

Newsletter from Pastor Paul; tap arrow below to read. Also, come to Service this Sunday; and let your Father God's Family refresh you. Out of town? Tap live link at 10:45am <http://my.itexttoday.net/apps/2323/8833/index.html>

Newsletter 9-17-22  
**Finding Holy Ghost Joy**

Where do we find Joy in a troubled world? In the Holy Ghost! I'm a person that loves people that are full of Joy. So much of the world doesn't even know what real Joy is, because they have never experienced Holy Ghost Joy! I want you to read this Newsletter today, expecting to receive the Joy of the Lord. Let's look at some powerful Scriptures that will release this fruit of the Spirit in our lives.

Nehemiah 8:9-10 NCV Then Nehemiah the governor, Ezra the priest and teacher, and the Levites who were teaching said to all the people, "This is a holy day to the LORD your God. Don't be sad or cry." All the people had been crying as they listened to the words of the Teachings. [10] Nehemiah said, "Go and enjoy good food and sweet drinks. Send some to people who have none, because today is a holy day to the Lord. Don't be sad, because the joy of the LORD will make you strong."

In these verses we see that God wants us to be strong, and God's strength is in God's Joy.

Romans 14:17 KJV For the Kingdom of God is not meat and drink; but righteousness, and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost.

In this verse we see that the Kingdom of God is described as Righteousness, Peace, and Joy in the Holy Ghost. We were put into the Kingdom of God, when we received Jesus; and in that Kingdom, these three things exist. We will talk about one of them today; that is Joy. Sad Christian living is not the Kingdom of God. The devil doesn't want us to live in God's 'Kingdom Park' while we are on the earth. He knows that he can rule a sad Christian, because they are a weak Christian. So God wants us to always be receiving His Joy in our lives. The more you seek His Joy, the more you will find it.

The Holy Ghost, that has been given to us, will administer His Joy, when we receive it by faith. Even when major trouble comes to us, we can stay strong; if we keep God's Joy flowing in us.

James 1:2-3 NCV My brothers and sisters, when you have many kinds of troubles, you should be full of joy, [3] because you know that these troubles test your faith, and this will give you patience.

John 16:20-24 KJV Verily, verily, I say unto you, That ye shall weep and lament, but the world shall rejoice: and ye shall be sorrowful, but your sorrow shall be turned into joy. [21] A woman when she is in travail hath sorrow, because her hour is come: but as soon as she is delivered of the child, she remembereth no more the anguish, for joy that a

man is born into the world. [22] And ye now therefore have sorrow: but I will see you again, and your heart shall rejoice, and your joy no man taketh from you. [23] And in that day ye shall ask Me nothing. Verily, verily, I say unto you, Whatsoever ye shall ask the Father in My Name, He will give it you. [24] Hitherto have ye asked nothing in My Name: ask, and ye shall receive, that your joy may be full.

The devil is trying to stop the Church from winning the lost. He wants us to be sad and discouraged, because he knows that sad people are not attractive people. I've see a lot of physically beautiful people, but many of these people are not attractive; because God's Joy is not operating in them. That person will not draw others to themselves. If people are not drawn to you, you're not going to be able to win them to Jesus. People put on perfume or cologne to try to make themselves more attractive; I encourage you to put on Holy Ghost Joy, and let's go out and win the world to Jesus!

Love you,  
Pastor Paul

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#### This Week's Daily Bible Readings

Monday Job chapter 24

Tuesday Job chapter 25

Wed Job chapter 26

Thurs Job chapter 27

Friday Job chapter 28

Sat Job chapter 29

Sunday Job chapter 30

#### STAY CONNECTED

\*\*Here is our NEW link for The Christian Center app- -

<http://my.itexttoday.net/apps/2323/8833/indexm.html>

#### Sunday Schedule

\* Prayer: 9am Lee Blvd entrance

\* Fellowship in Café 9:15-9:45 am.

\* Services 10:45 am

## Adult, Youth, and Children classes

9:45-10:30 am

Faith Class: -  
Michael Whitley

Foundation 1 Class:-  
Pastor Paul

Foundation 2 Class: -  
Mike Wiggins

Healing Class: -  
Lester/Monica Witherspoon

Marriage Class:-  
Danny/Demetrice Williams

Prayer Class:-  
Joe Cunningham

Children's Sunday School:-  
6 months - 5th grade

Youth Service:-  
6th - 12th grade

Young Singles/College&Career:-  
Eliav/Kim Nash

### REGULAR ACTIVITIES

#### Daily

\* Early Morning Prayer in Sanctuary: Monday-Friday 6:15-7:15am

\* Noonday Bible Study: Mon-Fri 12:15 in Sanctuary or 91.1fm or live stream on TCC app

\* Women's Dance Aerobics: Mon-Wed-Fri 10-11am

#### Weekly

\* Sunday Services: 9:45 am classes; 10:45am Main Service

\* Monday Night Care Group: In Sanctuary under balcony 7pm

\* Wednesday night: Adult and Youth Services 7pm (Youth meet in Youth area)

\* Mobile Prayer: Wed 2-3pm Lee Blvd parking lot; Fri 2-3:30pm Sam's Warehouse

\* Friday Night Prayer: 7pm in Sanctuary under balcony

#### Monthly

\* Men's Meeting: 1st Saturday in Sanctuary 9-11am

\* Crosses at the Corner: 1st Saturday 11am-1am corner of Sheridan and Cache Rd.

\* Women's Meeting: 2nd Saturday 9am in Fellowship Hall

\* Women's Discipleship: 3rd Thursday 5pm in Sanctuary

\* Horse Ministry: 3rd Saturday 10am-1pm at Camp Faith