



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

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**Being Enriched
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in 2019**

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PASTOR REUBEN SETS THE STAGE FOR LIGHTHOUSE BBC'S 2019 THEME AND FOCUSES

"Being enriched in every thing to all bountifulness, which causeth through us thanksgiving to God" (2 Cor 9:11).

"That in every thing ye are enriched by him, in all utterance, and in all knowledge" (1 Cor 1:5).

The recognition of our being blessed as a church and our intentional desire to be a blessing must naturally lead to our enrichment in all things. This is the reason why this year, our theme is "Being Enriched in All Things in 2019."

And our being made rich does not simply refer to material enrichment but to being made rich in many areas because of the unsearchable riches of Jesus Christ as preached by the Apostle Paul and taught in many of his epistles. He says in Eph 3:8, "Unto me, who am less than the least of all saints, is this grace given, that I should preach among the Gentiles the unsearchable riches of Christ."

In fact, the term riches of His grace is only a part of such unsearchable riches! In the riches of His grace, we have redemption through His blood and the forgiveness of sins (Eph 1:7). And this riches of grace has yet to unfold to us as revealed in Eph 2:7, "That in the ages to come he might shew the exceeding riches of his grace in his kindness toward us through Christ Jesus."

Truly, we need to realize much in this enriching year 2019 for the whole Lighthouse BBC. This week, we shall outline the details of the theme and quarterly focuses. Attend the first General Ministries Meeting on Tuesday.

BEING ENRICHED IN ALL THINGS IN 2019

"BEING ENRICHED IN EVERY THING TO ALL BOUNTIFULNESS, WHICH CAUSETH THROUGH US THANKSGIVING TO GOD."

2 CORINTHIANS 9:11

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The Lighthouse District 5 members dramatize how the different parts of the body contribute to doing the whole work. Such is the principle applied to how the whole church works.

First Quarter Focus :

Being enriched by Christ

"...In every thing ye are enriched by Him.." (1 Cor 1:5).

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

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INTRODUCTION

This lesson intends to prepare all our Lighthouse BBC members in making our annual theme and quarterly focuses true and practical in our being a church of the Lord Jesus, His Ekklesia.

1) Our annual theme - "Being Enriched in All Things in 2019"

This theme has for its guiding principle, 2 Corinthians 9:11 and 1 Cor 1:5. These verses tell us that as God's people we are continuously being enriched by Him in all things.

2 Cor 9:11, "Being enriched in every thing to all bountifulness, which causeth through us thanksgiving to God."

1 Cor 1:5, "That in every thing ye are enriched by him, in all utterance, and in all knowledge."

2) Our 1st Quarter Focus - "Being Enriched by Christ"

1 Corinthians 1:5 says, "...ye are enriched by him..."

This is appreciating that it is the Person of Christ who enriches us. All grace come from Him and faith provides the access so that this same

grace which is manifold may be abundant and abounding to us as His people. We need to be settled in His Person. It is in Him where we abide and He in us.

John 15:4, "Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit of itself, except it abide in the vine; no more can ye, except ye abide in me."

As we are in Christ and He in us, we should come to the point in our lives when, as with Paul, we can say, Gal 2:20, "I am crucified with Christ: nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me: and the life which I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave himself for me."

John 1:16, "And of his fulness have all we received, and grace for grace."

3) Our 2nd Quarter Focus - "Being Enriched by Him in all gifts according to His Grace."

1 Corinthians 1:5 (KJV) "...ye are enriched by him, in all utterance, and in all knowledge..."

Paul tells the Corinthian church in 1 Corinthians 1:7 (KJV) "...ye come behind in no gift..."

We are enriched by the manifold grace of God in us.

2 Cor 9:8-10, "And God is able to make all grace abound toward you; that ye, always having all sufficiency in all things, may abound to every good work: (As it is written, He hath dispersed abroad; he hath given to the poor: his righteousness remaineth for ever.

Now he that ministereth seed to the sower both minister bread for your food, and multiply your seed sown, and increase the fruits of your righteousness;).



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ILAW every Saturday; and THE PULPIT, featuring our Sunday morning services, every Sunday on GCTV, Ch 185 on SIGNAL. The Mga Munting Ilaw Kids Show is seen every Saturday and Sunday at 7pm. GCTV programs may also be viewed via the GCTV Mobile App downloadable from Play Store for Android phones, free. Mobile App for IOS will be coming soon.



4) Our 3rd Quarter Focus - "Being Enriched to all Bountifulness"

2 Cor 9:11, "Being enriched in every thing to all bountifulness, which causeth through us thanksgiving to God."

Our enrichment, especially as a church is not without direction. Our enrichment in all things must lead to our being bountiful in all things.

Eph 4:28, "Let him that stole steal no more: but rather let him labour, working with his hands the thing which is good, that he may have to give to him that needeth. - to be continued -



Top photo, Pastor Reuben, along with the Pastor's Men listen to Brother Jedel Agron as he gives his testimony prior to his sending off to be part of the International BBC and serve as Mission Pastor of the IBBC work in General Trias, Cavite. Lower right photo, the LD5 illustrating the different parts of the body doing the work of the ministry.

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