GOSPEL OWSHIP We are a people who are hungry for new experiences with our God. We don't believe in conserving the experiences of the past. Our vocation is not religion but a deeper relationship to our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. If you are ready to join us in our pursuit of God, vou are most welcome here at GO Centre. It is our prayer, that you may be able to know Jesus and know Him as our crucified redeemer. We are glad you came! Allow Jesus to meet you and experience His presence which will change your life. Be blessed! Pastor Helmut Reutter

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Matthew 6:31 So do not worry, saying, 'What shall we eat?' or 'What shall we drink?' or 'What shall we wear?' 32 For the pagans run after all these things, and your heavenly Father knows that you need them. 33 But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well. 34 Therefore do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will worry about itself. Each day has enough trouble of its own. - (NIV84)

2 Corinthians 5:21 God made him who had no sin to be sin for us. so that in him we might become the righteousness of God. - (NIV)

1 Corinthians 1:30 It is because of him that you are in Christ Jesus, who has become for us wisdom from God—that is, our righteousness. holiness and redemption. - (NIV)

#### Now is the time to seek the Lord

- 1. God gives us time regardless of our past conduct
- 2. Seek first God's kingdom and His righteousness
- 3. God gives us time so we deal with our hearts
- 4. We must make good use of God's gift of time
- 5. Plant good seeds of righteousness & reap Love

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Welcome to our Sunday Service Today - May His Word impact your life! Be blessed Baptism Class will continues on the 12th January 2022. Learning to be a disciple! Today is the first Sunday of 2022! We call it "First Fruit" Sunday: God is faithful in taking care of all our needs, therefore let us honour God with a first-fruit offering! Please continue to pray also that Zambia will be spared of more Covid infections.

#### Regular Meetings

Sunday 09:30 hrs Sunday Service **Wednesday** 18:00 hrs Listen To Him: Our weekly Bible Study 17:30 hrs Home Fellowship Meetings in various locations Thursday Saturday 12:45 hrs Choir Practice

12.00 hrs Genesis New Breed 15.00 hrs Youth Meeting Other activities will be announced EL 21/255234 0975-367140 E-mail gollusate@gmail.com

## Your Scripture for the Day

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Hebrews 7:1 This Melchizedek was king of Salem and priest of God Most High. He met Abraham returning from the defeat of the kings and blessed him, 2 and Abraham gave him a tenth of everything. First, the name Melchizedek means "king of righteousness": then also, "king of Salem" means "king of peace." 3 Without father or mother, without genealogy, without beginning of days or end of life, resembling the Son of God, he remains a priest forever. - (NIV)

Romans 3:21 But now a righteousness from God, apart from law, has been made known, to which the Law and the Prophets testify. 22 This righteousness from God comes through faith in Jesus Christ to all who believe. There is no difference, 23 for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. 24 and are justified freely by his grace through the redemption that came by Christ Jesus. 25 God presented him as a sacrifice of atonement, through faith in his blood. He did this to demonstrate his justice. because in his forbearance he had left the sins committed beforehand unpunished— 26 he did it to demonstrate his justice at the present time, so as to be just and the one who justifies those who have faith in Jesus. - (NIV84)

Wednesday Matthew 3:13 Then Jesus came from Galilee to the Jordan to be baptized by John. 14 But John tried to deter him, saying, "I need to be baptized by you, and do you come to me?" 15 Jesus replied, "Let it be so now; it is proper for us to do this to fulfill all righteousness." Then John consented. 16 As soon as Jesus was baptized, he went up out of the water. At that moment heaven was opened, and he saw the Spirit of God descending like a dove and lighting on him. 17 And a voice from heaven said. "This is my Son, whom I love; with him I am well pleased." - (NIV84)

2 Timothy 3:16 All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking. correcting and training in righteousness, 17 so that the man of God may be thoroughly equipped for every good work. - (NIV84)

Isaiah 51:1 "Listen to me, you who pursue righteousness and who seek the Lord: Look to the rock from which you were cut and to the guarry from which you were hewn; 2 look to Abraham, your father, and to Sarah, who gave you birth. When I called him he was but one, and I blessed him and made him many. 3 The Lord will surely comfort Zion and will look with compassion on all her ruins; he will make her deserts like Eden, her wastelands like the garden of the Lord. Joy and gladness will be found in her, thanksgiving and the sound of singing. 4 "Listen to me, my people; hear me, my nation: The law will go out from me; my justice will become a light to the nations. 5 My righteousness draws near speedily, my salvation is on the way, and my arm will bring justice to the nations. The islands will look to me and wait in hope for my arm. - (NIV84)

Friday:

Isaiah 55:6 Seek the Lord while he may be found; call on him while he is near. 7 Let the wicked forsake his way and the evil man his thoughts. Let him turn to the Lord, and he will have mercy on him, and to our God, for he will freely pardon. 8 "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways," declares the Lord. 9 "As the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts. - (NIV84)

1 Timothy 6:11 But you, man of God, flee from all this, and pursue righteousness, godliness, faith, love, endurance and gentleness. - (NIV)

Saturday:

Matthew 23:23 "Woe to you, teachers of the law and Pharisees, you hypocrites! You give a tenth of your spices-mint, dill and cummin. But you have neglected the more important matters of the law—justice, mercy and faithfulness. You should have practiced the latter, without neglecting the former. - (NIV84)

Proverbs 3:9 Honor the Lord with your wealth, with the firstfruits of all your crops: 10 then your barns will be filled to overflowing, and your vats will brim over with new wine. - (NIV84)