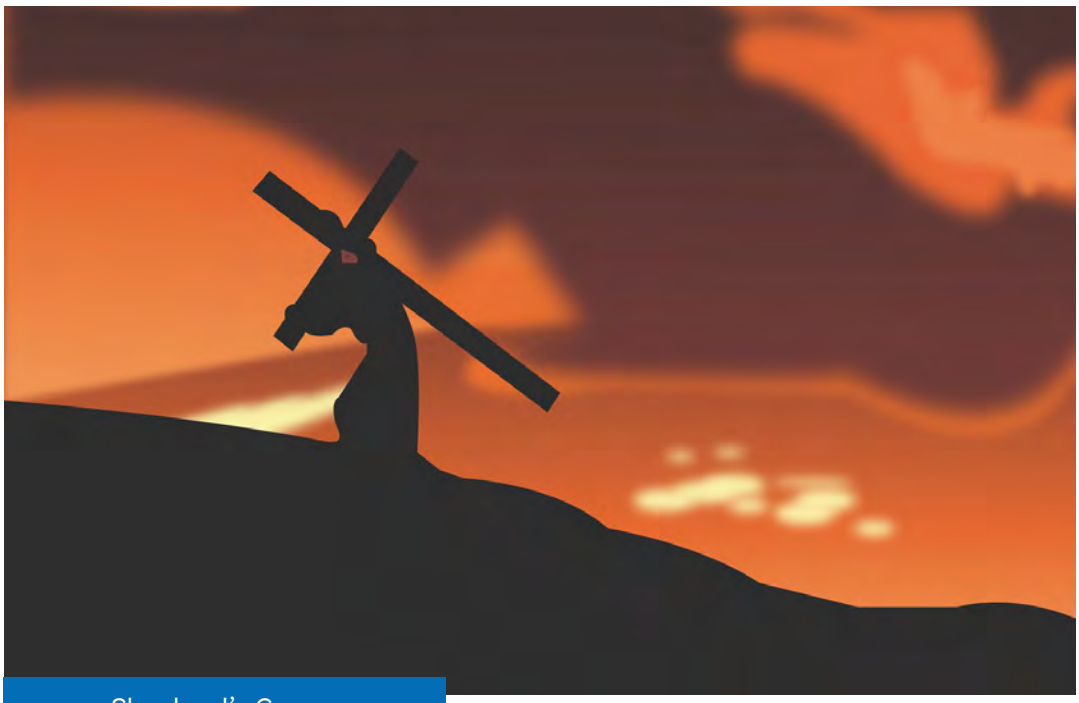
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Shepherd's Corner

Come, Follow Me

(Matt 4:19 NIV)

Many people feel that "calling" is a weighty topic whenever this word is mentioned. Some of us might feel burdened, thinking, "What do the pastor and church want me to do this time—is it something I don't want to or can't handle again? Isn't a calling solely the responsibility of full-time ministers and has little to do with laypeople like myself?". Such a mindset, however, greatly limits our understanding of "calling" and could lead us to miss opportunities to follow Jesus.

Wait a minute. Do you know that the original word used in the Greek text carries the meaning of "inviting you to a grand banquet"? Is this different from your typical understanding? A calling such as this is not merely about God asking us to work on something, but more about God inviting us to participate in a grand banquet of life that He has prepared for us! This is seen in Matthew 22:1-14 when Jesus uses the parable of a king's wedding banquet to describe the kingdom of heaven. This grand feast represents God's grace and abundant life that He invites each of us to join in. The invitation goes beyond calling us to enjoy God's abundance; it also leads us to discover the true purpose and meaning of life for ourselves.

Picture this: would you turn down an invitation from the King of kings to attend His banquet? Keep in mind that this invitation is not a burdensome obligation or heavy responsibility; rather, it is one filled with His glory and grace.

In Matthew 4:19, Jesus calls out to Peter and Andrew, saying, "Come, follow me, and I will make you fishers of men." Jesus' calling has never been a heavy task; rather, it is a journey of walking alongside Him. He invites us not only to follow Him but also to participate in His mission of bringing others to Him -- becoming "fishers of men" along the way. At that time, Peter and Andrew were ordinary fishermen: how Jesus' calling has transformed their lives since then!

Today, perhaps you find yourself busy with trivial matters amid the daily grind. At this very moment, Jesus is calling out to you: "Come, follow me, and I will make you fishers of men." He invites you to follow Him, to live out His love and mission in your work and daily life, bringing people into His kingdom while renewing your own life and transcending personal limitations.

We do not have to worry at all about whether we are "qualified," because the Lord Jesus does not choose perfect people; rather, He chooses those who are willing to believe in and follow Him. May we respond together with courage, saying, "Lord, I am willing to follow You." Let us draw near to Jesus and become His followers and fishers of men.

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Apr	91,838
May	111,342
Jun	133,775
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Aug	184,929
Sep	201,364

Financial Report (SGD)

Jan-Mar 2024	
Income	$ 34,453
Expenses	$ 47,277
Deficit	$ 12,824
Apr-Jun 2024	
Income	$ 50,319
Expenses	$ 36,664
Surplus	$ 13,655
Jul 2024	
Income	$ 13,455
Expenses	$ 11,380
Surplus	$ 2,075
Aug 2024	
Income	$ 38,455
Expenses	$ 8,030
Surplus	$ 30,425
Sep 2024	
Income	$ 8,995
Expenses	$ 7,094
Surplus	$ 1,901

* Financial data has included regular and GR30 incomes & expenses

Audience Feedback

A Vibrant Life 11

Don't just memorize when studying—that is the key takeaway from this episode that I believe will benefit my kids the most. There are times when adopting clever strategies can yield even better results with less effort, allowing kids to enjoy the process along the way."

(He Zhi, Wuhan, 9/10/2024)

Wise Guidance for Youths 12

Thumbs up for this episode! Families with teenagers would greatly benefit by enjoying it together! It helps parents appreciate the inner struggles that young people face but yet, often find hard to express during their adolescent years. Accepting and understanding them with love is the way to forge a positive and fulfilling future!

(Fangyuan, China, 27/9/2024)

Blessing the Family with the Bible

I am very interested in this course on blessing the family with the Bible!

(Carrie Kang, 04/10/2024)



New Programmes

26/09/2024 (Thu)

Musings on the Workplace

Non-China platform

How do employees at all ranks bless the development of enterprises and enhance their own value through work? How do employers make their enterprises stand firm in storm, create value to employees and contribute to society at the same time? Dr. Michelle Liew with her 20+ years of MNC working expereince shares her thoughts through 3C Multiplier Principle

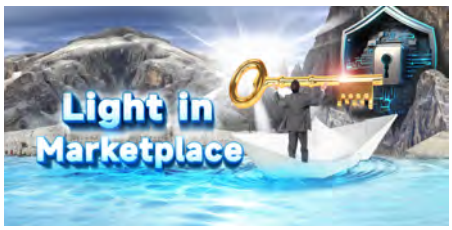


27/11/2024 (Wed)

Light in Marketplace

Non-China platform

All workers often face challenges in marketplace; some of them are easy to resolve while most others are clueless and beyond control. How can we resolve problems and come out of difficult situations amicably even when it seems impossible? Any secret? Lets listen to Mr. Tan Kang Fun, a stage four lung cancer patient



UPDATES AND INTERCESSIONS (1)

1) Dr. Michelle Liew, Executive Chair of GLOBAL REACHOUT, attended the Fourth Lausanne Congress held in Seoul from September 22 to 28, during which she learned and connected with 5,300 representatives from 222 countries. The theme of this year's congress is: "Let us declare and display Christ together." May the global church actively connect, collaborate in service, and share resources, so that by 2033, everyone in the world will encounter the Lord Jesus Christ when we celebrate the two-thousandth anniversary of His resurrection! (Empowerment 21 Vision). Amen!



2) Moved by the Holy Spirit, GLOBAL REACHOUT is set to embark on a new journey, transforming and renewing programmes and course productions, as it deepens collaboration with churches. We ask all church members to earnestly pray for GLOBAL REACHOUT's new vision, so that we may firmly walk in God's will. Dr. Michelle Liew will unveil the new vision and direction for GLOBAL REACHOUT at the GR30 celebrations. Stay tuned, as we give thanks!

3) On 13-Oct 2024, GR Chairmen preached at the True Grace Presbyterian Church on "The Integrated Mandates of Soldiers of God". Thank God for the Holy Spirit that prevailed the congregations. Amen!

UPDATES AND INTERCESSIONS (2)

4) The countdown to the 30th Anniversary Celebration of Global REACHOUT is on! We look forward to sharing grace, enjoying delicious food, and presenting our carefully prepared token gifts.













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