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ANG DIYOS NA MANLIKHA AT DIYOS NG SALIN-LAHI



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Nagkaroon ng pagpaparangal sa mga anak ng mga kapatiran na nagtapos ng ibat-ibang antas ng pag-aaral. at nakatanggap ang bawat isa ng certificate. Kasabay rin na pinarangalan ang 3 top notchers ng quiz na ginagawa every Sunday dito sa Sumida. Tulad ng pangako ng Diyos na ang “umiibig sa kanya ay pagpapalain hanggang sa kaapu-apuhan” (Exo.20:6). Kaya’t inaani na ng mga magulang ang biyayang mula sa Diyos sa pagtapos ng kanilang mga anak. Naging panauhing taga-pagsalita rin sa nakaraang prayer meeting si P. Edward Galang na isang missionary from Hongkong, na dinaluhan ng mga kapatiran nating nagbuhat pa sa ibat-ibang outreaches. At tunay na napagpala ang bawat isa sa mensahe niyang “Better Future” (Prov. 3:1-6). At nagkaroon din ng masaganang pagsasalo-salo sa isang koen na malapit sa Church, sa ilalim ng mga puno ng sakura habang pinagmamasdan ang kagandahan ng nilikha ng Diyos (Gen. 1:11-12) ay napuno ng kasiyahan ang bawat isa. Umuwing mga pagod ngunit may mga ngiti sa mga labi na nagpaalaman ang bawat isa. Sa Diyos ang papuri!!!

WELCOME/ Sa iyo na kauna-unahan naming nakadaupang-palad, malugod ka naming tinatanggap sa pamilya ng Jesus Our Banner Church. Kung ika’y wala pang kinabibilangang fellowship, maari mong i-consider ang JOB Church!

EAGLE CHRISTIAN

PASTOR'S DESK

P. Abner de Guzman



1. Living Life With Purpose-Job 39:27-29 eagle fly at God's command meaning they live at God's design and purposes. - clear vision -The eagle

can see a rabbit from two miles in the air. It can see two miles in any direction. **Eagles have the best eyesight of any bird.**- They fly high in the sky to seek out their prey. It is the same with us - the higher we go in God, the more we can discern and see spiritually. Eagle Christians are visionaries with commitment. They have spiritual perception or vision. **Helen Keller - "To have eyes and have no vision would be worse than being blind."** Proverbs 18:21 says - "Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, **HAPPY is he"**

2. Looking Through God's Eyes-

Another interesting item concerning the eagle is that he has two sets of eyelids. He has a ridge that overhangs the eye and is able to protect the eagle from injury when catching its prey. He is also able to look through this second lens (like expensive sunglasses) and look directly into the sun. It allows the eagle to fly right into the sun without being blinded by it. However, if you took an airplane - you were able to rise above the clouds and the sun would be shining. You and I need eyes that rise above the problems of life and that can look to God in the heavens and focus on what God wants for our life! **2 Cor.**

4:18- "So we fix our eyes not on what is seen, but on what is unseen. For what is seen is temporary, but what is unseen is eternal".

3. Learning to Focused-With its huge talons, an eagle is capable of grabbing a very large fish or animal for dinner. Diving down at those incredible speeds, he spots that big fish swimming near the surface, or that rabbit that is running on the ground. It is interesting... The eagle can usually carry 2 x's his weight. If we are going to soar as an eagle when need to learn how to wait on God's direction or voice. **Isaiah 40:31 "But those who wait on the Lord Shall renew their strength; They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and not be weary, They shall walk and not faint."**

Eagles are not easily distracted. Once the eagle sets its sight on its prey ("desire"), it is never distracted by anything. The eagle has great concentration. They never give up, they are being refresh by the heat of the rock and the sun. Like us, Jesus is our rock, Christian eagles abide always upon the rock. Amen!!!



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DO NOT ABANDON YOUR SHEEP

John 10:7-13

SUNDAY WORD

Bro. Ed Sumilong

Isaiah

49:15 says

that "Can a

mother forget the bay at her breast and have no compassion on the child she has borne? Though she may forget, I will not forget you.

What is abandon?- it means to give up or to leave. Living in Japan was so expensive especially if you have a family. I have personally experienced the hardship of living here with my family. Sometimes we are thinking of bringing back our only daughter to her grandmother so that we can concentrate more on our work and earn money for our future. But the pain of living apart from each other is what we can not bear, so we decided not to pursue for that plan but rather stay together as a family.

1. Jesus said "I am the good shepherd" (John 10:11) The shepherd is a figure who represent;
 - a. Faithfulness- giving life for the sheep (v. 11)
 - b. Compassion- I have other sheep that are not of the sheep pen. I must bring them also. (v.16)
 - c. Guidance- He will come in and go out and find pasture. (v.9)...
Prov.11:14
 - d. Protection- no one can take it from me. (v.18)

...John 17:11, 15

e. Faithfulness- firm in commitment...Psalms 145:13,9- Mat.14:14-16

Jesus made His prayer for His disciples in John 17:11,15... saying "I will remain in the world no longer but they are still in the world and I am coming to you Holy Father, protect them by the power of your name- the name you gave me-so that they may be one as we are one.(v.11)My prayer is not that you take them out of the world but that you protect them from the evil one.(v.15) The Lord exemplifies His deep concern to His sheep for continues protection by his Father even though He will leave the world for the meantime. Jesus really demonstrated to us how he cares for the sheep especially those who are in need. As steward of God's flock let us be faithful always in serving the sheep in all humility.

We are inviting everyone to join the coming anniversary of **JOB** "MATSUDO" on April 27, 2008

SCHEDULE

Worship Service

Kawaguchi JR Station West Exit
Call P. Rosely Hirao (03)3917-4816 or 090-2452-9663

Sumida-Ku, Tokyo

Sundays, 10:00-12:30, 4-4-5 Tachibana (near at Omurai Station.) Call P. Connie Ozaki (03) 5608 3863

Kami-Fukuoka-shi, Saitama-ken

Sundays, 10:00-12:30 p.m., Kami-Fukuoka Kaikan
Call P. Jun Imperial 090 9816-9848

Chiba-Ken, Matsudo Shi

Sundays, 10:00 a.m., Kita-Matsudo 2-1-3 Nakazato Bldg. 3rd floor; Call P. Elmer Fujiwara (0480) 255710 or 080-3486-6348

Numazu-shi, Shizuoka-ken

Sundays, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Bunka Center Numazu Shi Call P. Vangie Komatsu (090-9684-4552) (055) 968-2119

Fuji, Shizuoka-ken

Sundays, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00a.m., 2/F La Hall Fuji-Shi, Shizuoka Ken Call: P. Evelyn Kato 054-5640602 or 090 6089 0336

Niigata City, Niigata-ken

Sundays, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Ongaku Bunka Kaikan or Niigata City Community Center; Call P. Evelyn Nakamura (025) 281-43-64

Maki-Yoshida, Niigata-ken

Kawaguchi-shi, Saitama-ken
Sundays, 10:00-12:00,
Kami-AokiKaikan

Sundays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., Call P. Tess Chiyozawa (0256) 720 814

Gosen-shi, Niigata-ken

Sundays, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.
Call P. Berna Takemura 0250-431-468 or 080-6516-9267

Shibata-shi, Niigata-ken

Sundays 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. 747 Shimohanezu, Shibata-shi, Niigata-ken Call P. Liezel Senuma (025) 2708138 or 090-8617-9391

Sado Island

Sundays, 12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.
Seshonen Home Kaikan Call Sis. Ella Doki (0259-232-965) or P. Sally Imai (090-8619-2105)/(0250- 422- 778)

Fukui-ken

Sundays, 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Echizen Shi, Shibahara 2 Chome 2-5 Call Sis. Neth Miwa (077) 8652706 / 090 1394 0413

Nagaoka-Ojiya

Sundays, 9:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.
Sanraku Ojiya Call P. Evelyn Kato (025) 287-6698 or 090-2840-1965

Shizuoka-Shi, Shizuoka Ken

Sundays, 1:00 p.m to 4:00 p.m. Tambayan Rest. Ikeda Bldg. 9-10 Shichiken-Cho 3rd floor Call Sis. Harriette "Mona" Sato 090-3968-8622

Tokorozawa-Shi, Saitama-ken

Sundays 10:00 a.m to 12:00 p.m., Kami-Arai Kouminkan Call Sis. Emma Sasaki 090-2140-2110



MENSAHE PARA SA IYO

Mahal ka ng Diyos at nais Niyang malaman at maranasan mo ito. **SINASABI NG BIBLIA: ROMA 3:23** Lahat ay nagkasala. **ROMA 6:23** Ngunit may libreng kaloob Siyang buhay na walang hanggan. **ROMA 5:8** Sa kabila ng ating pagiging makasalanan inialay ni Hesus ang Kanyang buhay para sa iyo. **ROMA 10:9-10** Ipahayag mo ng may pananampalataya sa iyong puso na si Hesus ay Panginoon mo't Tagapaglig-

tas. **ROMA 10:13** Anyayahan mo Siya sa iyong buhay ngayon.

PAANYAYANG PANALANGIN: "O Diyos, inaamin ko pong akoy nagkasala sa iyo. Patawarin mo po ako. Binubuksan ko ang aking puso at tinatanggap kita, Hesus bilang Panginoon at Tagapagligtas. Amen."