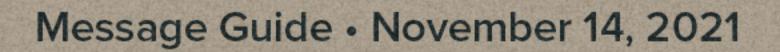


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PANIMULA

1. ANG KAWALAN NG KAPAYAPAAN DAHIL SA ATING PAGKAWALAY SA DIYOS (Ephesians 2:11-12)

- a. Ang mga Hentil ay nahiwalay dahil sa hungkag na relihiyon ng mga Hudio (Ephesians 2:11)
- Bago dumating ang Panginoong Hesu Kristo, ang mga Hentil ay nahiwalay sa mga mapagpalang pangako at tipan ng isang mapagmahal na Diyos (Ephesians 2:12)
- c. Katulad ng Israel, ang mga Hentil ay nagpatuloy sa kanilang makasalanang buhay at nanatiling hiwalay sa Panginoon, at walang pag-asa sa mundo.

2. ANG PAGDATING NG KAPAYAPAAN NA DALA NG PAGKAMATAY NI KRISTO SA KRUS (Ephesians 2:13)

- a. Ang pagdating ni Kristo ang nagbago ng kapalaran ng buong sanlibutan, Hudio man o Hentil.
- b. Ang pagdating ni Kristo ang naglapit ng mga Hudio at Hentil, na parehong malayo sa pinangakong kaligtasan ng Diyos; malayo sa bigkis ng biyaya Niya.
- c. Ang Kanyang dugong umagos sa Kalbaryo ang naglapit sa ating lahat sa Diyos na banal.

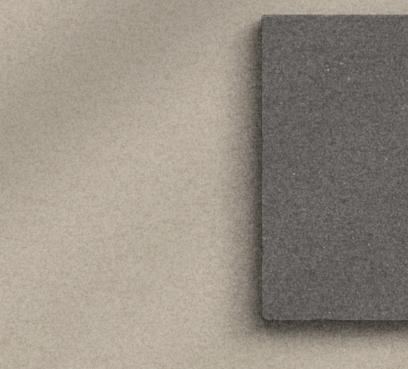
3. ANG KALIKASAN NG KAPAYAPAAN NA DALA NG PRINSIPE NG KAPAYAPAAN (Ephesians 2:14-18)

- a. Ang Kanyang kapayapaan ang nag-alis ng tabing na naghihiwalay ng mga makasalanan sa banal na presensya ng Diyos.
- b. Ang Kanyang kapayapaan ang nagbaklas ng bakod na naghihiwalay sa ibang mga lahi sa Diyos ng Israel, at nagbigay sa lahat ng pantay-pantay na pagkakataon na lumapit sa kaligtasang alok ni Hesus.









PAGWAWAKAS

Paano natin maipapamuhay ang mga katotohanang ito sa ating mga buhay sa panahong ating ginagalawan ngayon?

- a. Sa tuwing makikita natin ang ating mga kamag-anak at kaibigan na hindi pa nakakakilala kay Hesus, tandaan natin na sila ay may KAWALAN NG KAPAYAPAAN, dahil sila ay hiwalay pa rin sa Diyos dahil sa kanilang kasalanan.
- b. Sa tuwing maiisip natin ang PAGDATING NG KAPAYAPAAN dahil sa kamatayan ni Kristo sa Krus, huwag nating kalimutan na ibahagi ang dakilang katotohanang ito sa mas marami pang tao.
- c. Sa tuwing maiisip natin ang KALIKASAN NG KAPAYAPAAN na ipinakita sa atin ng Prinsipe ng Kapayapaan mismo, sana tayo'y maging tagadala rin ng kapayapaan sa ating kapwa, kaibigan man o kaaway.

DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. Sino sa mga kamag-anak niyo o kaibigan, ang may kawalan pa na kapayapaan, dahil hindi pa sila nananampalataya na si Kristo at Panginoong Diyos, at ang kaligtasan ay sa pamamagitan Niya lamang? Ipanalangin sila.
- 2. Sa kapaskuhan na paparating, ipagdiriwang na naman ang pagdating ng kapayapaan sa mundo. Paano ninyo magagawang mas makabuluhan ang temang ito sa inyong mga kapit-bahay na mamamasko sa inyo sa Disyembre?
- 3. Mayroon ba kayong kaibigan o kamag-anak na naka-alitan kamakailan? Paano ninyo maisasabuhay ang kalikasan ng kapayapaan sa kanila, lalo na kung hindi pa sila nakakakilala sa Panginoong Hesus?

Download the study guide: bit.ly/EphesiansStudyGuides



The Shepherd's Voice

by Pastor Bong Durana GCF Mercy Ministry



Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

I just affirmed the candidates for elders and deacons by using the on-line portal https://elections.gcf.org.ph If you haven't yet, please do.

We are essentially affirming those whom God have called into office. These are our brethren who've been using their God-given spiritual gifts. We are now affirming the spiritual gifts they have been displaying. The only difference is, now, they are being affirmed for the office of Elder and Deacon.

Scripture reminds us in Romans 12:5-6a 5-6a, "So we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them." We are many but one body. We are one body with different parts. Individually we are members, one of another. We individually have different spiritual gifts.

What are spiritual gifts? These are Spirit-empowered abilities for service. Grace is unmerited favor. Each one has been given a different gift by God's unmerited favor. (Ephesians 3:7)

You don't really get into ministry. You are in ministry, if you are a believer. You are to do the work of ministry. Your pastor is there to teach you and equip you to do the work of service; to build up the church, the body of Christ toward maturity. (Ephesians 4:11-12)

When you put your faith in Jesus, when you believed in His Person, as God the Son; His provision, that He died for your sins and rose from the dead; and believed in His promise to give you eternal life – you were saved. You were born again, indwelt by the Holy Spirit. You were given your spiritual gift.

What is your gift? You aren't sure? Well, what do you gravitate toward? What do you enjoy doing? What are you effective at?

As we move forward with on-site worship, you might want to consider being part of the Worship Ministry Team. You might consider being a projectionist, an on-site singer, an on-site instrumentalist. Or your interest might be in sound mixing, camera work, video technical direction or stage management. Join us!

Advent is just around the corner and we will begin the Advent Candle lighting on November 28. This year's Christmas Special Service is on December 19 and we will have our Christmas Eve Service on December 24. As the Spirit leads, let us know, if you'd like to serve. Contact Pastor Migs Orleans at **miguel.orleans@gcf.org.ph** or 0917 541 1127, or email Chad Pineda chad.pineda@gcf.org.ph, or me at **jose.loanzon@gcf.org.ph**

You are gifted. You were given a gift, by His grace, to glorify God, to edify the church, and make disciples of Jesus Christ. Use your gift to serve others.

WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING



Each one must give as he has decided in his heart, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.

2 Corinthians 9:7

If you are led to give, you may do so through the following means:

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Main Office

Savings Account: **1000-3010-0017-355**

PAYPAL

Please visit gcf.org.ph/give

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Send a copy of your transaction document to **finance@gcf.org.ph** so your giving can be properly recorded and an official receipt can be sent to you.

GCF BAYANIHAN FOOD STALLS

The GCF Mercy Ministry continues to accept donations, here's how: For In-Kind Donations: drop off at the GCF Lobby from 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM. For Cash Donations: give via the GCF bank accounts (gcf.org.ph/give). Email your deposit slip to finance@gcf.org.ph with the subject "For Bayanihan Food Stall". For questions, contact the Mercy Ministry at 0917 532 7672 or mercy@gcf.org.ph

COVID-19 EMERGENCY RESPONSE EFFORTS

You may also give to support the church family's COVID relief efforts. Just indicate "**For COVID-19 Fund**" when you email your transaction document.





WORSHIP THE LORD WITH US ON-SITE!

10:00 AM Worship Service | Present your vaccination card as you enter the building.

VOTE FOR ELDERS AND DEACONS (FROM NOV. 7 TO NOV. 28)

Vote for elders and deacons on-site or online from **November 7** to **November 28**. Visit **election.gcf.org.ph** for more information. Contact **Grace Mosquera** at **election@gcf.org.ph** for inquiries.

SIGN LANGUAGE INTERPRETATION

Available during the 10:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. service only

REMINDERS OF GOD'S CARE AND FAITHFULNESS DEVOTIONALS

Tuesdays | 8:00 p.m. | Livestream on GCF YouTube and Facebook

THE GCF FAMILY'S HOUR OF PRAYER

Thursdays | 8:00 p.m. | via Zoom

KidsLIFE ONLINE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Saturdays | Little Ones - 10:00 a.m | Growing Kids - 10:15 a.m. | Livestream on GCF YouTube and Facebook

LIVEstream (YouthLIVE Worship)

Saturdays | 5:00 p.m. | Livestream on GCF YouTube and Facebook

YA TALKS

Fridays | 8:00 p.m. | Livestream on GCF YouTube and Facebook

FAMILY GGEX (GROWTH GROUP EXPRESS)

Every Sunday Morning | 11:30 a.m. – 12:00 nn GGEx Leader: Pastor Emerson Manaloto | Zoom: bit.ly/FamilyGGEx Passcode: familyGGEx | For Inquiries, contact Marj at 0917-779-1549

TELECONSULTATION SERVICE

For appointments or questions, contact: gcfocstef@gmail.com (9:00 a.m. – 12:00 nn) | gcfocluan@gmail.com (1:00 – 4:00 p.m.)

OIKOS APPLIED: LEARN HOW TO SHARE THE GOSPEL

Sundays | 1:30 PM via Zoom | Every 1st and 3rd Sunday of the month Open to all GCFers | Pre-registration Required: Visit bit.ly/OikosApplied

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Sundays | 8:00 - 9:00 AM

Pre-registration Required: Ms. Marj: 0917 779 1549 | Ms. Jen: 0917 773 2378

MORNING OF PRAYER

Saturday | November 20 | 10:30 a.m. — 12:00 nn | Zoom: bit.ly/MorningofPrayer1120 For inquiries, contact 0932 371 3457

SERVING AND LOVING THE COMING KING (SENIORS GG CLUSTER CHRISTMAS FELLOWSHIP)

December 11 (Saturday) | 4:00 p.m. | Zoom: https://bit.ly/GCFSeniorsChristmas | Meeting ID: 817 3333 1267 | Passcode: 121121 Dress Code: Red/Green/Gold (wear with crown or tiara)

HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?

Message us your prayer requests at:

Facebook: Greenhills Christian Fellowship | E-mail: pray@gcf.org.ph

ONLINE VISITOR'S CENTER

We are so glad you're here today! We want to personally welcome you via Zoom after the 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Worship Services.

Zoom Room: bit.ly/WelcometoGCF | Welcome Form: bit.ly/GCFWelcome