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**Topic:**  
**POSSESSING A  
GOD-SHAPED  
FUTURE**

- Pastor Alton Trimble

**WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2020**

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# **Giving is an act of WORSHIP!**

## **Website:**

[www.glorychristian.org](http://www.glorychristian.org)

**Click  
on the  
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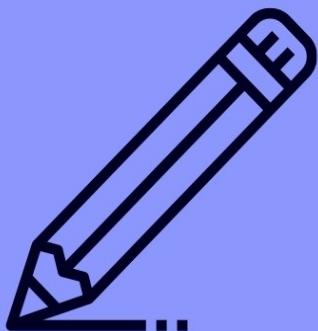
Join us virtually via Zoom for our men's huddle!

**GCFI's MEN ARE  
LIVING CONNECTED!**

**INVITE A FRIEND!**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3RD AT 9:00AM**

***Text "Men" to (310) 589-4046 for the meeting link.***



# TUTORING & HOMEWORK LAB (VIRTUAL)

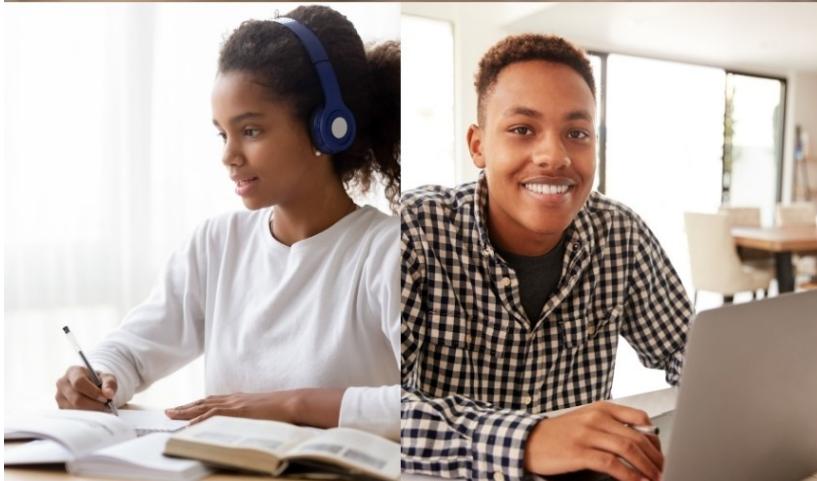
*Together we will achieve academic success!*



ONE-ON-ONE  
TUTORING &  
HOMEWORK HELP!

**GRADES:**  
**1ST THROUGH 12TH**  
**MONDAY-WEDNESDAY**  
**3:00PM-8:00PM**  
**(1 HOUR BLOCK PER STUDENT)**

**BEGINS:**  
**MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 28TH!**



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JOIN US ONLINE!

# WORSHIP & COMMUNION SERVICE

Sunday, October 4th @ 9:30am  
<https://www.glorychristian.org/livestream.aspx>



Search: Glory Christian Fellowship International

## MORE THAN CONQUERORS

RECOVERY FROM ADDICTION MINISTRY

12-STEP STUDY PROGRAM  
GAL 5:1 (NKJV)



CONNECT WITH US VIA ZOOM!  
TEXT "MTC" TO (310) 589-4046  
FOR THE MEETING LINK.

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**MONDAYS**  
**6PM**

**Be Counted!**  
**Complete the 2020 Census today!**



**The questionnaire is quick and easy!**  
**Census results are used to determine resources**  
**that may directly affect your community.**  
**Visit their website for more information!**

**Deadline: September 30, 2020**

**<https://my2020census.gov/>**





# GCFI'S SPIRITUAL SUPPORT GROUP (VIRTUAL)

MONDAYS  
6:30PM

SUPPORT BUILT ON THE WORD OF GOD!

Text 'SUPPORT' to (310) 589-4046 for the meeting link!

Preschool (3 yrs - K)  
Elementary (1st - 5th)

Connect with us on Zoom!

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Children's Ministry is Online!

Preschool - Elementary Class  
(3yrs - 3rd Grade)  
Sunday - 1:00pm  
Tuesday - 6:30pm

Elementary Class  
(4th - 5th Grade)  
Sunday - 2:00pm  
Wednesday - 6:30pm

[www.gcfikids.org](http://www.gcfikids.org)

## Depression and Loss Support Group

Providing emotional support and tools for depression and grief including loss of job, loss of relationships, loss of a loved one and various other losses.

You are not alone!

Connect via Zoom Video Conference  
Text "Group" to (310) 589-4046 for the link!

Every Wednesday | 6pm

Wednesdays @ 7:30pm

Middle School



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Youth Ministry  
is Online!

High School

**Text "GCFIY" to (310) 589-4046 for the meeting link**

Young Adult Ministry  
is Online!

Wednesdays  
@ 6:00 pm

**Text "GCFIYAM" to (310) 589-4046 for the meeting link**

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**CORPORATE PRAYER  
CONFERENCE CALL**

**PHONE: (515) 606-5174**

**ACCESS CODE: 747575**

**MON., TUES., THURS. & FRI. @ 7:00PM**

**TUES. @ 12:00PM**

**\*Please mute phone once you are connected!**

## **Bible Declaration**

**This is my Bible**

**It is the word of my God**

**I am what it says I am**

**I can do what it says that I can do**

**I will have everything that the Word of God says that I can  
have**

**Tonight I will hear the Word**

**It will transform my heart**

**It will renew my mind**

**It's being done by the ever-living,**

**Always loving, incorruptible**

**Indestructible, infallible**

**And inerrant Word of my God**

**So Word of God, live big in my today**

**And every day**

**In Jesus Name**

**Amen!**



**Topic: Possessing a God-Shaped Future – Pastor Alton Trimble**  
**Bible Study & Life Groups: Wednesday, September 30, 2020**

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**Bible teaches the truth about your destiny:**

**1. God's destiny for my life is GOOD.**

**JEREMIAH 29:11**

*"For I know the plans I have for you," declares the Lord, "plans to prosper you and not to harm you, plans to give you HOPE and a future."*

**2. I get to choose my destiny!**

**DEUTERONOMY 30:15-19**

*"I set before you today LIFE & PROSPERITY, or DEATH & DESTRUCTION. ...If you love the Lord your God and walk in his ways, and keep his commands, then you will live and increase, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land you are entering to possess. But if your hearts turns away from me ...you will not live long in the land you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess... I have set before you LIFE or DEATH, BLESSINGS or CURSES. Now CHOOSE LIFE so that you and your children may live!"*

**TWO THINGS TO NOTE:**

1. God had prepared a destiny for them but they had to take possession!
2. Our choices affect our children too!

**THREE THINGS YOU MUST DO:**

**1. PREPARE A PLAN**

**JOSHUA 1:1-4**

*"After the death of Moses the Lord said to Joshua, Moses' successor: "Moses my servant is dead. Now then GET READY to cross the Jordan River into the land I am giving you. I will give you every place where you set your foot, just as I promised Moses your territory will extend from the Sinai desert to Lebanon, and from the Euphrates-to the Great Sea on the west."*

**JOSHUA 1:10-11**

*So Joshua ordered the leaders "Go through the camp and tell everyone, 'Prepare your provisions! In three days you'll cross the Jordan and go in and take possession of the land the Lord your God is giving you for your own!'*

**God:** Promised Land is your Destiny but you must take possession!

**PSALM 20:4**

*"May he give you the desire of your heart and make all your plans succeed!"*

- God can't make your plans succeed if you don't have any!

### **PROVERB 20:18**

*"Don't go charging into battle without a PLAN."*

### **PROVERBS 16:3**

*"COMMIT to the Lord whatever you do, then your PLANS will succeed."*

## **2. BUILD MY LIFE COMPLETELY ON GOD'S WORD**

### **JOSHUA 1:7-8**

*"But be careful to OBEY all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. STUDY this Book of the Law continually; MEDITATE on it day and night, so that you may be careful to DO everything written in it. Then you WILL be prosperous and successful."*

- The Scriptures hold the keys to Success!

### **PSALM 34:10**

*"Those who seek the Lord will lack no good thing!"*

### **PSALM 14:2**

*"The Lord looks down from heaven on the sons of men to see if there are ANY who understand and any who seek God."*

## **3. COURAGEOUSLY STEP OUT IN FAITH**

### **BE BOLD GOING AFTER YOUR DESTINY.**

- God will be with me

### **JOSHUA 1:5**

*"NO ONE will be able to defeat you all your life! Just as I was with Moses, so I will be with you. I will NOT leave you or abandon you!"*

- God keeps His promises

### **JOSHUA 1:6**

*"Just be determined & confident, for you will lead these people to POSSESS the land I promised to the previous generation."*

- God has TOLD me to do it!

### **JOSHUA 1:9**

*"Have I not commanded you to do this? So be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid or discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go!"*

### **DISCUSSION QUESTIONS**

1. How have you thought about God's plan for your life?
  - Please discuss
  - Are you living in God's destiny for?
  - If so how do you know?
  - If not, why not?
2. Have come to the point in your life where you have made a conscious choice of God's destiny for your life.
3. In what ways can you relate to the children of Israel's struggle with their divine destiny?
  - Please discuss and provide specific examples.
4. Please discuss how you can begin to do the three things the children of Israel did in order to possess your destiny?
  - Which of the three do you find most difficult?

Prayer Points  
September 30, 2020

*It is You, “Who forgives all our iniquities, Who heals all our diseases, <sup>4</sup>Who redeems our lives from destruction, Who crowns us with lovingkindness and tender mercies, <sup>5</sup>Who satisfies our mouths with good things, So that our youth is renewed like the eagle’s.” (Psalm 103:3-5)*

**Pastor Trimble and Sister Trimble**

- Thank you that You are working all things together for their good to because they love you, for they are called according to Your purpose (Romans 8:28)
- Father thank You for perfecting that which concerns them; Your mercy, O LORD, endures forever; You will not forsake the works of Your hands (Ps. 138:8)
- Thank you that you “Uphold their steps in Your paths, *that* their footsteps may not slip”. (Psalm 17:5)
- Thank you that “No weapon formed against them shall prosper, and every tongue which rises against them in judgment they shall condemn. This is the heritage of the servants of the Lord, and their righteousness is from you,” Says you Lord.” (Isaiah 54:17)

**GCFI Partners/Body of Christ**

- Thank you for helping us to be doers of the word and not hearers only, deceiving ourselves (Ja. 1:22)
- Thank you for helping us to not waver at Your promises through unbelief, but strengthening us in faith, giving You glory, and being fully convinced that what You have promised You are also able to perform. (Romans 4:20-21)
- For all of Your promises have been fulfilled in Christ with a resounding “Yes!” And through Christ, our “Amen” (which means “Yes”) ascends to You for Your glory. (2 Cor. 1:20 – NLT)
- Thank you for making our feet like hind’s feet – “You make our feet like hinds’ feet [able to stand firmly and tread safely on paths of testing and trouble]; You set us [securely] upon our high places.” (Ps. 18:33 – Amp.)
- Thank you for the successful surgeries for all partners as you guide the hands of surgeons, anesthesiologists, and nurses
- Thank you for helping us to make a difference and do what is good - Your word says “And do not neglect doing good and sharing, for with such sacrifices You are pleased.” (Heb. 13:16)

**Communities**

- Thank you for protecting and helping fire fighters put out the fires in Northern and Southern California
- Meet the needs of those who have lost homes in the fires

**Nations**

- Thank you that Your gospel is being preached in every nation –Your word says “And this gospel of the kingdom will be preached in all the world as a witness to all the nations, and then the end will come.” – (Matthew 24:14)
- Thank you for the resources You have given to African nations, Haiti, the Philippines -You said “To everyone who is thirsty, You give something to drink; to everyone who is hungry, You give good things to eat”. (Psalm 107:9)

You are our God, and we will thank you; you are our God, and we will praise your greatness (Psalm 118:28 – NCV)