



"The entrance of Thy words  
giveth light..." (Ps 119:130a)

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**Being  
a Blessing  
in 2018**

**1 Pet 3:8-9; 2 Pet 1:3**

"...Be ye all...  
a blessing... according  
as... He hath called us to  
glory and virtue."

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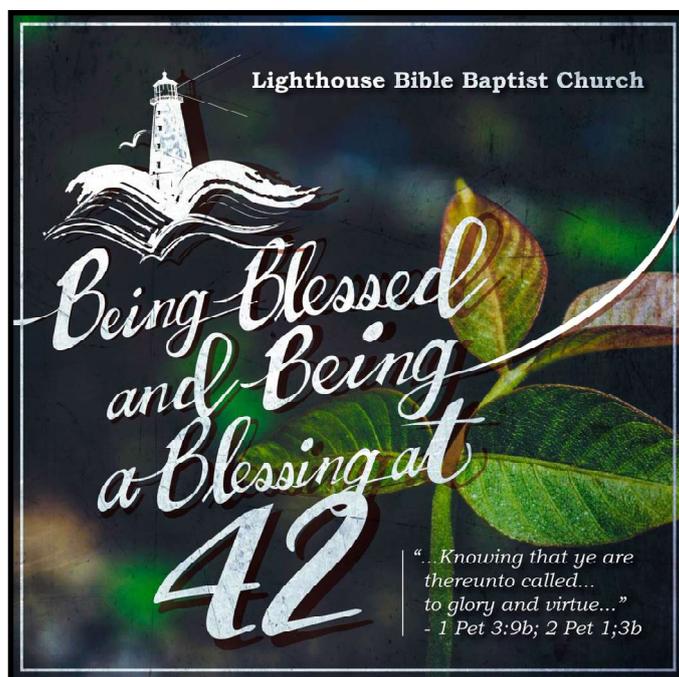
## LIGHTHOUSE BBC TO COMPLETE FAMILY PICTURES TODAY AS FIRSTFRUITS MONTH BEGINS NEXT SUNDAY

"...behold, I have brought the firstfruits...which thou, O Lord, hast given me. And thou shalt set it before the Lord thy God, and worship before the Lord thy God: and thou shalt rejoice in every good thing which the Lord thy God hath given unto thee..." (Deut 26:10-11)

Today, being the last Sunday of the month of August, is the final day when our families in Lighthouse BBC may take thake their annual family pictures with Pastor. Beginning next week, all our ministries will then raise our preparations high for our Thanksgiving Celebration Through Firstfruits which will happen on the 3rd Sunday of coming month, Sept 16, 2018.

As we see in the text above, the Lord God instructed the nation of Israel to "rejoice in every good thing which he Lord thy God hath given unto thee." And this rejoicing they did by offering the first of their first of all their produce. Deut 26:2 says, "...thou shalt take of the first of all the fruit of the earth, which thou shalt bring of thy land that the Lord thy God giveth thee, and shalt put it in a basket, and shalt go unto the place which the Lord thy God shall choose to place his name there."

We all have a reason to rejoice in every thing the Lord had done and given to us as an Ekklesia. Let us then be ready for this Thanksgiving Celebration!



**Countdown for Firstfruits (Thanksgiving) : Three (3) Weeks!**



The Household of Aquila and Priscilla, the general fellowship of all adults in Lighthouse BBC demonstrated through their short play th

Third Quarter Focus :

*Being Proved to be a Blessing*

"That the trial of your faith...though it be tried with fire, might be found unto praise and honour and glory...of Jesus Christ..." (1 Pet 1:7).

*"Unto Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen" (Eph. 3:21)*

## SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

Special Sunday School Lesson

### TITLE : THE ANDREW PRINCIPLE

TEXT :

JOHN 1:40-42, "ONE OF THE TWO WHICH HEARD JOHN SPEAK, AND FOLLOWED HIM, WAS ANDREW, SIMON PETER'S BROTHER. HE FIRST FINDETH HIS OWN BROTHER SIMON...AND HE BROUGHT HIM TO JESUS."

JOHN 6:8-9M "ONE OF HIS DISCIPLES, ANDREW, SIMON PETER'S BROTHER, SAITH UNTO HIM, THERE IS A LAD HERE, WHICH HATH FIVE BARLEY LOAVES, AND TWO SMALL FISHES.."

JOHN 12:20-22, "AND THERE WERE CERTAIN GREEKS AMONG THEM THAT CAME UP TO WORSHIP AT THE FEAST: THE SAME CAME THEREFORE TO PHILIP...PHILIP COMETH AND TELLETH ANDREW: AND AGAIN ANDREW AND PHILIP TELL JESUS."

### INTRODUCTION

Today, we study the Andrew Principle in bringing people to Christ and making them grow in faith and in the grace of God.

The above verses show that Andrew was one disciple who always brought someone to the Lord. Such is an example that every believer, especially, members of Lighthouse BBC should take. The Bible clearly tells us that one of the fruits of righteousness (the result of Christ's righteousness in us) is life bearing tree.

The Andrew Principle, while adopted by the Metro Manila Celebration with Will Graham (MMCWG), remains to be a sound and Biblical approach in soul-winning and evangelism which can be operational anytime.

See the 5-steps in doing this principle:

#### 1) Look Up. Pray.

Prayerfully think of people who need to know the Lord Jesus Christ as Savior. Like the Apostle Paul in Rom 10:1, have the same desire for your friends and loved ones to get saved. List down their names and pray for them.

#### 2) Look Around. Care.

Find ways to connect with people you have identified, cultivating friendship and showing how you care for them. Take example from the Apostle Paul in 1 Cor 9:20-23. Invite them to the MMCWG.

#### 3) Look Out. Lead.

Share the Gospel with them using your own testimony of how you were saved, forgiven and now have the Lord Jesus Christ as your Savior and Lord.

Share verses related to Christ's redemptive work on Calvary (we call them salvation verses) telling how by one's admission that he or she is a sinner and believing that Christ died for sinners and rose again for our salvation, one is saved, forgiven, receives eternal life and becomes united with Christ.

Use verses as Rom 3:23, 6:23, Rom 5:8, Eph 2:8,9, Titus 3:5, John 20:31.

Lead the person to trusting and receiving the Lord Jesus into his heart and life. As he does, show him assurance verses, confidently declaring your own assurance of salvation. The following verses are good to cite: John 1:12, Rom 8:1, John 10:27-31, 1 John 5:11-13, 20.

#### 4) Look Together. Encourage.

Encourage the new believer in his new found life in the Lord Jesus. Invite him to services and Bible Studies. Invite him to gatherings where the

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IOS will be coming soon.

Gospel is preached and fellowship of believers may be appreciated. Explain to him the privilege of being an obedient child of God by first being baptized. Acts 2:41 is a good verse to show, "Then they that gladly received his word were baptized: and the same day there were added unto them about three thousand souls.

#### 5) Look After. Disciple.

Actively and progressively attend to the new believer's growth in faith and in the grace of God. In Lighthouse BBC we have manuals that can serve as guide in the growth of the new believer, as New Believers Manual and Church Manual.



Top photo, the HAP leaders take to the stage to sing the song, Guilty of Loving Me. Lower photo, during the closing of the All Lighthouse Sports Convention last Aug 21 at TUP.

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