

CROSSOVER CONSECRATION

DECEMBER 27 – 31st, 2017

Forget the former things; do not dwell on the past. See, I am doing a NEW THING! Now it springs up; do you not perceive it? I am making a way in the wilderness and streams in the wasteland.” Isaiah 43:18-19 NIV

We want to Finish 2017 Strong so as we prepare to CROSSOVER into the new there are some things that must be done before the Lord can release what He has already promised. In Joshua 3...Joshua has led the people to the banks of the Jordan River where he stops before crossing over into the land that the Lord has promised them. *He stops* to give instructions to the people because **they have never gone this way before...** This is a new crew... this is not the same people that came out of Egypt for they had died in the wilderness. Joshua informs them that they must consecrate themselves before they CROSS OVER AND POSSESS WHAT THE LORD HAS FOR THEM!

It is time for us at First Holiness Church (FHC) soon to be Kingdom Empowerment Center (KEC) to sacrifice a portion of our time, talent, and treasure to God as we prepare to CROSSOVER into a new year, new name, new assignment and new dimension. In preparation for the Crossover we will be **consecrating ourselves through prayer and fasting from Wednesday, December 27th at midnight till Sunday, December 31st at 6pm.**

During this consecration there is an hourly prayer focus from 6am – 6pm. Please take time to read and pray the scriptures associated with each prayer time. We will also commit to giving God **at least ONE HOUR of our time** which can include: prayer, meditation, reading of the Word, or praise/worship, etc... “Be still and know that I am God” (Psalm 46). Meditation quiets our emotions, realigns our mind, and frees our spirit to do the will of God. What we could not hear clearly, we begin to hear.

Corporate Prayer on the Phone:

We will have **prayer Wednesday – Friday at 8pm.**

Conference number: 1-605-475-4800 access code:666307#

What is Fasting?

Fasting is the spiritual discipline of abstaining from food so that we can access the supernatural power of God. Fasting is just as vital as praying and reading the word. The overall goal is to experience a genuine hunger for spending time with God, to gain self-control, to be dominated by the Spirit and not by the flesh.

Benefits of Fasting:

1. Deepen our intimacy with God.
2. Receive spiritual insight or revelation.
3. Sensitizes your spirit to the Spirit of God
4. Breaks the bondage of oppression.
5. Strengthens your spirit as you dedicate that time to prayer.
6. Creates a bond with your church family as we unite together in prayer.
7. Cleanses toxins from your body.

Fasting Guidelines:

From 6am -6pm we will be doing a liquid fast. If you have never done a liquid fast before then fast from 6am – 12pm with just liquids. After 12pm or 6pm you can eat something except NO MEATS, SWEETS, OR CAFFEINE.

NOTE: *If you have any condition which would prohibit you from fasting, there are other options. Choose something from your daily routine (i.e. specific foods, television, other technology, etc.) and fast in that manner. Remember, the details are not as important as the spirit in which you participate.*

If you have any known medical conditions or suspect such conditions, consult your doctor before beginning the fast.

Practical Tips

Drink lots of water!

Water transports nutrients, carries away wastes, & hydrates cells, so drink up!

Did you know?

Drinking cold beverages makes your body work harder to stay at a normal temperature. During periods of fasting, this could consume lots of energy and make you tired. To help preserve energy, consider drinking beverages at room temperature.

What to Expect

When you fast your body eliminates toxins from your system. This can cause mild discomfort such as headaches and irritability, especially during withdrawal from caffeine and sugars. And naturally, you will have hunger pains. **Limit your activity and exercise moderately. Take time to rest.** Spend time listening to praise and worship. Pray as often as you can throughout the day. Get away from the normal distractions as much as possible and keep your heart and mind set on seeking God's face.

PRAYER FOCUS:

6AM – Purity of Heart & Mind: Psalm 51:1-10; 1 John 1:9; Psalm 24:4; Romans 12:1-2; Psalm 19:14; Psalm 73:1; Matthew 5:8

7AM – Supernatural Healings: 1 John 5:14-15; Psalm 41:3; Deuteronomy 7:15; Isaiah 53:4-5; Exodus 23:25; Psalm 107:20; James 5:16; 2 Chronicles 7:14; Psalm 118:17; Isaiah 54:17

8AM – Unity in the Body: 1 Corinthians 1:10; 1 Corinthians 12:12, Nehemiah 4:6; Ephesians 4:11-13; Amos 3:3; Philippians 2:2; Psalm 133:1; Matthew 18:18-20; 1 Corinthians 13; Acts 2:44-46;

9AM – Leadership of Apostle Lorraine: Acts 4:29-30, 33; Joshua 1:7-9; Jeremiah 3:15; 2 Timothy 2:15; 1 Timothy 2:1-2; Acts 16:9-10

10AM – Oneness in the Leadership Team: 1 Peter 4:8-10; Acts 1:13-14; John 17:6-19; Ecclesiastes 4:9-12

11AM – Deliverance: Luke 10:19-20; Mark 16:15-18; James 5:16; Matthew 12:28; Acts 10:38

12PM – Marriages: Ephesians 5:22, 25-28; Colossians 3:19; Ephesians 4:32; John 13:34; Mark 10:9; 1 Corinthians 13; 1 Corinthians 7:33

1PM – Singles: 1 Corinthians 7:7-9, 32, 35; Hebrews 6:15; Psalm 20:4; Psalm 37:4

2PM – Strong Men in the Body to Rise Up: Joshua 1:7-9; Judges 6:12; Titus 2:2,6-8; James 1:12; Proverbs 27:17

3PM – Individual Family Salvations: Joshua 24:15; Romans 10:1, 9-11; Hebrews 7:25; Deuteronomy 30:6; John 14:6; 2 Corinthians 4:4,6; John 3:16; 1 Timothy 2:3-4; Acts 16:34; 21:8-9; Acts 26:18; Acts 9:17-18

4PM – The Harvest: Matthew 9:35-38; Galatians 6:9; Genesis 8:22; 1 Corinthians 3:6

5PM – Great Love & Honor to be Immerse in the Body: Hebrews 10:24; Daniel 9:4; Romans 12:9-19; Romans 8:38-39; Ephesians 5:1-2; Luke 6:35-37; John 13:34-35; 1 Peter 3:8

6PM – Revelation of the Kingdom: Matthew 6:33; Colossians 1:13-14, Daniel 2:22, 28; 1 Corinthians 2:9-12; Mark 4:11; Matthew 13:35; 1 Corinthians 2:9-10; John 14:26