

Engage the Family: Know God and Make God Known

LAST WEEK'S MESSAGE

Raising and engaging a family today means navigating a world of constant influence. Our families are shaped not only by the people around them, but also by social media, algorithms, AI, entertainment, and ideas that can reach them before we even realize it. We cannot control every influence they encounter, but we can be intentional about the influence we have. More than simply providing for our families or spending time together, God calls us to help them know who He is, trust His Word, and recognize His work in their lives. This begins with knowing God ourselves and making Him known to the generations entrusted to us.

KNOW GOD

We cannot make God known without knowing Him ourselves. Before we tell our family to trust and obey God, do they see us doing the same? We know God through His Word and His works. As we spend time in Scripture and obey His commands, we grow in our knowledge of who He is. We also know God by remembering His works in our lives. Psalm 78 reminds us of His faithfulness despite His people's failures. Luke 15 gives us a beautiful picture of God's heart through the prodigal son, whose father welcomed and restored him when he returned in repentance. Yet the older brother reminds us that we can be in the house of God and still fail to know His grace. What picture of God are we showing our families?

MAKE GOD KNOWN

Psalm 78:7 reminds us that the next generation should put their confidence in God, remember His works, and keep His commandments. Spiritual legacy is not automatic. Judges 2:10 reminds us that a generation arose that did not know the Lord or the work He had done. We must intentionally engage our families so God's truth and faithfulness are passed on.

There are five practical ways we can make God known to our family:

1. **Pray for them.** Pray consistently, especially for those who are struggling or do not yet know Christ. God is the One who changes hearts.
2. **Be an example.** Model what it means to trust God. Our families learn from how we respond to trials, disappointments, and difficulties.
3. **Enter their world.** Spend time with them, listen to what interests them, and be present. Understanding their world creates opportunities to point them to God.
4. **Communicate God's stories.** Deuteronomy 6:6–7 calls us to speak about God throughout everyday life. Share His faithfulness, provision, answered prayers, and grace in your own life.
5. **Cultivate God's vision for them.** Help your family see that God's purpose is greater than success, education, career, or achievement. Pray with them about His will and think beyond your generation to those who will come after you.

Engaging the family is a generational calling. Know God, make God known, and help the next generation know, trust, obey, and love Him.

last week's memory verse

"That they should put their confidence in God and not forget the works of God, but keep His commandments,"

PSALM 78:7

discuss this message

How well do you know God? What steps can you take to know God more?

Who and how will you intentionally reach out to this week to make God Known to them?

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ccf SERVICES AT THE CCF CENTER

SATURDAYS

5:00 PM

SUNDAYS

9:00 AM, 12:00 NN
3:00 PM, 6:00 PM

SUNDAY LIVESTREAMS

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before each service

WEEKDAYS

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9:00 AM/PM, 12:00 NN/MN,
3:00 AM/PM, 6:00 AM/PM

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**Longing to experience more
of our Extraordinary God?**
Come, let's talk about it in the Welcome Center.

#GoServe One Service
One service can make a difference.

Serve at Host Team,
NXTGEN, or Welcome Center!
go.ccf.org.ph/VolunteerSignUp

OUR COMMUNITY

WOMEN 2 WOMEN ALL WOMEN

#FriendshipGoals:
Encourage, Equip, Empower
with Jireh de Jose

October 8, Thursday, 10:00 AM, MPH

Bridges of Love:
How Moms Can Navigate
Gender Identity Conversations
October 17, Saturday, 9:00 AM, Social Hall

CONNECT WITH THEM ONLINE

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B1G MINISTRY SINGLES

B1G Fridays

October 9, Friday, 7:30 PM, MPH

CONNECT WITH THEM ONLINE

b1gministry

EVANGELISM
MOBILIZATION OPEN TO ALL

Evangelism Training
and Deployment

Saturdays, 1:00 PM, Room 3A

CONNECT WITH THEM ONLINE

ccfevangelismmobilization

NXTGEN KIDS FROM 4-12 YEARS OLD

Little Acts, Big Impact

Sundays, 9:00 AM, 12:00 NN, 3:00 PM
G/F CCF Center (ages 4-12)

BIBLE LESSON PREMIERE: for ages 4-12
9:00 AM at ccfnextgen

RESOURCES:

<https://linktr.ee/NXTGENFamilyResources>

OUR CLASSES

Be Biblically Grounded

GLC LEVEL 1: Be a Disciple

BOOK 1: October 4, Sunday
10:30 AM, 2/F Annex

BOOK 2: October 4, Sunday, 1:30 PM, 2/F Annex

BOOK 4: October 4, Sunday, 1:30 PM, Room 3A

ZOOM: Books 1, 2, and 4
October 6, Tuesday, 7:30 PM

Be Equipped to Lead

GLC LEVEL 2: Be a Discipeler

BOOK 6: October 4, Sunday, 1:00 PM, Room 2A

ZOOM: October 8, Thursday, 7:30 PM

Be a Leader Who Raises Leaders

GLC3 LEAD: Be a Multiplier, Cycle 2
For Dgroup Leaders Only

BOOK 12: October 4, Sunday, 11:00 AM, Room 4A

ZOOM: October 8, Thursday, 7:30 PM

Welcome Wednesdays

OPEN TO ALL

October 14, Wednesday, 7:00 PM

Evangelifestyle — BS Room 1

GLC Level 2: Book 8

with **Pt. Marty Ocaya** — MPH

Come as early as 6:00 PM

for our Convo Corner!

Other Events

How to Facilitate a Dgroup Workshop

F2F: October 18, Sunday, 11:00 AM

ZOOM: October 19, Monday, 7:30 PM

GLC True Life Retreat

October 23 and 24, Friday and
Saturday, 8:00 AM, MPH

FEE: PHP1,300 (inc. lunch, materials, shirt)

GLC Graduation 2026: Ready, Send, Go!

Completed any GLC level? Apply now!

GRADUATION PACKAGE: PHP1,300
November 20, Friday, 10:00 AM, MPH

REGISTER FOR OUR CLASSES AND EVENTS:

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**We are willing
to listen and improve!**

If you have any concerns and feedback,
our pastors are willing to listen.

Email them along with your name at
osp@ccf.org.ph — Pastor Peter Tan-Chi
oep@ccf.org.ph — Pastor Ricky Sarthou

Note: Emails without **full name** shall not be entertained.



GOD LOVES YOU.

He desires for you to have eternal life
with Him and an abundant and meaningful
life with Him.

"For God loved the world so much that he gave
his only Son, so that everyone who believes in him
may not die but have eternal life." — John 3:16

"The thief comes only in order to steal, kill, and
destroy. I have come in order that you might have
life—life in all its fullness." — John 10:10



BUT EVERYONE IS SINFUL.

We have a sin problem that separates us
from God, and the penalty of sin is death.
everyone has sinned and is far away from God's
saving presence. — Romans 3:23

WE OFTEN THINK THAT RELIGION, GOOD WORKS,
AND GOOD MORALS ARE THE SOLUTION, BUT THERE
IS ONLY ONE SOLUTION FROM GOD.



JESUS IS THE ONLY ANSWER.

He is the only way to eternal life
and completely paid the penalty
for all your sins.

"For Christ died for sins once and for all, a good
man on behalf of sinners, in order to lead you to
God." — 1 Peter 3:18

Jesus answered him, "I am the way, the truth,
and the life; no one goes to the Father except
by me." — John 14:6

MERELY KNOWING WHAT CHRIST HAS
DONE FOR US IS NOT ENOUGH.



**WE MUST HAVE FAITH
IN HIM TO SAVE US.**

We are saved by God's grace through
faith in Jesus Christ alone.

"For it is by God's grace that you have been
saved through faith. It is not the result of your
own efforts, but God's gift, so that no one can
boast about it." — Ephesians 2:8-9

"For sin pays its wage—death; but God's free gift
is eternal life in union with Christ Jesus our Lord."
— Romans 6:23

GOOD WORKS ARE NOT THE MEANS TO SALVATION,
RATHER THEY ARE THE EVIDENCE
OF YOUR SALVATION.

IF YOU ARE WILLING TO MAKE THE DECISION
TO BELIEVE, TRUST IN, AND FOLLOW JESUS AS
YOUR LORD AND SAVIOR, PRAY THIS IN FAITH:

Lord Jesus, thank You so much for loving
me. I confess that I have sinned against You.
Thank You for dying on the cross for my sins.
Today, I put my trust in You as my Lord and
Savior. I accept Your free gift of eternal life
and I surrender my life to You. Thank You for
forgiving my sins. From this day on, I choose
to follow You. Amen.



YOUR ETERNAL LIFE BEGINS.

All of your sins — past, present, and
future — are paid for and forgiven.

And then he says, "I will not remember their sins
and evil deeds any longer." — Hebrews 10:17

You are a new person in God's eyes.
A new life has begun for you.

"Anyone who is joined to Christ is a new being; the
old is gone, the new has come." — 2 Corinthians 5:17

You are now a child of God!

"Some, however, did receive him and believed in
him; so he gave them the right to become God's
children." — John 1:17