sinimulan nang hukayin ang lupa sa pagitan ng bawat poste na siyang magiging pader ng panambahan. Nilagyan ito ng mga graba at isiniksik ng mabuti para ito ay maging pantay. Matapos nito ay sinimulan na ang paglalagay ng mga hollow block at semento na siyang pinatulungan ng mga boluntaryo.







Psalm 20:5-6 (NKJV)

⁵We will rejoice in your salvation, And in the name of our God we will set up our banners! May the Lord fulfill all your petitions. 6Now I know that the Lord saves His anointed; He will answer him from His holy heaven With the saving strength of His right hand.

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bawat pagkakataon, Panginoon patuloy nagiging tapat sa buhay ng mga mananampalatayang buong puso at isip na nagtitiwala sa Kaniya.

pagsibol ng panibagong ministeryong ibinigay ng Diyos sa panambahan, ang kapatiran naglakas-loob na magtanim kanilang pananampalataya para sa konstruksyon ng Mt. Tabor Church. Tunay na hindi pinagkukulang ng Diyos ang Kaniyang mga anak. Ilan sa ating kapatiran ay nagpapatotoo ng kanilang karanasan ng pagkilos ng Diyos upang ipagkaloob ang binhing kanilang itatanim. At Siya naman ang tiyak na magpapatubo ng mga ito.

Papuri sa Diyos para sa Kaniyang katapatan, pagsama at pagpapala sa Kaniyang mga anak. Nang may buong pagtitiwala, ang mga binhing itinanim para sa gawain Niya ay siguradong magbubunga ng bibilangin para sa paglawak ng Kaniyang ministeryo.

SALAMAT, Panginoon

Wala akong pera to be honest, but because I have faith in God, sa pamamagitan ng pagbebenta at suporta ng aking pamilya, ako ay nakaipon at nakapagbigay bago mag-deadline. "

"Our God is truly our provider. Isa ako sa mga nakausap ng Panginoon upang magbigay ng seed money para sa church na gagawin sa Mt. Tabor. First time ko pong maging kabahagi at makapag-pledge sa panambahan ng UCF. Wala akong pera to be honest, but because I have faith in God, sa pamamagitan ng pagbebenta at suporta ng aking pamilya, ako ay nakaipon at nakapagbigay bago mag-deadline."

SIS. ALICIA FAYE OBINGAYAN

2 Corinto 9:6-8 (MBBTAG)

⁶Ito ang ibig kong sabihin: ang nagtatanim ng kakaunti ay aani ng kakaunti, at ang nagtatanim ng marami ay aani ng marami. ⁷Ang bawat isa'y dapat magbigay ayon sa kanyang pasya, maluwag sa loob at hindi napipilitan lamang, sapagkat iniibig ng Diyos ang nagbibigay nang may kagalakan. 8 Magagawa ng Diyos na pasaganain kayo sa lahat ng bagay, at higit pa sa inyong pangangailangan, upang sumagana kayo para sa mabubuting gawa.

"Lubos kaming nagpapasalamat dahil binigyan kami ng pagkakataon ni Ptr. William na makapagbigay ng aming binhi upang kami ay mas higit pang makaranas ng mas malago pang mga pagpapala mula sa Diyos. Unang banggit pa lang ni pastor, malinaw na sa amin at buo agad ang aming kalooban na kami ay magbibigay kaya kami talaga ay nag-commit. Ilang araw matapos naming mag-commit, God spoke to me. Sabi Niya sa akin, 'Ibe-bless Kita.' Gusto ko talagang maiyak sa saya noong panahon na iyon dahil pinaalala Niya sa akin na lagi Niya kaming sinasamahan sa lahat ng pagkakataon at never kami nawalan dahil lagi Siyang nagpo-provide. Talagang totoo ang Diyos at Siya ay buhay. Tunay Siyang tapat sa Kaniyang mga pangako. Salamat sa Panginoon at sa Kaniya lamang namin ibibigay ang aming pinakamataas na papuri!"

BRO. KEVIN ROBALE & SIS. JANNIEN GANDIA

Pinaalala Niya sa akin na lagi Niya kaming sinasamahan sa lahat ng pagkakataon at never kami nawalan dahil lagi Siyang nagpo-provide. "

This is the day the Lord has made; We will rejoice and be glad in it.

Psalm 118:24

Believer's...

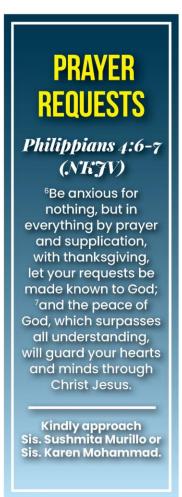
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Challenge

Philippians 2:3-4

³Let nothing be done through selfish ambition or conceit, but in lowliness of mind let each esteem others better than himself. ⁴Let each of you look out not only for his own interests, but also for the interests of others

As Jesus demonstrated a servant's heart and became obedient to death on the cross, let us follow the same pattern and strive to become a good and faithful servant.

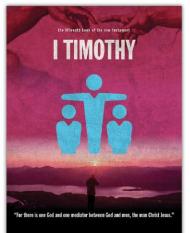


SERMON NOTES

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

What is God's message for you through the sermon?

WHY READ THE BOOK OF 1 TIMOTHY?



The Book of 1 Timothy teaches about the significance of what true leadership among the young church leaders must be Paul wrote this letter to Timothy to give his fatherly advice—a special warning about false teachers. Paul encouraged him and the young church leaders to hold on to their faith in Christ—the true leader (1:12-20). He also emphasized the importance of prayer and order in church meetings (2:8-15). As you will read the following chapters, Paul spoke again about the false teachers, telling Timothy how to recognize and respond to them (4:1-16). He gave practical advice on pastoral care to the young and old, widows, elders, and servants.

This book holds many lessons. A church leader must take note of Paul's relationship with his young disciple. Measure

yourself against the qualifications that Paul gives for bishops and deacons. Therefore, we should follow the example of godly Christian leaders like Timothy, who imitated Paul's life.







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