

The Church in New York City

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **2023 July Semi-Annual Training (Cont. till July 16)**

The July 2023 Semi-Annual Video Training, which will be on **An Overview of the Central Burden and Present Truth of the Lord's Recovery before His Appearing**, will continue being held online via Zoom.

Schedule for Video Training Session:

Lord's Table, 10:00 AM, Sun, Jul 9
Message 7, 11:00 AM, Sun, Jul 9 (Open Meeting)

Message 8, 7:30 PM, Thu, Jul 13
Message 9, 7:30 PM, Fri, Jul 14
Message 10, 10:00 AM, Sat, Jul 15
Message 11, 7:00 PM, Sat, Jul 15
Lord's Table, 10:00 AM, Sun, Jul 16
Message 12, 11:00AM, Sun, Jul 16 (Open Meeting)

Schedule for Review/Study Session (open to all the saints):

Review Messages 1-3, 7:30 PM, Mon, Jul 10
Review Messages 4-6, 7:30 PM, Wed, Jul 12
Review Messages 7-10, 4:00-5:30 PM, Sat, Jul 15

Semiannual Training Key Statements

- I. The "diamond" in the "box" of the Bible is the revelation that in Christ God has become man in order that man might become God in life and in nature but not in the Godhead for the building up of the Body of Christ to consummate the New Jerusalem.
- II. The divine and mystical realm into which we may enter today and in which we may live is actually not simply the divine and mystical realm of the Triune God; it is the diving and

mystical realm of the consummated Spirit and the pneumatic Christ.

- III. To abide in Christ, taking Him as our dwelling place, and to allow Him to abide in us, taking us as His dwelling place, are to live in the reality of the universal incorporation of the processed and consummated Triune God with the redeemed and regenerated believers.
- IV. The New Jerusalem is a composition of divinity and humanity mingled, blended, and built up together as one entity; all the components have the same life, nature, and constitution and thus are a corporate person – the bride, the wife of the Lamb.

- **2023 Northeast Summer School of Truth (July 30-August 10)**

The registration details for the 2023 Northeast Summer School of Truth are as follows:

TOPIC: Lesson Book **Level 4: Knowing and Experiencing Life**

Dates:

High School (Grades: 9th to 12th grade in September 2023) - July 30 - August 6
Middle School (Grades: 7th to 8th grade in September 2023) - August 6 - August 10

LOCATION: Kingston Penuel Christian Center (KPCC) also known as Camp Penuel

Cost:

Rates	Adult	College	Young People
High School	\$460	\$390	\$320
Middle School	\$330	\$280	\$230

Due date: Monday, July 10, 2022.

For registration and more information, please visit the website: www.pursuewiththose.org or fellowship with the young people's serving ones in your district.

- **2023 Church in NYC's Family Bible Camp**

The dates for the 2023 Family Bible Camp are as follows:

1. **July 22, Sat.** – Two day-camps in halls 1 & 6 locally
2. **August 17-19, Thur. to Sat.** - In-person camp in KPCC, 288 Hickory Bush Rd, Kingston, NY 12401

This time will be open to rising Kindergartners to 5th graders (rising 6th graders and young people can be helpers). Please save the dates and stay tuned for details and a registration link.

- **Service Office Hours**

Due to the many activities this summer, Service Office Hours will be suspended until after Labor Day.

PRAYER BURDENS

- The July semiannual training in Anaheim and the local video trainings—The general subject of the training is ***An Overview of the Central Burden and Present Truth of the Lord's Recovery before His Appearing***. Let us pray for the Lord's anointing on the speaking of the messages, the speaking brothers, the health and protection of all the saints, and the services supporting the training, particularly the audio and visual service, both in Anaheim and in all of the localities carrying out a video training
- The ongoing shepherding of the newly saved 5th and 6th graders
- The strengthening of all the church meetings and practical services this week
- All the other summer activities:
 - a. The North American College Training
 - b. The Chinese-speaking Perfecting Training
 - c. The Summer School of Truth
 - d. The Family Bible Camp
- The Lord's move all over the earth:

- a. Thanksgiving to the Lord for providing the saints in São Paulo, Brazil and in Washington, DC with new meeting halls; both localities celebrated their first Lord's Day meetings in their new halls within this past month
 - b. The need for meeting halls in Munich and Stuttgart, Germany and in Malaga, Spain
- The various needs of the saints both locally and in other localities (e.g. physical and emotional, health-related, job-related, family-related, etc.)

MORNING WATCH VERSES

2023 JULY SEMIANNUAL TRAINING - An Overview of the Central Burden and Present Truth of the Lord's Recovery before His Appearing

Message 12: The New Jerusalem

Revelation 21: 1-7

21:1 And I saw a new heaven and a new earth; for the first heaven and the first earth passed away, and the sea is no more.

21:2 And I saw the holy city, New Jerusalem, coming down out of heaven from God, prepared as a bride adorned for her husband.

21:3 And I heard a loud voice out of the throne, saying, Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and He will tabernacle with them, and they will be His peoples, and God Himself will be with them and be their God.

21:4 And He will wipe away every tear from their eyes; and death will be no more, nor will there be sorrow or crying or pain anymore; for the former things have passed away.

21:5 And He who sits on the throne said, Behold, I make all things new. And He said, Write, for these words are faithful and true.

21:6 And He said to me, They have come to pass. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the Beginning and the End. I will give to him who thirsts from the spring of the water of life freely.

21:7 He who overcomes will inherit these things, and I will be God to him, and he will be a son to Me.