

SUNDAY 07/21/24

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WELCOME TO Jubilee . . Christian Centre Fresh starts. Good friends. Real purpose

We honor you...if it's your first visit or you have been here on several occasions. We believe you are a gift from God and strive to provide:

- -A warm welcome
- -Biblical teaching
- -Uplifting music

Know that we are here to help you know







A Five-Week VBS Session

Thursdays / June 27 - August 2

(no class on Thursday, July 4)

10:00 am — 2:00 pm Pre-school through 6 th grade Register at dperez0609@gmail.com





CELEBRATE RECOVERY

Instructor: Deb Perez Next. Class: Thursday, July 25 7:00 p.m.

OPERATION TAISHA

For the next 30-45 days, we will gather used clothing for needy children in Taisha, Ecuador (Amazon Jungle), sizes 4-12. You can help by collecting clothes, or if you want to help pay for shipping mark your donation, "Taisha", online or in person.



GDREAM GOD'S GDREAM

Jul 07 » Dream God's Dream: Discover Your Mission in Life Jul 14 » Make Assets of Your Liabilities: Persevere Past the Limitations Jul 21 » Don't Despise Small Beginnings: Adjust Your Assumptions and Your Motives Jul 28 » You are Never Too Old: Don't Put Limits on What God Can Do

Prayer REQUESTS

SALVATION —	
☐ Walter Miner III ☐ Gearen Family ☐ Tom M. ☐ Stein Family	
Ryan K. Tyler M.	Mandy W. Dave. O
► HEALTH ISSUES —————	
Armando » Back Issues	Walter Miner III. » Health Issues
Mandy W. » Cancer	Zach D. » Sobriety
Merle » Health Issues	Paitn » Return to God
Carlos V. » Health Issues	Meztti » Return to God
Angie & Family » Life Issues	Jeffrey » Healing
Bob A. Healing/Kidney	lvy » Healing
Camilia S. » Cancer/Leg	Angela A. » Healing
Robert G. » Health Issues	M. Smith » Aortal Hernia
Kevin K. » Health Issues	Clarence F. » Knee Rehab
Lucille S. » Health Issues	
Augustin A. » Sobriety	
Yalda Samano » Cancer	

METRICS THAT MATTER (07/14/24)

ATTENDANCE ▶ 33 GIVING ▶ \$915 GUESTS ▶ 0 VOLUNTEERS ▶ 14 DECISIONS FOR CHRIST ▶ 0



Don't Despise Small Beginnings: Adjust Your Assumptions and Your Motives



In the kingdom of God things are seen and measured differently...



IN REGARD TO POSITIONS-

Psalms 37:16 "Less is more and more is less."

Luke 9:48b "For it is the one who is least among you all who is the greatest."

IN REGARD TO ATTITUDES-

Matt 5:1-12 The Beatitudes

IN REGARD TO ABILITY AND RESOURCES-

2 Cor 12:9 "And He said to me, 'My grace is sufficient for you, for My strength is made perfect in weakness.'."

IN REGARD TO FAITH-

Matt 17:20-21 "Truly I tell you, if you have faith as small as a mustard seed, you can say to this mountain, 'Move from here to there,'and it will move. Nothing will be impossible for you."

IN REGARD TO WHOM HE CHOOSES TO USE-

Noah, Moses, Joseph, David, Ruth, Mary, the disciples, etc.

IN OUR WORLD PEOPLE LOOK TO BE THE BEST AND SUGGEED. WE LOOK FOR TITLES AND POSITIONS. WE WANT TO DO MINIMAL WORK WITH THE MAXIMUM REWARD.

But God created us for a much different purpose...

Eph 2:10 "For we are his workmanship, created in Christ Jesus for good works, which God prepared beforehand, that we should walk in them."

This means that God will not open a door before us that He has not already prepared things ahead so that when we take that step through we can just walk into what He has for us!

Story of Rebekah Genesis 24

- · She was in an ordinary place doing her daily routine
- · She was naturally generous
- · She had no idea that he had riches
- · She had no idea what he came to ask of her
- · She received the reward
- She received blessing!!

Perspective: They had travelled over 500 miles.

There were ten camels. Camels can hold between 40-50 gallons of water each. She worked hard that day!!



Going back to Matthew 5: Following The Beatitudes, this chapter gives us several instructions:

V12 Rejoice and be glad V13 Be the salt of the earth V14 Be the Light of the world V20 Live better than the Pharisees V21–48 Murder, adultery, divorce, oaths, eye for an eye, love your enemy

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2 Tim 4:2 "Preach the word; be prepared in season and out of season; (whether the time is favorable or not) correct, rebuke and encourage—with great patience and careful instruction.

Greek word "Eukairos" which means opportunity

- 1. Don't despise the small things
- 2. Don't hold out for the big moments
- 3. Help others

- 4. Do your best and more
- Walk through the doors God opens!

OPERATION Taigha

his is a SUMMER ALERT for Taisha, Ecuador [in the Amazon Jungle]. The monthly average income for Taisha is \$90 per month. This is an extremely poor area. Some of the children have NO CLOTHES...they run around naked.

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Here's what we want to do.

We want to send a small
shipment of used lightweight children's clothing,
T-shirts and shorts, children's sizes
small/medium/large or sizes 4-12.

ver the next 45 days, there will be a collection box in the foyer to help us receive these items. Your help with this project will mean a lot to these families and will let them know that we care for them as our brothers and sisters. If you want to help pay for the container and shipping, you may donate online—mark it "Taisha" or write your check to JCC and indicate "Taisha" in the memo section.

Thanks for your help!

Pastor Boh