



"The entrance of thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding unto the simple" (Ps 119:130).

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**2015:
The Year of
Fruitbearing**

John 15:16
"...I have chosen you, and ordained you...go and bring forth fruit..."

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PASTOR REUBEN'S "DO AND TEACH" CONFERENCES YIELD WONDERFUL RESULTS

"Those things, which ye have both learned, and received, and heard, and seen in me, do: and the God of peace shall be with you" (Phil 4:9).

"And we have confidence in the Lord touching you, that ye both do and will do the things which we command you" (2 Thes 3:4).

"But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves" (James 1:22). "The former treatise have I made, O Theophilus, of all that Jesus began both to do and teach" (Acts 1:1).

A Word from the PASTOR



which featured the lectures of Pastor Reuben, were received happily by the pastors and church leaders who attended. Many of them even commented that while the lectures were indeed true teachings and practices of early churches in the New Testament, they have not been given emphasis in today's churches.

Pastor Reuben continues to go around Biblical Baptist Churches conducting these lectures. Tomorrow, Monday, he will be at the Lighthouse BBC Marikina from 9AM to 5PM. Do pray for these worthy endeavors.

From the time the Lighthouse Bible Baptist Church started as a work of God, we have been settled in the fact that we are a church that does what have been handed down to us by the Lord Jesus including the writers (Apostles and prophets) and churches of the New Testament. As Tatay often said whenever he would lecture on Baptist Distinctives, Biblical Baptist Churches are known for our Doctrines and Practices identified with the Apostles and churches in the New Testament.

The Do and Teach conferences which were hosted by the Lighthouse BBC Olongapo and the Bible Baptist Church Barani, Ilocos Norte last Monday and Thursday, and

NOTICE THAT OUR NEW OFFERING ENVELOPES INCLUDE DESIGNATED OFFERINGS FOR THE LIGHTHOUSE STEP OF FAITH 2. BE INVOLVED IN THIS PROJECT FAITHFULLY AND REGULARLY.



The Lighthouse District 4 members complete their presentation with the Tagalog adaptation of the song, Great Is Thy Faithfulness.

**Second Quarter Focus :
Bearing the Fruit of the Knowledge of God**

"...neither be barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ..." (2 Pet 1:8).

"Unto Him be glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Amen" (Eph. 3:21)

TITLE : THE SUBMISSION AND OBEDIENCE OF THE EKKLESIA
Text/x : Eph 5:21; 6:1-18

INTRODUCTION

Chapter 5:21 clearly teaches members of the Ekklesia should submit themselves to one another in the fear of God and that how the wife is subject to her husband in everything, so the Ekklesia should be subject to Christ in everything (24).

We are often taught in Lighthouse BBC that the best traits of an Ekklesia are submission and obedience to Christ. In this lesson, we are shown some good examples of these traits applied in the home, in work and in the military.

A) Example in the home

- 1) The child is to honor and obey his/her parents. This is a command that crosses both the Old and New Testaments. See Ex 20:12; Deut 5:16; Mal 1:6; Mt 15:4; 19:19. Both Samson and Absalom are sad warnings to those who would disobey this command. See Jdg 14:1-3; 2 Sam 15:1-12; 2 Sam 18:15.
- 2) The parents are to discipline, instruct and admonish the children. See Prov 13:24; 19:18; 22:15; 23:13,14; 29:15, 17; Deut 6:6; Heb 12:9-10.

B) Example in work places

- 1) Servants are to serve their masters as they would serve Christ. See Col 3:22; 1 Tim 6:1-2; Titus 2:9-10; 1 Pet 2:18-21; Mal 1:6.
- 2) Masters are to treat their servants as they would treat Christ. Both are to keep in mind that their "Master also is in heaven; neither is there respect of person within Him" (6:9). See Deut 24:14-15; Lev 19:13; Col 4:1; James 5:4.

C) Example in the lives of soldiers

- 1) The strength of the soldier
Eph 6:10, "Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might."
- 2) The preparation of the soldier
Eph 6:11, "Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil."

- 3) The firmness and discipline of the soldier
Eph 6:13-14, "Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness."
- 4) The responsibility of the soldier
Eph 6:12, "...we wrestle ...against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.
Eph 6:18, "Praying always with all prayer and supplication in the Spirit, and watching thereunto with all perseverance and supplication for all saints."



Top photo, Senator Alan Peter Cayetano entertains a question during the forum last Monday where he talked about the Bangsamoro Basic Law (BBL). Lower photos, Pastor Reuben speaks at the conferences in Lighthouse BBC Olongapo and BBC, Barani, Ilocos Norte.

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