

Servers Today, October 11, 2026

Being a Caring Community of Believers (1 Timothy 5:3-16)

Speaker: EZRA VALDEZ

Song Leader: ANDY BESTRE

Invocation: DODOY SAMEON

Intercessory Prayer: JUN REYES

Communion Text: TITUS 2:11-14

Scripture Reading: LIRAM CHAD MONTES

Prayer for the Bread: MERVIN OLIVA

Prayer for the Cup: DONNEL GONZALES

Prayer for the Giving: JEREMIE CRAIG LICUPA

Closing Prayer: JOJO RAMOS

Announcement: ANDY BESTRE

Speaker: EZRA VALDEZ

Song Leader: ANDY BESTRE

To Bring Flowers: OFELIA ABANCE

To Bring Biscuits: C/O MIDTOWN

To Bring Drinks: C/O MIDTOWN

Usher/ettes: GONZALES FAMILY

Communion: MABEL&ALEXIS SUNGGAY

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 October 18, 2026

Reciprocating the Work of Elders (1 Timothy 5:17-20)

Speaker: KAJEM KITMA

Song Leader: ARNAN BAYLA

Invocation: MARIL BAYATING SR.

Intercessory Prayer: RICHARD BESTRE

Communion Text: PHILIPPIANS 2:5-11

Scripture Reading: DYLAN ISIAH SALUD

Prayer for the Bread: IRA NORTH PO

Prayer for the Cup: SANDER BESTRE

Prayer for the Giving: JULIUS ROJO

Closing Prayer: DODOY SAMEON

Announcement: ARNAN BAYLA

Afternoon Speaker: KAJEM KITMA

Song Leader: ARNAN BAYLA

To Bring Flowers: BESTRE FAMILY

To Bring Biscuits: C/O MIDTOWN

To Bring Drinks: C/O MIDTOWN

Usher/ettes: PERDIGON FAMILY

Communion: MABEL&ALEXIS SUNGGAY

Worship Coordinator: ART TACAY | LEM GLORI

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Mission & Vision

We are committed to give God glory, praise, and honor as we serve in making disciples of Christ. We envision ourselves to be a congregation of worshippers of God in spirit and in truth, and to be a living demonstration of the presence and power of our Lord Jesus Christ in a community of faith, hope, and love.

“To care for those who once cared for us is one of the highest honors.”

READ Ephesians 6:2-3

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LAST SUNDAY'S RECORD

October 4, 2026

ATTENDANCE

REGULAR WORSHIP ASSEMBLY AM & PM

ADULTS.....218

YP EEZ.....19

CHILDREN.....45

GUESTS.....1

TOTAL.....283

SUNDAY SCHOOL

PRESCHOOL.....18

GRADES 1-210

GRADES 3—4.....7

GRADES 5-6.....9

J.H.S.....16

SHS/COL.....10

ADULT.....188

TOTAL.....258

OFFERING

AM&PM: P79,274.00

ANNOUNCEMENTS

TUESDAY CHURCH FORUM — ON OCTOBER 13, 2026 | 12:00 NOON—2:30 PM | EVERYBODY WELCOME!

24th BAGUIO-BENGUET CHRISTIAN LADIES FELLOWSHIP — ON NOVEMBER 30, 2026 | ITOGON TRAINING CENTER, ALEJO M. PACALSO MEMORIAL NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL, TUDING, ITOGON, BENGUET | PLEASE SIGN UP NOW ON THE SIGN-UP SHEET ON THE BULLETIN BOARD. | Deadline: OCTOBER 20, 2026

ADDITIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS NEEDED — NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY, TRAINING WILL BE PROVIDED | TO START AS CO-TEACHERS IN THE VARIOUS GRADE LEVELS | PLEASE CONTACT SISTER KESHA OLIVA

MONTHLY LADIES DEVOTIONAL & LUNCHEON FELLOWSHIP — CHILDREN’S PLAYGROUND, BURNHAM PARK | SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17, 2026 | 9 AM—12 NOON | C/O THE FOURTH QUARTER STEERING GROUP

WANTED: FULL-TIME INTERN EVANGELIST — PLEASE SUBMIT APPLICATION LETTER AND RESUME ADDRESSED TO THE ELDERS & DEACONS, MIDTOWN CHURCH OF CHRIST

FOR GOOD HEALTH & RECOVERY BRETHREN:

*GLORIA YANG

*JOSEFA JOSAYAN

*PRISCILLA BAYASEN

*DODOY & SARAH SAMEON

*BERNARD IGNACIO

*ELLA GAROY

*LORENZA LOSNONG

*CLYDE ABANCE

*MELBA LICUPA

*CHARLIE ABANCE

*EDDIE LAGSAMAN

*AIDA SAINGAN

*MEGUELITA Q. ABARIAL

*DANTE BADDAS

*SHAMAE RAMOS

*ELIZABETH DONATO

*PURIFICACION PACA

*CRISTY TACAY

*RUTH CAMORA

*JANE BESTRE

*MARIBEL FERRER

*JESSICA MARIANO

*ANGIE PAYANGDO

*LILY SORIANO

*FELY FLORES

*ROSALIA ACOSTA

*ROSALITO LAMBOT

*KIARA NAWEW

*DITAS CUBANGBANG , SHEEMA VALDEZ—ORPILLA , ESPIE

VILLANUEVA, NADIA JOSAYAN,

MIRIAM SUANDING—QUIZON,

MICAH BANATAO (SAFE PREGNANCY)

REQUESTED BY BRETHREN:

*CARMEN VILLANUEVA

*MARILIZA ANDALLO

*DIANA TAGUIBA

*JAN PAJANTOY

*JERALD BACOY

*JEHMELOFRENEO

*DWYLA AMILA SIMON

*FRITZ PADILLA

*PRINCESS QUINZON

*ELIJAH MAE B. CUEVAS

*MELODY BORJA

SPIRITUAL GUIDANCE

*LOCAL, NATIONAL, WORLD LEADERS & GOVERNMENT

*ON-GOING SEEKERS' BS

*ON-GOING FOLLOW-UP BS

*TUBA EVANGELISTIC MISSION C/O YAS & LADIES MINISTRY

*CORDILLERA MISSION PLAN

*PERSONAL EVANGELISM

*ADDITIONAL ELDERS & DEACONS, EVANGELISTS

SAFE TRAVEL:

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family matters

building grace-based relationships

LT resident baptized into Christ Wednesday night

Midtown brethren praise the Lord God Almighty and warmly welcome the newest disciple in the congregation, brother JAYLORD LUDAES SISSI-IT, fondly known as JALUS. Encouraged by sister Kaesha Palaypayon and her family, he began studying God’s Word. Together with sister Kaesha and spouses Julius and Fely Rojo, he studied the SEEKERS’ LESSON SERIES with brother Arnan Bayla. Upon completing the series, he decided to be baptized for the remission of sins (Acts 2:38) on Wednesday, October 7, 2026.

Brother Jalus was born and raised in Mankayan, Benguet, and now resides at MEGA REALM SUBDIVISION in Shilan, La Trinidad, Benguet. He is an architect practicing in the Baguio–Benguet area.

The congregation continues to pray for his spiritual growth as he begins the NEW LIFE LESSON SERIES, and to continually be active in the MIDWEEK CARE GROUP and in the congregation’s assemblies. To God be all the glory! Ω

Well baby boy born to Fabia family

A well baby boy was born to spouses Michael & Charisse Fabia last Wednesday morning, October 7, 2026 at the BAGUIO GENERAL HOSPITAL & MEDICAL CENTER. The couple named their fourth child, CLINT KHAILER FABIA. He was born 2.9 kg through normal delivery.

Midtown brethren praise the Lord God Almighty for favorably answering the congregation’s prayer for a safe pregnancy and delivery.

Meanwhile, a good number of Midtown brethren gathered to celebrate the first birth anniversary of UNNA PERDIGON VALDEZ, second child of spouses Ezra & Kana Valdez, at the Function Hall of INN TAYON, an inn located along Marcos Highway, Bakakeng Central. Brother Arnan Bayla served as devotional speaker in the THANKSGIVING SERVICE. For God’s praise, glory, and honor!Ω

Midtown prepares for annual planning & goal-setting

The congregation will undertake a series of goal-setting and annual planning workshops to establish its priorities for 2027–2029 and prepare its action plan and budget for 2027. The process aims to align the congregation’s plans with its vision and mission, strengthening its work in evangelism, edification, and benevolence, all for the glory of God.

Participants will review the congregation’s progress toward its 2024–2026 goals and assess its strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats. They will also examine the congregation’s organizational structure, the functions and responsibilities of ministries and personnel, and current needs requiring action.

These assessments will guide the development of the next three-year goals, a practical action plan, and a corresponding budget for 2027. Together, these documents will help the congregation coordinate its efforts and use its resources effectively.

Regular TCF (TUESDAY CHURCH FORUM) attendees will participate in the workshops. Representatives of the various subsidiary ministries and CARE GROUPS will also be invited, providing opportunities for shared counsel and contributions from across the congregation.

The planning process draws inspiration from Biblical teachings on clear vision, wise counsel, careful preparation, and dependence on God (Habakkuk 2:2; Proverbs 15:22; 16:3, 9; 19:21; Luke 14:28).

As the congregation prepares for the years ahead, members are encouraged to pray for wisdom and unity and to commit these plans to the Lord. Please find the schedule of the Church Planning Workshops on page 2. All praises to the Lord God Almighty! Ω

Modular Workshops Schedule

Church Goal Setting for 2027 to 2029

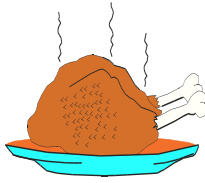
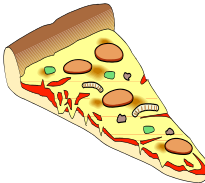
Review the church’s progress for 2024–2026
and prepare its goals for 2027–2029, along with the 2027 action plan and budget.

Date & Time	Workshop Activity	Expected Output
Oct 13 2:30–3:00 PM	Review the church’s current po- sition against its 2024–2026 three-year goals. Preparation: Admin Ministry.	Participants understand the church’s pro- gress toward its 2024–2026 goals.
Oct 20 3:00–4:30 PM	Assess the church’s strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, and threats (SWOT) for 2024–2026.	A written SWOT assessment covering the period 2024–2026.
Oct 27 3:00–4:30 PM	Review the church’s organiza- tional design, ministry functions and responsibilities, and the du- ties and responsibilities of church personnel.	An updated document outlining the organi- zational design, ministry functions and re- sponsibilities, and personnel duties. An updated list of chairpersons and mem- bers of the primary ministries.
Nov 3 3:00–4:30 PM	Identify the church’s current needs.	A list of current church needs and appropri- ate actions to address them.
Nov 10 3:00–4:30 PM	Set the church’s three-year goals for 2027–2029.	A list of goals organized by the church’s threefold work—Evangelism, Edification, and Benevolence—and the support minis- tries of Equipping and Administration.
Nov 17 3:00–4:30 PM	Prepare the church’s 2027 action plan.	One working document containing the 2027 action plan for Evangelism, Edifica- tion, Benevolence, Equipping, and Admin- istration. The document will also serve as a monitor- ing tool.
Nov 24 3:00–4:30 PM	Prepare the church’s 2027 budg- et.	A detailed church budget for 2027.

Prepared by brother Greg Kitma

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

October Celebrators



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

01 - Katrina Dereje
03 - Gladness Rajanan
03 - Kemuel Perdigon
04 - O’Neil M. Gonzales
04 - Nelly Bayla
04 - Rossana Ozo
04 - Josh Darius Martin
06 - Johnny Payangdo Jr.
06 - Wilson Abance
07 - Erin Sarah Sameon
08 - Arturo Tacay
09 - Rod Tada
09 - Earl Tristan Sameon
10 - Eleonor Garoy
10 - Jasmine Chappot
11 - Danielle Rosa Tan
12 - Octavio Abance
13 - Wrendel Macam
14 - Rosalia Acosta
15 - Richard Bestre
16 - Rodrigo Bondoc
17 - Jizza K. Abance
22 - Wynell Roncal
23 - Lemuel Glori
23 - Ofelia Abance
24 - Jeady Jewel D. Igoy
25 - Lani Palaypayon
27 - Laisha Clarisse Montes
27 - Andy Mabesa
28 - Cyndyleen Macam
28 - Charisse Fabia
29 - Sarah Elepane
29 - Lera R. Humakey
29 - Clyde Abance
29 - Joel Quirimit
31 - Erika Mariano

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



6:00-8:00 PM



SUNDAY PM ASSEMBLY

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

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 :
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