

Timothy Topics

Newsletter

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Sunday Worship Service 10am

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Minister's Corner

The Lord's Supper

"And as they were eating, Jesus took bread, blessed and broke it, and gave it to the disciples and said, "Take, eat; this is my body." (Matthew 26:26).

During the next few weeks we will celebrate the Lord's supper a number of times. It all started with the Passover meal. When the Israelites had a Passover meal it was a reminder of their deliverance from Egypt. But that is not all, it was a sign and seal of deliverance from their bondage of sin. The Passover signified their communion with God and their hope in the promised Messiah, thus the significance that Jesus instituted the Lord's Supper at the Passover. During the Passover, the pure lamb would be sacrificed.

In His sacrifice, Jesus offered Himself to die once and for all for the forgiveness of sins and reconciliation of the believer to God. The sacrament not only symbolises the individual believer's union with Christ, but the union of believers with one another. As members of one body in Christ, the church eats the same bread and wine in communion with Him and one another. Jesus commanded His disciples to celebrate this meal together in remembrance of Him. Paul's teaching said this practice shall continue throughout all ages in the church.

So, let us come to the Lord's Table, together. Rev. Floyd

Not So Young Adult Group

But I'm in my thirties! I can't be part of a Young Adult Group! So, the name was changed to the Not So Young Adult Group! For adults between the ages of 20 and 40, this group gathers for about an hour on the second Sunday of the month following the worship service. The group is led by Bertha SaahFon and Juliet Bosompem though members contribute ideas for the next meeting's activities. The format is varied. Build your relationship with God with prayers, devotionals and meditations. Be inspired by God through testimonials and speakers. Cherish God with songs of praise. And all this with a sprinkling of practical advice. As it is near lunchtime, a snack is provided.

So, whether you are a young adult, or feeling not so young, you will feel a sense of belonging in this group that is one in Christ.

Men's Breakfast and Lenten Bible Study

Come enjoy a delicious breakfast and a time of fellowship and be inspired by our guest speaker His Excellency, Solomon Azoh-Mbi, the High Commissioner of the Republic of Camaroon in Canada at the next **Men's Breakfast** on **March 4th at 8:30am**.

The Reverend Dr Floyd McPhee is leading a weekly **Lenten Bible study** starting on **Wednesday March 8th at 10am** in the Youth Room. The study is inspired by the following scriptures: Mark 14:32-42 Jesus in Gethsemane, Matthew 26:47-56 Jesus is arrested, Mark 15:1-15 Jesus before Pilate, Luke 22:54-62 Peter disowns Jesus, Luke 23:44-49 Jesus' death, John 19:16-27 the crucifixion of Jesus and Matthew 28:1-20 Jesus' resurrection and the Great Commission.

Worship Services

Ash Wednesday Service Mar 1, 7pm
Sunday Worship &
Communion Service Mar 5, 10am
Sunday Worship Service
& African Chorus Mar 12, 10am
Sunday Worship Service Mar 19, 10am
Sunday Worship Service Mar 26, 10am

Up-coming Events

Prayer Sundays, 8:30am
Men's Breakfast Mar 4, 8:30am
Sunday School Service Mar 19, 10am
Birthday Celebrations Mar 19, 11am
Senior Youth Group Lunch & Movie... Mar 26, 11am

Church Groups

Afternoon Circle Mar 8, 1:30pm
Arabic Bible Study Mar 4, 11, 18, 25, noon
Bible Study Mar 8, 15, 22, 29, 10am
Craft Group Mar 6, 13, 20, 27, 2pm
JOY Group Mar 21, 10am
Not So Young Adult Group Mar 12, 11am
Senior Youth Group Mar 26, 8:30am