

WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP

MAY 5, 2024

The church in Phoenix

Meeting Schedule

Lord's Day

10:00 am – Lord's Table Meeting

11:00 am – Prophesying Meeting

Tuesday

7:30 pm – English-speaking prayer meeting at meeting hall

7:00 pm – Spanish-speaking prayer meeting at home

Friday

7:30 pm – Small Group Meetings

Saturday

9:30 am – Cleaning & Maintenance at the Hall

7:30 pm – Young People's Meeting

Continue in the Ministry
and the Word

Holy Word for Morning Revival

Laboring on the All-inclusive Christ Typified by the Good Land for the Building Up of the Church as the Body of Christ, for the Reality and the Manifestation of the Kingdom, and for the Bride to Make Herself Ready for the Lord's Coming – Week 3

Life-Study of Matthew

Message 15
Matt. 5:3- 12

Announcements

❖ 2024 International Memorial Day Blending Conference

- **Dates:** May 24-27 and **Location:** Hyatt Regency Bellevue; 900 Bellevue Way NE, Bellevue, WA 98004

- **Local In Person Video Schedule:** (Church in Phoenix Meeting Hall)

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| Message 1 | 5/25/2024 Saturday | 10:00 AM |
| Message 2 | 5/25/2024 Saturday | 02:00 PM |
| Message 3 | 5/26/2024 Lord's Day | 10:30 AM |
| <i>(Table Meeting: 9:30 AM)</i> | | |
| Message 4 | 5/26/2024 Lord's Day | 02:30 PM |
| Message 5 | 5/27/2024 Monday | 10:00 AM |
| Message 6 | 5/27/2024 Monday | 02:00 PM |

❖ 2024 July Semiannual Training

- Date: July 1, 4 PM through July 6, 2024, 9:30 PM
- Location: Living Stream Ministry Campus, MCC
- Live Training Registration (Closed)
- Video Training Registration

- **Dateline: April 28.**

- Registration Donation: \$130. (with 1 outline)

- Schedule:

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| Message 1 | 7/3/2024 Wednesday | 07:00 PM |
| Message 2 | 7/4/2024 Thursday | 10:00 AM |
| Message 3 | 7/4/2024 Thursday | 01:30 PM |
| Message 4 | 7/5/2024 Friday | 07:00 PM |
| Message 5 | 7/6/2024 Saturday | 10:00 AM |
| Message 6 | 7/6/2024 Saturday | 01:30 PM |
| Message 7 | 7/7/2024 Lord's Day | 10:30 AM |
| Message 8 | 7/10/2024 Wednesday | 07:00 PM |
| Message 9 | 7/12/2024 Friday | 07:00 PM |
| Message 10 | 7/13/2024 Saturday | 10:00 AM |
| Message 11 | 7/13/2024 Saturday | 01:30 PM |
| Message 12 | 7/14/2024 Lord's Day | 10:30 AM |

- Registration Fee can be sent through Zelle to the church's bank account using the following email address: register@churchinphoenix.org. Indicate on the memo line "2024 July Training".

- Registration form:

<https://forms.gle/TGMnzegPaDJAqFQJA>

❖ Lord's Day Love Feast (Church in Phoenix Meeting Hall)

- **Date:** May 26, 2024, **and Time:** Noon

❖ Summer School of Truth

- Date: May 31st - June 2nd.
- Friday & Saturday: 9:30 am - 8:30 pm (Tempe Meeting Hall)
- Lord's Day: 10 am - noon (Phoenix Meeting Hall).
- Lunch & dinner will be provided.
- <https://forms.gle/byKJx5cUJgD3cxCC9>

❖ Offerings

- Please send your offerings through Zelle to the church's bank account using the following email address: offerings@churchinphoenix.org.

Life Study of Matthew – Study guide

Dear brothers and sisters,

We will continue this week's truth pursuit with Message 15 of the Life-study of Matthew - "The Decree of the Kingdom's Constitution (3)". This life-study covers Matt. 5:3-12, concerning the nature of the kingdom people.

Here is an excerpt from this message followed by key verses for pray-reading and questions for your study:

"...in the constitution of the heavenly kingdom, the Lord Jesus firstly reveals the kind of people who live in the kingdom of the heavens...The nine blessings in 5:3-12...deals mainly with our inward being, not with outward material things. Along with our inward being, these verses also deal somewhat with the outward expression. Take the example of righteousness. If you read these verses carefully, you will see that righteousness here is not merely a matter of outward behavior. Rather, it is the outflow of our inner being, the expression of what we are within..."

In considering the nature of the kingdom people as revealed in these verses...They should always be poor in spirit, mournful over the present situation, meek in facing opposition, righteous toward themselves, merciful toward others, pure toward God, peaceful toward all men, persecuted for righteousness, and reproached for the sake of Christ..."(Witness Lee, *Life-study of Matthews*, Living Stream Ministry, Anaheim, CA, msg. 15, pp. 189-190)

Key Verses for pray-reading: Matt 5:3-12

Questions:

1. What are the nine crucial words of the nature of the kingdom people? The sequence of these words is very significant. How are "poor in spirit", "mourning", and "meek" related to one another? How the word "meekness" can be applied in our family life, church life, and Christian life?
2. How are "righteous toward themselves", "merciful toward others", and "pure toward God", related for us to see God?
3. How can we be peacemakers? Why are we being persecuted for righteousness and reproached for Christ?
4. What are the rewards to each of the nine blessings? What is the real blessing?