



"...come boldly to the throne of grace..." Hebrews 4:16

"When you eat the labor of your hands, You shall be happy, and it shall be well with you." Psalm 128:2

From the Pastor's Desk

Dear reader,

We thank and praise God for bringing us into the month of February.

God has blessed all of our worship services in January. Please continue to pray for all our services in Irvine, Rancho Cucamonga, Woodland Hills and Las Vegas. Also pray for all our ministries, including the children and youth ministries.



Please pray for Mohan C. Lazarus and "Standing in the Gap" fasting prayer which is going to take place in July in our area. (See page 2 for further details)

Please download our app (Throne of Grace), check our website (www.throneofgrace.us) and Facebook page (Throne of Grace TOG) for timely updates on all our worship services and meetings.



Join us and be blessed.

Pastor Abraham K. Rajan & Indira Rajan

Throne of Grace Ministries

Events for February

Irvine

- Promise Service – 1st @ 7:30 am
- Fasting Prayer – 7th @ 10:00 am
- **Worship Services**
 - Every Sunday @ 10:30 am
 - Saturday, 14th & 28th @ 6:30 pm

Rancho Cucamonga

- Worship Service – 8th @ 4:30 pm
- Monthly Prayer – 27th @ 7:30 pm

Las Vegas

- Worship Service – 21st @ 6:30 pm

Woodland Hills

- Monthly Prayer – 13th @ 7:30 pm
- Worship Service – 22nd @ 5:00 pm

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W	4	11	18	25
T	5	12	19	26
F	6	13	20	27
S	7	14	21	28

Conference Prayer

SoCal (Mondays)
Time: 9:30 pm – 10:15 pm

Las Vegas (20th – Friday)
Time: 9:00 pm – 9:30 pm

Call-in #: 712 432 0140
Access Code: 240388#



**Mohan C.
Lazarus**
(Jesus Redeems)

“Standing In The Gap”- Fasting Prayer July 16-18, 2015

Mark your calendars for a special fasting prayer in July.

Brother Mohan C. Lazarus from Jesus Redeems ministries will be joining us again this year. He will be conducting a three-day fasting prayer called “Standing in the Gap.” The purpose of this prayer is to pray for our nation (United States of America). It will take place from July 16-18, 2015 in our area (Southern California). Plan to join us for this time of

prayer and intercession. It will be a great blessing for your family, your area and your church.

With that being said, the venue will be announced soon so be on the lookout for that. Please continue to pray for this meeting in these upcoming months and for God to move mightily in our midst as we pray together for our nation.

The promise message starts on the next page 



God wants to give you this promise and bless you (Psalm 128:2)

The man who fears the Lord, will receive the blessings recorded in this psalm. The psalm mentions blessings for your job, family, and generation. Particularly in this verse, God's goodness and happiness is being shared. We will meditate on these two things, "Happiness" and "Goodness", in this promise message.

The promise for this month is:

Psalm 128:2

"When you eat the labor of your hands, You shall be happy, and it shall be well with you."

1. God wants to give you Happiness

The second portion of the verse above says, "You shall be happy." It also says that we will be happy when we eat the labor of our hands. It is very important for us to enjoy the blessings from our labor.

"The Lord has sworn by His right hand and by the arm of His strength: "Surely I will no longer give your grain As food for your enemies; And the sons of the foreigner shall not drink your new wine, For which you have labored. But those who have gathered it shall eat it, And praise the Lord;"

Isaiah 62:8-9 (NKJV)

The bible says that foreigners cannot take away the wine and grain that we earn through our efforts. The bible promises that the people who labor shall eat their fruit.

"Say to the righteous that *it shall be well with them,* For they shall eat the fruit of their doings."

Isaiah 3:10 (NKJV)

The will and promise of God is for us to have the fruits of our effort. However, sometimes cannot eat the fruit of our efforts because we disobey Jesus' words, or we are not able to do what He wants us to do.

"But it shall come to pass, if you do not obey the voice of the LORD your God, to observe carefully all His commandments and His statutes which I command you today.."

Deuteronomy 28:15 (NKJV)

“A nation whom you have not known shall eat the fruit of your land and the produce of your labor..”

Deuteronomy 28:33 (NKJV)

The people of Israel experienced a similar situation as well. They sowed the seeds in their field with expectation. When it was ready for harvest, the Mideanites came and took their livestock and grain that was ready for harvest.

“So it was, whenever Israel had sown, Midianites would come up; also Amalekites and the people of the East would come up against them. ⁴ Then they would encamp against them and destroy the produce of the earth as far as Gaza, and leave no sustenance for Israel, neither sheep nor ox nor donkey.”

Judges 6:3-4 (NKJV)

After the people of Israel saw it, they cried out to God. Then the Lord sent a prophet and told the people the reason that the Midianites stole it. (Judges 6:10) The reason for their suffering was that they had done evil in the sight of the Lord. (Judges 6:1) However, God still heard their prayers when they cried out to him. God prepared a man called Gideon to set them free from this oppression. (Judges 6:12) God talked to Gideon and Gideon looked to God and asked "if you are with us, then why is this all happening, you have left us and given everything to Mideanites."

“Then the Lord turned to him and said, “Go in this might of yours, and you shall save Israel from the hand of the Midianites. Have I not sent you?”

Judges 6:14 (NKJV)

God replied by sending an assurance that he shall save Israel. "You shall defeat the Midianites as one man." (Judges 6:16) In reality, the bible says, that the enemies he faced were of a large number.

“Now the Midianites and Amalekites, all the people of the East, were lying in the valley as numerous as locusts; and their camels *were* without number, as the sand by the seashore in multitude.”

Judges 7:12 (NKJV)

Gideon had to meet and handle huge challenges, obstacles and people just to eat the fruits of their (Israelites) labor. In the midst of these challenges, God promises him that he will set the people of Israel free from the hands of the Mideanites. According to the promise, God sent his spirit upon Gideon and used him to defeat all the enemies. (Judges 6:34)

You also may be going through similar scenarios and situations like what Gideon and the Israelites went through. But God wants to encourage you that he is hearing your prayers and he wants to make you happy by giving you the fruit of your labor.

“And the LORD will grant you plenty of goods, in the fruit of your body, in the increase of your livestock, and in the produce of your ground, in the land of which the LORD swore to your fathers to give you. The LORD will open to you His good treasure, the heavens, to give the rain to your land in its season, and to bless all the work of your hand. You shall lend to many nations, but you shall not borrow.”

Deuteronomy 28:11,12 (NKJV)

According to this promise, He will command plenty of blessings and make you happy. So do not be discouraged! As He strengthened Gideon, He is strengthening you also. He wants to fill you with His Holy Spirit as He filled Gideon.

*“That our barns may be full, Supplying all kinds of produce;
That our sheep may bring forth thousands And ten thousands in our fields;
That our oxen may be well laden; That there be no breaking in or going out; That there be no
outcry in our streets. Happy are the people who are in such a state; Happy are the people
whose God is the LORD!”
Psalm 144:13-15 (NKJV)*

The Lord will bless you in this month according to His promises and He will make you happy.

2. God will fill you with His “Goodness”

The last portion of this month’s promise talks about the “Goodness” of God. God wants to fill us with His goodness. The man who fears the Lord has the right to receive God’s goodness. In the same psalm, (Psalm 128:5) it says, *“Jerusalem’s goodness shall be seen by you.”* It also talks about the good events that befall Jerusalem.

“Jerusalem shall be called the City of Truth.” Zechariah 8:3 (NKJV)

“ You shall be called the faithful city.” Isaiah 1:26 (NKJV)

So Jerusalem’s blessings shall become ours.

All the blessings that belong to Jerusalem belong to us as well. Here I want to share with you the goodness that belongs to Jerusalem (and for you).

❖ The Lord will establish you

“And give Him no rest till He establishes And till He makes Jerusalem a praise in the earth.” - Isaiah 62:7 (NKJV)

❖ The Lord builds you up

*“The LORD builds up Jerusalem; He gathers together the outcasts of Israel.”
Psalm 147:2 (NKJV)*

“Jerusalem is built As a city that is compact together,”- Psalm 122:3 (NKJV)

❖ He will strengthen your bars and bless your children

“For He has strengthened the bars of your gates; He has blessed your children within you.”- Psalm 147:13 (NKJV)

❖ There shall be wealth and peace in your borders

*“He makes peace in your borders, And fills you with the finest wheat.”
Psalm 147:14 (NKJV)*

“Peace be within your walls, Prosperity within your palaces.”- Psalm 122:7 (NKJV)

❖ The Lord will protect you

“As the mountains surround Jerusalem, So the LORD surrounds His people From this time forth and forever.”- Psalm 125:2 (NKJV)

“For I,’ says the LORD, ‘will be a wall of fire all around her, and I will be the glory in her midst.”- Zechariah 2:5 (NKJV)

❖ You will not be forsaken

“And they shall call them The Holy People, The Redeemed of the LORD; And you shall be called Sought Out, A City Not Forsaken.”- Isaiah 62:12 (NKJV)

“You shall no longer be termed Forsaken, Nor shall your land any more be termed Desolate; But you shall be called Hephzibah, and your land Beulah; For the LORD delights in you, And your land shall be married.”

Isaiah 62:4 (NKJV)

The goodness that is for Jerusalem shall be fulfilled for you too. To bring all this goodness in your life, God is working for you.

“For Zion’s sake I will not hold My peace, And for Jerusalem’s sake I will not rest, Until her righteousness goes forth as brightness, And her salvation as a lamp *that burns.*” - Isaiah 62:1 (NKJV)

The bible says, until the goodness of Jerusalem is fulfilled, He will not take rest. In the same way, He will work for you and bring goodness in your life.

So never give up! Do not be discouraged! This month God will bless you with His “Happiness and Goodness.”



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with you.”*

Psalm 128:2 (NKJV)



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