

## CONTRIBUTION REPORT



You may use your EasyTithe mobile App for your Tithes and Offering OR give the office a call for pick-up.

December 27 - January 2	Collection	EasyTithe	Total
WEEKLY BUDGET			\$ 7,989.23
Tithes & Offering	\$ 2,505.00	\$ 4,531.15	\$ 7,036.15
Sunday School		15.00	\$ 15.00
Others		260.00	\$ 260.00
Surplus/(Deficit)			\$ (678.08)
Benevolence	25.00		\$ 25.00
Missions		115.00	\$ 115.00
LV Multiethnic Initiative		15.00	\$ 15.00
Financial Assistance		40.00	\$ 40.00
Total	\$ 2,530.00	\$ 4,976.15	\$ 7,506.15

## EVENTS & ANNOUNCEMENTS

- ASK FOR PRAYER.** How may we pray for you? Do you know of anyone in need of prayers? Please call or text (714) 696-6263.
- BENEVOLENT SUNDAY, TODAY, January 9, 2022!** Thank you so much for your faithful and generous giving to help alleviate suffering among our church family members. Include in your prayers those who have lost their loved ones and those who lost their jobs.
- FLINT SESSIONS First Quarter 2022** are postponed due to the new surge. But we are returning to our usual **ZOOM OIKOS** starting this Sunday, January 9. Your facilitator will contact you. If you need help in joining a group, please contact Irene Estacio at (714) 369-4879.
- TYPHOON VICTIMS Special Collection!** The devastation of Typhoon Odette a few weeks ago left hundreds of lives snuffed and thousands homeless. CICC calls on all members to give generously towards rebuilding. Next Sunday, January 16, we will have a special collection. You may also give via EasyTithe and choose Typhoon Odette Philippines. God bless you!
- SAVE THE DATE!** January 30, 2022! **WORSHIP AT THE PARK!** We want to pray for and bless this area for our new church plant. Our Chino Hills experience allows many friends and loved ones to attend. Location will be announced soon. Let's pray, pray, and pray about this!
- Smile.Amazon.com.** When you make your purchase at Amazon, please consider using smile.amazon.com. At this Amazon site, choose Cornerstone International Christian Church as the charity organization. A small percentage of your total purchase will go to CICC.

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## Fit for the Kingdom

Luke 9:57-62

January 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022 @ 9:00AM  
Indoor Worship  
Live Stream

www.cicclp.org  
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## SERMON NOTES

### Fit for the Kingdom

Luke 9:57-62

Introduction: Beyond sin itself, our most loyal loves may hinder us from following Jesus. These easily steal our heart's throne meant for Jesus alone. Jesus exposes these core loyalties and urges would-be disciples to count the cost. There is no other kind of discipleship but radical.

A. Personal \_\_\_\_\_ (57-58)

B. \_\_\_\_\_ Culture (59-60)

C. Prized \_\_\_\_\_ (61-62)

Conclusion:

## DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

1. What in the sermon spoke to you or challenged you the most? Let each person share briefly for about 1 minute each.
2. To follow Christ is a radical decision. How may the 3 loyalties of personal convenience, practical culture, and/or prized cliques become a problem for you in your pursuit of becoming a genuine follower of Jesus? In what ways do you see any of these 3 as a problem in your life?
3. How can good things such as traditions, "Christian barkada" and other deep loyalties cause a hindrance to the gospel and following Jesus? What are you willing to give up to free yourself to follow Christ fully and not half-heartedly?

## PRAYER POINTS

1. Praise God for His loving kindness. Thank Him for the Scriptures that were written in the past and given to us to teach and encourage us, so that we may have new hope in the new year 2022.
2. Confess our sins and stand on God's promise of forgiveness and purification from all unrighteousness because His mercies are new every morning.
3. Lift those who are sick and in crisis. Pray for those who have been hospitalized and quarantined due to health conditions. Let us lift those affected by the recent devastation by the severe weather conditions.
4. Pray for our FLINT classes and Prayer Corners. May God bless the facilitators with wisdom and guidance in their tasks, so that each participant learns effectively to be disciples of Christ.
5. Pray that our bodies will be strong against the Omicron virus that is spreading. Pray also for our spiritual lives to be filled with the Spirit and growing in Christ.
6. Intercede for our missionaries and pastors as they labor continually for the spread of the Gospel. Amid the difficulty posed by different restrictions, let us pray for God's wisdom and discernment in creative strategies to reach out to the lost and for God-led decisions to be made.

## BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

January 9 Jireh Cruz  
Jim & Tess Sarenas (WA)  
10 Maezelle Millan  
14 Paolo Pandino  
Ligaya Taruc