



GCF Ortigas

Worship Bulletin

WORSHIP SERVICES • November 26–27, 2022

TRADITIONAL SERVICE

Saturday • 5:30 PM

Call to Worship
Worship Through Praise
Community Prayer
Worship Through Fellowship
Worship Through Giving
Doxology
Scripture Reading
Preparatory Hymn
Worship in the Word
Pastor Larry Pabiona
Jude 24–25:
Assured by God's
Sovereignty and Supremacy
Response Hymn
Benediction

ENGLISH & SUNSET SERVICE *

Sunday • 10:00 AM & 5:30 PM

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FILIPINO SERVICE *

Sunday • 3:00 PM

Tawag sa Pagsamba
Pagsamba sa Pag-awit
Panalanging Pangkapulungan
Pakikipag-ugnayan
Paghahandog
Pagbasa ng Banal na Kasulatan
Pag-aaral ng Salita ng Diyos
Pastor BJ Sebastian
Jude 24–25:
Tagumpay at Papuri
Tugon na Awit
Basbas



SERMON SERIES ON JUDE: CONTEND FOR THE FAITH THAT GOD ENTRUSTED
NOVEMBER 26–27, 2022

Assured by God's Sovereignty and Supremacy

JUDE 24–25

Believers are transformed by the renewing of their minds (Romans 12:2). And so, our mindset matters: as we're assured of God's sovereignty and supremacy, it enables us to do our part to keep ourselves in the love of God (Jude vv. 20–21).

This famous doxology is both a call to worship and a prayer for blessing (Benediction). It teaches basic truths about the character of God that should positively change the way we think and live:

1. THE SOVEREIGNTY OF GOD: HE IS ABLE TO PRESERVE US

- He keeps us from falling away in this life: *24 Now to Him who is able to (guard) you from stumbling . . .*
 - Jude verse 1 reveals who's behind our keeping/preserving/guarding: "kept for Jesus Christ." What a wonderful Savior!
 - Genuine salvation cannot be lost, not because we have the ability to keep our salvation but because God preserves us (Ephesians 1:13–14).
- He keeps us from being rejected in heaven: *and to present you (without blemish) before the presence of His glory with great (rejoicing) . . .*
 - Instead of rejection, we are received with rejoicing. This refers primarily to the joy of Jesus (Hebrews 12:2) but includes our joy, too (1 Peter 1:8).
 - Jude reminds us of the love of God through Christ. If we realized this, we would never entertain false teaching. Like someone who falls in love, marries, and is no longer interested in anyone else, if we "keep ourselves in the love of God" (Jude v. 21), we'll never accept substitutes.

2. THE SUPREMACY OF GOD: HE IS MOST WORTHY OF WORSHIP AND GLORY

- God is supremely worthy:
 - Because He alone is God and Savior: *25 to the only God our Savior...*
 - Because of the finished work of Christ. This is why all glory, majesty, power, and authority belong to God: – *through Jesus Christ our Lord – (belong) glory, majesty, (power), and authority*
- He is eternally worthy: *before all time and now and forever. Amen.*

FINAL THOUGHTS

Jude warns of the serious threat of false teaching and calls us to not only survive that but to reach out redemptively to those falling away. We can do that because our position in Christ is secure: He will preserve us till we reach heaven.

In the end, Jude achieved his original intention of writing joyfully about "our common salvation" (v. 3) because God's character gives us the joy and assurance to keep ourselves in the love of God. ■



Tagumpay at Papuri

JUDE 24-25

Ang liham ni Jude ay nagtatapos sa isa sa pinaka-maganda at mayaman na doxology sa buong Bagong Tipan. Ito rin ay isang makapangyarihang pahayag ng dakilang katotohanan na sa huli, ang Panginoon mismo ang mag-iingat sa atin sa Kanyang pangangalaga, magpapanatili sa atin sa Kanyang pag-ibig, at magtataguyod sa atin sa ating pananampalataya, hanggang sa tayo ay makasama Niya sa kaluwalhatian. Ito ay isang panawagan na angkinin ang tagumpay sa ating paglakad kay Kristo.

1. TAGUMPAY PARA SA KALUWALHATIAN NG DIYOS

Ang “Now to Him” ay malinaw na nagpapakilala kung sino ang tanging tatanggap ng lahat ng kaluwalhatian kapag tayo ay naligtas na nang ganap. Hindi tayo iniligtas ng Diyos para sa ating kapakanan kundi para sa Kanyang kaluwalhatian. Isang malaking kaaliwan na malaman natin na tatanggap Siya ng pinakamataas na kaluwalhatian sa ating pagtanggap ng ganap na kaligtasan. (Ephesians 1:13-14).

2. TAGUMPAY SA PAMAMAGITAN NG KAPANGYARIHAN NG DIYOS

Ang “who is able” ay pagpapahayag ng kapangyarihang nilalapat sa ating buhay upang tayo ay manatili sa pananampalataya. Isang malaking kaaliwan na malaman natin na ang ating kaligtasan sa wakas ay nakadepende, hindi sa ating madalas na kawalan ng kalakasan, kundi sa kalakasan ng pinakamakapangyarihang Nilalang sa sansinukob (Deuteronomy 7:21).

3. TAGUMPAY SA ATING KAHINAAN

Ang “to keep you from stumbling” ay isang larawan, hindi ng isang maliit na bata na nagsisikap na hawakan nang husto ang kamay ng kanyang ama, kundi ng isang mapagmalasakit na ama na mahigpit na nakahawak sa kamay ng kanyang anak upang hindi siya matisod. Ito ay isang pahayag ng maagap na pangangalaga ng Ama, na nag-iingat sa atin mula sa “stumbling,” sinisigurado na hindi tayo aabot sa punto ng pagkahulog. Ginagawa Niya ito sa pamamagitan ng Kanyang salita at ng Kanyang Banal na Espiritu na nabubuhay sa loob natin.

4. TAGUMPAY NA KUMPLETO

Ang “to present you blameless before the presence of his glory with great joy” ay isang garantiya ng ating walang hanggang pananatili sa presensya ng kaluwalhatian ng Diyos magpakailanman, kung saan ang ating kagalakan ay magiging ganap. Hindi lamang sinimulan ng Diyos ang kaligtasan, tinitiyak din Niya na tayo ay ganap na maliligtas kay Kristo (John 6:39-40,44; Romans 8:30; Ephesians 5:27; Colossians 3:4).

5. TAGUMPAY NA KARAPAT-DAPAT NG LAHAT NG PAPURI

Kaya tinawag tayo ni Judas na ipagdiwang ang tagumpay ng Diyos—isang tagumpay para sa kaluwalhatian ng Diyos, isang tagumpay sa pamamagitan ng kapangyarihan ng Diyos, isang tagumpay sa ating sariling kahinaan, at isang tagumpay na kumpleto at ganap. At ang tanging tugon sa gayong maluwalhating katotohanan ay ang sumigaw kasama ng lahat ng mga banal...

“...to the only God, our Savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord, be glory, majesty, dominion, and authority, before all time and now and forever. Amen.” ■

The Shepherd's Voice

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.

Teacher Angel Santos
KidsLIFE Children's Ministry Head

Nurturing Children Today for Tomorrow

As we celebrate Children's Day, it is our prayer that all kids will be celebrated not just today but 365 days a year. Loved, nurtured, and cared for holistically – the discipleship of children in the Lord should be a priority as God's Word protects and guides them into becoming "Champions in Jesus"!

It's our hope to see every home be a training ground to win in LIFE, as parents embrace the call to disciple their children. The church serves as the support system for parents and their kids. And we, at KidsLIFE, journey with families — ready to answer their questions and help them in their struggles. Together, much can be accomplished for the Lord!

Our adorable kids at GCF will not remain young for long; they will soon become teenagers, then grow to be young adults. Nurturing and teaching them begins now. They need to know that they belong in their own home; that they have a family where they can receive lots of unconditional love needed for a growing child. They need to receive instruction in the way of the Lord. We need to pray with them and for them, let them see up close and personal how real God is, and how their parents grow in faith and handle life with the Lord's help.

Children need to feel they belong to a church family that warmly welcomes them. Through that, they witness the hand and love of God even as they go through life's challenges wherever they may go.

Jesus was right in saying that we can learn from the sincere and humble faith of children. We are blessed with the children God has brought in our midst. Seeing them grow in their faith brings tears of joy whenever we fellowship with them during Huddle Time and when we pray for the concerns they bring to us. It's such a humbling experience for me and the KidsLIFE team.

Dear parents, join us in obeying God's call to disciple and train up children in the way they should go — to grow in love and faith in Christ! ■

Worship Through Giving

"...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.



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

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

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Savings Account: 629-3-62919733-9

CHINA BANK

Ortigas ADB
Savings Account: 1112-02006218

BPI

Ortigas Emerald
Peso Savings Account: 9823 0217 01

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Checking Account: 0005-9001-0426

ROBINSONS BANK

Main Office
Savings Account: 1000-3010-0017-355

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Church Updates

WORSHIP WITH US ON-SITE

KidsLIFE Play and Learn (ages 2–5)

Every Sunday • 10:00 AM
4F Assembly Area, GCF Ortigas
Pre-Register at gcf.link/PlayNLearnReg

KidsLIFE Worship (ages 6–12)

Every Sunday • 10:00 AM
Auditorium A, GCF Ortigas
Pre-Register at gcf.link/KidsLIFEonsite

LIVestream (YouthLIVE Worship)

Every Saturday • 5:00 PM
Auditorium A, Live at GCF Ortigas & online

Reminders of God's Care and Faithfulness Devotionals

Every Tuesday • 8:00 PM
Live online at GCF YouTube & Facebook

The GCF Family's Hour of Prayer

Every Thursday • 8:00 PM
Live at GCF Ortigas (every 1st Thursday)
and Live on Zoom

KidsLIFE Online Bible Videos

Every Saturday (except 1st Sat)
10:00 AM – ages 2-5
10:15 AM – ages 6-12
Live at GCF YouTube and Facebook

KidsLIFE Online Small Groups

Every Saturday (except 1st Sat)
For ages 6–12
3:30 PM via Zoom
Meeting ID: 235 685 7988
Passcode: KIDS365

CHURCH LEADERS ELECTION 2022

LAST DAY TO VOTE (November 27)
Prayerfully vote to affirm our
new Elders and Deacons

Vote ON-SITE at the Main Lobby
Vote ONLINE at gcf.org.ph/election

For questions, email election@gcf.org.ph

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**
E-mail: pray@gcf.org.ph

ONLINE VISITOR'S CENTER

Is it your first time today?
We would like to meet you via Zoom
after each Worship Service.

Zoom Room: gcf.link/WelcomeToGCF
Welcome Form: gcf.link/GCFWelcome