ccf chronicle
WEEKLY BULLETIN Vol. 39
November 14 and 15, 2026

MALACHI
BE READY FOR HIS COMING

Live Ready: BE FAITHFUL TO GOD!

LAST WEEK'S MESSAGE

We can spend our lives preparing for something, but are we ready for the most important event in human history: the return of Jesus Christ? We may not know exactly when He will come, but we can choose to live faithfully until we meet Him. Malachi reminds us that readiness is faithfully living out what God has entrusted to us while we wait for His promised return.

God's Warnings

God warned the priests because they neglected to honor His name, performing religious duties while their hearts had turned away from Him (Malachi 2:1-2). This warning applies to all believers, not only to pastors and ministry leaders. We are a royal priesthood, called to proclaim God's goodness and represent Him to others (1 Peter 2:9). We are entrusted with sharing the gospel, making disciples, and modeling Christ in the way we live. God calls us to take these seriously and remain faithful to Him.

Blessings and Curses

The priests enjoyed the privilege of serving God, but their unfaithfulness turns blessing into deprivation, emptiness, and shame (Malachi 2:2-3). God desires for His people to experience His blessings, but disobedience has consequences (Deuteronomy 28:1-2,15) and affects those around us. This is why we must encourage, pray for, and lovingly correct one another that we can remain faithful in our walk with God.

Our Worship

The covenant of life and peace was given to Levi because he revered God and stood in awe of His name (Malachi 2:5). Worship reveals how we regard God, and true worship recognizes God's holiness and makes Him our highest priority. As we approach Him with reverence and awe, we learn to live with purpose and find peace in His presence, even when life is difficult (Hebrews 12:28-29).

Our Words

The priests were entrusted to preserve knowledge and faithfully communicate God's truth (Malachi 2:6-7). In the same way, our advice, priorities, and decisions should be guided by God's Word rather than our emotions or opinions. We must use our words to build others up and extend grace (Ephesians 4:29), encouraging others and pointing them toward Christ.

Our Walk

The priests were called to walk with God in peace and uprightness (Malachi 2:6). Walking with God means depending on Him daily and living according to His commands, even when circumstances are difficult. We cannot do this on our own, which is why we must depend on God and walk by the Spirit (Galatians 5:16). Though following God does not guarantee a problem-free life, we can have peace knowing that we belong to Him.

Our Work

The priests were meant to turn people away from iniquity and toward God (Malachi 2:6), and as Christians, we are called to help others know Jesus through the way we live and serve. Our lives and actions should point people toward Christ, not cause them to stumble. May we faithfully live out God's Word and serve others, so that one day we may hear, "Well done, good and faithful servant" (Matthew 25:21).

last week's memory verse

...he revered Me and stood in awe of My name. True instruction was in his mouth and unrighteousness was not found on his lips; he walked with Me in peace and uprightness, and he turned many back from iniquity.

MALACHI 2:5-6

discuss this message

How can you improve in worshiping God with reverence and awe?

How can you be more gracious and edifying in your words?

How can you walk more closely with God?

Whom will you tell about Jesus this week?

WATCH THE CONCISE VERSION OF THIS MESSAGE:
go.ccf.org.ph/RunThrough

DOWNLOAD THIS SUNDAY'S 4WS EVERY MONDAY!
ccf.org.ph/4ws/

SERVICES AT THE CCF CENTER

SATURDAYS
5:00 PM

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

SUNDAY LIVESTREAMS
ccf.org.ph
ccfmain
ccfmainTV
starts 30 minutes before each service

WEEKDAYS 24/7 VIDEO ON DEMAND
ccfnet.online.church
9:00 AM/PM, 12:00 NN/MN, 3:00 AM/PM, 6:00 AM/PM

Visit **ccf.org.ph/live/broadcast-channels/** for TV and radio airing schedules.

Go to **ccf.org.ph/chronicle/** to download this Chronicle.



#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

Beyond the Hurt:
Navigating Trauma and Finding Hope
with Noreen Eleria
November 19, Thursday, 10:00 AM, MPH
CONNECT WITH THEM ONLINE
ccfwomen2women
CCFWomen2WomenMinistry

B1G MINISTRY SINGLES

B1G Fridays
November 20, 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

All In!: Full Heart Mode
A NXTGEN Lesson Series on the Book of Malachi
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 ccfnxtgen
RESOURCES:
https://linktr.ee/NXTGENFamilyResources



Our Classes

GLC Classes will resume in March 2027!

Welcome Wednesday
OPEN TO ALL
November 18, Wednesday
No face-to-face session due to the holiday
- Rewind Series: Galatians (Make-Up Video)

December 2, Wednesday, 8:00 PM, MPH
Worship Night with Exalt Ministry

Other Events
How to Start a Dgroup Workshop
F2F: November 22, Sunday
11:00 AM, Room 4A
ZOOM: November 23, Monday, 7:30 PM

REGISTER FOR OUR CLASSES AND EVENTS:
linktr.ee/ccfglc





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