

# CHURCH IN REGINA

**Meeting Place: 3860 Buckingham Drive E, Regina, SK, Canada S4V 3A1**

**1 Timothy 2:4, "Who [God] desires all men to be saved and to come to the full knowledge of the truth."**

## This Week's Pursuit:

HWMR - Thanksgiving  
Conference 2018

## CONTACT NUMBERS:

306 216 0685 Hendrick  
306 737 3315 Joseph  
306 529 5386 Nan  
306 999 0007 Eric  
306 450 8159 Dario  
306 216 8177 Paulo

## CHURCH MEETINGS:

### Lord's Day

10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

### Prayer Meeting

Tuesdays - Saints' Home  
7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

### Young People Meeting

Fridays  
7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

### Small Groupings

Fridays & Saturdays  
Saints' Home

## Seven ANNUAL FEAST

1. **International Chinese-speaking Conference**  
Anaheim, California  
February 15-17, 2019
2. **ITERO (Spring)**  
Anaheim CA  
April 5 - 7, 2019
3. **Memorial Day Conference**  
Seattle, WA  
May 24-27, 2019
4. **Summer Semiannual Training**  
Anaheim, CA  
July 1-6, 2019
5. **ITERO (Fall)**  
Bangalore, India  
October 3-5, 2019
6. **Thanksgiving Conference**  
Houston, TX  
Nov. 28 - Dec. 1, 2019
7. **Winter Semiannual Training**  
Anaheim, CA  
December 23-28, 2019

General Subject:

**The Reality of the Body of Christ**

Message Six

**Living Out and Working Out the New Jerusalem  
to Build Up Zion as the Reality of the Body of Christ**

Scripture Reading: Eph. 4:15-16; Col. 2:19; Psa. 36:8-9; Rev. 2:7; 21:18-23; 22:1-5

## Four Principles to Live out and Work out the New Jerusalem as the Reality of the Body God's Presence

In order for us **to live out** and **work out** the New Jerusalem **to build up Zion** as the reality of the Body of Christ, we must hold on to this principle: (Rev. 21:22; 22:4; Exo. 25:30; Psa. 27:4-5, 8; 31:20; 91:1).

Whenever we do this or that, whether we go here or there, and whether we take this way or that way should be governed by the principle of God's presence. Do we have God's presence when we say this or go there? Do we have His smile when we say this or that? We need to be **inwardly supplied** with the Lord, **enjoying** Christ as the bread of God's presence (Exo. 25:30), and we need to **do everything** in His presence and according to His presence.

Like the psalmist, we need to ask the Lord to dwell in His house – which is the church and our mingled spirit today (Psa. 27:4-5). We want to **dwell** in the church and in the mingled spirit all the days of our life so that we may enquire in His presence and behold His beauty.

## Being Under the Authority and Headship

In order for us **to live out** and **work out** the New Jerusalem to build up Zion as the reality of the Body of Christ, we must be **under the throne of God, the ruling of God**. One of the prominent features of the New Jerusalem is the throne of God and of the Lamb in the middle of the city. For us **to live out** and **work out** the New Jerusalem, we need to be **under** God's ruling presence, **under** the throne of God, giving Him the preeminence in our being and being submissive to His authority.

We need to realize that sin is lawlessness, a dethronement of God; therefore, we need to **dethrone** ourselves, **humble** ourselves, **to live** in our spirit, and **coordinate** with the saints for **God's move**. Also, we need to **maintain** a "clear sky" in our Christian life and church life in order **to be filled** with God's ruling presence of **reigning grace**. The origin of sin is Satan, who as Lucifer rebelled against God and tried to dethrone Him. When we sin, we rebel against God and remove His authority over us. Oh Lord Jesus!

## Having the Flow and Supply of Life in the Church Life by Enjoying God

For us **to live out** and **work out** the New Jerusalem **to build up Zion** as the reality of the Body of Christ, we must have the **flow** and **supply of life**. From the throne of God and of the Lamb there's the river of **water of life flowing** and **reaching** all twelve gates, and on both sides of the river there's the tree of life growing, bearing fruit each month. Hallelujah!

The **outstanding features** of our Christian life and our church life today should be the **flowing river of life** and the **edible tree of life**! The flowing river of life and the edible tree of life should be the outstanding features of our Christian life and church life for the enjoyment of God as our real Eden, our pleasure, entertainment, and joy. God wants to be our enjoyment, our pleasure, our entertainment, and our joy; we should simply **enjoy God**, **come forward** to **Him**, and be **filled** with exceeding **joy**!

## Being Full of the Light of Life

For us **to live out** and **work out** the New Jerusalem **to build up Zion** as the reality of the Body of Christ, we must be **full of the light of life**. An outstanding feature of the New Jerusalem is that there's no natural or man-made light in it, for the Lamb is the lamp, and God is the light, while the city itself is a **diffuser to express** God's light to the whole universe.

The **light** of the New Jerusalem is God as the illuminating glory shining out through Christ the Redeemer as the lamp, and the entire holy city is the **diffuser** of the **divine light**; today this diffuser **to spread** the **divine light** is the Body of Christ.

[T]he whole city acts as a diffuser to spread the **divine light** to the whole universe; today the churches should be this way, being **full of light** and spreading the divine light everywhere, to all the people around us! When we enter into the mingled spirit and are in the church meetings, we see all things in the **light of life**; here God **shepherds** us, **cherishes** us, **nourishes** us, and **shines** on us to be the answer that we need.

## Prayer Burden

1. Lord, make us **today's Zion**, the group of overcomers in Your recovery. We want to be the **highlight**, the center and the reality of the church to **build up and consummate** the New Jerusalem. Cause us to be the **vitalized** ones who would make great **resolutions in heart**, overcoming anything that replaces You.

2. **Increase** in us in all things until we attain to a full-grown man. **Mingle** Your divinity more with our humanity until we become a **corporate** person fully **married** and **mingled** together as one entity.

3. Lord, we want to be the **overcomers**. May we **all love** You more than our self and more than our soul-life. May we **take the way** of the church internally, **live in the Body** and in resurrection, to be the means for You to **usher** in the kingdom age.

4. Have mercy on us, Lord, that we would always have a **keen discernment** of Your **presence**. We **enthroned** You in our daily lives that we may experience the **flowing** of the **river of water of life** and the rich **supply** of the **tree of life**.

5. Lord, **revive** us every morning. May we become **partakers, enjoyers**, of the divine nature and **enjoy** God as the Spirit, as **love**, and as **light**. **Teach** us to **spend** an adequate time in the morning with You that we may become persons **full of light and love**.

6. Thank You, Lord for Your **life-releasing death** and Your **life-dispensing** resurrection. May we have a daily experience of Your subjective death and the **power of Your resurrection** that our natural life, "I" will **remain crucified** on the cross all the time.

7. Please pray for:

### Canada

- The YP Spring Conference in **Calgary** on March 29 - 31, 2019; Conference in **Edmonton** on May 3-5, 2019

### Israel

- Pray for brother "M" a native Israeli who received the Lord and prayed; a young man "E" from Golan Heights to open his heart to receive the Lord

### Europe

- The Spring Weekend **Retreats** at the Bower House, London on 16, 23, and 30 March and April 6
- The **raising up** of the Lord's **testimony** in major cities in Europe, including **Lisbon**, Portugal; **Vienna**, Austria; **Sofia**, Bulgaria; **Thessaloniki**, Greece; **Zagreb**, Croatia; **Belgrade** and **Novi Sad**, Serbia; **Geneva** and **Zurich**, Switzerland; **Bilbao**, Spain; **Amsterdam** and **Rotterdam**, the Netherlands; and **Tirana**, Albania.
- Brexit - Lord rule over the UK's withdrawal from the EU, we pray that the saints from other parts of Europe will still be able to come to the UK for trainings and conferences.

8. Please pray for the church in **Regina**

- Pray for the **increase** of meeting ones and to gain local saints.
- For the purchase of a lot **property** for the church
- The children, YP and College work
- Home meeting with the Aquino family
- Brother Dindo and family to get settled permanently here in Canada.

## LIFE-STUDY OF 2 CORINTHIANS

"One Life-Study a Day Makes One Holy"

### Message 36 - A New Creation in Christ Becoming God's Righteousness Through the Second Step of Reconciliation (1)

March 04, 2019, 2018, Monday

Now we can see how four important matters are connected. The **ambition to please the Lord** is **connected** to the **aspiration to have a resurrected body**. **Living to the Lord** is **related** to being **ambitious to please the Lord**. If we do not live to the Lord, we cannot please Him. **If we would make the Lord happy, we must live to Him. In order to live to the Lord, we must put our natural being to death**. Then we shall be able to please Him. If we have such a living, we shall certainly be a **new creation**, a person living in the spirit, in the inward man. Therefore, the aspiration to have a transfigured body is **connected** to the ambition to please the Lord, the ambition to please the Lord is **connected** to living to the Lord, and living to the Lord is **connected** to being a new creation. (Excerpt from the Life-Study of 2 Corinthians, chapter 36, section 3)

### Message 37 - A New Creation in Christ Becoming God's Righteousness Through the Second Step of Reconciliation (2)

March 05, 2019, Tuesday

The blessings of God can be found in the Holy Place, but God Himself is in the Holy of Holies. In the Holy Place are the blessings of the Spirit, the lampstand, and the incense altar. But in the Holy Place there is not the direct presence of God. **In order to have God Himself, we must be reconciled further and come into the Holy of Holies. We must take the second step of reconciliation to be brought into the presence of God**. This is full reconciliation. This reconciliation brings us not only out of sin, but also out of the flesh, the natural man, the natural being. Then we are brought to God and become one with Him. (Excerpt from the Life-Study of 2 Corinthians, chapter 37, section 2)

### Message 38 - The Mingling of Divinity with Humanity

March 06, 2019, Wednesday

It is very important for us to realize that **every genuine Christian, every bona fide believer in Christ, is a person undergoing the mingling of the divine life and nature with the human life and nature. The divine life is not only mingled with our human life, but it is mingling with it**. As a result, we are divine human beings. We may also say that we are human divine beings. This is why we say that Christians are God-men. Our life is the life of a God-man, and our living, as indicated by the ephod composed of golden and linen thread, is a living of divinity mingled with humanity. Our spiritual clothing is not only linen; it is also golden. We have gold and linen woven into one garment. This is our conduct, our behavior, our character, our living. (Excerpt from the Life-Study of 2 Corinthians, chapter 38, section 2)

### Message 39 - The Ministers of the New Covenant (8)

March 07, 2019, Thursday

**To work together with God means that we are in Him**. When we are in Him, we can bring others into Him. Only a person who is in God can bring others into God. If you are not in Him, you certainly cannot bring anyone else into Him. Our closeness to God is the measure of the result of our work. If we are far away from God, we cannot bring others close to Him. The extent to which we can bring others to God and into God is always measured by where we are with respect to God. **If we are those who are one with God, then we can bring others to the very place where we are. Therefore, if we want to bring others into the Lord, we must first be in Him ourselves**. The more we are in Him, the more we can reconcile others into Him. May this matter be deeply impressed upon us! (Life-Study of 2 Corinthians, chapter 39, section 3)

### Message 40 - The Ministers of the New Covenant (9)

March 08, 2019, Friday

All people, the rich and the poor alike, have troubles. If as ministers of the new covenant we would help others in their suffering, how can we avoid suffering? We cannot be an exception. Instead, we must suffer and eventually experience long suffering. Never think that as a minister you can avoid suffering. You will have some joy in your married life or family life, but you will also have suffering, probably more suffering than joy. Actually, a new covenant minister suffers more than others do. **As a minister, he is one who should live a proper human life as the Lord Jesus did. The Lord suffered more than anyone else**. To live a genuine human life is to suffer. Human life is a life not mainly of enjoyment but of suffering. The more we live a human life to minister Christ to others, the more we shall suffer. Hence, we need the qualification of long suffering. (Excerpt from the Life-Study of 2 Corinthians, chapter 40, section 3)

## ANNOUNCEMENTS and SCHEDULE OF MEETINGS:

1. The sister's meeting this afternoon, March 10, 2019, is at Sister Malou's place at 3pm.
2. Churching in Lloydminster will be on March 24, 2019
3. The deadline for registration for the YP Conference in Calgary is today, March 10, 2019.