

# The Church in New York City

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **2024 July Semi-Annual Video Training (Cont. till July 18)**

The July 2024 Semi-Annual Video Training which is on *Experiencing, Enjoying, and Expressing Christ (1)* concluded yesterday (July 13). Review/Study Sessions will continue via Zoom.

Review/Study Session		
Date	Time	Message
Mon, July 15	7:30 PM	Messages 5, 6
Wed, July 17	7:30 PM	Messages 7, 8
Thu, July 18	7:30 PM	Messages 9, 10

### Semiannual Training Key Statements

1. Christ came to minister as a Physician to heal, recover, enliven, and save us that we might be reconstituted to be His new and heavenly citizens, with whom He could establish His heavenly kingdom on this corrupted earth.
2. We need to know, experience, and testify that the kingdom of God is the power to subdue rebellion and is the transfiguration of the Lord Jesus.
3. Christ as the Word of God speaks for God through His becoming the ladder that brings heaven (God) to earth (man) and joins earth (man) to heaven (God) as one for God's building.
4. Even as the Divine Trinity is the framework of the entire New Testament, so the Divine Trinity is the structure of the book of Acts; chapter after chapter of Acts unveils the operation of the Divine Trinity for the carrying out of God's New Testament economy.

- **2024 Northeast Summer School of Truth (July 28 -August 8)**

The registration details for the 2024 Northeast Summer School of Truth are as follows:

**Topic:** Lesson Book **Level 5: The Church - The Vision and Building up of the Church**

### Dates:

High School (Grades: 9th to 12th grade in September 2024) - **July 28- August 4**

Middle School (Grades: 7th to 8th grade in September 2024) - **August 4 - August 8**

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

### Cost:

Rates	Adult	College	Young People
<b>High School</b>	\$460	\$390	\$320
<b>Middle School</b>	\$265	\$225	\$185

**Due date: Lord's Day, July 14, 2022.**

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

- **Upcoming Church Events: details to follow**

1. **August 15 to 17:** The Family Bible Camp (KPCC)

- **Service Office Hours**

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

## PRAYER BURDENS

- The semiannual video training in NYC and in many local churches all over the earth; let us pray that the word released in the training would be a blessing to all the saints in the church and in all the churches
- The Northeast College Training commenced on July 12, will run through July 16 at Camp Penuel— There are attendees from the local churches throughout the Northeast, the Mid Atlantic and Eastern Canada
- The strengthening of the church life throughout the coming months and all the summer activities:
  - a. The Chinese-speaking Perfecting Training (July 19-23 in Cerritos, CA and July 24-28 at Camp Penuel)
  - b. The Summer School of Truth (July 28-August 4 for high schoolers and August 4-8 for middle schoolers at Camp Penuel)
  - c. The Family Bible Camp (August 15-17 at Camp Penuel)
- The shepherding of all the saints and all the new ones
- The strengthening of the practical services and the church meetings this week
- 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: 2023 DECEMBER SEMIANNUAL TRAINING: Laboring on the All-inclusive Christ Typified by the Good Land for the building up of the Church as the Body of Christ, for the Reality and the Manifestation of the Kingdom, and for the Bride to Make Herself Ready for the Lord's Coming**

***Week 12: Living a Life of Enjoying Christ as the Good Land with the Temple, the Dwelling Place of God, and the City, the Kingdom of God, as Its Issue***

### Portions from Days 2 and 3:

The life after the possession of the good land is a life of laboring upon Christ. It is a life of making Christ our industry and producing Him in mass production. We are working for "Christ Incorporated," and day by day we are producing Christ...We are Christ growers and Christ producers. We are working diligently day and night on the farm of Christ. Yet we are working happily, and our work is such a rest to us.

Consider the people of Israel after they occupied the good land and all their enemies were subdued...They simply labored on the land. They tilled the ground, sowed the seed, watered the plants, nurtured the vines, and pruned the trees. These were all necessary tasks for the enjoyment of that piece of land. It is a picture of how we must work diligently upon Christ that we may enjoy His all-inclusive riches. This is our business. Christ is our industry. We must work on Christ to produce His riches.

What must we do to work on Christ daily?..... You must consecrate yourself sincerely to the Lord for the simple purpose of enjoying and experiencing Him—nothing more. From the moment you awake in the morning you need to say, "Lord, here I am. I give myself to enjoy You. Grant me through the entire day, from this moment on, to experience and apply You in every situation. I am not asking for anything tomorrow. I am asking for grace to enjoy You today. Show me how to till the ground, sow the seed, and water the plants of the Lord." Moment by moment through the whole day you will maintain your communion with the Lord. You will live practically in the Lord, laboring upon Him, applying Him, and enjoying Him. If you do this, consider how fruitful and how beautiful your "farm" will be. The farm of Christ in your daily life will be full of produce. When the Lord's Day comes and you go to worship the Lord with the saints, you will be able to say, "I am going now to see my God; I am going to worship my Lord. I will not go with empty hands but with hands full of Christ. I have a surplus, and in my right hand is the best part reserved for my dear Lord." (The All-inclusive Christ, p. 176)

**Corporate Reading:** *Life-study of Hebrews, msg. 39*