

The Church in New York City

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Regional Conference (Oct. 24-26)**

We will have a regional conference with Brother Ed Marks over the weekend of **October 24-26**. The meetings will be held at the Jamaica Estates meeting hall (Hall 1) located at 87-60 Chevy Chase Street, Jamaica Estates, NY 11432. Translation will be provided in Spanish, Korean and Chinese.

Conference schedule:

Message 1: Friday, Oct. 24, 7:30pm

Message 2: Saturday, Oct. 25, 10am

Message 3: Saturday, Oct. 25, 4pm

Lord's Table Meeting: Oct. 26, 10am

Message 4: Lord's Day, Oct. 26, 10:55am

(Please note there is no meeting on Saturday evening)

Hospitality Service Announcement:

There are a limited number of hospitality spaces available upon request. A list of nearby hotels can also be provided upon request.

Please submit your requests to serviceoffice@churchinnyc.org.

Details will be posted on the church website www.churchinnyc.org and on the church App.

- **The Fall College Retreat (Nov. 7 - 9th)**

The 2025 Fall College Retreat for the students in NY, NJ, and Eastern PA will be held on the weekend of November 7 to 9th at Camp Penuel (KPCC).

Registration is now open and details can be found in the following form:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1-jD9K6TeFYx56Cz-9MGLq6IXGSohH67KNRxcgwUF_Exg/preview

- **Registration for the 2025 December Semiannual Training**

Registration for the 2025 December Semiannual Training has begun. Please submit your registration for both the Live Training in Anaheim, CA and the Video Training by filling out the online form: <http://bit.ly/nycregistration>. The due date for registration is **Nov. 1, 2025**.

- **2025 International Thanksgiving Blending Conference (Nov. 27 – 30)**

The 2025 International Thanksgiving Blending Conference will be held in **Indianapolis, IN** from **Thursday, Nov. 27 through Lord's Day, Nov. 30**. For more details, please visit LSM website at: <https://www.lsm.org/pdfs/2025-Thanksgiving-conf/2025ThanksgivingConferenceInformation-en.pdf>.

Volunteer needed: If anyone plans to attend the conference in-person and is available to serve with childcare **on Nov. 28, Friday evening**, please contact Brother Frank Hong at 917-881-5332.

- **Churchwide Truth Pursuit on Genesis**

The churchwide truth pursuit on the book of Genesis began on February 3. The reading schedule, study questions, and other information are available on the church website churchinnyc.org/bible-study.

Join us for the weekly truth pursuit ministry meeting every Friday night at 7:30 PM. We welcome the saints to invite their family and friends. Translation to Spanish and Chinese is available. Please check the church website for more details.

Week 30

Level 1—Sequential Life-study Reading

Scripture Reading and Copying: Gen. 26:15-35

Assigned Reading: *Life-study of Genesis*, msg(s). 59-60

Level 2—Topical Study

Crucial Point: God's Covenant with Abraham Concerning the Seed and the Land

Scripture: Gen. 15

Assigned Reading: LS of Genesis, msg(s). 44-45

Supplemental Reading: The God of Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob, ch. 4; Truth Lessons, Level Two, Vol. 1, ch. 4

Questions: See the church website at churchinnyc.org/bible-study

- **2025 Church in NYC College Scholarship Application**

A number of generous donations from some elderly saints over the years were given to award scholarships for young people in the church in New York City. We thank the Lord for their generosity and for His practical care demonstrated to us through His Body. This year, the Board of Trustees has made available funds for awarding the **2025 Academic Year Church in New York City Scholarship for Academic Excellence and for Financial Need**. For the scholarship application requirements and application form, please use the URL: <https://forms.gle/wnzTcboHLnbKoQKZA>. The deadline for submitting your application is **Sunday, Nov. 2, 2025**.

Scholarships are awarded through an application and review process. The submission of an application does not guarantee that you will be awarded a scholarship, but each application will be given careful consideration. If you have any questions, please feel free to send an email to churchnycscholarship@gmail.com.

PRAYER BURDENS

- The burden for the gospel and the follow-up of the citywide gospel meeting on Saturday, October 18 in Hall 1
- The continued homecoming of many who have not been meeting regularly and the shepherding of all the saints
- The Lord's move in the United States--That the Lord would strengthen all the believers throughout the nation to not be ashamed of the gospel, and that He would preserve this nation

for the preaching of the gospel and the spread of His testimony

- The regional conference with brother Ed Marks which will be held over the weekend of October 24-26 in Hall 1
- The need for meeting halls in various localities: Pittsburgh, PA; Atlanta, GA; Orlando, FL; Riga, Latvia; and Dublin, Ireland
- 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

HWMR: 2025 MEMORIAL BLENDING CONFERENCE – THE PREPARATION OF THE BRIDE

WEEK 2: The Building of the Bride

Portion from Day 4:

God desired to have both Adam and Eve [cf. Gen. 2:18]. His purpose is to have a victorious Christ plus a victorious church, a Christ who has overcome the work of the devil plus a church which has overthrown the work of the devil. His purpose is to have a ruling Christ and a ruling church. This is what God planned for His own pleasure, and He has performed it for His own satisfaction...God desired to have Christ, and God also desired to have a church which is exactly like Christ. God not only desired that Christ would have dominion; He also wants the church to have dominion. God allows the devil on earth because He said, "Let them," Christ and the church, "have dominion" [1:26]. God purposed that the church, as Christ's counterpart, should take part in dealing with Satan. If the church does not match Christ, God's purpose will not be fulfilled. In warfare Christ needs a help meet, and even in glory He also needs a help meet. God requires the church to be the same as Christ in every respect. It is God's desire that Christ should have a help meet. (CWWN, vol. 34, "The Glorious Church," p. 26)