

# LOVE IS PASSIONATE

MARCH 24, 2024

## WORSHIP

Hosanna (Praise is Rising),  
Prepare the Way of the Lord,  
Here I Am to Worship, Lead  
Me to the Cross, The Lord is  
My Salvation

## WELCOME

What do you usually do during  
the Holy Week or Passion  
Week?

## WEEKLY PRAYER POINTS

### 1. Thanksgiving

- Worship God for who He is, what He has done, and what He will do in our lives.

### 2. Country and the World

- Upright and moral governance of public servants; repentance and salvation for government leaders and citizens for a Christ-centered Philippines.
- God's help and comfort, salvation for Israel, wisdom for their leaders in government, military and their soldiers as they defend themselves against terrorists' attacks. PRAISE GOD for the release of hostages so far! Continue to pray for the release of the remaining ones.
- War in Ukraine to end, loss of lives prevented, violence and lawlessness in Haiti to stop.

### 3. Church

- That CCF Members would honor and love God and make disciples.
- Elders, pastors, deacons, and families (holy, humble, harmonious, happy, heart-working).
- Ministries and churches expansion worldwide.

### 4. CCF Facilities

- Worship and Training Center
- Prayer Mountain

### 5. Personal Concerns

- Deeper intimate relationship with God.
- Righteous living.
- Salvation of family and friends.

## WORD

### READ IT!

### JOHN 15:12-17

<sup>12</sup> "This is My commandment, that you love one another, just as I have loved you. <sup>13</sup> Greater love has no one than this, that a person will lay down his life for his friends. <sup>14</sup> You are My friends if you do what I command you. <sup>15</sup> No longer do I call you slaves, for the slave does not know what his master is doing; but I have called you friends, for all things that I have heard from My Father I have made known to you. <sup>16</sup> You did not choose Me but I chose you, and appointed you that you would go and bear fruit, and that your fruit would remain, so that whatever you ask of the Father in My name He may give to you. <sup>17</sup> This I command you, that you love one another.

### PARAPHRASE IT!

Restate the verses in your own words.

### TALK ABOUT IT!

- What did you like about these verses?
- What did you learn about God?
- What did you learn about Jesus?
- What did you learn about people?
- What did you learn about following Jesus?
- What did you learn about love?

### POINT IT OUT!

#### I. JESUS PURSUDES US

(John 12:12-15,27-33,41-43; John 15:15-16)

#### II. JESUS PROCLAIMS TRUTH

(Luke 19:45-48; John 15:14-15; John 14:16-17,25-27)

#### III. JESUS PERSONIFIES LOVE

(John 13:1,4-5,12-15,17; John 15:16-17; Luke 22:41-42; Luke 23:33-34,39-43; Mark 15:33-34; Luke 23:46)

## WORKS

### APPLY IT!

Based on this lesson on "Love is Passionate", write down your action point to apply what you learned. Make it your "I will..." statement and follow the S.M.A.R.T. guideline to come up with a do-able action point.

**S**imple  
**M**easurable  
**A**ppropriate  
**R**ealistic  
**T**ime-bound

"I will \_\_\_\_\_

### SHARE IT!

Who will you share these truths to this week?

### PRAY CARE SHARE IN ACTION

Pray for people to discover the passionate love of Jesus. Be a person who exemplifies the love of Jesus to others through your words and actions. Share the gospel to someone this Holy Week.

## MEMORY VERSE

### JOHN 15:13

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