

Servers Today, March 5, 2023

Relationship of Children and Parents (Ephesians 6:1-4)

Speaker: ALTON MARK BAYLA

Song Leader: KAJEM KITMA

Invocation: ERNIE WAGANG

Intercessory Prayer: CHARLIE ABANCE

Communion Text: HEBREWS 9:11-15

Scripture Reading: IRA NORTH PO

Prayer for the Bread: DONNEL GONZALES

Prayer for the Cup: KEMUEL PERDIGON

Prayer for the Giving: JANRIEL ABANCE

Closing Prayer: JESSE BESTRE

Announcement: ANDY BESTRE

Afternoon Speaker: ALTON MARK BAYLA

Song Leader: KAJEM KITMA

To Bring Flowers: GLORI FAMILY

To Bring Biscuits: C/o MIDTOWN

To Bring Drinks: C/o MIDTOWN

Usher/ettes: VOLUNTEERS

Communion: KESHA OLIVA

Worship Coordinator: EZRA VALDEZ | ART 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 March 12, 2023

Relationship of Servants and Masters (Ephesians 6:5-9)

Speaker: JESSE BESTRE

Song Leader: CHRIS OLIVA

Invocation: JULIUS ROJO

Intercessory Prayer: DEXTER WAGANG

Communion Text: HEBREWS 10:1-10

Scripture Reading: KEMUEL PERDIGON

Prayer for the Bread: LEONARD BASIL

Prayer for the Cup: SAM QUEZADA

Prayer for the Giving: DANTE BADDAS

Closing Prayer: GREG KITMA

Announcement: ARNAN BAYLA

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PM Bible Study:

Midtown welcomes back the Sameons from USA

Midtown welcomes back spouses Dodoy & Sarah Sameon from a brief visit to their children in the USA from December 8, 2022—February 24, 2023. The couple attended last Tuesday’s CHURCH FORUM where they conveyed appreciation for the prayers ceaselessly offered in their behalf for safe travel. The Sameons are now preparing for the NEGROS EVANGELISTIC SUMMER CAMPAIGNS which will commence on March 16, 2023. While there, they will still be teaching through on-line at the HERITAGE BIBLE COLLEG just as what they did while in the USA.Ω

Bible teaching at RNHS resumes; teachers needed

After two months break, brother Ezra Valdez reports that the CHARACTER & SPIRITUAL FORMATION ministry at the ROXAS NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL has resumed last Friday, March 3, 2023 at 3:00—4:00 PM. Because some of the teachers have become unavailable because of the change in the schedule, more teachers are needed to serve as substitute. Kindly contact brother Ezra Valdez to signify interest in the matter. Many thanks!Ω

Bereaved family conveys appreciation to Midtown

The ROJOS AND PALAYPAYONS convey deep appreciation to the Midtown congregation for the many expressions of love, concern, support, and kindness shown during their time of bereavement due to the passing away of sister PRIMITIVA S. RIDON on February 24, 2023. She was 88 years old when she peacefully died in her sleep. Nightly vigil services were conducted by Midtown brethren from Friday thru Sunday. After lunch, and a DEVOTIONAL SERVICE led by Midtown’s ministers at the Palaypayon residence, the deceased was cremated at the BEYOND THE SUNSET MEMORIAL PARK at Irisan last Monday, February 27th at 2 o’ clock in the afternoon.Ω

"Children are our second chance to have a great 'parent-child' relationship."

READ Ephesians 6:1-4

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37 participate in SOR seminar & workshop

Thirty-seven brethren from Midtown and other congregations participated in the seminar and workshop on the STORY OF REDEMPTION (SOR) at MIDTOWN’S ASSEMBLY HALL last Sunday afternoon. Brother Sandy Detherage from Texas, USA who facilitated the seminar distributed free Lesson Materials and taught the participants to take advantage of the same for use with seekers of the Gospel, especially with the younger generation. Midtown brethren conveyed appreciation to brother Sandy for the opportunity. His team has headed south to present the SOR film series to congregations in Cebu and Davao.Ω

LAST SUNDAY'S RECORD

February 26, 2023

ATTENDANCE

REGULAR WORSHIP ASSEMBLY	SUNDAY SCHOOL + Virtual Class PRESCHOOL.....7
ADULTS.....91	GRADES 1-33
YP EEZ.....14	GRADES 4-6.....6
CHILDREN.....16	H.S./COL/.....0
GUESTS.....11	YAs.....0
TOTAL.....131	TOTAL.....16

OFFERING

AM & PM TOTAL: PhP41,346.00

ANNOUNCEMENT

- TUESDAY CHURCH FORUM— MARCH 7, 2023 @ 12:00—2:30 PM | EVERYBODY WELCOME!
- REGULAR YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING—MEZZANINE FLOOR EVERY SUNDAY RIGHT AFTER THE ASSEMBLY
- FREE MARKET— FOR MEMBERS OF BAGUIO-BENGUET CHURCHES | MIDTOWN ASSEMBLY HALL | SATURDAY, MARCH 11 @ 9:00—3:00 PM | PLEASE BRING ITEMS TO MIDTOWN BEFORE MARCH 11. THANK YOU!
- LADIES DEVOTIONAL & LUNCHEON FELLOWSHIP—MIDTOWN ASSEMBLY HALL | SATURDAY, MARCH 18, 2023 @ 11 AM—2 PM
- NATIONAL LADIES RETREAT—HOST: BACOLOD CHURCH OF CHRIST | VENUE: NATURE’S VILLAGE RESORT, TALISAY CITY, NEGROS OCCIDENTAL | JULY 18-21, 2023 | REG. FEE: PhP5,500.00
- WEEKLY Rs (READING, REFLECTION, AND RESPONSE) — ON FACEBOOK LIVE THURSDAY OR FRIDAY OR SATURDAY @ 9:00 PM . AIRING SCHEDULE WILL BE ANNOUNCED ON FACEBOOK MESSENGER.

• P R A Y E R L I S T •

FOR GOOD HEALTH & RECOVERY BRETHREN:

*GLORIA YANG

*JOSEFA JOSAYAN

*DONNA GERON

*PRISCILLA BAYASEN

*DAN & DODOY SAMEON

*DITH ZAMORA

*TESS KITMA

*LOIDA BADDAS

*BERNARD IGNACIO

*JONATHAN ENERVA

*MARYANN VALDEZ

*CESAR ACOSTA

*JOCELYN CALIXTRO

*JOVITA “BETH” BONDOC

*BELEN NAVALTA

*RAFAEL OZO

*ELLA GAROY

*ALLAN PATRICK AKIA

*LORENZA LOSNONG

*LEO JOSAYAN

*ERNIE ORDUÑA

REQUESTED BY BRETHREN:

*ARIAN KAITH IGOY

*CARMEN VILLANUEVA

*MENCHIE MOJICA

*PURIFICACION PACA

*MARILIZA ANDALLO

*CANDICE LEE

*OLIVIA PEACOCK

*MARIFE SALVIEJO

SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE

*Local, National, World Leaders & Government

*On-going Seekers’ BS

*On-going Follow-up BS

*RNHS Outreach Ministry

OTHER CONCERNS

*Safe Pregnancy:

- KANA PERDIGON—VALDEZ

- ERMALYN ADUAN—UDAN

- FAITH BAYATING

*Reviewers for Gov’t Exams

- John Leonard Badecao

SAFE TRAVEL:

THE CHRISTIAN HOME

What Fathers Can Give Their Children

Bill Richardson

“And you fathers, do not provoke your children to wrath, but bring them up in the training and admonition of the Lord” (Ephesians 6:4).

Someone has said, “Fathers don’t have second chances”. We have one time around with our children, and we had better do it right. Here are some things fathers need to give their children.

Give them a good mother. Every child deserves a good, Christian mother. David had some rascals for sons, and one reason was that some of the women he married were not fit to be mothers. Fathers, if you want good children, marry a woman who will make a good mother.

Give them a good father. One of the biggest sins of fathers is their failure to really be there for their children. Children need a father. They need a good father. A good father loves his children. God, the perfect father, is our example. With Him as a perfect example, we have no excuse for failing.

A good father provides for his children. Our Father provides for all our needs. And He demands of us that we do the same: “If anyone does not provide for his own, and especially for those of his household, he has denied the faith and is worse than an unbeliever” (1 Timothy 5:8).

A good father disciplines his children. God disciplines us, and we had better discipline our children if we want them to turn out right.

Give them a good home. Show them the right way to live. Teach them about God and His Word. Teach them the difference between right and wrong. Teach them to be good citizens. Teach them the dignity of honest labor. Worship God with them. Have fun with them. Give them precious memories that will last a lifetime.

Give them a good name. They wear your name. Make them proud of it.

Give them a good church. They will more than likely follow you in their choice of a church. Be sure you are right. “Test all things, hold fast what is good” (1 Thessalonians 5:21).

No father is perfect, but you will be appreciated if you have been honest, fair, and good to your children. Be a Christian father. Prepare your children for heaven.

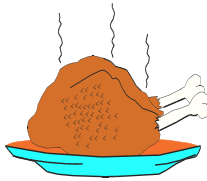
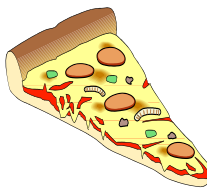
Bill Richardson was a longtime missionary in Holland and later preached several years in the states of Missouri, Arkansas, and Oklahoma, USA.

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



March Celebrators

- 02 - Marilou Pelle
- 03 - Vicky Batnag
- 03 - Kyla Sue Tacay
- 04 - Jade Eunice Bugnay
- 05 - Carina Mabesa
- 09 - Donnel Gonzales
- 10 - Letty Bayating
- 10 - Rachel Bestre
- 12 - Greg Kitma
- 12 - Kajem Kitma
- 12 - Kaelin R. Palaypayon
- 12 - Graciela Badua-Ciencia
- 12 - Euancyde Aguinaldo
- 13 - Desiree Baddas
- 13 - Phroillander Abance
- 14 - Randolph Tugay-an
- 15 - Ira North Po
- 15 - Cristian Paul Austria
- 17 - Alicia E. Lalas
- 17 - Zyneth Lagsaman
- 17 - Paterson Kitma
- 17 - Sheila Balangitan
- 20 - Justin Baban, Jr.
- 21 - Cecilia Alvarez
- 21 - Demi Rose Tacay
- 23 - Joseph Roncal
- 24 - Marvann Valdez
- 25 - Amber Phoelen Po
- 26 - Micah Abance
- 26 - Sylvia Baggao
- 27 - Donna-Gee Geron
- 27 - Annika Rimando
- 28 - Karizza Mae Bayla
- 28 - Melissa Licupa
- 30 - Mona Gaye
- 30 - Marlene Samonte
- 31 - Marivic C. Durano



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

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- LESSON NO. 6 – The Scheme of Redemption: F. Where Will Your Life End?

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

Singing & Prayers LORD’S SUPPER and OFFERING 9:00–9:30	Prayers & BIBLE STUDY 9:35–10:25	Singing, Prayers & MESSAGE 10:30–11:10	Greetings & ANNOUNCEMENTS 11:10–11:20
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MIDWEEK DEVOTIONALS SUNDAY PM ASSEMBLY

6:00-8:00 PM	• Singing & Prayers & MESSAGE: 5:30–6:15 • LORD’S SUPPER & GIVING: 6:15–6:30 • Greetings & ANNOUNCEMENTS: 6:30–6:40
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