



Worship Bulletin

GCF ORTIGAS

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KNOW YOUR FAMILY

The Inerrancy of the Bible

2 TIMOTHY 3:12-17

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**Traditional Worship
Saturday • 5:30 PM**

ENGLISH SERVICES

SUNDAY • 10:00 AM & 5:30 PM

Call to Worship
Worship Through Praise
Community Prayer
Worship Through Fellowship
Scripture Reading
Worship in the Word
Pastor Larry Pabiona
Response Song
Worship Through Giving
Benediction

FILIPINO SERVICE

SUNDAY • 3:00 PM

Tawag sa Pagsamba
Pagsamba sa Pag-awit
Panalanging Pangkapulungan
Pakikipag-ugnayan
Pagbasa ng Banal na Kasulatan
Pag-aaral ng Salita ng Diyos
Pastor BJ Sebastian
Tugon na Awit
Paghahandog
Basbas



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In the next three messages of our mini-series, we take up the four pillars of our church, our essential doctrines. All are equally important; they all stand and fall together because they are inseparable from each other. The inerrancy of the Bible will be taken up first because this is how we know and prove the three other essential doctrines.

WHAT IS “THE INERRANCY OF THE BIBLE”?

- Inerrancy means that the Bible is without error in the original manuscripts. It is, therefore, free, when correctly interpreted, from affirming anything untrue or contrary to fact. The reason for the Bible’s inerrancy is its divine inspiration.
- Inspiration refers to the direct act of God on its human authors that resulted in the creation of perfectly written revelation. The Holy Spirit inspired every Word (verbal inspiration) written in all sixty-six books (plenary inspiration) of the Bible in the original manuscripts.

Problems With Denying Inerrancy (from *Systematic Theology* by Wayne Grudem)

1. If we deny inerrancy, may we imitate God and intentionally lie in small matters also?
2. If inerrancy is denied, we begin to wonder if we can really trust God in anything He says.
3. If we deny inerrancy, we essentially make our own human minds a higher standard of truth than God’s Word itself.
4. If we deny inerrancy, then we must also say that the Bible is wrong not only in minor details but in its doctrines as well.

WHY IS “CENTRALITY OF THE WORD” THE FIRST CORE VALUE OF GCF?

1. Because what the Bible says is what God says: *“All Scripture is breathed out by God.”*
2. Because the Bible, as the will of God, is profitable for us:
 - a. For Teaching: *What is right?* (foundations of Christian living).
 - b. For Reproof: *What Went Wrong?* (rebuke, warnings, etc.)
 - c. For Correction: *How to right what’s wrong* (making restoration, the way back).
 - d. For Training In Righteousness: *How to keep from wrong* (training in correct behavior).
3. Because God’s intention for every believer is good: that we be *“complete, equipped for every good work.”*

IMPLICATIONS

God commands us to study God’s written Word because it benefits us. The man is “blessed” who “meditates” on God’s law “day and night” (Psalm 1:1-2). God’s words to Joshua apply to us: “This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but *you shall meditate on it day and night*, so that you may be careful to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success” (Joshua 1:8). ■



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Ang Kawalang-kamalian ng Biblia

2 TIMOTHY 3:12–17

Sa mga susunod na mensahe ng ating maikling serye, pag-aaralan natin ang apat na haliging paniniwala ng ating kapatiran. Mahalaga silang lahat at hindi maaaring ihiwalay sa isa't isa. Uunahin natin ang doktrina ng kawalang-mali ng Biblia sapagkat ito ang pundasyon ng mga susunod pang haliging doktrina ng ating iglesia.

ANG DOKTRINA NG KAWALANG-KAMALIAN NG BIBLIA

- Ang Biblia ay walang mali sa mga orihinal na kasulatan. Sa ilalim ng tamang interpretasyon, ang Biblia ay walang kahit na anong mali o di-totoong sinasabi. Ito ay dahil sa banal na inspirasyon ng Diyos. (Numbers 23:19; Psalm 12:6; 19:7; 119:89, 96; Proverbs 30:5; Matthew 24:35)
- Ang inspirasyon ay ang pagkilos ng Diyos sa mga taong may-akda na nagresulta sa isang perpektong kasulatan—sa bawat salita (verbal inspiration) sa bawat aklat (plenary inspiration). (2 Timothy 3:16; 2 Peter 1:21; 2 Samuel 23:2; Luke 1:70; Acts 1:16; 3:18)

ANG MGA PROBLEMA SA PAGTANGGI SA KAWALANG-KAMALIAN NG BIBLIA

(mula sa *Systematic Theology by Wayne Grudem*)

- Nagsinungaling ba ang Diyos sa ibang bagay, at pwede rin tayong magsinungaling?
- Hindi na ba natin maaaring pagkatiwalaan ang Diyos sa lahat ng bagay?
- Itinataas ba natin ang ating pag-iisip sa kaisipan ng Diyos?
- Sinasabi ba natin na dahil ang Biblia ay mali sa ibang detalye, mali rin ito sa doktrina?

ANG DAHILAN KUNG BAKIT PANGUNAHING PINAHAHALAGAHAN NG GCF ANG “CENTRALITY OF THE WORD”

- Dahil ang wika ng Biblia ay wika ng Diyos: *“All Scripture is breathed out by God.”*
- Dahil ang sinasabi ng Biblia ay ang kalooban ng Diyos, ito ang pinakamabuti para sa atin:
 - Para sa Pangangaral: *Ano ang tama?* (mga pundasyon ng buhay Kristiyano)
 - Para sa Pagsaway: *Anong mali ang nangyari?* (pagsaway, pagbabala, atbp.)
 - Para sa Pagtutuwid: *Paano ba ituwid ang mali* (pagpapanumbalik)
 - Para sa Pagsasanay sa Katuwiran: *Paano umiwas sa mali* (pagsasanay sa tamang pamumuhay)
- Dahil ang layunin ng Diyos para sa bawat mananampalataya ay mabuti: upang tayo ay *“complete, equipped for every good work.”*

Inutusan tayo ng Diyos na pag-aralan ang Kanyang banal na kasulatan dahil ito ay magdadala ng benepisyo sa atin. Pagpapalain ang tao na pinagbubulay-bulayan ang salita ng Diyos “day and night” (Psalm 1:1-2). Ang tagubilin ng Diyos kay Joshua ay tagubilin din Niya sa atin: *“This Book of the Law shall not depart from your mouth, but you shall meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do according to all that is written in it. For then you will make your way prosperous, and then you will have good success”* (Joshua 1:8). ■



The Shepherd's Voice

by Teacher Angel Santos, KidsLIFE Ministry Lead

KidsLIFE, Church Life

What sets of lenses do we put on when looking at children? Jesus once scolded His disciples for preventing children from coming to Him. Jesus showed them – and us now – that children have an equal place in His heart. They can DISTURB Him, STOP Him from what He was doing.

Children are part of the church and must be warmly welcomed and extended all the resources needed to let them grow and experience the love of the Christian family. They will never know what church life is until we model it before them and let them experience it. But how? First, to parents, let your children know why we look forward to going to church – why we want to and why it is a priority. Second, to the rest, let the kids experience the warmth and love of the congregation and the things we do as a church.

At KidsLIFE, they experience church life through **GROW: God's word, Relationship-building, simple Outreaches, and regular Worship and small groups**. I have told KidLifers that GCF is our second home where we can go to worship, play, and fellowship. In fact, on this Children's Day, we want them to experience a lunch fellowship with their fellow kids and their teachers. Then, we will invite them to play games at our basketball court.

Dan Brewster, a Christian scholar on children and missions, stressed that the nurturing and training of children is very crucial. And this nurture begins by welcoming them. We are all pilgrims journeying together, kids included. Children do not just learn from us; we learn from them as well. When they sit with us today, be the first one to say "Hi!" and greet them "Happy Children's Day!". Together, let's preserve the children that God has entrusted to us in GCF. Let us be a church family and help them see and appreciate church life. ■



Worship Through Giving

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WORSHIP SERVICES

SUNDAYS

10:00 AM – English*
3:00 PM – Filipino
5:30 PM – English

SATURDAYS

5:00 PM – YouthLIVE Worship
5:30 PM – Traditional Worship

WEDNESDAYS

6:30 PM – Ortigas Community Worship

Join us in-person at GCF Ortigas

*KidsLIFE Sunday School every Sunday 10:00 AM

PRAYER GATHERING

THURSDAYS

8:00 PM

GCF Family's Hour of Prayer
Via Zoom
Meeting ID: 848 3227 7763
Passcode: 984990

BIBLE STUDY

SUNDAYS

9:00 AM

Sunday Bible School
Series: Basic Doctrines
Live at GCF Chapel

ON-SITE FELLOWSHIP

FRIDAYS

7:30 PM

Young Adults (YA) Fridays
Open to 20–40 year olds
Fellowship Hall

GROWTH GROUPS

Discipleship groups for all ages, all days of the week,
throughout Metro Manila and online

SIGN-UP AT gcf.org.ph/growth-groups

TRUTHS ABOUT LIFE & DEATH

THE CHARACTER OF GOD

God is holy, pure, and just. He rightfully and righteously judges and punishes all sin.

“Holy, holy, holy is the LORD of hosts; the whole earth is full of his glory! (Isaiah 6:3)

Who will not fear you, O Lord, and glorify your name? For you alone are holy. (Revelation 15:4)

THE CRISIS WE FACE

We all have failed God's standard and face God's righteous judgment.

“For all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God... (Romans 3:23)

For the wrath of God is revealed from heaven against all ungodliness and unrighteousness of men, who by their unrighteousness suppress the truth. (Romans 1:18)

THE CALL OF JESUS

The Lord Jesus is God's only way for us to be forgiven and reconciled to God. He took the judgment for our sins on the Cross, and whoever comes to Christ for forgiveness, He gives new life and an eternal relationship with God.

“Jesus said “I am the way, and the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.” (John 14:6)

For the wages of sin is death, but the free gift of God is eternal life in Christ Jesus our Lord. (Romans 6:23)

The Lord Jesus is calling out to us: “Come to me, all who labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest. Take my yoke upon you, and learn from me, for I am gentle and lowly in heart, and you will find rest for your souls.” (Matthew 11:28–30)

WHAT MUST WE DO?

Come to the Lord Jesus for forgiveness and salvation:

“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.”

Church **UPDATES** **AND UPCOMING EVENTS**

YouthLIVE and KidsLIFE

LIVestream (YouthLIVE Worship)

Saturdays • 5:00 PM

Auditorium A, GCF Ortigas & online

Open to high school and college aged youth

All-New KidsLIFE Sunday School

(except Special Sundays)

Sundays • 10:00 AM

4th Floor, GCF Ortigas

- **KidsLIFE Play & Learn (ages 2–5)**
Pre-register at gcf.link/PlayNLearnReg
- **KidsLIFE Worship (ages 6–12)**
Pre-register at gcf.link/KidsLIFEonsite

**NOV
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SHAKING HANDS 2023

A Forum Series on

Understanding Life Stages

Topic: *Shaking Hands with*

Elderlies and Late Adults

9:00 AM–12:00 NN

Room BM07-08, GCF Ortigas

Register via gcf.link/ShakingHands

**DEC
05**

TUES

EVERLASTING LOVE

A Christmas Musical

December 5 (Tues): 9:00 AM

Auditorium B, GCF Ortigas

Admission is free!

Pre-register via gcf.link/EverlastingLove

SAVE THE DATE CHRISTMAS SEASON 2023

LIGHT OF THE WORLD: A Christmas Special

● Dec 9 – 5:30 PM

● Dec 10 – 10:00 AM and 5:30 PM

CAROLS OF LIGHT: A Christmas Eve Hymn Sing

● Dec 23 – 5:30 PM

● Dec 24 – 10:00 AM and 5:00 PM

LIGHT OF A NEW DAWN: A New Year's Eve Service

● Dec 30 – 5:30 PM

● Dec 31 – 10:00 AM and 5:00 PM

*No 3:00 PM Services on all these weekends.

CHURCH LEADERS ELECTION

Vote until **November 26 only!**

Two Ways to Vote:

- Online via election.gcf.org.ph
- On-site at the Election Booth (weekends) or Lobby Reception (weekdays)

Questions? Email election@gcf.org.ph

VOLUNTEER HERE! WE NEED MORE USHERS

Let's make GCF a warm and welcoming place! Respond to the growing need for more young and vibrant ushers!

Sign up at gcf.link/UsherSignUp

DO YOU NEED SOMEONE TO TALK TO?

If you need support or clarification on some issues, we are here to help.

GCF ERCC Hotline: **0917 532 7794**

ARE YOU HERE FOR THE FIRST TIME?

We would love to connect with you after every Worship Service. Our pastors and team are excited to meet you!

Drop by Room BM07 at the Mezzanine Floor or reach out to us at gcf.link/GCFWelcome

QUESTIONS ABOUT GCF ORTIGAS?

Want to join a Growth Group?
Looking to apply for church membership?
Curious about the various ministries?

Visit the new **INFO HUB** at the Lobby