

VOICE OF THE VISION

OUR PAST, PRESENT AND FUTURE



in Christ

Ephesians 2:1-10 (NKJV)

¹And you He made alive, who were dead in trespasses and sins, ²in which you once walked according to the course of this world, according to the prince of the power of the air, the spirit who now works in the sons of disobedience, ³among whom also we all once conducted ourselves in the lusts of our flesh, fulfilling the desires of the flesh and of the mind, and were by nature children of wrath, just as the others. ⁴But God, who is rich in mercy, because of His great love with which He loved us, ⁵even when we were dead in trespasses, made us alive together with Christ (by grace you have been saved), ⁶and raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus, ⁷that in the ages to come He might show the exceeding riches of His grace in His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus. 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. ¹⁰For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

Introduction

Paul knew that we will never really praise and glorify God as we should if we lose sight of the depths of sin from which He saved us. We will not be filled with gratitude for our salvation if we forget where we were and still would be, and if God had not reached down to us with His abundant grace.

1. Our Past: All who are outside of Christ are spiritually

dead, walking in their trespasses and sins, living under the power of the world, the devil, and the flesh, and by nature under God's wrath.

Jesus stated the inability of sinners to come to Him. In John 6:44, Jesus said, "No one can come to Me unless the Father who sent Me draws him; and I will raise him up on the last day." Jesus repeated it afterwards in John 6:65, "For this reason I have said to you, that no one can come to Me unless it has been granted him from the Father."

In John 8:43, Jesus asked the Jews, "Why do you not understand My speech? Because you are not able to listen to My word." In John 8:47, Jesus also answered that question saying, "He who is of God hears God's words; therefore you do not hear, because you are not of God."

2 Corinthians 4:3-4

³But even if our gospel is veiled, it is veiled to those who are perishing, ⁴whose minds the god of this age has blinded, who do not believe, lest the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine on them.

Paul sums up the description of those who are not of God in Romans 3:18, "There is no fear of God before their eyes."

John also describes what true children of God is in 1 John 3:19,

"Whoever has been born of God does not sin, for His seed remains in him; and he cannot sin, because he has been born of God." The one who loves the world is from the world.

1 John 2:15-17

¹⁵Do not love the world or the things in the world. If anyone loves the world, the love of the Father is not in him. ¹⁶For all that is in the world—the lust of the flesh, the lust of the eyes, and the pride of life—is not of the Father but is of the world. ¹⁷And the world is passing away, and the lust of it; but he who does the will of God abides forever.

If anyone professes to be born again but continues to live in sin, he needs to examine whether he is truly born of God. Walking in sin identifies the person as spiritually dead.

2. Our Present: God is the cause of our salvation—He made us alive, raised us up together, and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus.

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Rev. Dr. James C. Sy
Administrative Pastor

MGA TAHANANG PARA SA *Salita ng Diyos*

Ang mga manggagawa ng UCF ay muling nagtungo sa mga tahanan sa Laguna at Cavite upang ipahayag ang Salita ng Panginoon. Tuwing Martes at Biyernes, ang mga tahanan nagbukas para sa Home Bible Church (HBC) ay napupuno ng pagpupuri at pasasalamat para sa dakilang Diyos.

Simula nang sila ay makaranas ng pag-ibig ni Hesu Kristo ay ganoon na lamang ang kanilang mga puso na nais ding madala ang kanilang mga mahal sa buhay sa Panginoon. Ganito rin nagsimula ang ilan sa mga lingkod ng Diyos sa UCF na ngayon ay nagpapagamit sa gawain ng Panginoon.

At sa kasalukuyan ay mayroon nang anim na tahanan ang nagbukas para sa gawain ng Diyos. Inaasahan na sa susunod na mga panahon ay mas marami pang kaluluwa ang hihipuin ng Panginoon upang ang gawain Niya ay maipagpatuloy saanmang dako.

Masayang binuksan ang bagong HBC sa Brgy. Calabuso sa Tagaytay sa pangunguna ng mga manggagawa at pastor ng UCF.

Brgy. Calabuso, Tagaytay

Martes | 10:00 AM



HBC LEADER:
Rev. Fidel Dillo

HBC HOSTS:
Sis. Roselyn Villaraso and
Sis. Marina Geguillan

Purok 5, Brgy. Casile, Cabuyao

Martes | 6:00 PM



HBC LEADER:
Rev. Morrell Estrellado

HBC HOST:
Sis. Angel Belmonte

Ang presensiya ng Diyos ay tunay na matatagpuan sa pagsasaliksik sa kaniyang Salita.

Purok 3, Brgy. Casile, Cabuyao

Martes | 5:00 PM



HBC LEADER:
Rev. Ricardo Jacob

HBC HOSTS:
Bro. Crispulo Medina & Bro. Orlando De Sagun

**Ephesians 1:11-12
(NKJV)**

¹¹In Him also we have obtained an inheritance, being predestined according to the purpose of Him who works all things according to the counsel of His will, ¹²that we who first trusted in Christ should be to the praise of His glory.



Purok 17, Brgy. Dapdap East, Tagaytay & Sitio Balagbag Araw, Calamba
Biyernes | 5:00 PM

Kagalakan, kapayapaan at pag-ibig na nagmumula sa Diyos ang naibabahagi sa mga tahananang nagbubukas upang ang Salita ng Diyos ay kanilang marinig. Ang kahalagahan ng gawaing ito ay upang mas marami pang kaluluwa ang makasumpong sa Panginoon.



HBC LEADER:
Rev. Morrell Estrellado

HBC HOSTS:
Sis. Amelia Atienza &
Sis. Elsiemae Talisik

Purok 1, Brgy. Casile, Cabuyao
Biyernes | 4:00 PM



HBC LEADER:
Rev. Fidel Dillo

HBC HOST:
Sis. Niña Murillo

Naging makabuluhan ang oras ng bawat dumalo sa HBC nang kanilang marinig ang Mabuting Balita ng Diyos sa pamamagitan ng mga manggagawa ng UCF na kaniyang ginagamit para maghayag.

Tuwing Sabado naman, ang manggagawa ng UCF ay buong kagalakang nagbabahagi ng kabutihan ng Diyos. Sila ay nagiging buhay na patotoo na ang Panginoon ay tapat at dakila at Siya ay maaari rin nilang maranasan.

Community Visitation



Namigay rin ng mga libreng gamot sa Brgy. Calabuso Health Center.



For we are His workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand that we should walk in them.

Ephesians 2:10
(NKJV)



Matapos maikabit ang mga metal truss noong Martes, ang bubong nito ay nailagay naman sa araw ng Biyernes.

Ang Diyos ang nagpapalago

Sa bawat linggong nagdaraan, katapatan at kalakasan mula sa Panginoon ang siyang dumadaloy sa bawat manggagawa ng UCF. Sa pagsunod ni Rev. Dr. William Sy ay naisasakatuparan ang mga konstruksiyon sa UCF Mt. Tabor Church Re-Creation Center at mga gawain ng pagbabahagi ng Salita ng Diyos.

Nalalapit na ang kabuuang estruktura ng cabin kung saan nailagay na ang mga metal truss para sa bubong nito. Sinimulan din ang pagkakabit ng linya ng kuryente sa mga pader bago ito palitadahan. Mabilis din ang pag-aayos ng swimming pool upang magamit sa mga paparating na gawain. Ito ay hinati sa dalawang bahagi at ngayon ay nasementuhan na. Binisita naman ng mga manggagawa ang mga tahanang nagbukas ng HBC upang sila ay kumustahin at paalalahanan sa pag-iimbita.

Tunay na sa lahat ng gawain ay Diyos lamang ang nagbibigay ng katagumpayan sa atin. Purihin ang Diyos sa Kaniyang ministeryo na patuloy Niyang pinalalago.



Kasabay ng pagkakabit ng bubong ay ang pagsasaayos naman ng mga electrical wiring upang magkaroon ng kuryente rito at tuluyang magamit.



Tunay na ang kapaskuhan ay nalalapit na kaya naman nilagyan ng iba't ibang makukulay na palamuti at dekorasyon ang pasilidad ng Mt. Tabor.



Psalm 143:10
(NKJV)

Teach me to do Your will, For You are my God; Your Spirit is good. Lead me in the land of uprightness.



Ang swimming pool naman ay nakabitin na ng tiles na mas nagpaganda pa sa hitsura nito. Naayos na rin ang mga tubo ng tubig at maging ang flooring at dingding nito.

PAGSASAAYOS NG SWIMMING POOL

Tiyak na masisiyahan ang mga dadalo rito sa Mt. Tabor dahil ang unahang bahagi ng pool ay gagawing hot spring.



Maging ang mga sasakyan ng panambahan ay nilinis din. Mas komportable na itong gamitin sa paghatid ng mga dumadalo tuwing Linggo.



Upang mapanatili ang kaayusan ng lugar, maging ang mga bentilador ay nilinis din.



PAGLILINIS



Tiyak na ang mga manggagawa ng panambahan ay hindi lamang nagiging produktibo, ngunit ang kanilang lakas at buhay ay mas nagagamit para sa kaayusan at kalinisan ng isa sa mga ministeryo ng UCF.



PAGDADAMO AT PAGTATANIM



Sa anumang panahon ay nagkakaisa ang lahat para sa ikaaayos ng Mt. Tabor nang mayroong pagtiwala na lalo. Niyang gagamitin ang lugar na ito.

But seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness, and all these things shall be added to you.

Matthew 6:33 (NKJV)



Sunday Worship Service HIGHLIGHTS

December 3, 2023



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Napakahalaga na ang puso natin ay humble at hindi hambog.

Everywhere you go, Jesus Christ should reflect in your life.

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Kung ang puso mo ay puno ng kabutihan at Salita ng Diyos, your mouth will speak what is inside of it.

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Even though you are persecuted, it is important to stand still.

A true servant serves out of conviction.

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UCF SUCAT

Serving God is not a matter of achievements.

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Maglingkod tayo sa Diyos kung paano ring naglingkod sina Maria, Martha at Lazarus kay Hesus.

Ang sabi ng Salita ng Diyos ay mahal Niya tayo, pero ang kaligtasan ay kapag naniwala ka sa Kaniya.

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Hindi makapagliligtas ang simbahan. Ang makapagligtas lamang ay ang ating Panginoong Hesus.

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Paano tayo susunod kung hindi tayo naniniwala sa Diyos at nagbabakasakali lang tayo?

Ang simbahan ay ginawa para tayo ay maglingkod.

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Manindigan ka dahil mahal mo ang Panginoon.

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UCF MT. TABOR CHURCH

PAGKILOS NG TAPAT NA



Diyos

Hindi limitado ang pagkilos ng Diyos at lalong hindi maiksi ang Kaniyang mga kamay upang hindi maabot ang mga nagsasaliksik sa Kaniya. Sa Kaniyang wagas na pag-ibig at habag ay kinatagpo Niya ang mga kaluluwang nais Siyang maranasan at makilala. Sa pamamagitan ng panambahan sa Mt. Tabor at mga gawaing ginaganap dito linggo-linggo ay sabik ang lahat na maranasan ang Kaniyang katapatan at marinig ang katotohanan ng Kaniyang Salita. Bilang patotoo ay narito ang ilan sa mga nakaranas sa pagkilos ng Panginoon at paano Niya hipuin ang kanilang mga puso upang mapalapit sa Kaniya.

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Ang ipinagpapasalamat ko sa Panginoon ay ang pagkakataon na patuloy ko pa Siyang makilala sa aking buhay. Ganoon din ay ang pagkakaroon ko ng mga kapatid sa Diyos. Hindi man kami sa iisang magulang nanggaling ay kapatid na ang turingan namin dahil iyon ang dapat nating gawin at iyon ang turo ng Diyos.

Edgardo Luna Casalme

UCF Mt. Tabor Church Attendee



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Nagpapasalamat ako sa ating Panginoon dahil nagkaroon ng UCF Mt. Tabor Church. Malapit na ang church dito sa amin. Simula po noong um-attend na ako sa panambahan ay lumawak ang aking kaalaman sa pagkilala sa ating Panginoon na tunay at buhay.

Raquel Avenue Mendoza

UCF Mt. Tabor Church Attendee



Romans 8:28-29 (NKJV)

²⁸And we know that all things work together for good to those who love God, to those who are the called according to His purpose. ²⁹For whom He foreknew, He also predestined to be conformed to the image of His Son, that He might b

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Matthew 19:23-26

²³Then Jesus said to His disciples, "Assuredly, I say to you that it is hard for a rich man to enter the kingdom of heaven. ²⁴And again I say to you, it is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for a rich man to enter the kingdom of God." ²⁵When His disciples heard it, they were greatly astonished, saying, "Who then can be saved?" ²⁶But Jesus looked at them and said to them, "With men this is impossible, but with God all things are possible." Yes, with men this is impossible, but with God all things are possible.

Many religious groups still view salvation as a joint project between God and men. They do not view men as dead, but rather as sick or wounded. Let us be clear, all have sinned; therefore, all are dead.

Romans 3:23

For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God.

Romans 6:23

For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Many thought that the God of the Old Testament portrayed as the God of judgment and wrath changed in the New Testament to be the God of love and compassion.

Deuteronomy 4:31

(For the Lord your God is a merciful God), He will not forsake you nor destroy you, nor forget the covenant of your fathers which He swore to them.

Psalms 103:8

The Lord is merciful and gracious, Slow to anger, and abounding in mercy.

God saved us because of His

mercy and love.

Romans 5:8

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

Romans 8:38-39

³⁸For I am persuaded that neither death nor life, nor angels nor principalities nor powers, nor things present nor things to come, ³⁹nor height nor depth, nor any other created thing, shall be able to separate us from the love of God which is in Christ Jesus our Lord.

God raised us up together and made us sit together in the heavenly places in Christ Jesus. Though we are still physically present on Earth, we are already raised up and seated together in Christ Jesus. We are now citizens of heaven. We are now identified with Christ. We can now exercise His authority over the forces of evil.

God promised us that He will show the exceeding riches of His grace and His kindness toward us in Christ Jesus in the ages to come.

Matthew 19:27-29

²⁷Then Peter answered and said to Him, "See, we have left all and followed You. Therefore what shall we have?" ²⁸So Jesus said to them, "Assuredly I say to you, that in the regeneration, when the Son of Man sits on the throne of His glory, you who have followed Me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. ²⁹And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or wife or children or lands, for My name's sake, shall receive a hundredfold, and inherit eternal life.

Salvation is by grace through faith, not a result of our works. Paul wrote this truth to those

who are already saved, to clarify and solidify their understanding. To be saved means that Jesus Christ has rescued us from God's wrath and judgment. Jesus already paid the penalty of sin on the cross.

Salvation by grace means that we did absolutely nothing to earn salvation. There is no fairness in the realm of grace. In the whole history of man, fairness is the principle on which everything stands. If someone does wrong, he should get punishment. If someone does right, he should be rewarded. Remember the thief on the cross beside Jesus, he confessed his wrongdoings and asked Jesus to remember him. He trusted Jesus to save him and in response Jesus said, "Today, you will be with me in paradise." If God would apply fairness, we will all go to hell.

Salvation through faith means that we receive it by trusting in what Jesus had done for us on the cross. Faith includes knowing who God is. God is holy, so we should be holy. (1 Peter 1:16 - ¹⁶because it is written, "Be holy, for I am holy.") There are numerous passages in the Bible revealing who God is, and many have known them. Does knowing them means we have faith? Even Satan and the demons know them but still are not saved. Faith is also trusting and committing. You must commit yourself to follow Him as your Lord and Savior.

Saving faith also does not come from us, but it is a gift of God.

1 Corinthians 1:18

For the message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing.

1 Corinthians 2:14

But the natural man does not receive the things of the Spirit of God, for they are foolishness to him; nor can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned.

2 Corinthians 4:4

Whose minds the god of this age has blinded, who do not believe, lest the light of the gospel of the glory of Christ, who is the image of God, should shine on them.

Romans 8:7-8

⁷Because the carnal mind is enmity against God; for it is not subject to the law of God, nor indeed can be. ⁸So then, those who are in the flesh cannot please God.

Romans 10:17

So then faith comes by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.

3. Our Future: God ordained us to be His workmanship.

True salvation is entirely of God, resulting in a life of good works.

2 Corinthians 5:17

Therefore, if anyone is in Christ, he is a new creation; old things have passed away; behold, all things have become new.

Matthew 7:15-20

¹⁵"Beware of false prophets, who come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravenous wolves. ¹⁶You will know them by their fruits. Do men gather grapes from thornbushes or figs from thistles? ¹⁷Even so, every good tree bears good fruit, but a bad tree bears bad fruit. ¹⁸A good tree cannot bear bad fruit, nor can a bad tree bear good fruit. ¹⁹Every tree that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. ²⁰Therefore by their fruits you will know them.

Titus 1:15-16

¹⁵To the pure all things are pure, but to those who are defiled and unbelieving nothing is pure; but even their mind and conscience are defiled. ¹⁶They profess to know God, but in works they deny Him, being abominable, disobedient, and disqualified for every good work.

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Moreover whom He predestined, these He also called; whom He called, these He also justified; and whom He justified, these He also glorified.

2 Corinthians 2:14
(NKJV)

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Titus 2:11-12

¹¹For the grace of God that brings salvation has appeared to all men, ¹²teaching us that, denying ungodliness and worldly lusts, we should live soberly, righteously, and godly in the present age,

1 John 3:7-10

⁷Little children, let no one deceive you. He who practices righteousness is righteous, just as He is righteous. ⁸He who sins is of the devil, for the devil has sinned from the beginning. For this purpose the Son of God was manifested, that He might destroy the works of the devil. ⁹Whoever has been born of God does not sin, for His seed remains in him; and he cannot sin, because he has been born of God. ¹⁰In this the children of God and the children of the devil are manifest: Whoever does not practice righteousness is not of God, nor is he who does not love his brother.

SERMON NOTES

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



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3:00PM (Cabuyao, Laguna)

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