

Servers Today, November 27, 2022

Reconciled Through Christ Jesus
(Ephesians 2:11-16)

Speaker: Jesse Bestre

Song Leader: Andy Bestre

Invocation: To Be Assigned (TBA)

Intercessory Prayer: TBA

Communion Text: Hebrews 10:1-10

Scripture Reading: TBA

Prayer for the Bread: TBA

Prayer for the Cup: TBA

Prayer for the Giving: TBA

Closing Prayer: TBA

Announcement: Andy Bestre

Afternoon Speaker: Jesse Bestre

Song Leader: Andy Bestre

To Bring Flowers: Bayating Family

To Bring Biscuits: C/o Midtown

To Bring Drinks: C/o Midtown

Usher/ettes: Volunteers

Communion: Kesha Oliva

Worship Coordinator: Lem Glori | Art Tacay

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 December 4, 2022

Being United in Christ Jesus
(Ephesians 2:17-22)

Speaker: Dodoy Sameon

Song Leader: Mervin Oliva

Invocation: To Be Assigned (TBA)

Intercessory Prayer: TBA

Communion Text: Galatians 3:23-29

Scripture Reading: TBA

Prayer for the Bread: TBA

Prayer for the Cup: TBA

Prayer for the Giving: TBA

Closing Prayer: TBA

Announcement: Arnan Bayla

Afternoon Speaker: Andy Bestre

Song Leader: Mervin Oliva

To Bring Flowers: Bayating Family

To Bring Biscuits: C/o Midtown

To Bring Drinks: C/o Midtown

Usher/ettes: Volunteers

Communion: Bayla Family

Worship Coordinator: Lem Glori | Art Tacay

PM Bible Study:



Campus ministry opens at RNHS, teachers needed

Midtown brethren are enjoined to get involved in the opportunity of sharing the Word of God to students of the ROXAS NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL (RNHS) located at Sto. Rosario Road, Barangay Sto. Rosario Valley, this city by volunteering as teachers or as co-teachers in the SPIRITUAL & CHARACTER DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM designed by Midtown’s EDUCATION MINISTRY for RNHS. Praises to the Lord God Almighty and thanks to brother Jeremiah Gawe and Ms. Grace Manuel, faculty of RNHS for facilitating the opening of the opportunity.Ω

“To hope in the Lord doesn't mean 'cross your fingers' but means 'expect great things from God'."

READ Isaiah 40:28-31

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LAST SUNDAY'S RECORD
November 20, 2022

ATTENDANCE

REGULAR WORSHIP ASSEMBLY

VIRTUAL&F2F SUNDAY SCHOOL

ADULTS.....122

YP EEZ.....28

CHILDREN.....22

GUEST.....14

TOTAL.....186

GRADES 1-34

GRADES 4-6.....0

H.S./COL.....6

KIDS F2F.....18

YAs.....13

TOTAL.....31

OFFERING

AM & PM TOTAL:
PhP59,258.00

ANNOUNCEMENT

TUESDAY CHURCH FORUM— NOVEMBER 29, 2022 @ 12:00—2:30 PM | EVERYBODY WELCOME

SPECIAL CONTRIBUTION FOR STAFF’S YEAREND BONUS— DECEMBER 4 & 11, 2022

PASASALAMAT— MIDTOWN ASSEMBLY HALL | DECEMBER 18, 2022

FRIDAY CARE GROUP— YEARENDER @ ROJO-PALAYPAYON RES., IRISAN | DECEMBER 16, 2022

BAGUIO-BENGUET LADIES FELLOWSHIP— ROOT CROP BLDG.BSU, LTB | NOV 30, 2022 @8AM-5 PM

MODELO YOUTH LEADERSHIP CAMP—HERITAGE BIBLE COLLEGE | IRISAN, DEC. 13-16, 2022

REGIONAL YOUTH CAMP—ASIAN CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY, BUGALLON, PANG. | DEC. 20-23, 2022

DAILY Rs (READING, REFLECTION, AND RESPONSE) — ON FACEBOOK LIVE EVERYDAY @ 9:00 PM

F2F and VIRTUAL SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHEDULE— PLEASE COORDINATE WITH TEACHERS.

Midtown brethren warms Olidans' new Baguio home

The Olidan family expressed appreciation for the presence of Midtown brethren who warmed their new home at 39-A Old Site, Purok 9, Bakakeng Norte, this city, the other past Saturday, November 19th with brother Arnan Bayla presiding over the THANKSGIVING DEVOTIONAL SERVICE in which he stressed faithful stewardship over anything that God has entrusted to his servants based on the “PARABLE OF TALENTS” on Matthew 25:14-30.

Brethren from sister congregations in the city also graced the occasion. Family and guests from Cavite, Pangasinan and La Union were one with the brethren in praising and giving thanks to Almighty God!Ω

Well baby boy born to Kitma and Ramos family

Midtown brethren join the Kitma and Ramos family in rejoicing and in congratulating spouses Jonathan Ramos Jr. and Mahaysha Kitma—Ramos for the safe and normal delivery of baby boy KIDATAN KITMA RAMOS at the Pines City Doctors Hospital on November 23, 2022. Baby Kida was 2.9 kg at birth. He was named after his grandfather’s (Jojo Ramos) great great great grandfather who was born on a stormy night with lightning and thunders, thus named Kidatan, an Ibaloi term meaning “by or of the lightning.” The Ramoses and Kitmas thank the congregation for the unceasing prayers offered in their behalf. Welcome baby Kida!Ω

22 attend monthly ladies devotional & fellowship

Midtown’s monthly LADIES DEVOTIONAL AND LUNCHEON FELLOWSHIP facilitated by the 4th Quarter Steering Group was held at Midtown’s Assembly Hall the other past Saturday, Nov. 19th @ 11 AM—2:30 PM. Twenty-two (22) ladies attended and were edified by the lessons on “HUBRIS: THE PRIDEFUL PRIDE based on 1 Peter 5:5b-8 as presented by sister Nelly Bayla. It was learned in the discussion that the “sense of pride gives one a sense of dignity for God did not give us a spirit of timidity. However, hubris or too much self-confidence or a prideful pride is sinful and so it is best to live in humility.”

Those who attended the devotional include sisters Lorie Austria, Gracelynn Abance, Rachel Bestre, Lorenza Losnong, Carina Lacaba, Bing Buendia, Beth Salviejo, Minda Oliva, Serafia Sameon, Loida Baddas, Kesha Oliva, Lulu Bondoc, Lily Soriano, Sucie, Nancy Bayla, Edith Latonio, Josie Baban, Josie Yapyapen, Cel Alvarez, Beth Sevilla, Clarita Cachero, and Nelly Bayla.Ω

Ramoses host couples care group yearender

Spouses Jojo and Janet Ramos hosted the COUPLES CARE GROUP YEARENDER activity at their residence Saturday night, November 12th. It was attended by spouses Dan Gil & Lala Geron, Nainer & Rica Nawew, Jojo & Janet Ramos, Richard & Pearl Bestre, Noel & Cot Espinosa, Jonathan Jr. & Mahaysha Ramos, Ezra & Kana Valdez, Eric & Jing Sacayanan, and sister Lulu Bondoc. Brother Jojo Ramos served as speaker in the Devotional in which he shared that the couples ministry should intentionally be an instrument in reaching out to couples with the Gospel. Also, the group had a sharing of what the couples are thankful for this year and concluded with exchanging gifts.Ω

DAILY CHRISTIAN LIVING

Make of It What You Will

Ancil Jenkins

There are some events that have revolutionized our world. None made greater impact than the printing of the first book with moveable type. *Johann Gutenberg*, about 1450, brought forth the first printed book — the Bible. For the first time God’s Word was available in large quantities at fairly reasonable prices. The availability of the Bible was a factor in the Protestant Reformation, and the results are still felt today.

Few probably know that Gutenberg produced another first. On the same press that produced the first Bible he printed the first deck of playing cards. Although not evil within themselves, playing cards have brought heartache, poverty, and pain to many.

This is a dramatic illustration of the principle that we can make whatever we wish of most things. God has given us nothing for our harm. Instead, we have taken His gifts and used them selfishly. This perversion usually results in hurt for man. God gave us wheat which we grind into flour and make bread. One can take the same wheat and ferment it, distill and age it, and make whiskey. We can make of God’s blessings what we will.

There are few situations in life in which we can totally blame another for our suffering. Adam began blaming Eve for his sin, and passing the blame continues today. Perhaps we need to learn from Pogo, the comic strip character, who summarized our faults by saying, “We have met the enemy and it is us.”

Instead of blaming others, why not examine God’s gifts and determine to use them as fully as possible for Him? In urging us to use our gifts, Peter wrote, “If anyone speaks, he should do it as one speaking the very words of God. If anyone serves, he should do it with the strength God provides, so that in all things God may be praised through Jesus Christ. To him be the glory and the power for ever and ever. Amen” (1 Peter 4:11). We may use God’s gifts as we will, but in so doing, we are building our life and building for eternity. All of us are builders — but what are we building? †

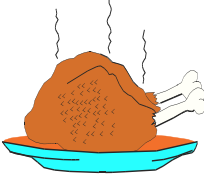
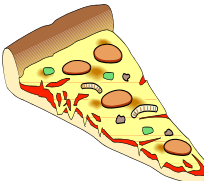
Ancil Jenkins is a writer and preacher for the Sunset congregation in Miami, Florida, USA.

Remember your Creator in the days of your youth, before the days of trouble come and the years approach when you will say, “I find no pleasure in them...” Ecclesiastes 12:1



November Celebrators

- 02 - Crisiamae Castillo
- 04 - Rolyn Dugaysan
- 05 - Shinar S. Ciencia
- 06 - Neko James Austria
- 06 - Marian Cheska Denis-Moriarty
- 07 - Ruth Camora
- 10 - Felix L. Olidan, Jr.
- 11 - Darrylle Jane A. Walang
- 11 - Jasper K. Perdigon
- 11 - Ariadne L. Cadias
- 13 - Sean Nove Isaac Bestre
- 13 - Cristy Tacay
- 14 - Ian Xavier B. Colcol
- 15 - Ma. Cecilia B. Colcol
- 15 - Lily Soriano
- 16 - Rebecca Garcia
- 18 - Kristalyn Saingan
- 18 - Andrew Nawew
- 18 - Dionesia Martin
- 20 - Marina Mabesa
- 21 - Sharon S. McMullin
- 21 - Rhona Barad
- 21 - Marjorie Solomon
- 21 - Kristine M. Denis
- 21 - Novelito B. Abance
- 22 - Jonathan Enerva
- 23 - Minda G. Oliva
- 23 - Lorigrace Bayla-Austria
- 24 - Ma. Lourdes Cera
- 25 - Churchill S. Parohinog
- 25 - Angelika Navalta
- 27 - Leonard Basil
- 29 - Brigida Mandapat



Please notify the M.I. Staff if your name should have been included in this list. Thank You.

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 - 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
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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
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To enrol in any of the lessons, feel free to contact :
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SUNDAY AM WORSHIP ASSEMBLY



ASSEMBLY 1 - 9:00 - 10:15

ASSEMBLY 2 - 10:30 - 11:45

MIDWEEK DEVOTIONALS

6:00-8:00



SUNDAY PM WORSHIP

ASSEMBLY 3:
5:30 - 6:30



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