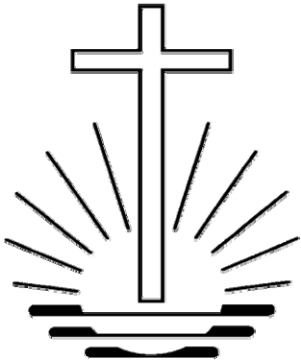


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want to..." book. On May 1<sup>st</sup> in Makati they will be confirmed by our District Apostle Leslie Latorcai. Prior to it, on April 23<sup>rd</sup> I will conduct a thorough review and examination. We call it "Confirmation Camp".

The question now arises why the confirmands are so specially treated? Because they will assume responsibility for their soul's salvation and their faithfulness to the Bridegroom of the soul, the Lord Jesus.

May I ask the youth to also give special attention to our confirmands especially after confirmation. It will be the end of their childhood in church and a beginning of a blessed time of youth. They will not come to the youth activities if nobody from the youth will bring them in. The same case with those who do not come to the activities. Who is thinking of bringing them in? Let



## **Editorial**

My dear youth,

As you all know March & April are Confirmation months in the New Apostolic Church worldwide.

Our confirmands went through confirmation instructions by commissioned teachers to strengthen their understanding of the faith with the aid of "I also

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us help them decide.

To make a decision what is best for your soul in everything which is offered by the many influences around us is not easy. Sometimes we are attracted to commit a sin. Do not look with envy and secret longing to that which does not please our Heavenly Father.

Many people will offer their advice and ideas to you and some will even force themselves to you. Do not give in immediately to these offers and ideas. Examine it and analyze it. Apostle John wrote "test the spirits, whether they are of God". Be careful! A wise saying goes;

**"Caution is not cowardliness  
and carelessness is not  
courage"**

Jesus Christ when he was put under pressure to decide for Mary Magdalene who must put to death by stoning, he did not immediately give an answer. He is very cautious, he applied pro active communication style. And then gave the most beautiful answer.

Some people will pressure you and wanted that you give an answer, be careful. Carelessness is not courage. Think it over many times. And ask God to show you the answer. Especially when it affects our connection with God.

Sincerely yours,

Timmy Gabriel



### **All Apostles and Bishops of the Philippines gathered in Biñan, Laguna**

On Saturday, March 05, 2005, the Makati youth joined the Apostles and Bishop at the Binan resort where they were staying.

At 8:00 pm the youth serenaded all Apostles and Bishops with hymns that tuned in to the Service for the departed. Surprisingly the Apostles and Bishops also serenaded the youth. It was a great feeling to hear the voices of those who proclaim the truth.

On Sunday 10:00 am. District Divine Service for the Departed was conducted in Biñan central church by our beloved Dap. Urs Hebeisen. Ap. Wolf and Apostle Mercurio Nuyad served along. The three sacraments were dispensed to the departed souls through the vessel the Apostle Ministry.

The sermon emphasized that souls who receive the 3 sacraments become children of God, and are healed of the many spiritual sickness like doubt, envy, irreconcilability and unbelief. This happens when one accepts God's word which creates peace by forgiving, love by being forgiven, by the grace Jesus through His sacrifice.

By: D.Ev. Rolex Navarro

## **HAPPY WEDDING!**

Apostle Gabriel conducted last March 12<sup>th</sup>, Saturday, a Wedding Service of **Sister Eva Solomon and Brother Rommel Mato**, at Makati Central Church. Both graduated from their youth days and face now the new chapter of married life. We wish them all the best full of activated blessings!

# **Schedule of Activities**

## **Calendar of Events - MARCH 2005**

### **YOUTH EVENING**

**DATE:** SATURDAY, APRIL 02, 2005  
**PLACE:** MERVILLE COUNTRY CLUB  
**TIME:** 5:00 PM  
**LEADER:** PR. DEPAZ  
**PROGRAM:** SWIMMING, DISCUSSION, GAMES & SNACKS

### **YOUTH SERVICE**

**DATE:** SUNDAY, APRIL 03, 2005  
**PLACE:** MAKATI CENTRAL CHURCH  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM (FOLLOWED BY CHOIR REHEARSAL)  
**OFFICIANT:** D.EL. RAINER HELBIG

### **DIVINE SERVICE**

**DATE:** SUNDAY, APRIL 10, 2005  
**PLACE:** MAKATI CENTRAL CHURCH  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM (FOLLOWED BY CHOIR REHEARSAL)  
**OFFICIANT:** D.EV. ROLEX NAVARRO

### **DIVINE SERVICE**

**DATE:** SUNDAY, APRIL 17, 2005  
**PLACE:** MAKATI CENTRAL CHURCH  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM (FOLLOWED BY CHOIR REHEARSAL)  
**OFFICIANT:** PR. CARLITO SABUGA-A

### **CHURCH CLEANING**

**DATE:** SATURDAY, APRIL 23, 2005  
**PLACE:** MAKATI CENTRAL CHURCH  
**TIME:** 2:00 PM  
**ALL MAKATI YOUTH WHO IS WILLING TO SACRIFICE THEIR TIME FOR CLEANING OUR CHURCH.**

### **DIVINE SERVICE**

**DATE:** SUNDAY, APRIL 24, 2005  
**PLACE:** MAKATI CENTRAL CHURCH  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM (FOLLOWED BY CHOIR REHEARSAL)  
**OFFICIANT:** APOSTLE TIMMY GABRIEL

### **CRUSADE**

**DATE:** FRIDAY, APRIL 29, 2005  
**PLACE:** BANGKAL, MAKATI CITY  
**LEADER:** DEV. ROLEX NAVARRO  
PR. LOLOY DEPAZ

### **CONCERT**

**DATE:** SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 2005  
**PLACE:** MAKATI CENTRAL CHURCH  
**TIME:** 6:00 PM  
**INVITED ALL MEMBERS & GUEST**

### **CONFIRMATION DIVINE SERVICE**

**DATE:** SUNDAY, MAY 01, 2005  
**PLACE:** MAKATI CENTRAL CHURCH  
**TIME:** 10:00 AM  
**OFFICIANT:** DISTRICT APOSTLE LATORCAI

# **== Birthday Celebrants ==**

**APRIL 2005**

*01 – Evangeline Tuazon*

*03 – Rocyl Amarille*

*03 – John Benedict Nejal*

*06 – Silvestre Manlangit*

*07 – Shahani Joy Ronquillo*

*09 – Lovella Solomon*

*10 – Meriam Moralde*

*16 – Emelyn Lacre*

*24 – Carlito Sabuga-a*

*30 – Raisen Silvano*

## **APOSTLE LETTER BOX**

**I ALWAYS HAVE THE ENCOUNTER WITH MY FRIENDS AND CLASSMATES, WHAT IS YOUR RELIGION? I TRY TO ANSWER THEM THE BEST WAY I CAN BUT I JUST WANT TO KNOW WHY IS OUR CHURCH NOT SO KNOWN? IS THERE A WAY WE CAN HELP TO IMPROVE?**



### **ANSWER:**

**Even though our church expanded fast and worldwide we are and remain the small flock compared to numbers of membership of other Christian denomination.**

**Yes we can improve this by testifying and being a living example of our faith. Let us share our faith and extend invitation to attend divine services.**

**How many we will be when the Lord comes we do not know. He has a number of firstlings he is longing for. Let us do our part.**

**God's blessing to all**

**Urs Hebeisen**

## **WELCOME**

### **TO ALL CONFIRMANDS INTO THE CIRCLE OF THE YOUTH**