



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

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Being Faithful and True in 2022

Rev 22:6,7
"These sayings are faithful and true... blessed is he that keepeth..."

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EKKLESIA CONFERENCE COMES TO JUST 10 DAYS AWAY

"...know how thou oughtest to behave thyself in the house of God, which is the church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth" (1 Tim 3:15).

"In whom all the building fitly framed together groweth unto an holy temple in the Lord: in whom ye also are builded together for an habitation of God through the Spirit" (Eph 2:21-22).

The Ekklesia Conference, one that comes distinct from all other conferences held by many churches, draws close to just 10 days away from today. Once more, the Lighthouse BBC premises will be open to all, even to non-Lighthouse related works.

The Ekklesia Conference will be held whole days of Nov 30 to Dec 2, Wednesday to Friday and will feature lectures which Pastor Reuben has been identified to teach for many years, the Ekklesia of the Lord Jesus Christ.

On Dec 1, Thursday, the conference will give way to recognize anew the life and ministry of Tatay Ben Abante, Sr, that day being the time when all the Lighthouse works commemorate the grace of God in Tatay Abante.

"The 2 years of pandemic glaringly revealed to us what many churches are made of, especially of things that do not last as wood, hay and stubble. And the

Apostle Paul is clear in saying 1 Cor 3:10-13, "...I have laid the foundation, and another buildeth thereon. But let every man take heed how he buildeth thereupon. For other foundation can no man lay than that is laid, which is Jesus Christ. Now if any man build upon this foundation gold, silver, precious stones, wood, hay, stubble; every man's work shall be made manifest: for the day shall declare it, because it shall be revealed by fire; and the fire shall try every man's work of what sort it is."

One of the main reasons for the Ekklesia Conference is for every member of the Lighthouse BBC, and for any church for that matter, to see and realize what we are really made of. Are we behaving according to what we are as the church of the living God, the pillar and ground of the truth? Are we ever growing into being built together for a habitation of God through the Spirit?

Endeavor to be at the Ekklesia Conference. -PRA

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Working the Faith, Stewarding the Grace, Shining the True Light
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Philippians 4:9
November 30 - Dec 2, 2022
Register: <https://bit.ly/EkklesiaConf2022>

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FOURTH QUARTER FOCUS

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BEING FAITHFUL & TRUE IN 2022



Sentinel Fernan Ballesteros giving the evangelistic message to young people as the Lighthouse Youth Fellowship held its Youth Weekend yesterday with 117 visitors and 50 professions of faith.

Fourth Quarter Focus:

"Working the Faith. Stewarding the Grace. Shining the True Light"

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

TITLE : HOW DO WE DO AS A CHURCH?

Text : Phil 4:9, "Those things, which ye have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, do: and the God of peace shall be with you."

INTRODUCTION

Consistent with our last quarter theme, Working the Faith, Stewarding the Grace, Shining the True Light, we go through this series of messages that asks the question, How Do We Do as A Church or Ekklesia. We see from our text how the Apostle Paul admonished the Philippian church that they should do based on how they learned, received, heard and seen in him. The same truth applies to us even in our day.

- 1) Do - in obedience.
 - 2) Do - good. Because of the Christ in you.
 - 3) Do - willingly. Intentionally.
 - 4) Do - faithfully.
 - 5) Do - pleasingly to the Lord.
 - 6) Do - excellently (in the love of Christ).
 - 7) Do - gracefully (according to the manifold grace of God).
 - 8) Do - abundantly, abundantly.
 - 9) Do - thankfully.
 - 10) Do - humbly.
 - 11) Do - Expediently, for the edification of others.
 - 12) Do - inoffensively.
- 13) Do - without covetousness or lust. Not greedy, nor being a lover of money.

Heb 13:5, "Let your conversation be without covetousness; and be content with such things as ye have: for he hath said, I will never leave thee, nor forsake thee."

Titus 1:7, 8-11 "For a bishop must be blameless, as a steward of God, not self-willed, not quick-tempered, not given to wine, not violent, not greedy for money...Likewise deacons must be reverent, not double-tongued, not given to much wine, not greedy for money, holding the mystery of the faith with a pure conscience. But let these also first be tested; then let them serve as deacons, being found blameless."

Eph 5:3-4, "But fornication, and all uncleanness, or covetousness, let it not be once named among you, as becometh saint..."

Col 3:5-6, "Mortify therefore your members which are upon the earth; fornication, uncleanness, inordinate affection, evil concupiscence, and covetousness, which is idolatry..."

14) Do - circumspectly.

Eph 5:15-17, "See then that ye walk circumspectly, not as fools, but as wise, redeeming the time, because the days are evil. Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is."

Col 4:5, "Walk in wisdom toward them that are without, redeeming the time."

1 Cor 14:20, "Brethren, be not children in understanding: howbeit in malice be ye children, but in understanding be men."

Matt 10:16, "Behold, I send you forth as sheep in the midst of wolves: be ye therefore wise as serpents, and harmless as doves."

Phil 1:27, "Only let your conversation be as it becometh the gospel of Christ: that whether I come and see you, or else be absent, I may hear of your affairs, that ye stand fast in one spirit, with one mind striving together for the faith of the gospel."

Col 1:9, "For this cause we also, since the day we heard it, do not cease to pray for you, and to desire that ye might be filled with the knowledge of his will in all wisdom and spiritual understanding"

15) Do - in expedience, for the edification and profit of all.

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

1 Corinthians 14:12, "Even so ye, forasmuch as ye are zealous of spiritual gifts, seek that ye may excel to the edifying of the church."

1 Corinthians 14:26,40, "How is it then, brethren? when ye come together, every one of you hath a psalm, hath a doctrine, hath a tongue, hath a revelation, hath an interpretation. Let all things be done unto edifying...Let all things be done decently and in order."

1 Cor 12:7, "But the manifestation of the Spirit is given to every man to profit withal."

Ephesians 4:11-13, "And he gave some, apostles; and some, prophets; and some, evangelists; and some, pastors and teachers; for the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ: till we all come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God, unto a perfect man, unto the measure of the stature of the fulness of Christ."

Ephesians 4:29 Let no corrupt communication proceed out of your mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers."

Romans 15:1-2, "We then that are strong ought to bear the infirmities of the weak, and not to please ourselves. Let every one of us please his neighbour for his good to edification."

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