



Kairos Course!!! :)

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180 Degrees... Back to school!

..Kairos Course..

Kairos Course, formerly referred to as Condensed World Missions (CWMC) finally met the 180 Degrees. The course has been reformatted as "Youth Friendly" and it was taught to us FREE!! Whoooooowooooo! =D

The Kairos Course is a nine-session, interactive course on world Christian mission, designed to educate, inspire and challenge Christians to active and meaningful participation. It is ideally suited to be conducted in local churches, organizations or with special interest groups such as Christian businesspeople.

The Kairos Course utilizes a variety of youth learning styles including group discussions, short lecture introduction, devotions, video teaching and student participation in specially designed activities.

The first three session held at the ministry center of 180 in Marikina was facilitated by pastor Jorge and tita Bolen de Ramos. At first, we are all very shy at them but as soon as the session started, everything was fun fun fun! We are really blessed that we are able to study the Kairos Course. Being part of an intensive training to learn God's vision for the world is really an amazing experience for we get to see a wider world of the word... MISSIONS...

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- Special points of interest:**
- Jesus cares for both Jews and Gentiles
 - Artists deep within us
 - Amazing trivia
 - Y- Testify..



For JEWS only?

A girl asked, "I heard that Jesus came to save the Jews, did he come to save the foreigners too?"

This part of the story confuses a lot of people. I, myself, once asked the same question upon reading **Matt 10:5-6** when Jesus commanded his disciples not to go in the way of the Gentiles but rather go to the lost sheep of Israel.

Does Jesus seclude himself only for the Jews? Are the Jews more esteemed by Him?

In **Romans 1:16 & 2:10**, Paul conveyed that Jesus' mission of saving was to the "Jews first, and also Gentiles." But that doesn't mean that Jews are more loved by Him. In **Romans 2:11**, it says there that "God does not show favoritism."

When Israel turned their back and refused God, Jesus was sent to save them from the downfall that's going to happen if penitence will not

be done. The time was short and judgment will come first to God's flock that's why Jesus focused upon the Jewish cities. And later on, the preaching ministry of Jesus' disciples extended to the Gentiles. "You shall even be brought before governors and kings for My sake, as a testimony to the Gentiles."-**Matt 10:18**

Jesus trained leaders and He confided them with his message of love and truth that He wanted them to take to every nation, tribe and language.

If He is only for the Jews, then why does he command us to go and make disciples of all nations? Why did he give the church the responsibility to proclaim His victory among all races?

Jesus cares for both Jews and Gentiles. He came not only for the Jewish race but for the whole human race.

Did you know that..

..David was probably around the ages of 12-16 when he killed the Philistine giant named Goliath.

..Lavender was Jesus' favorite color.

.."Son of man", was Jesus' favorite title for himself.

..Daniel means "God is my judge"

...John the Baptist clothing was camel's hair

..God buried Moses

..Jesus Has a Gentile Origin

..Jesus spent the major part of his ministry training leaders

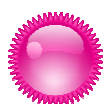
ART ATTACK!!!!

The whole Kairos course discussions won't be complete without having the "arts and crafts" time. Led by 180 degrees very own Maestra Roselle Brocal, we students were challenged to bring out the artist deep within us.

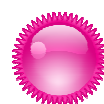


Ate Roselle.. Arts and Crafts facilitator! =)

We made posters, cards and many other crafts. It is really very enjoying because you can express yourself freely through your drawings. If you can't express it verbally, you can always express it artistically.



Creator God- The best artist and he created us artistically:)



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Last Month, we, the 180 degrees went to end of the Philippines, to Davao City! But we didn't go there just for a vacation or something, we went there because the Lord led us to minister in that place. In the span of 5 days and 4 nights through an event called "PEACE CAMP", we were able to build friendship to our Bangsamoro, Numad, Migrants and IP brothers and sisters through story telling, fun activities and inter-faith Dialogue. Sadly, we cannot stay there for a longer time. But last April 29, 180 degrees flew back to Davao!!!! Yes, you read it correctly, 180 degrees went back to Davao but not physically but thru our personalized card created with love and care:) We wrote to our Close friends like Aiza, Zarah and many more.. We surely miss them a lot!!!

y- Testify

Youth Speak their heart out

"Kairos course is really a blessing to me. I've learned a lot of things about God's vision for the world and it is really a privilege to be part of this intensive training. I myself was motivated to go the extra mile when it comes to world missions."

-Chamy, Batch 5&6

"I was challenged to take the name of the Lord further and to have the same vision that He has for this world .

Jesus' heart for missions encouraged me to do more for Him and to bring back the glory that He deserves."

-Viola, Batch 5&6

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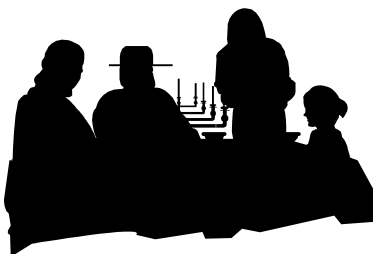


Praises and Prayer Requests

-Praise the Lord for the success of the first three session of Kairos Course.

-Praise the Lord for Ptr. Jorge, Tita Bolen, Kuya Julius and Ate Roselle, for their patience and passion to teach the youth.

-Praise God for a humble and obedient heart planted in each any every student taking up the Kairos Course.



-Please pray for the continuous growth of the youth as they know more about God's vision for the world

-Please pray for the T.H.U.M.B (Tribal, Hindu, Unreligious, Muslims, and Buddhist), 10/40 & 40/70 window, that there will be a big breakthrough with the Gospel of God.

-With one heart, let us pray that we will walk worthy at the calling of the Lord.

"And this gospel of the Kingdom will be preached in the whole world as a testimony to all Nations, and then THE END WILL COME!"

-Jesus Christ, the Messiah