

神在溫哥华的教会

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这样,你们不再作外人和客旅,是与圣徒同国,是神家里的人了。以弗所书二19

祷告——教会复兴之钥

简单的信心

「亚伯兰信耶和华,耶和华就以此为他的义。」(创 十五6)

神答应祷告是自然的事, 是正常而不是特别的。让 我们诚实并直截了当地面对一个事实——就是我们中 间有太多人不相信神。我们可以十分公正地说到这件 事。若是我们爱神, 我们就应该祷告, 因为祂要我们祷 告且命令我们祷告。若是我们相信神, 我们就该祷告, 因为我们不得不祷告, 我们没有祷告就行不通。基督徒 同伴们, 你们信神且信基督吗?但你们是否进到相信祂 所说的一切话的地步呢?对基督徒问这个问题不是近 乎不敬吗?但只有极少数的人真正相信神!愿神赦免 我们!我们相信人们所说的过于神的话,这事不叫你吃 惊吗?但, 若有一个人「相信神」, 神奇妙的恩典将 要如何地做在他身上, 且也要藉着他作工呢!世界上 再没有一个人比亚伯拉罕更多受人的尊敬了, 因为在 新约圣经中三次提到「他信神」(罗四3, 加三6, 雅 二23)。是的、「亚伯拉罕信神,这就算为他的义」。 我们在神前恳求, 愿每位相信基督耶稣的人都不得安 息、除非他能说:「我信神祂怎样对我说,事情也要怎 样成就。」(徒二十七25)。

这种简单的信心给神带来何等大的荣耀呢!为何我们不相信神呢?为何我们不靠神的话来抓住神呢?这是神最迫切的愿望(也是我们亲爱救主耶稣基督的愿望)——希望我们中间每一位都得到这样坚强的信心。我们亲爱的天父不希望祂的任何一个小孩有一分钟的

忧虑和缺乏。不论我们的需要有多大,我们的需求有多少;假若我们能按祂所吩咐我们的「试验祂」,我们必定是无法容得下祂所要赐给我们的祝福(玛三10)。

假若我们有更单纯的信心, 我们必能靠祂的话而信祂; 我们的生活必因主的恩典, 满了光彩。

但若是我们的信心要单纯,那么我们的眼睛就得「单一」,如此我们的「全身必定全然光明」(太六22),基督必须是我们独一的主。我们无法一面事奉神,一面事奉玛门,又想一无挂虑(太六24-25)。我们是需要回到得胜生活的根基上!当我们真正地将我们的身体献上「当作活祭,是圣洁的,是神所悦纳的」(罗十二1),将我们的肢体献给义「作义的奴仆,以致于成圣」时(罗六19);祂就要将祂自己交给我们,并且将神的一切丰满充满我们。让我们永远记在心中,真实的信心是相信神能,神是答应人的祷告。我们可能懒于祈求,但是「主并不耽延祂的应许」(彼后三9)这句话岂不令人感触吗?

祷告改变了万事——但是, 我们何等迟缓地去尝试并看见。 凡信靠你的人,将要得着祝福。 但愿我们从今以后,只要单单地相信神

摘自《跪着的基督徒》 (天名基督徒)

聚会 / 代祷事项

8月21-27日 聚会时间表	Weekly Meeeting	时间 /Time	聚会号码 /Meeting ID
主日信息 擘饼聚会	Lord's Day Message Lord's Table Meeting	10:00AM 11:10AM	604 266 5350
主日高中生聚会	Lord's Day level 4 Meeting	10:00AM	824 4612 7866
主日儿童聚会	Lord's Day Children's Meetings	10:00AM 10:00AM	Gr.1-5 937 0074 8511 Gr.6-7 843 4675 2729
周二祷告聚会	Tuesday Prayer Meeeting	7:30PM	604 266 5350
周四生命探索	Thursday Life Exploration	10:00PM	实体聚会
周五青少年祷告 & 查经	Friday YP Prayer & Bible Study	7:00PM	920 648 587
周六「各区家聚会」	Home Meeting (Chinese)	请洽各家负责人	
周六高中生聚会	Saturday HS Meeting	7:30PM	858 888 07698

一、为八月22-24日的「儿童欢乐营」祷告,求主使他们从 小爱主、渴慕主的话,使下一代都被预备成为合乎主用的器皿, 在神的家中健康的长大。

二、请为九月5日的假期福音聚会祷告。另教会备有邀请卡,请圣徒们自由索取,多多邀请你的亲友前来参加。

三、请为十月7-10日的 高中生特会祷告,愿主在年 轻时就得着他们,成为主合 用的器皿。





Summer Bible Pursuit 2022

Praise the Lord! The young people are able to gather before the Lord to pursue His word in the past two weeks. We have truly witnessed His provision and leading from beginning to the end, "and of His fullness we have all received, and grace for grace." (John 1:16)

The book that we pursued is the Gospel of John, every morning after morning watch, we split into groups to read 3-4 chapters, and afterwards summarized one of the chapters by finding a key verse, sectioning the chapter, and giving it a title. In this way we were able to read in details, to understand the passage, and to find out the focus of the chapter. In the afternoon, we had topic-based Bible study of the Gospel of John, each day a different topic. In the Bible study, we compared the 4 Gospel books, studied the key words and structure of the Gospel of John, and looked into the 7 I Am's and the 8 signs.

Praise the Lord that His word is so full and so rich, His words are spirit and they are life. May the young people continue to pursue and to have this longing for God's word, that we may be filled, so that out of our heart will flow the rivers of living water. (John 7:38)

(Samuel HY Chan)

The young people were nourished well physically in this pursuit, but more importantly spiritually. From the words of our Lord Jesus He Himself is our nourishment: "This is the Bread that comes down out of heaven, so that one may eat of it and not die. I am the Living Bread that came down out of heaven. If anyone eats of this Bread, he will live forever. And the Bread that I will give for the life of the world is My flesh."" John 6:50-51

Reading multiple times and digging deeper into the Word, we really saw how rich and abundant His Word is and how much more we haven't known yet.

All the glory belongs to God alone. He provided us with two wonderful weeks of Bible pursuit and He led us through the gospel of John. It was a privilege to witness the amazing work of the Lord in this first time summer young people camp we had here. (Peter Wang)

