

**Servers Today, August 7, 2016**

**Overcoming Evil with Good  
(Romans 12:17-21)**

Speaker: *Jojo Ramos*  
 Song Leader: *Arnan Bayla*  
 Invocation: *Ernie Wagang*  
 Intercessory Prayer: *Noel Espinosa*  
 Communion Text: *1 Corinthians 11:17-26*  
 Scripture Reading: *Rico Ramos*  
 Prayer for the Bread: *Sam Quezada*  
 Prayer for the Cup: *Dante Baddas*  
 Prayer for the Giving: *Julius Rojo*  
 Closing Prayer: *Sol Palaypayon*  
 Announcement: *Arnan Bayla*  
 Evening Speaker: *Jojo Ramos*  
 Song Leader: *Arnan Bayla*  
 To Bring Flowers: *Gloria Yang*  
 To Bring Biscuits: *C/o Midtown*  
 To Bring Drinks: *C/o Midtown*  
 Usher/ettes: *Bestre Family*

Communion: *Kesha K. Oliva*  
 Worship Coordinator: *Rod Tada | Lem Glori*

**How To Become a Biblical Christian**

- 1). *Admit that you are a sinner and in need of salvation, 1 John 3:4,8; Rom.3:10,23; Rom. 6:23.*
- 2). *Hear the pure New Testament gospel of Christ; Romans 1:16; Rom. 10:17.*
- 3). *Believe the gospel, Hebrews 11:6; Mark 16:16; John 8:24*
- 4). *Repent of your sins, Acts 2:38; Luke 13:3; Acts 17:30.*
- 5). *Confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, Mat. 10:32; Acts 8:37; Rom. 10:10.*
- 6). *Be baptized into Christ, Mark 16:16; Acts 2:38; Acts 22:16.*
- 7). *Remain faithful unto death, Rev. 2:10;*

**Servers for August 14, 2016**

**Understanding Our Relationship to the Government (Rom 13:1-7)**

Speaker: *Santiago Sameon II*  
 Song Leader: *Andy Bestre*  
 Invocation: *Greg Kitma*  
 Intercessory Prayer: *Mervin Oliva*  
 Communion Text: *Galatians 3:22-29*  
 Scripture Reading: *Jasper Perdigon*  
 Prayer for the Bread: *Kajem Kitma*  
 Prayer for the Cup: *Dexter Wagang*  
 Prayer for the Giving: *Abe Insas*  
 Closing Prayer: *Mar Bayating*  
 Announcement: *Andy Bestre*  
 Evening Speaker: *Santiago Sameon II*  
 Song Leader: *Andy Bestre*  
 To Bring Flowers: *Gloria Yang*  
 To Bring Biscuits: *Martin's Family*  
 To Bring Drinks: *Martin's Family*  
 Usher/ettes: *Bayla Family*

Communion: *Kesha K. Oliva*  
 Worship Coordinator: *Rod Tada | Lem Glori*



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**Finance Ministry releases  
2nd Quarter FS**

The Administrative and Finance Ministry composed of brethren Ernie Wagang, Maril Bayating Sr., Andres Bestre, & Rod Tada, recently released the latest Quarterly Financial Statement covering the months of April, May, and June 2016.

In keeping with the spirit of stewardship and transparency, said Financial Statement (FS) was prepared according to standard accounting principles and procedures, and was duly audited and approved for publication. Please find the said statement on page 2 of this bulletin.Ω

**Bayla officiates rural  
bank inauguration & blessing**

At the invitation of sister Kristine Rose Bautista—Sameon, president of the Rural Bank of Itogon (Benguet), Inc., (RBI) brother Arnan Bayla served as the officiating minister of the inauguration and blessing of the bank's Pacdal Extension Office located at the Barangay Hall, Pacdal Circle, this city, last Friday, August 5, 2016. Brother Arnan discussed in his message the "Seven Biblical Laws of Stewardship" based on Matthew 25:14-30. He also conveyed to the RBI family the congregation's jubilations and admiration for their commitment to community-building and for their growing service in the barangays and the countryside.

The RBI management and staff headed by sister Kristine Sameon expressed appreciation for the inspiring devotional service. She also sends warmest regards to the Midtown brethren.Ω

**Schedule of classes at  
FLC released**

Brother Jojo Ramos recently released the initial schedule of classes to be conducted at the Family Life Center (FLC) starting Monday, August 8, 2016. He also gave out brief descriptions of the various classes that anyone may be interested to enroll in.

Please find the initial course offerings on page 3 of this bulletin.

Other classes of special interest or topic may also be requested. Just text brother Jojo Ramos so he may arrange schedules right away @09053254019.Ω

**"There is no limit to the amount of good one can do if one does not mind who gets the credit."**

**READ Ephesians 6:7-8**

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**Young ladies take up  
class with elder's wife**

Twenty-two (22) young ladies gathered for a special midweek devotional at the Family Life Center located at the upper room of the Infinita Café, Laperal Bldg., Session Rd., this city last Wednesday, August 3, 2016 at 6—8 in the evening.

The ladies, including Kate Dereje, Angela Ramos, Amber Po, Kana Perdigon, Abigail Kitma, Angelica Wagang, Rachel Bestre, Ariadne Cadias, Katrina Oliva, Kesha Oliva, Sheema Valdez, Maureen Soriano, Jizza Aquino, Gracelynn Abance, Denise Abance, Graciela Joy Badua, and six from the La Trinidad congregation benefited from the study facilitated by sister Lois Knox, wife of brother Wayne Knox, an elder of the Belton church of Christ in Lubbock, Texas, USA.

A fellowship dinner sponsored by the Ramoses followed right after the study.Ω

**Young people inspired  
by village ecowalk**

In the bid to inspire the young people to come up with creative compositions for the upcoming publication of the "THE VOICE," a number of young people gathered for a walk at the famous Tam-awan Village, also known as an artist's haven, the other past Saturday, July 30, 2016.

Surrounded by nature, God's creation, and tranquility, the young minds and hearts began collecting bright ideas and other thoughts to prompt them onto creativity.

Brother O'neil Gonzales delivered an inspirational talk on "Spiritual Growth".to conclude the eco-walk.

The inspired walkers include Jonathan Ramos Jr., Donnel Gonzales, Ezra Valdez, Rico Ramos, Jasper Perdigon, Kate Dereje, Kiara Nawew, Klarissa Glori, Chloe Zamora, Angela Ramos, Jizza Aquino, Demi Rose Tacay, Kana Perdigon, Rachel Bestre, and two of Donnel's friends, Alec and Anton.Ω

**Last Sunday's Offering  
July 31, 2016**

**AM COLLECTION  
P24,817.00**

**PM COLLECTION  
P2,200.00**

**AM/PM TOTAL COLLECTION  
P27,017.00**

**ATTENDANCE**

**AM  
Adults -80  
YP - 43  
Children - 32  
Guests - 0**

**PM  
Adults - 20  
YP - 9  
Children - 0  
Guests - 0**

**TOTAL - 155**      **TOTAL - 29**

**TOTAL ATTENDANCE  
(AM/PM) 184**

**P R A Y E R   L I S T**

**Good Health & Fast Recovery:**

- |                      |                          |
|----------------------|--------------------------|
| *Rosita Go           | *Jhun Bayating           |
| *Mely Genato         | *Aracelli Pelle          |
| *Amy Go              | *Lily Soriano            |
| *Charity Ong         | *Jun Soriano             |
| *Ian Pajantoy        | *Andy Bestre             |
| *Gloria Yang         | *Ching Chih Yang         |
| *Marina Gawe         | *Ed Concepcion           |
| *Mark Poblete        | *Charlie Alvarez         |
| *Sotero Denis        | *Flordeline Abance       |
| *Bernie Austria      | *Diana Geron             |
| *Norma Aping         | *Pina Galad              |
| *Josefa Josayan      | *Luisa & Laarni Aurigera |
| *Arian Kaith Igoy    | *Amy Marcelo & baby      |
| *Damian Mercado      | *Evelyn Ignacio          |
| *Robinson Palaypayon | *Edwin Valencia          |
| *Clabern Abance      | *Erlinda Castillo        |

**SAFE PREGNANCY**

- \*Veronica Zamora  
 \*Rowena Quezada



**James 5:15**

*"And the prayer offered in faith will make the sick person well; the Lord will raise him up; ....."* NIV

**SAFE TRAVEL**



**A N N O U N C E M E N T S !**

- **YOUNG PEOPLE'S MINISTRY MEETING**— right after the AM worship assembly today.
- **HIGH SCHOOL & COLLEGE CARE GROUP**—Every Saturday @ 5:00—7:00 PM | Venue: FLC, Infinita Cafe
- **TUESDAY CHURCH FORUM**—August 9, 2016 @ 12:00—2:30 PM
- **LADIES DEVOTIONAL & FELLOWSHIP**— C/o 3rd Steering Group | August 21, 2016 | 12:00—2:30 PM
- **YPEEZ SONG-LEADING & CHORAL SINGING WORKSHOP**—August 7 & 14, 2016 | 1:00—4:00 PM
- **VOLUNTEERS needed to bring FLOWERS & to bring SNACKS for children**—from July to December 2016

**MIDTOWN CHURCH**  
**Statement of Cash Receipts & Disbursement**  
 For the Month of April, May & June 2016

**CONTRIBUTIONS**

	April	May	June	Total
a.m.	105,274.00	164,091.35	129,124.00	
p.m.	18,474.00	14,998.25	10,065.00	
<b>Total Contributions:</b>	<b>123,748.00</b>	<b>179,089.60</b>	<b>139,189.00</b>	<b>442,026.60</b>

Less: Expenses	April	May	June	
Salaries and Wages	29,095.00	29,095.00	29,095.00	
Transportaion Expense	6,000.00	8,000.00	8,000.00	
Rice Allowance	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Semi Annual 13th Month Pay		14,547.50		
SSS - Employer's Share	2,829.30	2,829.30	2,829.30	
HDMF (PAG-ibig) Employer's Share	300.00	300.00	300.00	
Philhealth - Employer's Share	475.00	475.00	475.00	
Communication Expense	300.00	300.00	300.00	
Mission Outreach Ministry Fund	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Nangalisan Church Fund	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Youth Ministry	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Ladies Ministry (Ladies Retreat)	12,020.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	
Education Ministry (purchase of bibles)		12,000.00	2,000.00	
Benevolence and Visitation	5,000.00	3,000.00	2,000.00	
Food Expense -Tuesday Forum	6,564.75	6,454.95	5,166.60	
Sunday School Snacks	336.00	2,218.00	903.00	
Midtown Informer Expense (photocopy)	800.00	800.00	800.00	
Lord Supper Expense	952.00	1,428.00	1,428.00	
Kitchen and Utensils Expense	1,194.25	1,706.25	1,493.00	
Light and Power Expense (BENECO)	1,539.75	2,002.25	2,051.50	
Office Supplies / Computer Accessories	2,347.00	8,906.00	4,443.00	
BIR (Annual Income Tax Return)	4,751.00			
Miscellaneous Expense	162.00	1,113.00	214.00	
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>83,666.05</b>	<b>106,175.25</b>	<b>72,498.40</b>	<b>262,339.70</b>
<b>Ending Balance</b>	<b>40,081.95</b>	<b>72,914.35</b>	<b>66,690.60</b>	<b>179,686.90</b>
Add Beginning Balance March 31, 2016				<b>781,294.54</b>
<b>Total Cash Balance (as of June 30, 2016)</b>			<b>P</b>	<b>960,981.44</b>

Prepared by: The Finance Ministry

**FAMILY LIFE CENTER**  
 "Leading The Family Closer To God Through Christ Centered Spiritual Transformations"

**Bible Lessons**  
Devotionals  
Youth Activities  
Praise & Worship

**Counseling & Encouragement**  
...using God's Word  
Biblical Education  
Christian Studies

**LECTURESHIPS**  
**ALCOHOLISM**  
Drug Abuse  
Spiritual Enrichments  
Team Leadership Building

Are You Seeking God?  
 VISIT US @ "The Upper Room" of INFINITEA Cafe, Laguna Building, Session Road, Baguio City  
 CONTACT US: Jonathan "JOJO" Ramos @ 0905 325 4019 & Lady Janet Ramos @ 0977 824 9827  
 \*For the promise is to you and your children, and to all who are after off, as many as the Lord our God will call." Acts 2: 39

**INITIAL COURSE OFFERING:**

- 1. DRAWING CLOSER TO GOD**  
•A study of spiritual disciplines | 12 Lesson Series  
Fridays | 8:00—9:30 AM
- 2. TRANSFORMATION**  
•A study of becoming like Christ | 7 Lesson Series  
Wednesdays | 5:30—7:00 PM
- 3. I WILL BUILD MY CHURCH**  
•A study of church history | 12 Lesson Series  
Tuesdays | 5:30—7:00 PM
- 4. THE FAITH OF THE FIRST CHRISTIANS**  
•A study of the book of Acts | 30 Lesson Series  
Mondays | 5:30—7:00 PM
- 5. THE LIFE OF CHRIST**  
•A study of following Jesus' steps | 24 Lesson Series  
Mondays | 11:00 AM—1:00 PM
- 6. COME FOLLOW ME**  
•A study of the cost of discipleship | 12 Lesson Series  
Mondays | 8:00—9:30 AM

**OTHER COURSES TO OPEN:**

- 7. DISCIPLE-MAKING MOVEMENTS**  
•A study of the theology of missions.
  - 8. IMITATE ME AS I IMITATE CHRIST**  
•A study of Pauline methodology.
  - 9. INGREDIENTS OF A GROWING CHURCH**  
•A study of church growth.
  - 10. CHRIST-CENTERED FINANCIAL STEWARDSHIP**  
•A study of financial management.
- AND MANY MORE. PLEASE VISIT THE FLC SOON.**

**Midtown Church of Christ**  
**SCHEDULE OF MONTHLY / WEEKLY**  
**DEVOTIONAL | CARE GROUPS**

VENUE	TIME	FACILITATORS
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>		
Midtown Assembly Hall	7—9 PM	Arnan Bayla, et. al.
Irisan Mobile (Baban, Austria, Yang residences)	7 – 9 PM	Andy Bestre/ Sixto Aoas
Congregational Midweek Devotional	6 – 7 PM Every 4 <sup>th</sup> Wed	Care Group assigned
<b>THURSDAY</b>		
Midtown Assembly Hall	7 – 9 PM (On Hold)	Andy Bestre
Young People Family Life Center	5:30 – 7:30 PM	O'neil Gonzales, et. al.
<b>FRIDAY</b>		
Midtown Assembly Hall	7 – 9 PM	Lemuel Glori / Arnan Bayla
Upper Kitma Village	7 – 9 PM	Greg Kitma / Chris Oliva
<b>SATURDAY</b>		
Sports & Jogging Panagbenga Park	8 – 10 AM	YPeez Sports Enthusiasts
Mobile Saturday Care Group	3 – 5 PM	D. Sameon, E. Wagang, R. Tada
Couples Care Group	5 – 7 PM 4th Saturday	Jun Bondoc / Lemuel Glori
High School Care Group @ Midtown	3 – 5 PM	Young Adults and College students
<b>SUNDAY</b>		
All YPeez Care Group	12 – 3 PM Fourth Sunday	YPs in charge
All Ladies Fellowship	12 – 3 PM Third Sunday	Ladies in charge: 2nd Q Steering Group
Young Adults FLC	3 – 5 PM	YAs in charge

**SUNDAY AM WORSHIP ASSEMBLY**

Communion - 9:00 - 9:30  
 Bible Classes - 9:30 - 10:30  
 Message - 10:45 - 11:15

**MIDWEEK DEVOTIONALS      SUNDAY PM WORSHIP**

See schedule

Worship Assembly

5:30 - 6:30 PM

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