

Consecration

Faith Tabernacle Christian Center



The Fight

For the benefit of those who are concentrating on the restraints of consecration, we will start by announcing that we will take away beef. Remember that once we release something from our diet, we do not pick it back up until after consecration ends.

Now let's concentrate on those who are really looking for a Word from the Lord. Let me say how much I appreciate your dedication. I assure you that the benefits far outweigh the sacrifices. If you, like me, desire greatly a spiritual breakthrough, then you need to understand that this does not happen except it comes through prayer and fasting.

I taught for the biggest portion of last year concerning the flesh and it's power over the human nature. However, a lot of us do not understand that the human mind or the flesh is what I believe is the offspring of satan. It came about after they disobeyed God in Genesis 3. It is because of this that the Bible tells us that the flesh cannot submit and will not submit to the will of God. So, the instructions in the Bible are to tell us how to deal with this

PRAYER FOCUS

Pray for souls to be saved because this is the will of the Lord.

Pray for the healing of the Body of Christ in this Church (physical and emotional).

Pray to be healed from the emotional pain in our lives.

Pray For the Power of God in our personal lives.

Pray that we will be more honest with God.

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flesh; that is to crucify it. No, not literally so, but to bring it under subjection through prayer and fasting. This is why it is so needed for every believer. It is hard for us to bring the flesh under subjection because it is not going to just give up. It is going to be a fight until the end.

It is possible to have conquered something according to the flesh this week and see it rise up again next week in your mind.

This is a constant warfare that never really stops. As I said in a prior week, when you come to God in fasting and prayer, He heats up your spirit which inflames your soul and breaks through to your body. The end result is obedience, but this can only happen when we come into the presence of God and bow before Him in humility. Fasting puts us on the path to humility.

I think too often our problem is that we are not ready for God to move in our lives or really ready for a move of God. We make all kind of promises which we do not keep. This, to me, is just another way of saying to God that we can do it ourselves. The fact remains, that if we really could do it. We would have done it before. What He wants to hear from us is: "Lord, I cannot do this. I have tried everything I know to get rid of these problems. I throw my inability at your feet."

We are asking all that can,
please come and meet us in
prayer on Mondays at 7PM and
Fridays at 7:30PM.



This week, we should pray that we will be more transparent with God. Pray that we will be more honest with God; be honest with ourselves; be honest with our pursuit of Him. The power of prayer and fasting is directly related the level of desperation you have for the presence of God in your life.