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# Why Every Member is in Ministry

**EPHESIANS 4:7-10** 

# **English Worship Service**

10:00 AM • Live In-Person and Online

Call to Worship

Worship Through Praise

Worship Through Giving

**Church Updates** 

**Community Prayer** 

Scripture Reading

Worship in the Word

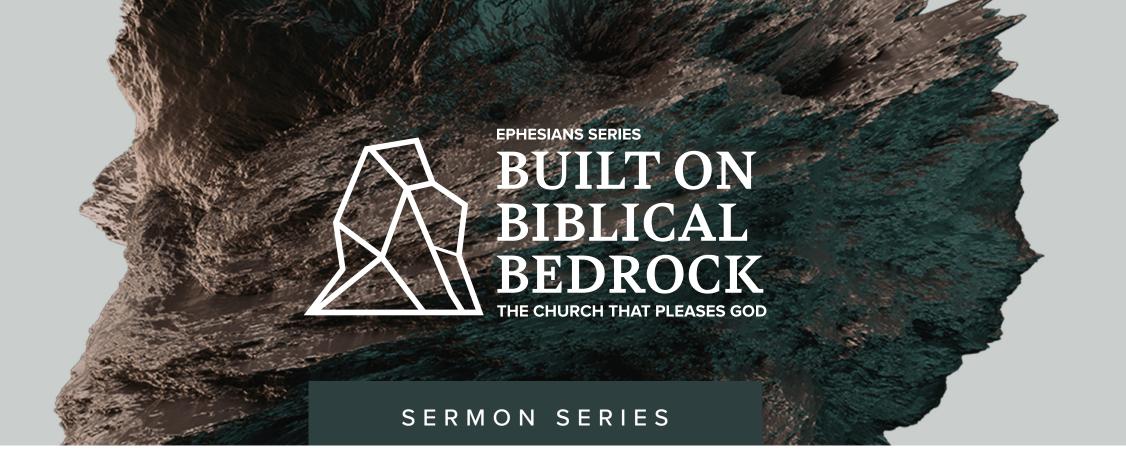
Dr. Larry Pabiona

Response Song

Benediction

# English Worship Service Re-broadcast

5:00 PM • Live Online



# God's Way to Heaven

#### • THE GOSPEL

"Christ died for our sins according to the Scriptures, that he was buried, that he was raised on the third day according to the Scriptures," (1 Corinthians 15:3-4)

- THE TRUTH ABOUT GOD
  God is holy and righteous:
  "Holy, holy, holy is the Lord
  Almighty, the whole earth is
  full of his glory" (Isaiah 6:3).
  He requires holiness of us as
  well: "Be holy, for I am holy"
  (1 Peter 1:16).
- THE TRUTH ABOUT CHRIST Christ is the expression of God's love for us: "God demonstrates his own love for us in this: while we were still sinners, Christ died for us (Romans 5:8). Christ paid the penalty of our sins and died **for sinners:** "For Christ died for sins once for all, righteous for the unrighteous, to bring you to God (1 Peter 3:18). **Through Christ, God offers** man reconciliation: "God was reconciling the world to himself in Christ, not counting men's sins against them (2 Corinthians 5:18).
- WHAT SHOULD WE DO?
  Believe and receive Jesus as Lord and Savior:

If you confess. With your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved" (Romans 10:9).

# • PRAYER:

Lord Jesus, be merciful to me, a sinner. I believe that You are the Son of God who took the penalty for my sins on the Cross. I humbly ask You to be my Savior and submit to you as my LORD forever. Amen.

Download the study guide:

gcf.link/GCFStudyGuides

TODAY'S MESSAGE | MARCH 20, 2022

# Why Every Member Is in Ministry

EPHESIANS 4:7-10

God's will is for every member to minister. Not just as members of a local church, but as members of Christ's universal church. That's why after teaching about unity in Ephesians 4:1-6, Paul now speaks about diversity and uniqueness in our passage to encourage every Christian to serve with his/her unique gifts and opportunities in the framework of a united, undivided church.

Our passage gives us four reasons why you are in ministry, whether you know it or not, whether you participate or not. If you are a believer:

- 1. You have received grace.
  - "But grace was given to each one of us..." (Ephesians 4:7)
- 2. You received this grace based on God's perfect measure. "...according to the measure of Christ's gift." (Ephesians 4:7)
- 3. You received this grace at great cost: the death, resurrection and ascension of Christ.

"He had also descended into the lower regions...
He who descended is the One who also ascended far above all the heavens..." (Ephesians 4:9-10)

- 4. You received this grace for a great purpose.
  - a. You received grace that you might receive gifts from the victorious Christ.
    - "When He ascended on high He led a host of captives, and He gave gifts to men." (Ephesians 4:8)
  - b. You received grace that you, with your unique contribution ("gifts") might help build up the Body of Christ (the Church) to declare His glory and affirm His rulership over all things. "...that He might fill all things." (Ephesians 4:10)

# **FINAL THOUGHTS**

We have unity in our diversity – our individual uniqueness and giftedness brought together miraculously by the finished work of Christ on the Cross and the ongoing work of God's Spirit among us and in us. The Lord paid an astonishing price to be able to gift you so that you could help build His church. And that is why you, and all other believers in our church, are in the ministry. May the Lord find you faithful in fulfilling the ministry and using the gifts He has uniquely given to you to build up His church. ■

# WORSHIP THROUGH GIVING

# God loves a cheerful giver.

"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



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.



# 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.

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

# **Account Name: Greenhills Christian Fellowship, Inc.**

#### **BDO**

BDO Corporate Center Savings Account: 000661590216

# **METROBANK**

Ortigas Sapphire Savings Account: 629-3-62919733-9

# **CHINA BANK**

Ortigas ADB Savings Account: 1112-02006218

# BPI

Ortigas Emerald
Peso Savings Account: 9823 0217 01

# **UNIONBANK**

**UB Plaza** 

Checking Account: 0005-9001-0426

# **ROBINSONS BANK**

Main Office

Savings Account: 1000-3010-0017-355

# **PAYPAL**

Please visit gcf.org.ph/give

# GCASH



# **PAYMAYA**



# **Missions Support**

By God's grace, GCF continues to support missionaries and missionary organizations.

If you are being led by the Holy Spirit to designate your giving to our Missions Support Fund, please indicate "FOR MISSIONS" when you email your transaction document to finance@gcf.org.ph



# **ADVISORY**

# FOR MARCH 20 ON-SITE SUNDAY SERVICES

Please expect more than the usual traffic at Ortigas Center as an election campaign rally will happen around 4:00 p.m. According to community authorities, there will be no special road closures or traffic rerouting.

For inquiries, e-mail churchadmin@gcf.org.ph

# **WORSHIP WITH US ON-SITE**

\*SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES
10:00 a.m. (ENGLISH) • 3:00 p.m. (FILIPINO)

\*VESPER WORSHIP SERVICE 5:00 p.m. (ENGLISH)

#### \*IMPORTANT REMINDERS:

- Vaccination card required at entrance.
- If you (or household) have symptoms, stay home and worship online.
- Good-fitting masks required.
   Face shields are optional.

STARTING MARCH 27
KidsLIFE WORSHIP
for Kids Aged 7-12
Only for 10:00 a.m. Worship Service

# **IMPORTANT REMINDERS:**

- Pre-registration will be required
- Venue: Youth Center, 6th Floor
- Kids aged 6 below should join their parents in the Worship Service

# 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

- Ages 2-6 10:00 a.m.
- Ages 7-12 10:15 a.m.

Livestream on GCF YouTube and Facebook

# LIVEstream (YouthLIVE Worship)

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

#### **TELECONSULTATION SERVICE**

For medical appointments or questions, contact:

- gcfocstef@gmail.com
  (9:00 a.m. 12:00 nn)
- gcfocluan@gmail.com
  (1:00 4:00 p.m.)

# **BIBLICAL PORTRAIT OF MARRIAGE Webinar for Couples**

Every 1st Saturday (until July 2) 2:00 — 4:00 p.m. • via Zoom To register, contact Marj (0917 779 1549)

#### Women Who #BreakTheBias

GCF Ortigas Women's Ministry
March 26, 2022 • 2:00 p.m. • via Zoom
Meeting ID: 897 7896 5473
Passcode: WOMEN

# **Pray For Hope**

A monthly prayer gathering for the 2022 Elections
April 9, 2022 • 8:00 – 9:00 p.m. • via Zoom
Link: gcf.link/PrayForHOPE

ID: 813 9523 1890 Passcode: Pray4HOPE

#### **STAY CONNECTED**

On-demand viewing of our Worship Services will be available every Monday.

# DEPRESSED? ANXIOUS? LOST A LOVED ONE?

If you need someone to talk to, we are here to listen.
Contact us at GCF ERCC Hotline:
0917 532 7794

# **HOW CAN WE PRAY FOR YOU?**

Message us your prayer requests at: Facebook: **Greenhills Christian Fellowship** 

pray@gcf.org.ph

E-mail:

# **ONLINE VISITOR'S CENTER**

Is it your first time today?
We want to personally welcome you via Zoom after the 10:00 a.m. and 3:00 p.m. Worship Services.

Zoom Room: gcf.link/WelcomeToGCF

Welcome Form: gcf.link/GCFWelcome

