

WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP

NOVEMBER 3, 2024

The church in Phoenix

Meeting Schedule

Lord's Day

10:00 am – Lord's Table

11:00 am – Prophesying meeting

Tuesday

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

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

Thursday

7:00 pm – Small group meeting (Spanish/English)

Friday

7:00 pm – Small group meetings (Spanish)

7:30 pm – Small group meetings

Saturday

9:30 am – Cleaning & maintenance at the hall/corporate morning revival

7:30 pm – Young people's meeting

7:00 pm – Small group meeting (Burmese)

Continue in the Ministry and the Word

Holy Word for Morning Revival

Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ (1) – Week 5

Life-Study of Matthew

Message 39

Matt. 13:44-46

Announcements

❖ Blending Lord's Day meetings in Tempe—11/10

- o 10am Lord's table
- o 1619 S Hardy Dr, Tempe AZ 85281

❖ SCYP Fall Children's Work Conference

- o Church in Anaheim District 1 Meeting Hall
- o Saturday Nov. 9, 9:30am – 12pm (2 sessions)
- o In-person option only
- o Registration deadline is Lord's Day Nov. 3

❖ International Thanksgiving Blending Conference

- o **Subject: Living a Christian Life and Church Life under the Government of God for the Economy of God**
- o Atlanta Marriott Marquis, Atlanta GA
- o Thursday Nov. 28 – Lord's Day Dec. 1

Local Webcast of Thanksgiving Conference

- o Phoenix meeting hall
- o 1st meeting: Friday, Nov. 2910:00 AM
- o 2nd meeting: Friday, Nov. 2901:30 PM
- o 3rd meeting: Saturday, Nov. 3010:00 AM
- o 4th meeting: Saturday, Nov. 30.....01:30 PM
- o **Lord's Table: Lord's Day, Dec. 109:30 AM**
- o 5th meeting: Lord's Day, Dec. 110:30 AM
- o 6th meeting: Lord's Day, Dec. 101:30 PM

❖ 2024 December Semiannual Training

- o **Subject: Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ (2)**
- o Live - Mon, Dec. 23, 2024; 4:00 pm to Sat, Dec. 28, 2024; 9:30pm
- o Video – Wed, Dec. 25, 2024; to Lord's Day, Jan. 5, 2025.

Message 1: 12/25/24, Wed, 10:00 PM

Message 2: 12/25/24, Wed, 01:30 PM

Message 3: 12/27/24, Fri, 07:00 PM

Message 4: 12/28/24, Sat, 10:00 AM

Message 5: 12/28/24, Sat, 01:30 PM

Message 6: 12/29/24, LD, 10:00 PM

Message 07: 01/01/25, Wed, 10:00 PM

Message 08: 01/01/25, Wed, 01:30 PM

Message 09: 01/03/25, Fri, 07:00 PM

Message 10: 01/04/25, Sat, 10:00 AM

Message 11: 01/04/25, Sat, 01:30 PM

Message 12: 01/05/25, LD, 10:00 PM

- o Registration Fee: Video training is \$130.00
- o Please send your registration fee via Zelle to **offerings@churchinphoenix.org** and indicate on the memo line "2024 December Training" and the name(s) of registrant(s)
- o Registration form: <https://forms.gle/pvSawekUbSzrdBq6Z>



❖ Mountain States Blending Conference

- o Phoenix meeting hall
- o Friday, Feb. 21 – Lord's Day, Feb. 23

❖ Offerings

Please send your offerings through Zelle to 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 39 of the *Life-study of Matthew*, entitled The Unveiling of the Kingdom's Mysteries (5). This life-study covers Matt. 13:44-46, which addresses the kingdom hidden in the God-created earth and the church produced out of the Satan- corrupted world.

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

The Lord is not only seeking the kingdom; He also desires a beautiful church, the pearl. We have pointed out that, according to Revelation 21, the New Jerusalem is built with precious stones and pearls. In other words, the New Jerusalem is a combination of the treasure and the pearl. In Matthew 13 these are two, the treasure in the field and the pearl out of the sea. But in Revelation 21 they are combined in one entity. The New Jerusalem is both the kingdom and the church. In Matthew 16 the terms church and kingdom are used interchangeably. Firstly the Lord said, "I will build My church"; then He said, "I give to you the keys of the kingdom of the heavens." The fact that these terms are used interchangeably means that the church is equal to the kingdom and the kingdom to the church. Ultimately, in the New Jerusalem the kingdom and the church become one entity (Witness Lee, *Life-study of Matthews*, Living Stream Ministry, Anaheim, CA, msg. 39).

Key Verses for pray-reading: Matt. 13:44,46; 1 Cor. 3:12.

Questions:

1. What is the significance of the term "Hidden Treasure in the field"? How does this relate to our labor and living today based on 1 Cor 3:12-13?
2. Give the meaning of Matt. 13:46, "And finding one pearl of great value, he went and sold all that he had and bought it."
3. How are the "Treasure and Pearl" related and what should that look like in our daily living?

Suggestion for further digestion of this message: Based on the questions answered, write a 1-2min inspiration of what you were touched with and speak it to someone else.