



NEW LIFE

CHARISMATIC RENEWAL MINISTRY

Outreach Ministry Of The People Of Joy Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group

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Honor and Praise

By Vince Dorazio

Back in Old Testament times the Israelites who were in slavery and bondage in Egypt were praying for God to send them a "Deliverer" who would lead them out of the land of the Pharaohs. And God did hear their prayers, and He chose Moses to lead the Hebrews out of Egypt and deliver them to His holy mountain, Mount Sinai. It is here that God inscribes on two tablets of stone the Ten Commandments that He gives to Moses to pass on to the Israelites.

"And he gave to Moses, when he had finished speaking with him on Mount Sinai, the two tablets of the testimony, tablets of stone, written with the finger of God." (Exodus 31:18)

The Ten Commandments became the basic fundamental law and belief of the Israelites. The Israelites had been living under Egyptian rule and law for over 400 years. Many had become accustomed to the pagan gods and religious practices. Now God had to break them of their past habits and beliefs. The Ten Commandments is a covenant

GOD

- 1: Do not worship any other gods
- 2: Do not make any idols
- 3: Do not misuse the name of God
- 4: Keep the Sabbath holy

MAN

- 5: Honour your father & mother
- 6: Do not murder
- 7: Do not commit adultery
- 8: Do not steal
- 9: Do not lie
- 10: Do not covet

(commitment) between God and man. As Moses read the Commandments to the Israelites they replied, **"All that the LORD has spoken we will do, and we will be obedient."** (Exodus 24:7)

As you begin to read the Ten Commandments you will notice that they are not just rules of order but that they give **honor and praise** to God and to one another.

TEN COMMANDMENTS

1) I am the Lord your God who took you out of the land of Egypt.

2) You should not worship any other gods or graven images.

3) You should not take the Name of your Lord in vain.

4) You should remember to keep holy the Sabbath Day.

5) You should honor your father and mother so that you may have long life on earth.

6) You should not murder.

7) You should not commit adultery.

8) You should not steal.

9) You should not bear false witness against one another.

10) You should not covet your neighbor's goods.

It is interesting to note that the first four Commandments have to do with giving **honor and praise** to God. As St Paul tells us, in Ephesians that the fifth Commandment is the first Commandment that **honors** a

human being (our earthly parents).

"Honor your father and mother." This is the first commandment with a promise, "that it may go well with you and that you may have a long life on earth." (Ephesians 6:2)

HONOR AND BLESSING

Whenever we remember and give honor to our parents we in turn will be blessed by their love for us. Remember it was they who changed our diapers, fed us when we were unable to feed ourselves, washed themselves off when we spit up on them, rocked us to sleep, cuddled us when we were sick, etc. These are the same things we do for our children when we became parents. And we continue to bless our children with our love for them.

It is the same with our Heavenly Father. Whenever we give **honor and praise** to God we will be rewarded by God with His blessings - His unending love for us!

It is no wonder when Jesus was asked which of the Commandments was the greatest, he replied, **"You shall love the Lord, your God, with all your heart, with all your soul, and with all your mind. This is the greatest and the first commandment. The second is like it: You shall love your neighbor as yourself."** (Matthew 22:37-39)

Jesus sums up the Ten Commandments and the Law of Moses by telling us to **honor** God above all other things and to **honor** one another!

CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETINGS

The weekly Charismatic Prayer Meetings is a time when we can come together to **honor and praise** our God in the glory and power of His Holy Spirit. The songs we sing, the scriptures we share, the talks we hear are all centered on our **honor and praise** to God!

The weekly prayer meeting is NOT a social hour gathering, or a discussion group. Nor is it a Mass or a substitute for a Mass.

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The primary purpose of a Prayer Meeting is two-fold:

1) To give HONOR, PRAISE and GLORY TO OUR GOD, AND TO GIVE OUR FULL ATTENTION TO Jesus with the help of the Holy Spirit!

2) It is also a time when we come together to build up one another in the Lord!

The National Service Committee of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal has a leaflet titled *"Charismatic Prayer Meetings"* written by Walter Matthews. You can request and obtain a copy by writing to:

Chariscenter USA
PO Box 628
Locust Grove, VA 22508
800-338-2445



**LET'S JUST
PAISE THE
LORD!**

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Growing In Christian Faith Seminar

What is there after you have been through a Life In The Spirit Seminar?

We have put together a one day seminar on growing in Christian faith and are offering it to all parishes and prayer groups. This seminar will be helpful to all Christians to continue to grow in the Holy Spirit.

The seminar will include three major talks on **Growing In Christian Faith** and include informal discussion and sharing groups. A guide booklet will be given to each registered person. The seminar is offered on a **free-will offering**.

We are beginning to schedule dates now for future seminars. For more information, or if you would like to sponsor this seminar at your parish or prayer group please call us at New Life at 612-243-9411 to schedule a Saturday date.

This seminar was also recorded on two CD's that can be used as a mini retreat day for your group and/or adult Ed groups.

Cost for 2 CD set and Booklet is \$15.

Send to:

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Prayer Request

Are you in need of a prayer request? Send us your individual prayer request and we will add your request to our daily prayer list. Also please remember to add to your daily prayers all those in need of your daily prayers. Send your request to:

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Please also pray for the New Life Renewal Ministry that we may do all that God asks of us as we continue to proclaim;

JESUS CHRIST IS LORD!

Healing & Restoration

We sponsored a Day Of Renewal on "Healing & Restoration with Fr. Don Piche. At the conclusion of the day everyone was anointed with the sacrament of the sick oil by Fr. Piche. In addition, a bottle of blessed oil was given to everyone in attendance.

The talks were recorded on 3 CD's; two by Fr. Piche and one by Vince Dorazio.

To receive a copy of the CD's and/or a bottle of blessed oil, please send in your request and a donation to cover costs:
call 612-243-9411
**Cost for the CDs is \$5 ea.
Blessed Oil \$5**



Notice

New Life Renewal Ministry is an outreach ministry of the People Of Joy Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group. Our mission and ministry is to spread the gospel and to proclaim that **Jesus Christ Is Lord!**

Mark Bjorkstrand and Vince Dorazio are available to share at your weekly prayer group or at an event, such as a Day Of Renewal, you are sponsoring.

For more information please call:

Mark at 612-282-9896

or

Vince at 612-243-9411

**Catholic Charismatic
Renewal Conference
August 10-11, 2012
Totino-Grace High School
Fridley, MN**

**Speakers:
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Sister Nancy Keller
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**Twin City Area Wide
CHARISMATIC RENEWAL REVIVAL
MEETING**

**Thursday, 7:30 PM
AUGUST 30, 2012**

**St. Albert's Catholic Church
3200 East 29 St. Mpls
(Enter 32 Ave side door)**

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**May our God continue to bless you
abundantly with His New Life!**

Thank You

**PEOPLE OF JOY
CHARISMATIC PRAYER
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THURSDAYS 7:30 PM**

**St Albert's Catholic Church
3200 East 29 Street, Mpls MN
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**Come join with us to proclaim
JESUS CHRIST IS LORD!**