



Calvary Bible Fellowship

JULY 2021 - CHURCH NEWSLETTER

THRONE OF GRACE

Coming to the Throne of Grace is a choice. When we are told to COME it is not a command - the grammar actually makes it a question. Will we come? I suppose that raises the question why we would NOT come. I think there are a couple of reasons why someone would not want to COME to the Throne of God.

First because they think they will be judged. We know in our hearts that we make mistakes - a LOT of them - EVERYDAY. The thought of coming before a righteous Holy God can be terrifying - but do NOT miss what comes next - come BOLDLY to the Throne! BOLDLY means having NO fear. We have absolutely NO reason to be afraid because it is NOT the Throne of judgement - it is the Throne of GRACE! Because of the forgiveness of Jesus on the cross we can come right into the presence of the creator of all heaven and earth - ANYTIME - and share our hearts and burdens with Him!

But there is another reason why we might NOT come - we do not think we NEED Him. The verse concludes by saying we can - "find Grace to help in times of need". If we do not think we NEED anything - then we are not going to come to the Throne of Grace. But the truth is we all NEED Jesus - we NEED His Grace - EVERYDAY! The moment we think we are ok without Jesus - is the moment we NEED Him the most!



So COME - BOLDLY - to the Throne of Grace today. Find GRACE to help in every need that might present itself. Because our Heavenly Father loves to listen - comfort - and empower us for every challenge (big or small) life might have to offer!

Let us therefore come boldly to the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy and find grace to help in time of need. - Hebrews 4:16

Sunday Service
Online @ 9am
Church @ 10am

BIBLICAL HEBREW



ORIGINAL LANGUAGES

The bible was written in two languages - Greek and Hebrew. We live in a blessed time in history when we have the Word of God translated into almost every language on earth. The English language has around 250 thousand words. In contrast the Greek language has over 5 million words! Likewise the grammar of Hebrews is much different than English and often is difficult to translate. It goes without saying there is a benefit to being able to understand the original languages! Beginning this month on Tuesdays at the Elisha Center we will begin going through the basics of how to study and interpret the Bible using the Original Languages!



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Upcoming Events

Let us consider one another in order to stir up love and good works, not forsaking the assembling of ourselves together...

- Hebrews 10:24-25

Check out some of the events that we have planned over the next month. Given the recent change in Bacolod to GCQ status most of the events will be smaller home gatherings.

July 2 - We will be meeting at the Hinchey house this Friday at 3pm to have a time to bake! Bring your favorite recipes and ingredients and we will bake some tasty snacks together. Afterwards we will roll into our bi-weekly prayer meeting (*which we will get enjoy with all the namit pamahaw we just baked!*)



July 4 - For those who are not familiar this is Independence Day in the USA. We thought it would be fun to celebrate with a traditional outdoor BBQ. We will meet at the Hinchey house at 5pm and cook some burgers and ribs on the grill. Bring a side dish or desert to share and come over for a great time of food and fellowship



July 11 - We will finish up the book of Philemon this week - which will bring us to the Book of Hebrews! One of the longer books

of the New Testament it present Jesus as GREATER. Looking forward to this AMAZING book!

Mid-July - We are planning on having a Movie Night towards the end of July at the Hinchey House - to get us ready for a possible trip to Israel in 2022. We will be showing the video "I am Israel". It is a short documentary on the lives of several modern Israelis and their love for the Holy Land!



Rescheduled - We are still planning on doing the Summer camp and Women's Conference with the church in Himamaylan - but due to restrictions we will have to postpone them until the month of August.



WEEKLY SCHEDULE

- Sunday 9am - Hebrews Online
- Sunday 10am - Hebrews at Elisha Center (EC)
- Tuesday 5pm - Original Languages at EC
- Tuesday 7pm - Exodus at Elisha Center
- Wednesday 6pm - Exodus at Network in Silay
- Thursday 10am - Women's study in Joshua
- Friday 6pm - Prayer Meeting (*every other week*)

FACEBOOK MESSENGER

The church has TWO Facebook Messenger pages. One is for church announcements - Calvary Bible Fellowship. The other is for sharing personal pictures and updates from events - Calorie Fellowship. If you are not current signed up please send us a message!



CHURCH INFORMATION

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