

Worship Service

June 18th, 2017

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| 9:30 am | Welcome & Opening Prayers |
| 10:00 am | Adult Sunday school |
| 10:40 am | Praises & Worship |
| 10:55 am | Congregational Hymns |
| 11:00 am | Today's Message <i>The Winning Father</i> |
| 11:45 am | Offering - Ushers <i>Offering Hymn</i> |
| 12:00 pm | Closing Prayers & Benediction |

June Birthdays

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| Brother George | June 11 th |
| Sister Evelyn | June 11 th |
| Sister Maya | June 11 th |
| Brother Assou Dohon | June 15 th |

Today's Message: The Winning Father

Ephesians 6:1 - 4

Happy Father's Day to our fathers, we are all to honor our parents but today is a special day to honor our father. Fatherhood is playing the role of God the Father in the home. But when it comes to fighting the battle for our children against an ungodly society we are losing.

I. The Battle for our Children

Judges 6:6 – 12; Romans 1:28 - 32.

Parents and fathers especially are losing the war for their children against ungodliness. The battleground is not Iran or Afghanistan but our homes. It is not our land, property, or freedom that is at stake but our children. Fathers are losing their children to the god of television, fashion, convenience, to all the lusts of this world. 1 John 2:16. We live in a culture that approves of turning its back on God.

II. Fighting the Battle

Deuteronomy 6:6 – 9; Proverbs 22:6

1. With our words. Proverbs 1:8
2. With our time. Deuteronomy 6:7
3. With our lives. Genesis 18:18 – 19; 2 Kings 14:3

III. The Godly Father, the Winning Father

2 Corinthians 10:3 – 5

Godly fathers pattern the fatherhood of God. Children see what God the Father is like. The battle is not a physical one but spiritual. Ephesians 6:12

For what shall it profit the child if he / she gains the whole world and lose his soul. Matthew 16:26