

Servers Today, February 11, 2018

The Sin Of The Godly Line
(Genesis 8:20-9:29)

Speaker: Jesse Bestre
Song Leader: Jun Reyes
Invocation: Jhun Bayating
Intercessory Prayer: Julius Rojo
Communion Text: Hebrews 10:1-10
Scripture Reading: Ira Po
Prayer for the Bread: Richard Bestre
Prayer for the Cup: JJ Ramos
Prayer for the Giving: Chris Oliva
Closing Prayer: Sol Palaypaton
Announcement: June Reyes
Evening Speaker: Jesse Bestre
Song Leader: June Reyes
To Bring Flowers: Clarita G. Cachero
To Bring Biscuits: c/o Midtown
To Bring Drinks: c/o Midyoiwn
Usher/ettes: Perdigon Family

Communion: Gonzales Family
Worship Coordinator: R.Tada | A. Tacay

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 February 18, 2018

The Judgment of the Tower
of Babel (Genesis 10:1-11:9)

Speaker: Jojo Ramos
Song Leader: Andy Bestre
Invocation: Santiago Sameon II
Intercessory Prayer: Lemuel Glori
Communion Text: Colossians 3:1-4
Scripture Reading: Rico Ramos
Prayer for the Bread: Jasper Perdigon
Prayer for the Cup: Dante Baddas
Prayer for the Giving: Abe Insas
Closing Prayer: Rolito Tugay-an
Announcement: Andy Bestre
Evening Speaker: Jojo Ramos
Song Leader: Andy Bestre
To Bring Flowers: Josie Baban
To Bring Biscuits: Josie Baban
To Bring Drinks: Volunteers Needed
Usher/ettes: Kitma Family

Communion: Gonzales Family
Worship Coordinator: R.Tada | A. Tacay



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Nineteen baptized in
Isabela youth camp

Midtown brethren, namely, spouses Jojo & Janet Ramos, Jesse Bestre, and Janriel Abance served in a YOUTH CAMP sponsored and hosted by the AGUINALDO CHURCH OF CHRIST in Isabela last February 3 & 4, 2018. There were around ninety (90) participants representing seven congregations.

Team-building exercises were facilitated by brothers Jesse Bestre and Janriel Abance followed immediately with a lectureship on “SOCIAL MEDIA” by brother Jess. Brother Jojo Ramos mentored the young men while sister Janet mentored the young ladies in separate classes. There were nineteen (19) seekers who got baptized at the end of the camp.

Last Sunday, the group also served in different capacities in the congregation’s worship assembly. They visited the MANARING CHURCH OF CHRIST and delivered a sum of money to be used in purchasing a tricycle. Said sum was donated by generous brethren from Texas, USA. Praise the Lord!Ω

Various topics discussed
in youth meetings

Various interesting topics were discussed in the different youth devotionals from January 23—February 3, 2018 as follows: “What Death Really Is” by Jasper Perdigon; “Punishment By God” by O’neil Gonzales; “Parable of the Sower” by Janriel Abance; “Heaven & Hell” by Jasper Perdigon; “The Key to Victorious Everyday Living” by Jesse Bestre; “Resolving Issues About Bioengineering” by O’neil Gonzales; and “Lessons from Mark’s Gospel” by Ezra Valdez. Facilitators are coming up with more studies and varied topics for interactive discussions in the upcoming meetings.Ω

Finance Ministry releases
4th Quarter 2017 FS

Midtown’s ADMINISTRATIVE & FINANCE MINISTRY served by brothers Ernie Wagang, Maril Bayating Sr., Andy Bestre, and Rod Tada, recently released the FOURTH QUARTER FINANCIAL STATEMENT (FS) of last year, 2017. Said Financial Statement was duly audited and approved by the TUESDAY CHURCH FORUM last February 6, 2018. Please find the said FS on page two of this bulletin. Give praises and thanks to the Lord of all blessings for His bountiful grace!Ω

"Failure is actually
a success -
if we learn from it."

READ 1 Thessalonians 2:1-3:13

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Care Groups encouraged
to be evangelistic

Midtown’s EVANGELISM MINISTRY chaired by brother Jojo Ramos recently proposed that all the existing care groups would be more evangelistic, i.e., to invite more associates to attend such meetings. Another is to get involved with community outreach activities for the purpose of introducing the Word in the community as guided by the Scripture, “In the same way, let your light shine before men, that they may see your good deeds and praise your Father in heaven.” Matt 5:16NIV For more enlightenment and assistance, please approach the Evangelism Ministry.Ω

Gonzales family hosts
midweek devotional

The CARE GROUPS meeting at the Midtown Assembly Hall and at the Geron Residence gathered at the Gonzales residence at Terry Court, Suello Village, this city, for a MIDWEEK DEVOTIONAL last Wednesday, February 7th at 7 PM. The devotional was facilitated by brother Jesse Bestre in which he discussed “THE FIVE HABITS OF EFFECTIVE CHRISTIANS.” There were around twenty-five (25) in attendance who appreciated and enjoyed the study, the warm fellowship, and the celebration of the natal day of sister Me-an Gonzales.Ω

Tuba senior citizens
promote spiritual health

At the invitation of the Office of Senior Citizens Association, the Federation of Tuba Senior Citizens Association, Taloy Sur Senior Association, and the Tuba Poblacion Senior Citizens Association, brothers Arnan Bayla and Charlie Abance, were given the opportunity to share the Word of God through devotional services conducted with the aforementioned associations at different occasions in recent couple of weeks. This is in support of their objective “to promote the spiritual well-being of its members.” Indeed, they were appreciative of the services.Ω

PRAYER LIST

Good Health & Fast Recovery:

*Ian Pajantoy	*Cecilia Alvarez
*Gloria Yang	*Gaspar Nawew
*Marina Gawie	*Priscilla Bayasen
*Sotero Denis	*Rolito Tugay-an
*Bernie Austria	*Maria Elena Lachica
*Norma Aping	*Jeremy Denis
*Josefa Josayan	*Eduardo Ganga
*Arian Kaith Igoy	*Marichu Concepcion
*Robinson Palaypayon	*Linda Yaneza
*Carmen Villanueva	*Florence Magalong
*Lily Soriano	*Bernard Ignacio
*Andy Bestre	*Shinar Ciencia
*Gil & Diana Geron	*Dave Mcmillin
*Rodrigo Tada	*Dan Sameon
*Ruth Trinidad	*Gavin Wagang
*Ofelia Abance	*Maky Walang

Spiritual guidance and comfort for some brethren; world, national, and local leaders.



James 5:15
“And the prayer
offered in faith will
make the sick person
well; the Lord will
raise him up;” NIV

SAFE TRAVEL
Abe Insas & Art Tacay
(Poblacion, Bokod)

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

- YOUNG PEOPLE’S MEETING — MEZZANINE FLOOR, RIGHT AFTER THE WORSHIP ASSEMBLY TODAY
- COUPLES CARE GROUP— ALL COUPLES INVITED FOR FELLOWSHIP, GAMES & FUN AT THE MIDTOWN ASSEMBLY HALL ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 2018 @ 6:00 PM.
- TUESDAY CHURCH FORUM— FEBRUARY 13, 2018 @ 12:00—2:30 PM. EVERYBODY WELCOME.
- NAKRISTIANOAN A PANAG-ADAL KEN PANAGKAKADUA 2018—BAGUIO CHURCH OF CHRIST 18 RIMANDO RD. | MARCH 28-31, 2018 | REGISTRATION: P400 (10 YEARS OLD & UP); P200 (3—9 YEARS OLD)
- NATIONAL LADIES RETREAT—TALAMBAN, CEBU CITY | APRIL 25– 28, 2018 | REG. FEE: P3,300.00 DEADLINE FOR BOOKING—FEBRUARY 15, 2018.
- NEED VOLUNTEERS FOR 2018—TO PREPARE THE COMMUNION TABLE, BRING FLOWERS, BRING DRINKS AND BISCUITS FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL CHILDREN. PLEASE SIGN UP. THANKS.

MIDTOWN CHURCH OF CHRIST				
Statement of Cash Receipts & Disbursement				
For the Month of October, November & December 2017				
CONTRIBUTIONS				
	October	November	December	Total
a.m.	129,225.80	114,906.25	181,532.00	
p.m.	20,349.00	14,852.00	10,612.00	
Total Contributions:	149,574.80	129,758.25	192,144.00	471,477.05
Less: Expenses	October	November	December	
Salaries and Wages	38,995.00	38,995.00	38,995.00	
Transportation Expense	11,000.00	11,000.00	11,000.00	
Rice Allowance	3,000.00	3,000.00	3,000.00	
Semi-annual 13th Month Pay			19,497.50	
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	450.00	450.00	450.00	
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(Regional Youth Camp)	3,000.00	3,000.00	7,000.00	
Benevolence and Visitation	6,500.00	13,500.00	6,500.00	
Ladies Ministry (Transportation-Riverview)			1,300.00	
Representation Expense (food & gasoline)			7,575.00	
Midtown Church Calendar 2018		10,275.00		
Baguio-Benguet Fellowship (Registration)	4,000.00			
Food Expense -Tuesday Forum	6,598.25	6,252.00	4,769.25	
Sunday School Snacks	1,909.00	2,981.00	896.00	
Midtown Informer Expense (photocopy)	800.00	800.00	1,060.00	
Lord Supper Expense	1,200.00	1,676.00	900.00	
Kitchen and Utensils Expense	1,385.50	1,378.00	1,501.00	
Electric Power Expense (BENECO)	1,617.00	1,466.00	1,638.50	
Thanksgiving Expense (PASASALAMAT)			79,000.00	
Water Supply Expense	380.00	380.00	380.00	
Employer's Share Refund (Philhealth)		15,400.00		
Office Supplies / Computer Accessories	768.00	5,284.00	5,512.00	
Miscellaneous Expense	211.00	705.00	190.50	
Total Expenses	89,418.05	124,146.30	198,769.05	412,333.40
Ending Balance	60,156.75	5,611.95	(6,625.05)	59,143.65
Add Beginning Balance Sept. 30, 2017				1,498,424.14
Total Cash Balance (as of Dec. 31, 2017)			P	1,557,567.79
Prepared by: The Finance Ministry				

EVANGELISTIC LESSON SERIES
Midtown Church of Christ

A. INTRODUCTORY LESSONS (5)
LESSON NO. 1 – The Importance of the Word of God
LESSON NO. 2 – Introduction to the Bible
LESSON NO. 3 – How We Got the Bible
LESSON NO. 4 – Overview of Bible History
LESSON NO. 5 – Christ's New Testament Replaces the Old Testament

B. SEEKER'S LESSONS (6)
LESSON NO. 1 – The Scheme of Redemption:
A. God's Plan for Man
LESSON NO. 2 – The Scheme of Redemption:
B. The Fall of Man
LESSON NO. 3 – The Scheme of Redemption:
C. Jesus the Savior
LESSON NO. 4 – The Scheme of Redemption:
D. The Steps of Salvation
LESSON NO. 5 – The Scheme of Redemption:
E. The Cost of Discipleship
LESSON NO. 6 – The Scheme of Redemption:
F. Where Will Your Life End?

C. NEW LIFE LESSONS (12)
LESSON NO. 1 – Assurance of Salvation
LESSON NO. 2 – Obedient Living
LESSON NO. 3 – Dealing With Temptations
LESSON NO. 4 – Developing a Devotional Life
LESSON NO. 5 – Developing a Prayerful Life
LESSON NO. 6 – Discerning God's Guidance
LESSON NO. 7 – My Church Involvement & Spiritual Gifts
+ Becoming Christians Only
+ Biblical Church Organization
LESSON NO. 8 – Partaking of the Lord's Supper
LESSON NO. 9 – Living Abundantly & My Giving to God
LESSON NO. 10 – Becoming an Effective Soul-winner
LESSON NO. 11 – Victorious Christian Living
LESSON NO. 12 – Everyday Righteousness & Commitment to Moral Excellence

To enrol in any of the lessons, feel free to contact :
Arnan Bayla @ 0918-698-6470
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Midtown Church of Christ SCHEDULE OF MONTHLY / WEEKLY DEVOTIONALS CARE GROUPS		
VENUE	TIME	FACILITATORS
TUESDAY		
Bayating Residence Poblacion, Tuba	5:30- 7:30 PM	Arnan Bayla & Andy Bestre
College & Young Adults @ Family Life Center	6 – 7:30 PM	Ezra Valdez
WEDNESDAY		
Midtown Assembly Hall	7—9 PM	Arnan Bayla, et. al.
Irisan Mobile (Baban, & Yang residences)	7 – 9 PM	Andy Bestre/ Sixto Aoas
Geron Residence @ Queen of Peace Road	5 – 6:30 PM	O'neil Gonzales
THURSDAY		
Young People Family Life Center	5:30 – 7:30 PM	O'neil Gonzales, et. al.
FRIDAY		
Midtown Assembly Hall	7 – 9 PM	Lemuel Glori / Arnan Bayla
Upper Kitma Village	7 – 9 PM	Greg Kitma / Chris Oliva
SATURDAY		
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 -College Care Group @ FLC	5 – 7 PM	Young Adults and College students
SUNDAY		
All YPeez Care Group	12 – 3 PM Fourth Sunday	YPs in charge
All Ladies Fellowship	12 – 3 PM Third Sunday	Ladies in charge: 4th Q Steering Group
Young Adults @ Family Life Center	3 – 5 PM	YAs in charge

SUNDAY AM WORSHIP ASSEMBLY



HOLY COMMUNION

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

MIDWEEK DEVOTIONALS

See schedule  

SUNDAY PM WORSHIP

Worship Assembly 
5:30 - 6:30 PM



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