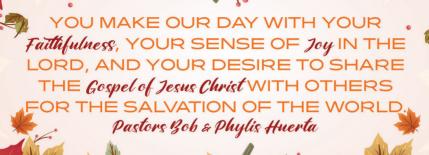


SUNDAY 11/20/22

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CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

This year, Christmas will be observed on Sunday, December 25. So that everyone can enjoy the day, we plan to have our Christmas Service on Thursday, December 22 at 7:00 p.m.



Dec 04 » HOPE Dec 18 » JOY
Dec 11 » PEACE Dec 22 » CHRISTMAS

SERVICE

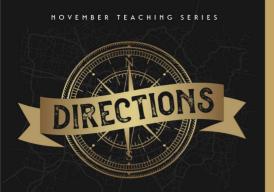
Thank You

There's math – addition, subtraction, multiplication and division.

There's advanced math – algebra, trigonometry, and calculus.

Then, there's supernatural math – the kind of math that doesn't add or make sense, but that works every time.

There is a clear connection between our generosity and God's provision. It's supernatural math!



Nov 06 » Connection: Critical Nov 13 » Guest Speaker:

Doreen Maki-Poole

Nov 27 » Obedience: Necessary

Prayer REQUESTS

■ Walter Miner III ■ Gearen Family ■ Tom M. ■ Stein Family	
Ryan K. Tyler M.	Mandy W.
HEALTH ISSUES	
Ruth H. » Health Issues	Maggie B. » Chemotherapy
Art B. » Health Issues	Merle » Health Issues
Armando » Back Issues	Chuck » Hand Injury
Jean G. » Health Issues	Carlos V. » Health Issues
Carlos V. » Leukemia	Angie & Family » Life Issues
Karla D. » Cancer Recovery	Bob Arias » Kidney Issues
Evelyn K. » Cong. Heart Failure	
Mandy W. » Cancer	

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Jesus is the truth, the life, He's the way. He orders my footsteps, gives me what I need, and tells me how to live. Jesus is life. And we need him now more than ever."—**C.C.Wynans**

METRICS THAT MATTER (11/13/22)

ATTENDANCE ► 42 GIVING ► \$1,060 GUESTS ► 5 VOLUNTEERS ► 15 DECISIONS FOR CHRIST ► 0

Movement Upward



EYES UPWARD:

Let us keep our eyes fixed on Jesus" Hebrews 12:2

"I lift up my eyes to the mountains—where does my help come from? My help comes from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth."

Psalm 121:1-2

"Fixing our eyes on Jesus, the pioneer and perfecter of faith." Hebrews 12:2

"I lift up my eyes to you, to you whose throne is in heaven." Psalms 123:1

THOUGHTS UPWARD:



"Do not be conformed to this world, but be transformed by the renewal of your mind, that by testing you may discern what is the will of God, what is good and acceptable and perfect." Romans 12:2

"Finally, brothers, whatever is true, whatever is honorable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is lovely, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence, if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things." Philippians 4:8

"You keep him in perfect peace whose mind is stayed on you, because he trusts in you." Isaiah 26:3

"Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth." Colossians 3:2-5

"Do not be anxious about anything, but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus." Philippians 4:6-7

"I press on toward the goal for the prize of the upward call of God in Christ Jesus." Philippians 3:14



For this world is not our permanent home; we are looking forward to a home yet to come. **Heb 13:14**



Friends, this world is not your home, so don't make yourselves cozy in it. Don't indulge your ego at the expense of your soul 1 Pet 2:11

WHAT ARE THE BENEFITS OF LOOKING UP TO GOD? THERE ARE MANY. BUT HERE ARE JUST A FEW.

- Peace-When you look to God, you let go of feeling like you need to do it all.
- Humility-Keeping your eyes on Jesus is a good humbling experience. It reminds you of how little control you have over your life and how much you need Him.
- Love-When you lift your eyes to the Lord, you remember how he loves you.
- Keeps you grounded-When you look to Jesus, it keeps you grounded in an ever-changing, chaotic world. You have confidence, not in yourself, but in Him who promised never to leave you.
- Die in faith-It's morbid to think about, but you are going to die one day. Looking to Jesus helps you prepare for that day. You can be assured of your salvation and know He'll be with you until this life is over. He's with you for eternity.

"Lift up your eyes to the heavens, and look upon the earth beneath: for the heavens shall vanish away like smoke, and the earth shall wax old like a garment, and they that dwell therein shall die in like manner: but my salvation shall be for ever, and my righteousness shall not be abolished." Isaiah 51:6



MISSIONS BENEFIT SALE

Presented by Rod Fitzgerald
SEASONAL REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

FRIDAY, December 2 3 – 7 PM

SATURDAY, *December 3* 9 AM – 4 PM

- Unique Christmas Gifts from Latin America
- · Women's Mayan Jackets
- · Alpaca Ponchos

- · Alpaca Scarves
- Home Accents
- · Jewelry



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