

Prayer Requests

Church

- ❖ New souls to be added to the Church.
- ❖ Gifts of Holy Spirit to be operational in the church through people.
- ❖ Young Kids to take water Baptism & to be baptized with Holy Spirit.
- ❖ God's Wisdom & continuous Holy Spirit Guidance for People who are serving / ministering in the church in various ways.

Personal Request

- ❖ Pray for Bro.Kunjukunjukutty (Bro.Jose Varghese brother-in-law) for full recovery after operation in Kerala.
- ❖ Sis.Bindu (Kerala, Bro. Jose Varghese Sisters' daughter) - Healing
- ❖ Bro.Jijo for healing from his liver disease.
- ❖ For people who are jobless or who are looking for permanent job.
- ❖ Families traveling to India.

Missions

- ❖ Pray for India.
- ❖ For SFCNA Conference at Chicago from July 22-25, 2010.
- ❖ ICPF Eastern Region Camp from 18-20 June 2010 at Montrose, PA.

Upcoming

- ❖ Fasting Prayer – Saturday, 19th June 2010 at 10:30 AM @ Bro.Varghese House , Eagan, MN
- ❖ MPA Chain Prayer & Weekly Online Bible Study – Keep in your prayers. Details will be given later.

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Weekly Services

Saturday – 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM – Kids Bible Study
Saturday –7:30 PM - 9:30 PM – Worship Service
Sunday – 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM – Prayer Meeting

Weekly messages & bulletin are uploaded on www.mnpassembly.org

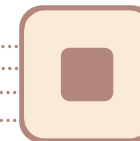


"Making disciples who will make disciples"

June 12, 2010

We proclaim him, admonishing and teaching everyone with all wisdom, so that we may present everyone perfect in Christ.

Colossians 1:28



Welcome to Minnesota Pentecostal Assembly

They do not Compromise

"They do not compromise with evil, and they walk only in his paths."
Psalms 119:3 (NLT)

We are living in times when compromise has almost become the rule of life. But it's not always called as compromise. Sometimes compromise is shielded under words like tolerance, patience, endurance, love for each other, respect for one another etc. Have you ever thought about it? Most of the time we compromise something or other in our life. There are times when you don't have any other way but to compromise.

But today I want to divert your attention towards things your compromise in your spiritual life. Compromise is a slow poison that ultimately destroys respect for truth. What does that mean? You start with small and end up compromising on big things. This is very much true with our beliefs and convictions about truth and doctrine. First thing we must check in our life that how strong we are in our beliefs and convictions. It will have a direct impact on the fact that how easily we compromise.

I have seen people who preach/teach and instruct others on matters regarding doctrine and belief. But when they have a chance to take a stand for it they will not do. They will compromise and say they are being loving and caring. They don't want to take a stand for the truth. But as I read the Bible, one thing I notice is that people whom God used never compromised. They had to go through tough times and circumstances but they stood fast for their faith.

Joseph is a good example. He decided not to compromise and what he immediately got was prison. But later God lifted him and fulfilled the promises. See Daniel's story. How many times he stood for his beliefs and how many times he ended up or could have ended up in trouble. He was once in lion's den. But God whom Daniel trusted was making ways out of all this to lift him up. His three friends ended up in burning furnace for not compromising. But there also God rescued them. Well

there are many other examples. There is also stories where people compromised and had to face the consequences for that.

So what are we supposed to do? Do not Compromise with evil. It's difficult to take a stand and at times to stand all alone. But God will definitely bless and lift a person who stands for truth. So we have a choice. Either take a stand and suffer for some time but be right in the site of God or Compromise now and enjoy life with people for whose sake you are compromising. But remember that compromise will slowly make us to slide away from God's word and ultimately destroy our respect for truth.

May God help you not to Compromise but take a stand for truth.

Yours in Christ,
Tinku Thompson

Sermon Notes
