



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

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**Able to Do  
Abundantly  
in 2020**

**Eph 3:20**

"...He is able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think..."

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## LIGHTHOUSE BBC HOLDS FAMILY EMPHASIS AND BACCALAUREATE NEXT SUNDAY

"I have fought a good fight, I have finished my course, I have kept the faith: henceforth there is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge, shall give me at that day: and not to me only, but unto all them also that love his appearing" (2 Tim 4:7-8)

Next Sunday, August 23, we shall have a momentous day as we come together and have our Family Emphasis Sunday and our Baccalaureate for the schoolyear 2019-2020 graduates.

For the first time, in our history as a Lighthouse Bible Baptist Church, we shall hold these special gatherings outside the walls of our God-given place in Tatalon, Quezon City. Rather, we shall have our coming together through the on-line platform which the Lord God has also given to us.

We may not have the usual in-person greeting with all the handshakes and hugs that we usually do as brothers and sisters in Christ, but surely, we shall still be tied with the bond of Christ in minds, hearts and spirits.

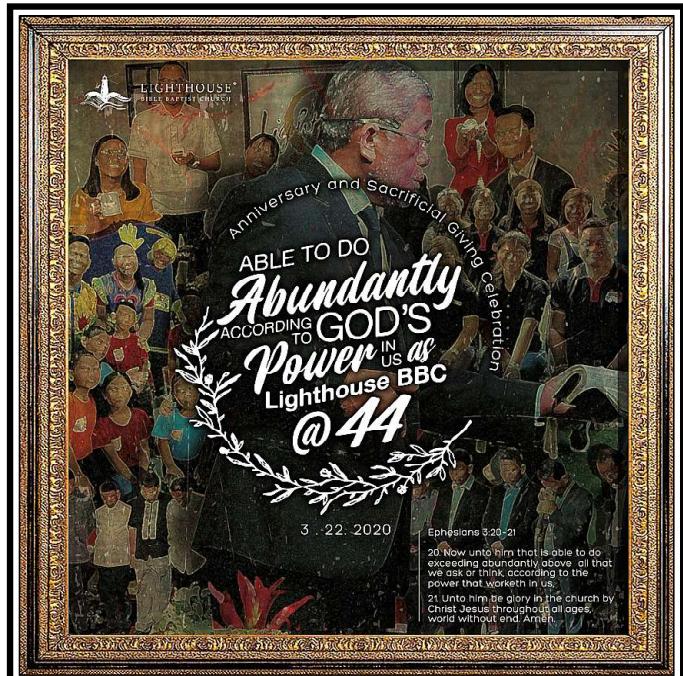
The Lord has made us to pass through this challenging path and time we are in; but He has remained with us through all conditions and experiences. We are therefore treading a course that we all should run, not only as students but as families in the work of the Lord.

The Bible tells us in Heb 12:1-3, "Wherefore seeing we also are compassed about with so great a cloud of witnesses, let us lay aside every weight, and the sin which doth so easily beset us, and let us run with patience the race that is set before us, looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God. For consider him that endured such contradiction of sinners against himself, lest ye be wearied and faint in your minds."

The whole chapter of Hebrews 11, narrates to us the lives of the heroes of faith of old who faithfully obeyed God's voice not only as individuals but as families. They serve as examples for us to follow.

Next week, we shall be recognizing both individual students and families in our ministry who faithfully stand true and faithfully to the work where God has placed us. Let us therefore come together as we have done before. For the families, be ready with our respective pictures so we may recognize each one during our LED Classes time. For the graduates, be ready to present yourselves before God with thanksgiving for the blessing of being able to finish your respective courses and with the commitment to be faithful to Him.

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**EQUIPPING OURSELVES IN THE NEW NORMAL**

**BREAKOUT ROOM #1 (FOR ASPIRING ENTREPRENEURS)**  
**CHARTING THE WORLD OF ENTREPRENEURSHIP**

**BREAKOUT ROOM #2 (FOR PARENTS AND STUDENTS)**  
**EDUCATION (SERIES) UNDER THE NEW NORMAL: PREPARING, LEARNING & EXCELLING IN A HOME-BASED LEARNING ENVIRONMENT**

**AUGUST 15, 2020, 3:00PM**

**THE GREAT LIGHTHOUSE ADVENTURE, 2020**  
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**LIGHTHOUSE CENTER FOR HUMAN RESOURCE**

Third Quarter Focus :

*Able to Do Abundantly with Thanksgiving*

"...whatsoever ye do in word or deed, do all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God and the Father by him..." (Col 3:17).

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

## ENRICHMENT & DEVELOPMENT CLASS LESSON

Special Lesson 5

**TITLE : WHAT WE SHOULD DO AS A CHURCH NOW  
TEXT : COL 3:17, "AND WHATSOEVER YE DO IN WORD OR DEED, DO ALL IN THE NAME OF THE LORD JESUS, GIVING THANKS TO GOD AND THE FATHER BY HIM."**

### INTRODUCTION

The Bible does not lack in anything thing that churches like us should know. And from the knowledge of these things, comes the doing - with wisdom and understanding of the will of God in us as Ekklesia.

#### C) What we should do, we base from what the New Testament churches did (continued)

##### 5) The churches in Macedonia

2 Cor 11:9, "And when I was present with you, and wanted, I was chargeable to no man: for that which was lacking to me the brethren which came from Macedonia supplied: and in all things I have kept myself from being burdensome unto you, and so will I keep myself."

2 Cor 8:1-5, "Moreover, brethren, we do you to wit of the grace of God bestowed on the churches of Macedonia; how that in a great trial of affliction the abundance of their joy and their deep poverty abounded unto the riches of their liberality.

"For to their power, I bear record, yea, and beyond their power they were willing of themselves; praying us with much intreaty that we would receive the gift, and take upon us the fellowship of the ministering to the saints. And this they did, not as we hoped, but first gave their own selves to the Lord, and unto us by the will of God."

Phil 4:10-19, "But I rejoiced in the Lord greatly, that now at the last your care of me hath flourished again; wherein ye were also careful, but ye lacked opportunity....Notwithstanding ye have well done, that ye did communicate with my affliction.

"Now ye Philippians know also, that in the beginning of the gospel, when I departed from Macedonia, no church communicated with me as

concerning giving and receiving, but ye only. For even in Thessalonica ye sent once and again unto my necessity...I have all, and abound: I am full, having received of Epaphroditus the things which were sent from you, an odour of a sweet smell, a sacrifice acceptable, wellpleasing to God. But my God shall supply all your need according to his riches in glory by Christ Jesus."

1 Thess 4:9-10, "But as touching brotherly love ye need not that I write unto you: for ye yourselves are taught of God to love one another. And indeed ye do it toward all the brethren which are in all Macedonia: but we beseech you, brethren, that ye increase more and more."

1 Thess 1:5-8, "For our gospel came not unto you in word only, but also in power, and in the Holy Ghost, and in much assurance...ye became followers of us, and of the Lord...ye were ensamples to all that believe...from you sounded out the word of the Lord not only in Macedonia and Achaia, but also in every place your faith to God-ward is spread abroad..."

##### 6) The Achaian and Corinthian churches

Acts 18:1-3, "After these things Paul departed from Athens, and came to Corinth; and found a certain Jew named Aquila, born in Pontus, lately come from Italy, with his wife Priscilla; (because that Claudius had commanded all Jews to depart from Rome:) and came unto them. And because he was of the same craft, he abode with them, and wrought: for by their occupation they were tentmakers."

Acts 18:9-11, "Then spake the Lord to Paul in the night by a vision, Be not afraid, but speak, and hold not thy peace: for I am with thee, and no man shall set on thee to hurt thee: for I have much people in this city. And he continued there a year and six months, teaching the word of God among them."

1 Cor 1:10-13, "Now I beseech you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the same thing, and that there be no divisions among you; but that ye be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment."

For it hath been declared unto me of you, my brethren, by them which are of the house of Chloe, that there are contentions among you. Now this I say, that every one of you saith, I am of

Paul; and I of Apollos; and I of Cephas; and I of Christ. Is Christ divided? was Paul crucified for you? or were ye baptized in the name of Paul?"

1 Cor 2:12-16, "Now we have received, not the spirit of the world, but the spirit which is of God; that we might know the things that are freely given to us of God. Which things also we speak, not in the words which man's wisdom teacheth, but which the Holy Ghost teacheth; comparing spiritual things with spiritual.

"But the natural man receiveth not the things of the Spirit of God: for they are foolishness unto him: neither can he know them, because they are spiritually discerned. But he that is spiritual judgeth all things, yet he himself is judged of no man. For who hath known the mind of the Lord, that he may instruct him? But we have the mind of Christ."

1 Cor 5:9-11, "I wrote unto you in an epistle not to company with fornicators: yet not altogether with the fornicators of this world, or with the covetous, or extortioners, or with idolaters; for then must ye needs go out of the world.

"But now I have written unto you not to keep company, if any man that is called a brother be a fornicator, or covetous, or an idolater, or a railer, or a drunkard, or an extortioner; with such an one no not to eat."

1 Cor 6:12, "All things are lawful unto me, but all things are not expedient: all things are lawful for me, but I will not be brought under the power of any."

1 Cor 10:23-24, "All things are lawful for me, but all things are not expedient: all things are lawful for me, but all things edify not. Let no man seek his own, but every man another's wealth."

1 Cor 12:4-11, "Now there are diversities of gifts, but the same Spirit. And there are differences of administrations, but the same Lord. And there are diversities of operations, but it is the same God which worketh all in all. But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to every man to profit withal.

For to one is given by the Spirit the word of wisdom; to another the word of knowledge by the same Spirit; to another the gifts of healing by the same Spirit; to another the working of miracles; to another prophecy; to another discerning of spirits; to another divers kinds of tongues; to another the interpretation of tongues:

But all these worketh that one and the selfsame Spirit, dividing to every man severally as he will."

1 Cor 12:31-13:3, "But covet earnestly the best gifts: and yet shew I unto you a more excellent way.

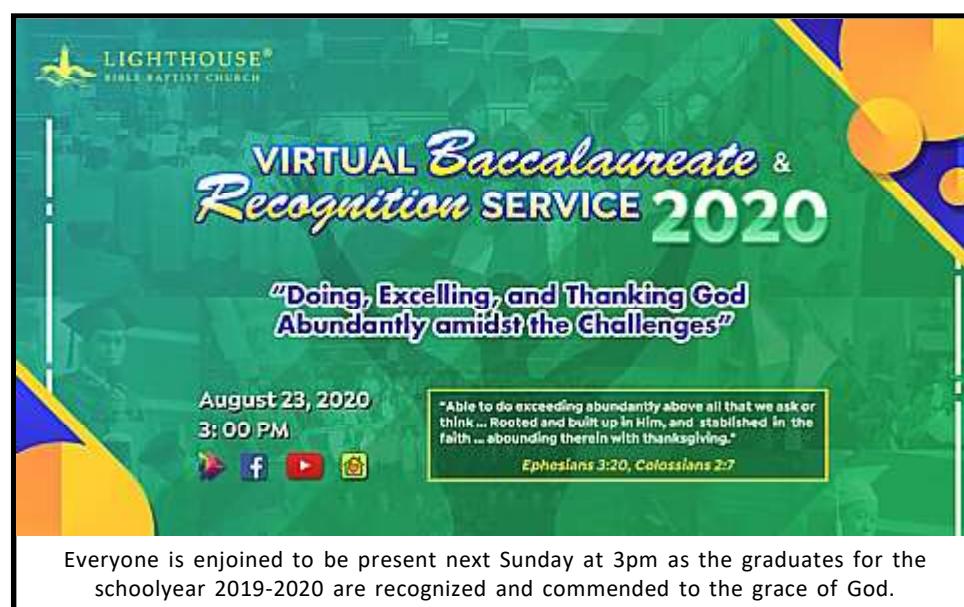
Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal.

And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries, and all knowledge; and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing.

And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, and have not charity, it profiteth me nothing.

1 Cor 15:58, "Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord."

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