Diego & Tammi Morales

Chiapas, Mexico with Ethnos360 www.ethnos360.org

September 21, 2025

Dearest Brothers and Sisters in Christ, first and foremost we thank the Lord for each one of you and what God is doing in and through your lives, and for the privilege and grace to serve Him along-side you.



John 15:1-4 "I am the true grapevine, and my Father is the gardener...he prunes the branches that do bear fruit so they will produce even more...Remain in me, and I will remain in you."

We are to be branches purified and ready to bear fruit. As believers, at times we commit the error of thinking that our knowledge or abilities are the tools God needs of us in order to carry out His will in our lives. We can strive to be the most professionally qualified to "help" God in His work. The problem is that we often forget what is most important: that this is His work, not ours, and He chooses to use us for His purpose and glory, by His grace. He brings the victory, not our accomplishments or abilities.

God has been teaching us that the most important thing we need to do in order to be useful to Him and bear fruit is to abide in Him. And it will be a fruit that brings glory to Him alone because it did not come from our own endeavors and abilities. Instead, it is the fruit of His Son, through us, for the Father. So, dear brothers and sisters, may this urge us to strive to live this life in intimate communion with our Father.

Prayer Requests:

- Praise the Lord with us as we have some options as to where we can build a home and settle. Pray for wisdom in many decisions and God's perfect timing.
- Please pray for us as we continue to learn the Tzeltal language and for our evaluations come November.
- Pray for Tammi as she navigates being a mother, homeschooling, learning the language, ministry, etc. We are so thankful for the opportunities she has had since being in this town!
- Pray for us as parents to never forget our priorities. Pray for each kiddo and their understanding of Truth and walk with the Lord; we want them to be a Light to this dark world.

Thank you so much for being a part of what God is doing here. There is so much work to be done and you are a key part in accomplishing that! We love you and appreciate your faithful prayers and financial support. It strengthens and encourages us every day!

Because He is Worthy,
Diego, Tammi, and the mighty 6!
Psalm 100:2
(Request full update from the church office.)



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Weekly Ministry Guide



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Prayer Requests and Updates —

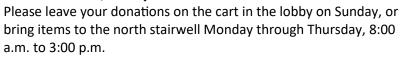
Prayer Gatherings: Here's our passionate encouragement: choose one or more of the prayer gatherings listed below and make it your habit to attend and participate. To add the discipline of prayer to your life can only bring benefit to your soul...and at the same time will have impact on the world around you!

- Pre-Worship Gathering Prayer Group 9:45 AM
- After Worship Gathering Prayer Group 12:00 PM
- Thursday Morning Men's Prayer Group 6:30 AM (NEW TIME)
- Thursday Morning Women's Prayer Group 11:00 AM (NEW TIME)

Addie Guyer: Please pray for my eyes to heal. Please pray for my family to have peace and follow Jesus more closely. Pray for Erika Kirk and her children.

CBC Food Bank Requests:

- Cereal, 12-14-oz. boxes
- Peanut Butter, 16-oz jars





Deborah Assignon: Please pray for Deborah, who had surgery for a chronic health issue. Her parents are missionaries Paul and Nicole Assignon. They had to travel from Togo, West Africa to Niger for the specialized care, and now Nicole and Deborah must stay in Niger much longer than expected. Please pray for Paul, who must stay in Togo to continue overseeing their church, schools, and other ministries. Ask the Lord to provide for these unexpected expenses and for full healing for Deborah.

Eating for a Cancer-Free Life: You are invited to our group meeting on the 3rd Saturday each month at Kristi Ammon's home from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If you are interested in learning how to eat according to a cancer-free diet, praying together, and cooking together, join us! Call Kristi at 208-660-4817. (NOTE: We will meet on the 4th Saturday (9/27/25) in September due to another event).

Love INC Fundraiser: On October 18, Love INC (a redemptive compassion ministry) will host a fundraiser banquet to raise awareness and funds for its ministry to the homeless and others in need within our community. Please pray for the Love INC team as they plan and prepare for the event, and ask the Lord to provide for this vital ministry reaching our neighbors in need. The event takes place at CDA Bible Church.

♦ There is room on the prayer list for your requests. Please use a prayer card from the pew, or contact the church at (208) 664-4883 or (office@cdabible.org). Office hours Monday-Thursday from 8 AM to 3 PM.

Events, Ministries, and Opportunities

Women of Valor—Today at 12:00 PM, a group of widows and older single women of the church gather for a meal and a time of support and encouragement from each other and our ministry team. It's a great time of warm fellowship and delicious food provided by the ministry team. Widows, just bring yourself and a hearty appetite!



Year-to-Date Giving

Giving need through end of August 2025: \$527,956 Giving actual through end of August 2025: \$490,947 Giving deficit of \$37,009

Man-to-Man: We know for many men, being vulnerable with other men, talking about our health or our feelings and emotions, can be very difficult; and yet, sometimes that's what we need the most, especially in the new family of Jesus. We want to focus upon God's presence and comfort while sharing from our own direct, personal experiences as prostate cancer patients, and to pray with and for each other. Meets on Sundays in the Gathering Room at 12:00 PM.

Gals—we have a vibrant prayer team meeting each Thursday morning. You are heartily welcomed to join us on Thursday, from 11am—noon. Melinda Ridgewell lovingly leads us. She would love to answer your questions. 208-964-0286

Ladies' Thursday Morning Bible Study: We are excited for this Old Testament study called <u>The Exile & Return</u>. Our class is a Bible Study Fellowship satellite group and meets on Thursday mornings from 9:15-10:45 AM. This study is comprehensive—covering eight OT books including Daniel, Ezekiel, Esther, Ezra, Nehemiah, Haggai, Zechariah, and Malachi. Call Marilee to get registered at 208-661-9852.

Mark Your Calendar

Sept 21: Women of Valor Luncheon (12:00 PM) Gym

Sept 24: Wednesday Gathering for All Ages (6:30 PM)

Sept 25: Thursday Ladies' Bible Study (9:15 AM) YL,GR

Sept 25: Thursday Ladies' Prayer (11:00 AM) PR

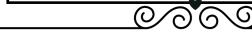
Sept 27: Women's Coffee Fellowship (8:30 AM) Lobby

Sept 27: Eating for Cancer-Free Life (11:00 AM) Ammons'

Oct 1: First Wednesday Fellowship Dinner (5:30 PM) Gym

Oct 19: Discipleship (Membership) Seminar (2-5 PM) GR

Oct 31: Trunk or Treat! (5:00-7:00 PM) CBC Parking Lot





GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

- 1. To start off, read though Ephesians 6:10-17, and then spend time thinking about/discussing the questions that follow. If you are part of a group, have someone read the passage out loud.
- 2. Look at verse 10. When it comes to being strong, from where are we supposed to get our strength? Why is this important?
- 3. Depending on what version of Bible you use, Paul refers to Satan's activity with words like: strategies, schemes, wiles, or deceits. What do these words tell us about Satan's tactics. What are some of the ways Satan tries to lure us and trick us into obeying him rather than God?
- 4. Read verse 12. According to this verse, who are our truest enemies? Is it possible for us to put too much attention on fighting people rather than the invisible forces of evil? How does recognizing the true nature of our spiritual battles help us love others more effectively, even those we may initially see as opponents?
- 5. Read verses 13-17. All but one of the pieces of spiritual armor are meant to be protective, rather than offensive. Why do you think this is?
- 6. Each part of armor Paul describes serves as a metaphor to describe a strategy for standing firm. So what do each the pieces of armor (belt, breastplate, shoes, shield, helmet, sword) represent?
- 7. The passage emphasizes the importance of putting on the full armor of God to resist the devil's schemes. What do you think it means to put on the armor of God in your daily life? How could you practically apply this concept in your own spiritual journey?

"Did You Know There Was A War On?" Ephesians 6:10-17

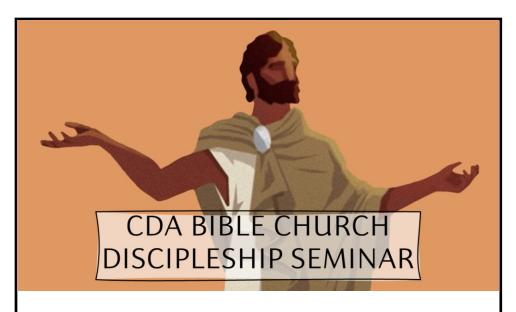


Pastor Kurt Staeuble on Sunday, September 21, 2025

Message Notes:

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•	We can't ignore the cosmic battle, or else we will likely end up being a
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•	The people we often call our enemies are the people God refers to as our
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•	Our enemy's main goals: To knock Christians o
	c spiritually and/or n
	their witness.
•	When it comes to dealing with spiritual attack, Paul calls on believers to pri-
	marily take a posture of d
•	Every Christian is responsible to become more and more w
	-v in what the scriptures teach and proclaim.

Scriptures visited in this message: Jude 1:9; 1 John 2:1-2; Romans 8:1; Isaiah 52:7; Luke 4:1-13



CDA BIBLE CHURCH
DISCIPLESHIP SEMINAR
Sunday, October 19
2:00-5:00 PM
CBC Gathering Room

If you've been at CDA Bible for any length of time, you know that we make a big deal about attending our Discipleship Seminar. That's because we think making disciples is our primary calling! In this 3-hour seminar, we look at seven main topics:

- What is a disciple?
- What is the "big picture" story disciples believe?
- What did Jesus say about discipleship?
- Why do we focus so strongly on discipleship?
- What are the desired results of discipleship?
- How do I engage in discipleship?
- How do we facilitate discipleship at CDA Bible?

This seminar is hosted by all 3 of our pastors, so it's a great way to hear their hearts about the things that matter most to God.

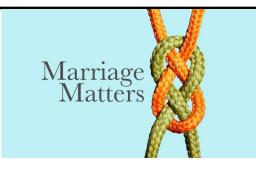
Sign up by emailing Pastor Zach (zach@cdabible) or at the lobby table.

Childcare is available, so please note the number of children and ages on the signup sheet.

One final note: attending the Discipleship Seminar is a key part of our membership process. **Membership packets are available in the lower lobby.**

MARRIAGE MATTERS WEDNESDAY GATHERING 6:30 PM CBC Worship Center

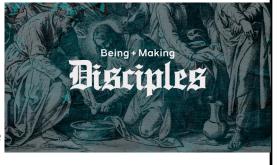
Pastor Kurt and Sara Staeuble are leading a marriage series this fall where we will gain a greater theological understanding of what God



has in mind for marriage. They are offering practical ideas, handles, and strategies toward growing our marriages in ways we may have never imagined. There's a lot of wisdom about marriage available. They aim to gather some valuable insights and practices to share with you.

BEING AND MAKING DISCIPLES WEDNESDAY GATHERING 6:30 PM CBC Gathering Room

Pastors Nat and Zach are leading a Wednesday Gathering option for adults, where we'll follow along with Pastor Kurt's Sunday message series for the fall titled "Marks of a



Disciple." Join in the discussion each week as we discover and practice together what it means to "seek first the Kingdom of God."

DISCIPLESHIP GROUPS (D-GROUPS)

D-Groups: All adults are invited to join a discipleship group. Growing an inti-

mate love for and trusting obedience to Jesus is one of our key values; we call this *discipleship*. We encourage our church family to find various forms of healing, meaningful community, and spiritual maturity demonstrated in love for God and others through discipleship. D-Groups of 4-6 people and other forms of mentoring



are organized by mature, trusted leaders in our church towards this end.

Sign up at the table in the lobby or email: Pastor Zach (zach@cdabible.org).



Join us at CDA Bible Church for our monthly FIRST WEDNESDAY FELLOWSHIP, a time when we invite our family, friends, neighbors, and community to a time of eating, meeting needs, testimony, prayer, worship, and fellowship. It's a time for connection, encouragement, and blessing.

Meal: The delicious house-made meal is served at 5:30 PM Music: Acoustic worship led by members of our worship team

Prayer: Opportunities for prayer with our prayer team

Needs: The "Sharing Table" which includes a food bank, diaper bank, and con-

nections to resources within our church, as well as in the community

Sharing: A short testimony of how God is working in people's lives

Kids: A safe, fun kids zone for children



THE LIFE LANGUAGES SEMINAR IS RETURNING TO CDA BIBLE CHURCH ON NOVEMBER 8!

On Saturday, November 8, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., we will again host the all-day LIFE LANGUAGES seminar, presented by counselor Jan Vetter. You can sign up in the lobby on Sunday or call the church office today! 208-664-4883.

So...what is LIFE LANGUAGES all about? It's about learning how you (and those around you) communicate. Life Languages center around the seven languages that everyone speaks: Mover, Doer, Influencer, Responder, Shaper, Producer, and Contemplator. Everyone speaks these languages with varying levels of effectiveness and intensity. The 7 Life Languages are communication styles that fall under 3 Intelligence Categories: Act, Feel, and Think. Each Life Language has its own unique characteristics that reveal your interactive style and preferences.

Here's how it works: before the November 8 seminar, you'll go online with our special access code and take the Life Language survey to determine your Life Language profile. The survey costs around \$50 (which you pay at the website). Then, come on out to the seminar with your survey in hand to learn all about how your Life Language functions in real life and what the Life Languages of other people look like. (Wait for the special access code from Pastor Kurt.)

The seminar costs \$15 per person (pay by cash or check at the door). Childcare is available if you contact Marilee (marilee@cdabible.org) as soon as possible.

To learn more, check out the Life Languages website: www.lifelanguages.com (Read more about it, but do not register yet.)

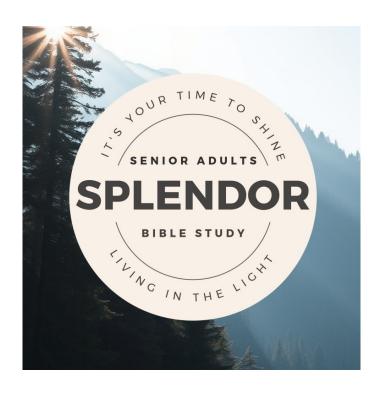
Date: Saturday, Nov. 8, 2025

Time: 9:00 AM-4:00 PM

Room: Youth Lounge

Ages: 18+





Splendor!
Senior
Adults'
Bible
Study
on
Mondays
at 10am

Senior adult men and women! You're invited to join our Director of Senior Adult Ministries, Nathan Duncan, for a new Bible study group, which will follow the group discussion questions from Pastor Kurt's messages. Starting in the next couple of weeks, we will delve into Pastor Kurt's enlightening sermon series, "The Marks of a Disciple."

Whether you're a fresh face stepping onto the path of discipleship or a seasoned traveler with decades of faith under your belt, there's always a nugget of wisdom waiting for you to uncover as we explore the depths of God's word together.

Expect enriching discussions, supportive prayer warriors, and the kind of fellowship that sharpens our spirits like iron sharpens iron (Prov. 27:17), leading to greater understanding and maturity.

Join us every Monday at 10:00 AM in the Youth Lounge—don't forget to bring a friend along for the journey! It's not just a study; it's a senior church family adventure! Let's enjoy the splendor of all that God has in store for us and shine His light in our community.

Contact Nathan with any questions at nathan@cdabible.org.