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My dear Youth,

A "Happy New Year to you"

The Chief Apostle's message for 2009 is "GRACE AND PEACE" based on the bible text from Revelation 1:4:

"....Grace to you and peace from Him who is and who was and who is to come.."

The first Youth Divine Service for 2009 is under the heading

"THE LORD IS WITH US"

"...He talked with them and said BE OF GOOD CHEER, IT IS I, DO NOT BE AFRAID" (Mark 6:50)

- · He sees our situation and is close to us
- He does not permit that we go down in life's circumstances
- He helps us according to His ways but in the right time
- He is our rescue and savior

That is why WE TRUST HIM

My best wishes, personally from my heart, for God's blessing, wisdom and guidance in all decisions. Let us remain faithful and grasp what He has to offer for our well being.

Thank you for helping along to make many Youth gatherings interesting also in 2009. Your suggestions and questions are always welcome

**Loving greetings** 

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A successful Concert page Z

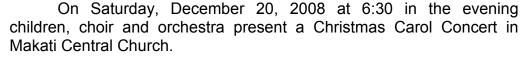


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#### DISTRICT NEWS



#### A SUCCESSFUL CHRISTMAS CAROL CONCERT





This event was attended by one hundred sixty-seven (167) guests including nineteen (19) non-new apostolic guests. Everybody was enjoyed the music. After the concert there are foods to share for the fellowship. Everybody was very happy on that evening and can go home with a smile in their hearts that they could share also to their friends who did not see the concert.







On Sunday, December 21, 2008 Sunday at 10:00am our beloved DAPH Urs Hebeisen conducted a Devine Service in Makati Central Church. He used a text word out from (1 John 1:5) it savs:

"THIS THEN IS THE MESSAGE WHICH WE HAVE HEARD OF HIM, AND DECLARE UNTO YOU, THAT GOD IS LIGHT, AND IN HIM IS NO DARKNESS AT ALL".

On that day 3 children received a sacrament of Holy Sealing. The Devine Service was attended by 221 souls including Apostle and Bishop from the Philippines, China, Indonesia and Korea.

# JANUARY 2009 - SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Sunday Sunday

January 04, 2009

Divine Service, 10 AM

Makati Central Church

January 18, 2009

Divine Service, 10 AM

Makati Central Church

Sh. Silvano Dev. Navarro

Sunday Sunday

January 11, 2009

Divine Service, 10 AM

Divine Service, 10 AM

Makati Central Church Makati Central Church

Pr. Connolly Pr. Depaz

(Chief Apostle (DVD showing)

# FEBRUARY 2009 - SCHEDULE OF ACTIVITIES

Sunday
February 01, 2009
Divine Service, 10 AM
Makati Central Church
Sunday
February 15, 2009
Divine Service, 10 AM
Makati Central Church

Dev. Navarro Pr. Connolly

Sunday Sunday, District Service February 08, 2009 February 22, 2008 Divine Service, 10 AM Divine Service, 10 AM

Makati Central Church
DA Urs Hebeisen
Makati Central Church
DA Urs Hebeisen

Midweek Services every Wednesday at 8 pm

Dear Youth in Q.P.

#### Dear Apostle,

### Apostle Letter Box

I am one of the youth from the remote area congregation; this means that my Bishop or Apostle can only visit us 2 to 3 times in a year.

us 2 to 3 times in a year. We have a priest in a congregation who served us every Sunday but the problem; I cannot feel that he is a source of strength & courage. I can only feel that I received that courage and strength when the Bishop or Apostle visit to our congregation, but 2or 3 times a year is not enough to remain strong and resist the offer of Satan. What shall I do so that I can constantly receive this courage & strength even my Bishop or Apostle is not around? Thank vou in advance

> Sincerely Yours Youth from Q.P.

for your advice.

In God's work there are many ministers, brothers with a variety of gifts. Not every one is the same and of course there are also those who are maybe not so strong and not so gifted. We see to it that congregations are visited frequently not only by Apostles and Bishops but also by District Elders, District Evangelists etc. If this is not the case in your area you are maybe in far remote place or there is a lack of Brothers.

My advice is never look at the person, even if a Priest maybe cannot captivate your attention please try to see him nevertheless as a Priest. The words of forgiveness of sin for example are valid also when a Brother in the ministry is not so strong. It is the ministry and not the personality which gives you the strength to overcome.

Or the words of the benediction at the end of the service. That is fully valid and a great strength in it. Grasp it with hands of faith.

Analyze how you think about the Priest who serves you, is maybe sometimes a thought there "it is only him"? That might already be some hindrance to the blessing you feel.

Then there is a second aspect. The more we do ourselves to support the Priest in prayer or maybe in work in the congregation the stronger the Ministers are. The more joy you give the more comes back.

Sure Apostle's and Bishop's visits are always special, stronger but do you have a Fiesta meal every day? Most days we eat common simple food and do not get hungry.

Wishing you and your congregation much blessing of GRACE and PEACE in the New Year, I remain

Faithfully yours,

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