

Sunday Praise & Worship Service



Order of Service



Bloor Lansdowne Christian Fellowship



11:00 A.M. † January 23, 2011



Announcements:

- ❖ Wednesday 10:30AM BLCF Prayer Room:
Prayer & Bible Study: Book of John
- ❖ Wednesday 6:00-8:00 PM:
BLCF Café Community Dinner
- ❖ Friday 7PM: BLCF Youth

"I tell you, just as you did it to one of the least of these who are members of my family, you did it to me."

-Matthew 25:40



Free Community Dinner



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Matthew 25:35-45

35 For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me something to drink, I was a stranger and you invited me in, **36** I needed clothes and you clothed me, I was sick and you looked after me, I was in prison and you came to visit me.' **37** "Then the righteous will answer him, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry and feed you, or thirsty and give you something to drink?' **38** When did we see you a stranger and invite you in, or needing clothes and clothe you?' **39** When did we see you sick or in prison and go to visit you?' **40** "The King will reply, 'I tell you the truth, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers of mine, you did for me.' **41** "Then he will say to those on his left, 'Depart from me, you who are cursed, into the eternal fire prepared for the devil and his angels. **42** For I was hungry and you gave me nothing to eat, I was thirsty and you gave me nothing to drink, **43** I was a stranger and you did not invite me in, I needed clothes and you did not clothe me, I was sick and in prison and you did not look after me.' **44** "They also will answer, 'Lord, when did we see you hungry or thirsty or a stranger or needing clothes or sick or in prison, and did not help you?' **45** "He will reply, 'I tell you the truth, whatever you did not do for one of the least of these, you did not do for me.'

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Prelude

Announcements & Call to Worship:
Responsive Reading #605 (*Prayer of Penitence*), Prayer

Hymn #158: *I Serve a Risen Saviour*

Choruses

Prayer and Tithing Hymn: *Praise God from Whom All Blessings (flow)*

Scripture Reading

Message by Pastor Joao Alves

Benediction Hymn #318: *When We Walk with the Lord*

1 SINCE GOD PLANNED FOR US TO HAVE PEACE AND THE ABUNDANT LIFE RIGHT NOW, WHY ARE MOST PEOPLE NOT HAVING THIS EXPERIENCE?

2 OUR CHOICE RESULTS IN SEPARATION FROM GOD

3 THERE IS ONLY ONE REMEDY FOR THIS PROBLEM OF SEPARATION.

4 GOD HAS PROVIDED THE ONLY WAY...WE MUST MAKE THE CHOICE

5 ARE YOU HERE... OR HERE?

6

Dear God
I admit I am a sinner and need your forgiveness; I believe that Jesus Christ died in my place paying the penalty for my sins. I am willing right now to turn from my sin and accept Jesus Christ as my personal Saviour and Lord. I commit myself to you and ask you to send the Holy Spirit into my life, to fill me and take control, and to help me become the kind of person you want me to be. Thank you Father for loving me. In Jesus' name.

Amen

GOD'S FOUR STEPS TO SALVATION

- **Step 1** to this Discovery is recognizing GOD'S DESIGN ABUNDANT LIFE
 God loves you and desires that you experience Joy, Peace, and the Abundant life. This life is in God's only begotten Son, Jesus Christ Our Lord!

The Bible Says... *John 3:16* For God so loved the world, that he gave his only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, But have Everlasting Life.
John 11:25 Jesus Said unto her, I am the resurrection, and the life: He that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live.
John 10:10I am come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly.

What keeps most people from experiencing the Joy, Peace, and the Abundant Life that God has planned for them?

- **Step 2** is Recognizing MAN'S PROBLEM - SEPERATION FROM GOD!
 God Created man in HIS own image and made him a free mortal agent. God Didn't want Robots worshipping him but gave them Freedom of Choice. Man made the choice to disobey God. Man's rebellion against God is called Sin. Man then is a Sinner by Will and Freedom of Choice.

Man willfully choose to disobey God and go his own Selfish ways! Man still makes this Choice today. This results in SEPERATION FROM GOD, in HELL FOREVER!
 The Bible Says... *Romans 3:23* For all have Sinned and Come short of the Glory of God.
Romans 6:23 For the wages of Sin is Death; But the gift of God is Eternal Life through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Man through the Years has tried to Bridge this Gap for Many Years Without Success... There is Only one Solution to this Problem of Separation.

- **Step 3** is Recognizing GOD'S SOULUTION - THE CROSS!
 The Bible Says... *Ephesians 2:8,9* For by Grace are ye saved through faith; and it is not of yourselves: it is a gift of God: Not of works, lest any man should boast.
 God has provided in Jesus Christ the ONLY way of salvation... Man must make the choice to receive God's Solution.

- **Step 4** is MAN'S RESPONSE -A RECIEVE CHRIST AS PERSONAL SAVIOR
 We all must trust in THE LORD JESUS CHRIST! and Receive him into Our hearts by inviting him into our Hearts Personally.

The Bible Says...
Romans 10:13 For whosoever shall call on the name of the Lord shall be saved.
 Is there any good reason why you cannot receive Jesus Christ as your Own personal Lord and Savior?

Our Lord JESUS CHRIST is the ONLY SOLUTION to this problem of separation from God. When our Lord Jesus Christ Died on the Cross, He paid the Penalty for all our Sins and Bridged the Gap from GOD to man

- What you must do!
1. Admit your need (I am a Sinner)
 2. Be willing to turn from Sin (Repent)
 3. Believe that Jesus Christ Died for you (On the Cross)
 4. Through Prayer, Receive his as Personal Lord and Savior

A Suggested Prayer of Commitment

Dear Father God, I know that I am a Sinner and need your Forgiveness.
 I believe that your Son Jesus Christ Died in my Place, Paying the Penalty for all my Sins. I am willing to turn away from Sin.
 I now invite Jesus Christ to come into my Heart and Life as my own Personal Savior.
 I am willing by your Help to Follow and Obey Jesus Christ as the Lord of My Life!