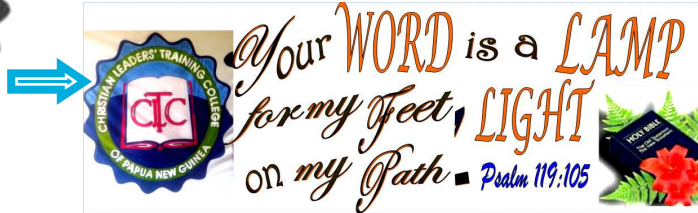




From the Office of the Principal

Theme 2021:



Keeping the Faith

Fight the good fight of the faith. Take hold of the eternal life to which you were called when you made your good confession in the presence of many witnesses (1 Tim. 6:12).

Paul's 1st letter to Timothy is more of a personal letter to the young man Timothy, though in some manner it needs also to be read to the church in Ephesus. It was written to instruct Timothy to give care to the church in keeping with the faith he profess (1 Tim. 1: 2- 7).

First, Paul instructs Timothy to deal with the legalistic teachers in the church (1 Tim. 1. 3-11). Here Paul tells Timothy to command the legalistic teachers not to teach their heresies because their emphasis is on what is not essential to the new found faith. Second, Paul instructs Timothy to deal with the impropriety in the worship places (1 Tim. 2: 1-14). Here Paul instructs Timothy to exhort the church to act in ways that will bring glory to God during worship services. Third, Paul tells Timothy that it is not wrong to desire leadership ministry in the church, but whoever wants it must qualify (3: 1 – 13). Fourth, Paul warns Timothy of the apostasy that is coming and instructs Timothy to be an example of the faith and watch very carefully his speech and action. His speech and action must complement in the keeping of the faith (4: 1 – 16). Fifth, Paul advises Timothy to instruct the church on various relationships and how they should deal with the needy in the church (5: 1 - 21). Here Paul says; have some respect for the elderly, provide care for the widows, respect those whom you serve, honour the leaders, and do these with impartiality. Finally, Paul judges Timothy to warn the rich and ungodly who uses the faith as means for personal gain to be content (6. 1-21). Here Paul says; be careful about those who stray from the truth, be content with what you have, avoid covetousness, warn against pride and self-confidence, and fight the good fight of faith.

In the text of our interest (1 Tim. 6. 12), Paul's judge to Timothy *Fight the good fight of the faith (12a)* is of importance to Paul. Here Paul

says all that he warned Timothy about is about the assault on the new found faith Timothy enjoys. Thus Paul says, *Fight the good fight of the faith*. Our question is how can we **keep the faith**? Paul's answer to the question is in 6: 11. First, flee from all unrighteous behaviours. Second, pursue righteousness. Third, be godly. Fourth, have faith. Fifth, love everyone impartially. Sixth, endure everything life throws at you because of the faith. Seventh, be gentle.

In the light of Paul's instructions to Timothy, we are also faced with similar issues affecting our churches, communities, and institutions. Hence, we are also asked to **Keep the Faith** in our own religious, social, and emotional life in honour of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, each day.

Have a blessed weekend!

Dr Maxon Mani, PhD
Principal



SUNDAY SERVICE **Date: 10th October 2021 TIME: 9.30am**

Speaking: Ps Cooper Sam (Chaplain)

Venue: Open Air

Leading: ECPNG

Ushers: James and Javelyn Sanga, Samson & Rebecca S

Flowers: Section 2

Special Event: Communion Service.

‘TEACHER’S – DAY’ CELEBRATED.

Lectures and teachers in Banz Campus celebrated May 5-Teacher’s Day.

Pictures: Teachers for the main program ready to celebrate the day with cakes.



TECH SERVICES MANAGER PASSES ON

1. Today (8th Oct) is a sad day for CLTC community as we realized that one of our members passed on last night.

Tech Services Manager Bill Mondo passed away while being admitted at Kundiawa Hospital in Chimbu and his body is in the hospital morgue. Plans for ‘haus krai’ is underway.

2. Haus Krai starts tomorrow (Saturday) at Hazel Nate. Due to Covid restrictions program will be drawn up so that certain groups/sections will attend the ‘haus krai’ evenings.

BUSINESS TRADING HOURS 7:30AM – 5:00PM MONDAY – FRIDAY

Finance Support & Services Division

Morning: 9:30am – 10:30 am

Afternoon: 2:30pm – 03:30 pm

Only on Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

General Office

Morning: 8:30am – 12:00 Noon

Afternoon: 1:30pm – 4:00 pm

College Store - Daily Except Sundays

DAYS	MORNING HOURS	AFTERNOON HOURS
MONDAY- FRIDAY	8:30 AM - 1:00 PM	2:30 PM - 5:30 PM
SATURDAY	8:00 AM - 11:00 AM	CLOSE

CLINIC OFFICAL HOURS

Monday – Friday 8:00am – 12:00Noon 1:30 – 4:00pm

Saturdays – 8:00 - 9:00am Sundays 12:00 Noon – 1:00pm

Special Clinic Hours

- Tuesdays – Healthy Baby Clinic (Immunization)
- Wednesdays – Family Planning
- Thursdays – Antenatal Clinic (Skelim Bel Mama)

After Hours & Emergency calls only: 5:17 PM Clinic Notice. Ollyna Walange will be on call starting this Friday through to next week Thursday night.

PRAISE AND PRAYER NOTES OCTOBER 2021

1 Fri Principal Maxon Mani gives **THANKS** that God has brought CLTC this far as a college. **PRAISE** for God's enabling for the teaching staff & that Term 3 has been completed successfully. The IT team provided the needed assistance for online learning. **PRAY** for God's help for faculty & students as they begin Term 4 with classes on the campus & online.

2 Sat The Annual CLTC Council meeting will be held on October 14-16. The AGM of the CLTC Association will be held on the 16th October. **PRAY** for strength & wisdom for Maxon & all who are preparing for the meetings. **PRAY** for good communication with Council & Association Members about this meeting.

3 Sun **PRAY** for Maxon, William Longgar, Jenny Tobul & Newton Ekoda as they attend the Melanesian Association of Theological Schools Conference from tomorrow until October 7 & pray that COVID restrictions will not affect the conference. **PRAY** too for Maxon as he considers stepping aside from the position of MATS President.

4 Mon **PRAISE** that Dr George Mombi & his family have settled in well at Banz again. **PRAY** for him as he teaches the MTh class on exegesis of Colossians. **PRAY** for Adjunct Faculty Reggie Howard & Peter Kui as they settle in at Banz and as they prepare for their teaching in term 4.

5 Tues **PRAISE** for God's enabling for the Masters students & **PRAY** that MTh 2 students will meet submission requirements for their theses which are due on October 8.

6 Wed **PRAISE** that Marcus Fitakec now feels settled in his role as Registrar. **PRAY** that students accepted for 2022 can be informed in time to make arrangements for travel to CLTC for orientation week in January & that their sponsors & supporters will be able to make payments in spite of COVID restrictions.

7 Thurs **PRAISE** for financial donors & those who encourage & pray for the staff & workers on the farm. **PRAY** for God's blessing on the management & workers & for good health for them & their families.

8 Fri **PRAISE** for the work being done in the different sections of the farm – cattle, oranges, rice, bulb onions, & the general farm work. **PRAY** for God's provision & wisdom for the farm workers each day & for strength in difficult times.

9 Sat **GIVE THANKS** that some appraisals in the Business Division have been completed. Some are still in progress. **PRAY** for wisdom in using this information to improve the poultry, farm & other business projects.

10 Sun **PRAISE** that Rev Frederick Simon & his family will be able to come to CLTC at the end of the year to join the teaching team. **PRAY** for their visa and work permit applications.

11 Mon **PORT MORESBY: PRAY** for students & teachers at the POM campus in their final term & for Dean Duli Asi as he completes his MTh paper. **PRAY** too for Duli & Mary's 3 children doing secondary school exams from today until October 28.

12 Tues There have been cases of the Delta variant of COVID-19 in some areas of PNG in recent weeks. **PRAY** for God's protection over the 3 CLTC campuses & the whole country.

13 Wed **PRAY** for strength for the Guest House staff as they will be busy in the next few days looking after Council visitors. **PRAY** for Principal Maxon & Council President Bapa Bomoteng during this busy & important time.

14 Thurs **PRAY** for the Annual Council Meetings being held over the next 3 days & for God's guidance in all the decisions that need to be made. **PRAY** that internet connections will work well for those who attend online.

The Missions Prayer Items

Prayer reminder from the Missions Coordinator: Joseph Mangofia to everyone (Staff, Workers, Students and the College Community) to continue to pray for the weekly missions prayer items"...in your private prayer times every week.

Community Dawn Prayer Times

Where: Auditorium

Every Saturday

Time: 4:00am – 6:00am

Chaplain, Students & Staff

Bethany Evening Prayer

Prayer Chapel

Every Friday evenings: 7:00 pm

Leading: Bethany Election