Servers Today, November 15, 2026

Flee the Junk, Aim Higher (1 Tim 6:11-16)

Speaker:	*Ezra Valdez*
Song Leader:	*Kajem Kitma*
Invocation:	*Greg Kitma*
Intercessory Prayer:	*Noel Espinosa*
Communion Text:	*Luke 22:14-20*
Scripture Reading:	*Riyu Albay*
Prayer for the Bread:	*Dylan Luis*
Prayer for the Cup:	*Jasper Perdigon*
Prayer for the Giving:	*Art Tacay*
Closing Prayer:	*Dodoy Sameon*
Announcement:	*Arnan Bayla*
Speaker:	*Ezra Valdez*
Song Leader:	*Chris Oliva*
To Bring Flowers:	*Amber Phoelen Po*
To Bring Biscuits:	*C/o Midtown*
To Bring Drinks:	*C/o Midtown*
Usher/ettes	*Kitma Family*
Communion:	*Loise & Lougai Fermin*
Worship Coordinator:	*Art Tacay | Lem Glori*

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 November 22, 2026

Investing in Eternity (1 Timothy 6:17-19)

Speaker:	*Arnan Bayla*
Song Leader:	*Felix Olidan Jr.*
Invocation:	*Dodoy Sameon*
Intercessory Prayer:	*Jun Reyes*
Communion Text:	*Philippians 2:5-11*
Scripture Reading:	*Sander Bestre*
Prayer for the Bread:	*Ron Villaruz*
Prayer for the Cup:	*Lemuel Glori*
Prayer for the Giving:	*Carlos Gonzales*
Closing Prayer:	*Maril Bayating Sr.*
Announcement:	*Andy Bestre*
Afternoon Speaker:	*Arnan Bayla*
Song Leader:	*Felix Olidan Jr.*
To Bring Flowers:	*Katrina Oliva*
To Bring Biscuits:	*C/o Midtown*
To Bring Drinks:	*C/o Midtown*
Usher/ettes	*Andaya Family*
Communion:	*Loise & Lougai Fermin*
Worship Coordinator:	*Ezra Valdez | Art Tacay*

LAST SUNDAY'S RECORD
November 8, 2026

ATTENDANCE

REGULAR WORSHIP ASSEMBLY AM & PM		SUNDAY SCHOOL	
ADULTS	190	PRESCHOOL	13
YPEEZ	34	GRADES 1-2	11
CHILDREN	41	GRADES 3—4	8
GUESTS	4	GRADES 5-6	7
TOTAL	268	J.H.S	16
		SHS/COL	10
		ADULT	158
		TOTAL	223

OFFERING

AM&PM: P69,664.00

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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*
**Rosalia Acosta*
**Meaghan Yang*
**Joselito Abance*
**Ditas Cubangbang , Espie Villanueva, Nadia Josayan, Miriam Suanding—Quizon, (Safe Pregnancy)*

REQUESTED BY BRETHREN:
**Carmen Villanueva*
**Mariliza Andallo*
**Diana Tag uiba*
**Ian Pajantoy*
**Jerald Bacoy*
**Jehmel Ofreneo*
**Dwyla Amila Simon*
**Fritz Padilla*
**Princess Quinzon*
**Elijah Mae B. Cuevas*
**Melody Borja*
**Paul Aizick Moran*

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:
**Dex & Den Wagang & Family (AUS)*
**Rommel Nierves (USA)*

ANNOUNCEMENTS!

- **TCF & CHURCH PLANNING**— On November 17, 2026 | 12:00 Noon—5:00 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.
- **49th NATIONAL LADIES RETREAT** — Amontay Beach Resort, Nasipit, Agusan del Norte On April 20-23, 2026 | Discounted Registration Fee Until January 31, 2027: P7500.00
- **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED FOR 2027**— To Bring Flowers, Prepare Communion Bread | Sign-Up Sheet now posted on the Bulletin Board by the Mezzanine Stairway |
- **SPIRITUAL RETREAT, REST, & RECREATION** — December 8, 2026 | Culminating Activity of the series of Church Planning Done October 13—December 1, 2026

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"We cannot fight a good fight or finish our course unless we keep the faith."

READ 1 Timothy 6:11-16

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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 worshipers 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.

Midtown brethren back from Nepal mission trip

Midtown welcomes back spouses Solomon & Lani Palaypayon and brother Felix Olidan Jr. from their mission trip in Nepal from October 26 thru November 9, 2026. The group reports that 260 families or around 1000 individuals have been served in various ways. Eight congregations were also visited and served in the span of two weeks. Financial Aid amounting to NPR 2,226,000.00 coursed through the March for Christ was appropriately distributed to victims of the flash flood that devastated the area. Nepali Christians expressed gratefulness for the benevolence and praise the Lord God Almighty for the grace and mercy! For God's praise and glory alone!Ω

Midtown minister is resource speaker @ TCNHS

At the invitation of sister Rossanna B. Andaya of the Tuba Poblacion Barangay Health Center, brother Arnan Bayla served as speaker for a seminar on Promoting Mental Health Awareness under the Social Behavior Change Communication (SBCC) of the Department of Health. His discussion underscored Understanding Your Mind & Emotions, Your Worth is Not Your Performance, Building a Stronger Mind & a Healthier Heart, and Becoming Someone Who Brings Hope. The seminar was delivered to Senior High School students of the Tuba Central National High School at the TCS's Social Hall on November 10. It was attended by representatives from the Sangguniang Barangay as well as by the Sangguniang Kabataan chairman.

Brother Janriel Abance, representing Midtown's Young Adults was present and had Midtown Young Adults Ministry's activity in Tuba announced by the SK chairman. Midtown YA's Tuba Mission will push through at the Tuba Gym on November 28, 2026. To God be all the glory! Ω

Midtown's SS children join BCPL story-telling

Incidental to the Yearender & Outing activity of Midtown's Children's Ministry and Sunday School the other past Saturday, November 7, Midtown's children joined other children in the Story-Telling activity of the Baguio City Public Library (BCPL) at the Children's Play area of Burnham Park. Midtown's children were given the opportunity to lead in singing spiritual songs and telling a story in the activity. Gavin Wagang served as story-teller while Thirdy Bayating served as songleader. Sander Bestre served as speaker in the Bible Application in which he discussed "Two are Better Than One" based on Ecclesiastes 4:9-10. He emphasized that fellowship, being together as God's children, and showing up in gatherings not only enhances camaraderie but also promotes the Lord's work as a community responsibility.

Parents, guardians, and teachers are overly thankful for the opportunity and are looking forward to the next like activity. There were sixty-six in attendance from Midtown. All praise to the Lord God Almighty! Ω

Special collection for church staff on 11/29 & 12/6

Come November 29th and December 6th, the Midtown congregation will be given the opportunity to express their support and gratitude to Midtown's staff, namely, brethren Arnan Bayla (Minister-Evangelist), Ezra Valdez (Youth Minister), Lady Angela Ramos (Secretary), and Gregory Kitma (Part-time Treasurer) by way of a Special Contribution for their Yearend Bonus.

May the Lord God Almighty be glorified in this worthy act of thanksgiving. Praise to the Lord God Almighty! Ω

FIGHTING THE GOOD FIGHT OF FAITH

I. FLEE FROM EVIL AND PURSUE GODLINESS

Text: 1 Timothy 6:11

"But you, man of God, flee from all this, and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance and gentleness."

Paul gives Timothy two commands that must be practiced together.

First, FLEE. Timothy must turn away from the sinful attitudes and behaviors previously described—false teaching, conceit, unhealthy controversies, and the love of money.

Second, PURSUE. Avoiding evil is not enough. Christians must actively cultivate the qualities that reflect God's character.

Paul identifies six virtues:

1. Righteousness — Doing what is right before God and others. 2. Godliness — Living with reverence for God. 3. Faith — Trusting God and remaining faithful to Him. 4.Love — Seeking the good of others. 5. Endurance — Remaining steadfast through difficulties. 6. Gentleness — Treating others with humility and kindness.

Spiritual maturity requires both turning away from what is wrong and moving toward what is right. When Potiphar's wife tempted Joseph, he refused her advances and fled. Joseph understood that yielding to temptation would be a sin against God. His example reminds us that there are situations in which the wisest decision is simply to walk away.

Applications

1. Flee from temptations that threaten your spiritual life. Avoid situations, habits, and influences that repeatedly lead you toward sin.

2. Pursue godliness intentionally. Develop consistent habits of prayer, Bible study, worship, and service. Cultivate Christ-like character. Let righteousness, faith, love, endurance, and gentleness become increasingly visible in your relationships.

Challenge

We cannot pursue godliness while deliberately holding on to the very things that destroy it. The Christian who wants to grow spiritually must learn not only what to embrace but also what to abandon.

Ask yourself: What am I tolerating in my life today that I should already be fleeing from? And what godly qualities am I neglecting that I should be pursuing?

Run away from what destroys your faith; run toward what strengthens your relationship with God.

II. FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT AND HOLD FIRMLY TO ETERNAL LIFE

Text: 1 Timothy 6:12

Paul commands Timothy to fight the good fight of faith. The Christian life is not a life without struggles. It involves spiritual battles against temptation, discouragement, false teaching, worldly influences, and the pressures of life. But notice that Paul calls it a good fight. It is good because the cause is righteous, the Lord we serve is faithful, and the eternal life promised in Christ is worth persevering for. Paul also tells Timothy to take hold of eternal life. This does not mean that eternal life is earned through human effort. Rather, Timothy must live faithfully in keeping with the calling and confession he has already received.

We do not fight to make Christ our Savior; we fight because we belong to Christ and must remain faithful to Him.

Daniel faced a serious test when a royal decree prohibited prayer to anyone except the king. Although Daniel knew the consequences, he continued praying to God as he had always done. He was thrown into the lions' den, but God delivered him. He demonstrated that genuine faith does not disappear when obedience becomes difficult.

Applications

1. Stand firm when your faith is tested. Do not abandon biblical convictions merely because obedience becomes inconvenient or unpopular.

2. Persevere through spiritual difficulties. Continue praying, worshiping, and serving even during discouragement, suffering, or disappointment.

Remember your confession of faith. Live consistently with your commitment to Jesus Christ, both publicly and privately.

Challenge

The strength of our faith is not measured only by how confidently we profess it when life is easy, but also by how faithfully we practice it when life becomes difficult.

A Christian who gives up whenever challenges arise will struggle to experience the spiritual maturity that perseverance produces.

Ask yourself: Am I fighting to remain faithful, or am I gradually surrendering to the pressures of the world?

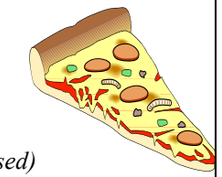
The good fight of faith is not about defeating other people; it is about remaining faithful to Christ despite every obstacle.

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
07 - Gileana Hannah Saguil
08 - Laarni B. Salud
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
17 - Rhianne Kyle A. Nawew
18 - Kristalyn Saingan
18 - Andrew Nawew
18 - Dionesia Martin
20 - Marina Mabesa (Deceased)
21 - Sharon S. McMillin
21 - Rhona Barad
21 - Marjorie Solomon
21 - Kristine M. Denis
21 - Novelito B. Abance
22 - Jonathan Enerva
23 - Minda G. Oliva
23 - Lorigrace Austria
24 - Ma. Lourdes Cera-Literato
25 - Churchill S. Parohinog
25 - Angelika Navalta
25 - Norma D. Andaya
25 - Charmaine Rivera
27 - Leonard Basil
28 - Rowana Ozo
29 - Perla B. Tabcao
29 - Brigida Mandapat
30 - Sonia Cariño Abance









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

III. REMAIN FAITHFUL UNTIL THE APPEARING OF JESUS CHRIST

Text: 1 Timothy 6:13–16

Paul solemnly charges Timothy in the presence of God, who gives life to everything, and Christ Jesus, who made the good confession before Pontius Pilate. Timothy is commanded to keep God's instruction without stain or reproach until the appearing of Jesus Christ. Paul then concludes with a magnificent declaration of God's greatness and sovereignty. God is described as the blessed and only Ruler, the King of kings and Lord of lords, the One who alone possesses immortality in Himself and dwells in unapproachable light. The emphasis is clear: Our faithfulness must be sustained by reverence for the greatness of God and anticipation of Christ's return. The Christian's goal is not merely to begin well, but to finish faithfully.

The Apostle Paul, near the end of his life, could confidently declare: "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith." — 2 Timothy 4:7 Paul experienced persecution, imprisonment, hardship, and rejection. Yet he remained committed to Christ. His example demonstrates that a faithful Christian is not necessarily one who experiences an easy life, but one who continues serving God despite life's difficulties.

Applications

1. Live with eternity in view. Make decisions based not merely on temporary benefits but on what honors God.

2. Remain faithful throughout every season of life. Whether young or old, prosperous or struggling, healthy or physically limited, continue serving the Lord.

3. Honor God through consistent obedience. Let your faithfulness be evident in your family, workplace, congregation, and community.

Prepare for Christ's appearing. Live each day with the awareness that our Lord will return.

Challenge

It is not enough to begin the Christian life with enthusiasm if we eventually abandon the faith we once professed. God calls us to a lifelong faithfulness that remains steadfast even when circumstances change. Ω AAB

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 & AN-

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

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