



OBJECT LESSON #2

OPEN

FOR BUSINESS!

Annual Meeting
FCBC Fresno January 16th, 2022

Welcome and Announcements

Children's Time

"There Is A Fountain"

Call to Worship

(Isaiah 62:4-This is where the Prophet talks to the Congregation)

P: You shall no longer be called despised, or seen as forsaken,

ALL: for the Lord delights in us.

P: Those who are struggling to pay the mortgage, those who have caught COVID and worry about the future,

ALL: we will no longer be called despised, or seen as forsaken, for the Lord delights in us.

P: Those who are not listed amongst the great and the good, shall no longer be called despised, or seen as forsaken,

ALL: for the Lord delights in us!

P: Those who feel shunned and ignored, those who struggle to get by each day you shall no longer be called despised, or seen as forsaken,

ALL: for the Lord delights in us!

P: Those whose hopes have been crushed this past year, those whose dreams were dashed by the pandemics of this life, you shall no longer be called despised, or seen as forsaken,

ALL: for the Lord delights in us!

P: Let us worship!

"My Life Is In You, Lord"

Offertory Prayer

Offering

Special Music: Cris Abejo

Message: Object Lesson 2-Open for Business!

“His parents went to Jerusalem every year at the Feast of the Passover. And when He was twelve years old, they went up to Jerusalem according to the custom of the feast. When they had finished the days, as they returned, the Boy Jesus lingered behind in Jerusalem. And Joseph and His mother did not know it; but supposing Him to have been in the company, they went a day’s journey, and sought Him among their relatives and acquaintances. So when they did not find Him, they returned to Jerusalem, seeking Him. Now so it was that after three days they found Him in the temple, sitting in the midst of the teachers, both listening to them and asking them questions. And all who heard Him were astonished at His understanding and answers. So when they saw Him, they were amazed; and His mother said to Him, ‘Son, why have You done this to us? Look, Your father and I have sought You anxiously.’ And He said to them, ‘Why did you seek Me? Did you not know that I must be about My Father’s business?’ But they did not understand the statement which He spoke to them.” Luke 2:41-49 (NKJV)

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“So now I am giving you a new commandment: Love each other. Just as I have loved you, you should love each other. Your love for one another will prove to the world that you are my disciples.” John 13:34-35 (NLT)

“Do to others as you would like them to do to you.” Luke 6:31 (NLT)

HOW TO LIVE AN “OPEN FOR BUSINESS” LIFE

- OPEN MY _____

“Don’t do anything from selfish ambition or from a cheap desire to boast, but be humble towards one another, always considering others better than yourselves. And look out for one another’s interests, not just for your own.” Philippians 2:3-4 (GN)

- OPEN MY _____

“But if anyone has the world’s goods and sees his brother in need, yet closes his heart against him, how does God’s love abide in him?” 1 John 3:17 (ESV)

“Create in me a clean heart, O God, and renew a right spirit within me.” Psalm 51:10 (KJV)

- OPEN MY _____

“For we are God’s masterpiece. He has created us anew in Christ Jesus, so we can do the good things he planned for us long ago.” Ephesians 2:10 (NLT)

“Take My Life and Let It Be”

God be With You...

Members! Don’t forget to stay for the Annual Meeting Right After our Service!

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