城北華人基督教會講道信息大綱

主題:送舊迎新,感恩與信靠

經文:雅各書 4: 13-17

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As you stand at the threshold of a brand-new year, what is your thanksgiving to God? How can you make the most of the next 365 days?

2012年即將過去,你會如何感謝神?你又將如何善用新的一年呢?

1. Surrender your plan to God 信靠順服

James 雅各書 4:13-14a

Now listen, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we will go to this or that city, spend a year there, carry on business and make money." Why, you do not even know what will happen tomorrow.

「你們有話說『今天明天我們要往某城裡去、在那裡住一年、作買賣得 利。』其實明天如何、你們還不知道。」

Ephesians 以弗所書 5:14

This is why it is said: "Wake up, sleeper, rise from the dead, and Christ will shine on you."

「所以主說、你這睡著的人當醒過來,從死裡復活!基督就要光照你了。」

2. Savor each moment for God 善用光陰

James 雅各書 4:14b

[□] What is your life? You are a mist that appears for a little while and then vanishes. □

「你們的生命是甚麼呢?你們原來是一片雲霧,出現少時就不見了。」

Ephesians 以弗所書 5:15-16

[□] Be very careful, then, how you live—not as unwise but as wise, making the most of every opportunity, because the days are evil. _

「你們要謹慎行事、不要像愚昧人,當像智慧人。要愛惜光陰、因為現 今的世代邪惡。」

3. Seek the heart and will of God 鼻神心意

James 雅各書 4:15

Instead, you ought to say, "If it is the Lord's will, we will live and do this or that."

「你們只當說:『主若願意,我們就可以活著,也可以作這事,或作那事。』」

Ephesians 以弗所書 5:17

Therefore do not be foolish, but understand what the Lord's will is. _

「不要作糊塗人,要明白主的旨意如何。」

In 2013, would you be spending more time on :

在 2013 年, 你要立志多:

- a. 祈禱 Prayer (Colossians 歌羅西書 4: 2)
- b. 讀經 Bible Study (Psalms 詩篇 119: 105)
- c. 行善 Do Good (James 雅各書 4: 17)