Servers Today, May 16, 2021

Imitating Abraham's Faith (Romans 4:1-25)

Speaker: Jesse Reuben Bestre Song Leader: Aldian Po Invocation: To Be Assigned (TBA) Intercessory Prayer: TBAEphesians 2:1-10 Communion Text: TBAScripture Reading: TBAPrayer for the Bread: Prayer for the Cup: TBAPrayer for the Giving: TBATBAClosing Prayer: Announcement: Arnan Bayla

Jesse Reuben Bestre Aldian Po Song Leader: To Bring Flowers: Bayating Family To Bring Biscuits: Suspended To Bring Drinks: Suspended Usher/ettes Volunteers

Afternoon Speaker:

Bayla Family Communion: Lem Glori | Art Tacay Worship Coordinator:

How To Become a **Biblical Christian**

1). Admit that you are a sinner and in need of salvation, I 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 May 23, 2021

Obtaining Life Through **Christ (Romans 5:12-21)**

Speaker: Joio Ramos Song Leader: Andy Bestre Invocation: To Be Assigned (TBA) Intercessory Prayer: Matthew 26:26-29 Communion Text: TBAScripture Reading:

TBAPrayer for the Bread: TBAPrayer for the Cup: TBAPrayer for the Giving: Closing Prayer: TBA

Announcement: Afternoon Speaker: Song Leader: To Bring Flowers: To Bring Biscuits: To Bring Drinks:

Usher/ettes

Andy Bestre

Jojo Ramos Andy Bestre Montes Family Suspended Suspended Volunteers

Bayla Family Lem Glori | Art Tacay Worship Coordinator:

LAST SUNDAY'S RECORD May 9, 2021

ATTENDANCE

REGULAR VIRTUAL WORSHIP SUNDAY **ASSEMBLY SCHOOL** ADULTS.....111 PRESCHOOL .. YPEEZ......15 GRADES 1-310 CHILDREN..... 5 GRADES 4-6. GUEST.....3 HIGH SCH.

......134 TOTAL.. OFFERING

COL/YAs..

AM & PM TOTAL: PhP37,185.00

• PRAYER LIST•

FOR GOOD HEALTH & RECOVERY [ASSEMBLY 1] BRETHREN:

*Gloria Yang *Bernie Austria *Josefa Josayan

*Gil, Diana, Donna Geron *Ofélia Abance

*Andy Bestre *Priscilla Bayasen *Rolito & Pina Tugay-an *Dave & Sharon Mcmillin

*Dan & Dodoy Sameon *Dith Zamora

*Tess Kitma *Jun Bondoc *Loida Baddas *Marina Mabesa

*Bernard Ignacio *Jonathan Enerva *Dick Baguioen *Nainer Nawew

*Mercy Bayot

*Sony Abance *Jess Perdigon *Nida Gabriel *Thaddeus Baggao *Bernabe Ignacio *Noel Espinosa *Jan Alfred & Celia Cirilo

*Alan Patrick Akia *Melba Licupa

*Cel Alvarez *Cesar Acosta *Primitiva Ridon

ASSEMBLY 21 REQUESTED BY BRETHREN:

*Ian Pajantoy *Arian Kaith Igoy *Robinson Palaypayon *Carmen Villanueva *Menchie Mojica *Magdalena A. Gavino *Ricardo Malapit

*Teresita De Leon *Zion Delizo *Philip Badua *Robêrto Acosta *Jennilyn Villanueva *Ron Paul Gavino

*Mary Elaine Dolteo

*Noel Madarcos

*Local, National, World

Leaders & Government *On-going Seekers' Bible Study

[ASSEMBLY 3] SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE

SAFETY Medical Frontliners:

*Shinar Sameon—Ciencia *Aurma Sacayanan

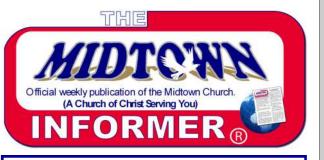
*Che Astadan *Lorigrace Austria *Rossana Andaya

*Donnel Gonzáles OTHER CONCERNS

*Denise Wagang (Pregnancy) *Darylle Walang (Pregnancy) *Jojo & Janet Ramos (Safe travel to Singapore)

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

- TUESDAY CHURCH FORUM— MAY 18. 2021 @ 12:00—2:30 PM
- YOUNG PEOPLE'S VIRTUAL MEETINGS/ CARE GROUP—EVERY TUES & THURS @ 5-6 PM
- DAILY Rs (READING, REFLECTION, AND RESPONSE) ON FACEBOOK LIVE EVERYDAY @ 9:00 PM
- VIRTUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE—PLEASE COORDINATE WITH TEACHERS.



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Virtual Baguio-Benguet joint youth care group very soon

In a bid to gradually spur up the young people of the church who had been subject to restricted mobility since the onset of the current pandemic. brother Jesse Bestre, together with other youth leaders in the Baguio-Benguet area are coming up with a VIRTUAL YOUTH CARE GROUP MEETING soon.

Brother Jesse Bestre, Midtown's youth minister, says that this virtual meet-up, though with limitations, would be better of than no meeting at all. Moreover, he believes that getting in touch with other young people around the area can greatly help sustain the bond that has been started through the conduct of regular joint care groups in the past.

At present, most of Midtown's youth have not been in contact with each other physically or face to face. "It is a good thing that the VIRTUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL has been set up early as it is the main avenue that Midtown's young people get to meet each other at least every Sunday" says brother Jesse.

The BAGUIO-BENGUET VIRTUAL JOINT CARE GROUP is targeted to be launched in the month of May. Midtown's youth minister will serve as the host of this event. Meet you soon! Ω

Nangalisan couple ties knot at Riverview hall

Brother Arnan Bayla, licensed SOLEMNIZING OFFICER, officiated the wedding of John Telliao Mabitasan and Bethany Pasi Ramirez at the Function Hall of the Riverview Hotel in Nangalisan, Tuba the other past Saturday, May 8, 2021 at 10 o'clock in the morning. Sister Bethany P. Ramirez–Mabitasan is an active member of the Nangalisan church of Christ.

Spouses Benson & Alicia Pasi—Ramirez, parents of sister Bethany, expressed their appreciation, in behalf of the couple, for the simple but delightfully insightful ceremony.

Brother Julius Udan, minister of the Nangalisan congregation, served as prayer leader and as Master of Ceremonies during the reception which followed immediately at the same venue. Ω

"Our concern should not be whether God is on our side; our greatest concern is to be on God's side, for God is always right."

READ Acts 4:13-21

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15 ladies attend monthly devotional & fellowship

Fifteen (15) ladies, namely, Ruth Trinidad, Jovencia Mabesa, Nancy Bayla, Josie Baban, Norma Aping, Carina Lacaba, Corazon Ozo. Lorenza Losnong, Loida Baddas, Jane Bestre, Pearl Bestre, Lou Villanueva, Lulu Bondoc, Me-an Gonzales, and Nelly Bayla, attended this month's LADIES DEVOTIONAL & FELLOWSHIP held at Midtown's Assembly Hall last Saturday, May 15, 2021 at 11 o'clock in the morning until 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

Sister Nelly Bayla served as the facilitator for the activity on "FINDING & USING YOUR SPIRITUAL GIFTS." Sister Jane Bestre served as song leader while sisters Josie Baban and Lou Villanueva led in prayers. Sister Kesha Oliva took charge of the energizers and group dynamics. Sister Ruth Trinidad served as coordinator and took charge of the meals.

The ladies, praying for the Lord's permission, look forward to next month's devotional & fellowship!Ω

High school class resumes with new facilitator

At the initiative of brother Alton Mark D. Bayla, and in coordination with brother Jesse Bestre, the HIGH SCHOOL CLASS duly resumed last Sunday, May 9, 2021 at 3:30— 4:30 PM. There were twelve (12) junior and senior high school students who participated in last Sunday's zoom meeting in which brother A-mark served as the facilitator.

It is believed that the resumption of the High School class will continue to promote the vital study of the Scriptures as well as to bind the young people's group at Midtown.

For more information and details of the Zoom Meetings every Sunday, please feel free to contact brother Alton Mark "A-mark" Bayla at $09610166351.\Omega$

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HEALTH & SAFETY PROTOCOLS DURING THE GCQ & NEW NORMAL

For the safety of everyone, the congregation is urged to cooperate and strictly follow the following HEALTH & SAFETY PROTOCOLS during the OUARANTINE and the NEW NORMAL.

- 1. Wear facemasks & face shields properly at all times. The only time to remove them briefly is when partaking of the Lord's Supper. After which, facemasks and face shields must be worn again all throughout.
- 2. Every person must submit for body THERMAL SCANNING. Anyone with a body temperature higher than 37.5 will not be admitted and be sent home.
- 3. Persons with coughs and colds and with underlying ILL-HEALTH CONDITIONS are advised to stay home to stay safe. **4**. Every person must have his or her hands sprayed with

Sanitizing Alcohol before entry.

5. Observe physical distancing. Be at a safe distance from one another at least one (1) meter radius apart.

6. No handshakes, hugs, kisses, fist bumps, or any physical contact. Greet one another verbally, bowing to each other, or waiving hands to each other.

7. Observe safe foot traffic at the stairways. GIVE WAY TO EXITING PERSONS. No counter flow.

8. Every person must step on the SANITIZING FOOTBATH MAT before entry.

9. Every person must bring his or her own BALLPEN to fill in the LOGBOOK before entry.

10. The sink at the kitchen shall serve as HANDWASHING STATION. Feel free to wash hands.

11. In the observance of the LORD'S SUPPER, pick up the CUP AND UNLEAVENED BREAD without touching other cups and other pieces of bread. Both Cup & Bread trays will be held by the server and not to be handed from one person to another. Used cups must not be returned into the tray but

must be placed into a separate receptacle held by the server.

12. The COLLECTION BAG shall be held by the server and not to be handed from one person to another.

13. Please use the Restrooms neatly and responsibly.

14. The SUNDAY SCHOOL remains suspended until further notice from the government authorities. This is to reduce exposure of the vulnerable age under 21.

15. Worshippers are advised to leave the Assembly Hall after an assembly to give way to the next one.

16. The premises, chairs, handrails, microphones, and

restrooms to be disinfected every after each WORSHIP ASSEMBLY. Ω

EVANGELISTIC LESSON SERIES VIRTUAL OR FACE-TO-FACE

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
- LESSON NO. 7 Supplement:

Becoming Christians Only Biblical Church Organization

- LESSON NO. 8 Partaking of the Lord's Supper
- LESSON NO. 9 Living Abundantly & My Giving
- 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 Andy Bestre @ 0916-343-8539

SUNDAY AM WORSHIP ASSEMBLY



ASSEMBLY 1 - 9:00 - 10:15

COMMUNION ASSEMBLY 2 - 10:30 - 11:45

MIDWEEK DEVOTIONALS SUNDAY PM WORSHIP

SUSPENDED



ASSEMBLY 3: 12:45 - 2:00



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