



FAMILY CHURCH WORSHIP PLAN

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OIKOS EVANGELISM LIST

“... Pray, but ask God to open a door for us to preach, that we may tell the mystery of Christ...” [Colossians 4:3]

	NAME	RELATIONSHIP	METHOD OF CONDUCTION	SPIRITUAL LEVEL	NOTE
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Level 1) able to commit Level 2) open to the Gospel Level 3) open to Evangelists
Level 4) knows about Christianity but is negative Level 5) don't know anything about Christianity

PRAYER FOR HOUSE CHURCH

“...If two of you agree about anything, it will be done for them by my Father in heaven” [Matthew 18:19]

	NAME	PRAYER REQUEST
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PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH

- For Pastor, Paul Gihong Han's ministry, health, and family
- For missionaries' GMI ministry, health, and families
- For church and ministries/events
 - The 4th Thousand days Special Early Morning Prayer Meeting (1/22/2024~10/17/2026)
 - Aaron and Hull Intercession Prayer Night & Shepherds' Revival (10/28, 8:00pm)
 - Hallelujah Night(10/31) - Christian movie viewing(11/1, 5:30pm)
 - Multi-ethnic union prayer meeting(11/2, 4:00pm, VC) - Meeting of Common Councils and Heads of Departments(11/13) - Jesus Healing Hands Ministry(11/13, 6:00pm) - Thanksgiving Special Dawn Revival(11/17~22)



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4th of October: The Weight of the Name We Must Bear (1 Timothy 6:11-12)

■ Welcome

Let's share our memories of autumn foliage. Also, share how God touched you through Grace Time this week.

■ Text: 1 Timothy 6:11-12

But you, man of God, flee these things and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance, and gentleness. Fight the good fight of faith. Take hold of eternal life, to which you were called when you made the good confession in the presence of many witnesses.

■ Introduction

Paul refers to Timothy, his spiritual son and pastor of the church in Ephesus, as “God’s man,” using the highest title a Christian can receive.

In the New Testament, this title “God’s man” is mentioned only once more besides this passage.

(2 Timothy 3:17) “so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work.”

“Man of God” refers to “every mature Christian” who is made complete to do every good work. Yet God seeks out us, flawed and error-prone as we are, and calls us, “You, man of God!” Naturally, we must respond worthily to His call by living a holy life distinct from the way the world lives. Being a man of God means belonging to God. It means we must be Christians who live up to that name.

What does it mean to live as a true human being? It means living with a clear sense of self-identity. ‘Self-identity’ refers to consistently understanding and recognizing who one truly is. Believers must understand the meaning behind the name God has called them by, possess an unshakable identity, and fulfill their proper role accordingly.

■ Observation Question: What name must we bear, and how should we live for it?

Answer 1. Believers must live with the identity of being ‘God’s people’.



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Believers must bear the weight of the name “God’s people” and fulfill the mission entrusted to them by God. Only then can they keep the faith to the end and complete the race of faith. Those who do what God hates, those who live according to the world’s values, can never be God’s people.

[Example of Pastor Charles Spurgeon of 19th-century England] A pastor who smoked.

The world Paul describes to Timothy in verse 5 thinks of faith as a means to personal gain. Verse 10 also states that some have abandoned the faith due to greed for money. Therefore, in verse 11, Paul tells Timothy, as a man of God, to avoid these things and instead pursues what he should follow.

The word translated as “follow” in verse 11 carries the meaning of “to pursue relentlessly” or “to chase down.” It is not merely about following, but about relentlessly pursuing and following the object of one’s pursuit to the end. Thus, it urges us not to yield to the things that lead us away from faith, but to overcome them.

Believers must live lives worthy of the name “God’s people.”

❁ Application Question 1

- 1) Share how your life has changed since believing in Jesus.
- 2) What spiritual habits should I cultivate to maintain faith as God’s person until the end?

Answer 2. Six Virtues God’s People Should Pursue (verse 11)

The things God’s people should pursue and follow, as Paul said, are righteousness and godliness, faith and love, patience and gentleness.

1. **Righteousness** is the uprightness of a Christian saved by the merit of Jesus Christ’s cross before God.
2. **Godliness** is the right attitude and conduct toward God.
3. **Faith** is believing that God is alive and entrusting oneself to God to the very end.
4. **Love** is devotion that puts others first.
5. **Patience** is the resolve to uphold faith and devotion without despair, even in hardship.
6. **Gentleness** is humbling oneself and yielding.

In Matthew, the gentleness Jesus spoke of means “to humble oneself and yield.” To “humble oneself” means to deny one’s own existence, including one’s thoughts, will, and emotions. It means filling that space where one has denied oneself solely with the will and word of the almighty God.

Each of us knows what we lack among these six things we must pursue as God’s peo-



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ple. You will know what you must pray for and pursue more earnestly. If there is any lack before God who calls you His own, pray. And pursue relentlessly what you perceive as lacking for a life made complete to do every good work.

❁ Application Question 2

- 1) Let’s share what we feel is our weakest area among the six virtues, as well as what we desire to develop further, and take time to pray for one another.

Answer 3. God’s people must fight the good fight of faith (verse 12).

The word “fight” in verse 12 refers to a contest held in an arena or a battle on the battlefield. Both athletic competitions and wars are things that cannot be taken lightly if one is to win. Likewise, the good fight of faith is an unavoidable battle that must not be taken lightly. For it is the mission entrusted to us by the Lord to fight and defend the truth to the very end.

It also says, “**Take hold of eternal life.**” Timothy was the senior pastor of the church in Ephesus. Why did Paul say this to Timothy, who had already obtained eternal life? Possessing something and living to enjoy and delight in what we possess can be different. It is clear that Timothy already possessed eternal life. Even so, Paul exhorts Timothy to grasp it, to hold it fast, to seize it. It means to make the life of eternal life completely his own, to enjoy it, and to relish it to the fullest.

Giving glory to God means fulfilling the work of faith, labor of love, and endurance of hope through devotion to Christ. The weight of being called God’s people must become the driving force propelling the rest of your lives for God’s glory. The strength to rise again where we faltered, in the midst of a wilderness where tomorrow seems invisible, comes from the faith that God is with us.

In 2 Timothy 4:7, **Paul confesses at the end of his life: ‘I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.’**

Ultimately, Paul is declaring victory in the good fight of faith. We pray that you too may live a victorious life through this good fight of faith.

❁ Application Question 3

- 1) What ‘battle of faith’ am I fighting right now?
- 2) How do I resolve to prepare for the end of my life so that, like Paul, I can confess that I “kept the faith”?