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# GOOD NEWS

VICTORY CHURCH MONTHLY NEWSLETTER

## Letter from Gian



As the end-of-the-year holidays approach, you might feel some tingling in your stomach. It could also be anxiety just to imagine the cost of it, knowing the status of the economy. Or, perhaps it's because you don't want to go through all the trouble of it.

Things are very different for responsible adults, than for kids, or young people. Children love to have fun. They never think of the cost of anything. They just go to the kitchen, assuming there is food somewhere. They never second guess — "I wonder if my parents have enough money to pay for all the household expenses....?"

It is tricky. The whole thing about being an adult is tricky. It is almost impossible to teach that. I smile when I think to myself, "Am I truly a responsible adult?"

Our Lord Jesus knew exactly the trouble that we would go through, when in our minds we wouldn't be able to stop thinking about the worries, needs, desires, and dreams that we have. That is why He told us several things about it in Matthew 6.25-34, basically telling us to have faith.

The loyal helper to Moses, Joshua, was about to assume leadership over Israel, to guide them to conquer the Promise Land, and these are the words that were given to him, "The Lord will lead you. He himself is with you. He will not fail you or leave you. Don't worry. Don't be afraid!" Deuteronomy 31.8

In the life of Elijah, there was another formidable moment, 1 Kings 17.13 tells us what Elijah said to a woman with very little supplies, "Don't worry. Go home and cook your food as you said. But first make a small piece of bread from the flour that you have and bring it to me. Then cook some for yourself and your son."

Our Lord is faithful. He always provides. Have faith. Be careful in your spending, and put Him first. Live within your budget, and enjoy every day. Remember also, our Lord Jesus spoke those words to His disciples, not to everyone out there. He was talking about putting the Kingdom of God first. Joshua, and also that woman, were close to the Man of God. Pray, my friend, so that the Lord will guide you to do the right thing and serve Him in your local church with devotion, discipline, and joy. Faith is action.

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# Worship Services

MESSAGES SHARED IN SEPTEMBER 2022

YOUTUBE

REST OF YOUR LABORS | WS#306 | September 04, 2022

What does your work balance looks like? In this message, God reminds us intentionally to have a special day for resting and worshiping Him. He directs us to rest on the seventh day, as He did after completing creation.

VIMEO

YOUTUBE

USA ANTI TERRORISM FORCES | WS#307 | September 11, 2022

In this study, we see that God's prosperity is conditioned. This means that we only prosper when we obey His laws. And the vice versa is true. We are at a higher risk when we disobey God's commandments. In God we are more!

VIMEO

YOUTUBE

TRAINING OUR NEXT GENERATION | WS#308 | September 18, 2022

A solid house is built on a deeper foundation, and so is each generation. Children need parents as their foundation on which their life can be built. Jesus Christ is the unshakable foundation, able to stand still, regardless of life is storms. Parents need to teach children, based on this foundation, if we are to train our next generation.

VIMEO

YOUTUBE

6th ANNIVERSARY VICTORY CHURCH ODESSA
WS#309 | September 25, 2022

Here the message teaches us to serve the Lord. Everyone should be working in the House of the Lord, and learning how we can plant a church. However, planting the church is no easy task, as we see how Apostle Paul and Barnabas committed their lives to building the church.

VIMEO

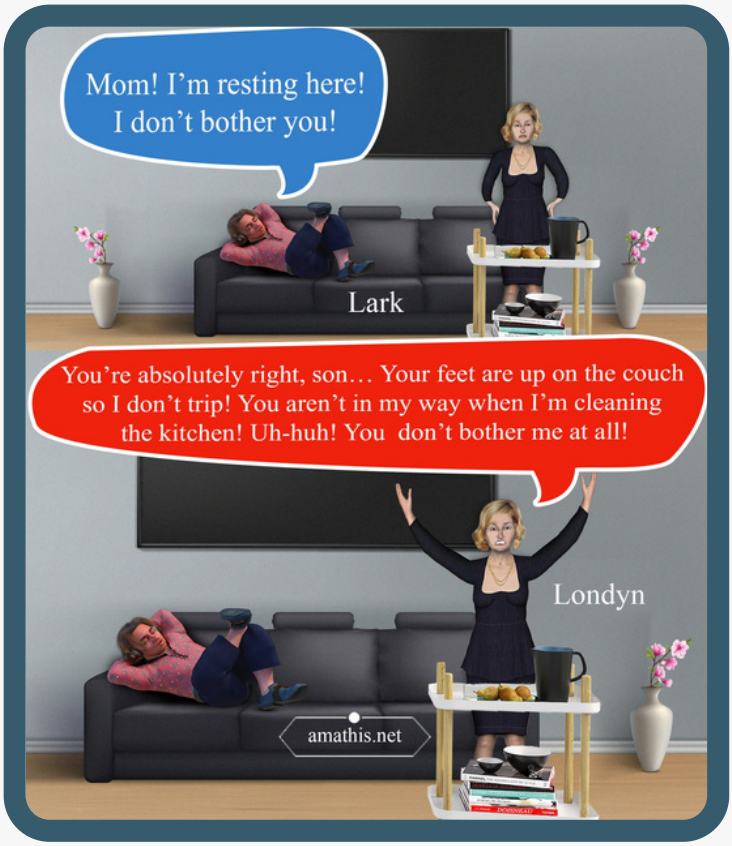
HUMOR in church?

People like to laugh. Of course, there are different kinds of humor. We are talking about clean humor. Not necessarily everyone enjoys a joke the same way as the rest, because we all are different. However, humor is a good thing, and a good laugh is good for your soul.

Recently, we launched our Weekly Satire "AMATHIS", with the purpose of engaging people online with the rest of our products. As you know, when you search for something, a blender for example, in matter of seconds, on every interaction online you have, you will see ads and posts related with blenders. That is how the online world works.

Whether it is through a Daily Verse, Tracy singing, Bible Studies, our short videos, Live with Gian, our 3 1/2 hours LIVE Worship Service on Sunday, or the WS Message, each of these products are the result of work done with the technical assistance of musicians, singers, audio editors, video editors, and software specialists. We professionally produce each one of these products, based on our in-house films and recordings done in the two studios that we have in Victory Church, by the Grace of our Lord.

Every single day we are releasing posts, on almost all platforms, with the intention of reaching out to the online viewers. Many people are on their phones almost all day and night. The chance to touch a soul every day is bigger when we release more and more posts.




We are aware that there are people that don't like us, and they won't see or browse what we release. But there are millions of individuals online that don't know us yet and we are just one click away to making an impact in their lives.

There are many people longing for funny things online. That is why we released AMATHIS. We are releasing once a week an Image Joke, which also is a Video Joke. The difference is the Video Joke offers a nicer presentation of the joke due to the music and voices of our narrators. Thank you Tracy and Sharlie for your voices.

All this is centralized on the website, amathis.net, where you can go anytime. From there, you will be able to connect with the social media platforms where people are already engaging with our jokes: Facebook, Instagram, TikTok, and also on the Channel on Youtube and Vimeo.




Once a person watches a video joke, or touches the image of the joke, this individual will receive more of our jokes, and the rest of our products online. We believe that one good laugh will motivate one person to explore the rest of our products, and with this there is a chance that this individual will hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus.

These are days when we need to use everything we can to reach out to the world. You can help us with your moral support, your prayers, a financial contribution, and it would be nice if you subscribe to the website, or to AMATHIS social platforms account. Perhaps you can even share some of our jokes with your family and friends. Help us with a ❤ 😂 or you could make a simple comment on those posts just saying "ha ha ha". How difficult is that? Do you know that likes and comments help the posts to go viral?

There were days when we were knocking on doors, distributing flyers inviting people to come to church. Now we are in the online days.






## Victory Music

Watch and enjoy these videos, while you can also read the lyrics to sing along and get immersed in the spirit of worship.

Feel free to go to Tracy's website: tracyvillatoro.com



# Bible Studies

YOUTUBE

Bible Study | Episode 71 | Romans 16. 8-16 | September 07, 2022

Despite the fact that Paul had a unique spiritual personality, we also learn about his very human life. Paul was good in making and maintaining friendships with different people. How about you?

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YOUTUBE

Bible Study | Episode 72 | Romans 16. 17-19 | September 14, 2022

What to take and what to discard? As a Christian you must be able to filter everything you hear. Take what strengthens your relationship with God. Discard everything that deters you from doing the will of God, no matter how beautifully it sounds.

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YOUTUBE

Bible Study | Episode 73 | Romans 16. 20 | September 21, 2022

Our mind is the busiest battlefield the devil uses, but God promises to give us peace. Satan distracts our thoughts about the Lord. Therefore, we sometimes lose peace of mind because the devil makes us think like there is no hope for some circumstances we go through. Learn in this teaching the basics to keep the Peace of God.

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YOUTUBE

Bible Study | Episode 74 | Romans 16. 21 | September 28, 2022

In this study, we learn that it takes the right motive to be blessed by God for serving Him. As we serve God, we find that we need help to accomplish some tasks. For this to be realized, as a leader, you must set standards and lead by example for those who follow you.

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Your Big TV at home

You are enjoying watching your favorite shows, sports, concerts, and movies, on your big TV. You might be paying a monthly or yearly fee for those channels you are video streaming. Here in Victory Church, we believe that the same TV can also be used to be inspired with God's Word. For those who have a Roku TV, or Roku TV Device, as well as for those who possess an Apple TV device, we offer you our own channel. Below you have the QR codes, and the links, if you want to use your phone, tablet, or computer to subscribe. If you prefer to search directly on your TV, type Gian TV.

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