RESET Day 12 – January 15, 2019

"Message to Pergamum"

Passage: Rev 2:12-17 Speaker: Ptr. Genesis Tan

I. INDIVIDUAL PRAYER

A. Praise God

• Reflect on the passage: Isaiah 57:15

For thus says the high and exalted One, Who lives forever, whose name is Holy, "I dwell on a high and holy place, And also with the contrite and lowly of spirit, In order to revive the spirit of the lowly, and to revive the heart of the contrite"

Worship God for who He is; praise Him for His Character:

Choose from the ff: Father, Faithful, Forgiving, Friend, Gracious, Gentle, Healer, Helper, Holy, Immanuel, Infinite, Just, Jealous God

B. Confess to God

• Reflect on the passage: Psalm 6:1

"O LORD, do not rebuke me in Your anger, Nor chasten me in Your wrath. 2 Be gracious to me, O LORD, for I am pining away; Heal me, O LORD, for my bones are dismayed."

Confess:

- Ask the Lord to examine your life and reveal any sin

- Humbly repent and ask God to forgive you

- Thank the Lord for His mercy and grace through Jesus Christ

C. Thank God

• Reflect on the passage: Ephesians 1:3

Praise be to the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has blessed us in the heavenly realms with every spiritual blessing in Christ.

Thank God:

- That we live in a Christian nation where we have freedom to gather, pray, and worship

- For efforts, by the government and organizations, to solve our country's problems and serve the Filipino people

D. Ask God

• Reflect on the passage: 2 Chronicles 7:14

If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray and seek my face and turn from their wicked ways, then I will hear from heaven, and I will forgive their sin and will heal their land.

II. GROUP PRAYER Theme: PRAY FOR THE COUNTRY

A. Country

- For God to bless our country:
- Spiritual awakening
- · Economic revival across sectors of society
- Removal of corruption
- Peace and order

B. Executive Branch

- Pray for President Rodrigo Duterte and his cabinet
- · God's wisdom and strength to guide our executive branch
- · Godly people to surround our president
- · Salvation of our president and his family

C. Legislative Branch

- Pray for Senate President Vicente "Tito" Sotto III, and all senators
- Pray for House Speaker Gloria Macapagal Arroyo and the House of Representatives
- For wisdom, honesty, faithfulness, and God's guidance to be upon our legislators
- Exposure, removal, and punishment of corrupt officials

D. Judicial Branch

- Pray for Chief Justice Lucas Bersamin & Ombudsman Samuel Martires
- · For the appointment of righteous and wise judges
- Be God's instrument to implement His righteousness and justice
- For integrity, wisdom and courage in fighting corruption
- Salvation of our judges

E. Local Government Units

- Pray for MMDA Chairman Jose Arturo Santillan Garcia Jr.
- · Pray for our LGU officials: governors, mayors, councilors & barangay officials
 - That they may honor God and serve our country faithfully
 - To be honest and responsible in serving the people

F. Military and Police

- Pray for AFP Chief Benjamin Madrigal Jr. and PNP Chief Oscar David Albayalde
- · For honesty and integrity to prevail across ranks
- · For protection as they fight against lawless elements
- · To be sincere and selfless in serving their duty
- · For the transformation of their individual lives and their families

G. Other Sectors

- · Arts & Media: responsible journalism, truthfulness, and promotion of godly values
- · Business: improvement of business climate, fair and just labor practices
- · Education: promotion of godly values and influence in schools and universities

H. Overseas Filipino Workers

- · Welfare of their marriages, families, and children
- · Protection against abuses and violence by their employers and host countries
- Safe return
- · Better opportunities here in the Philippines

I. Midterm Elections

- · For a peaceful and violence-free election period
- · Integrity of the election process
- Election of God-fearing and righteous leaders
- Justice for victims of killing

J. Major National Issues

- Idolatry and materialism
- Drug addiction and gambling
- Graft and corruption
- Poverty and unemployment
- Human trafficking
- Prostitution
- Terrorist threats
- · Issue on the Bangsamoro Organic Law in Mindanao

K. Major National Issues

- Impact of TRAIN Law
- Traffic congestion
- Disaster preparedness
- Post-calamity rebuilding

L. Personal Request: Share and pray for each other's prayer requests