

Tigard Covenant Church Worship ~ Love ~ Community

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WORDS OF LIFE FROM PASTOR DAVID

Do Right



We as believers in Jesus Christ, have a choice each day in doing something good or doing something bad. In God's eyes there is no gray. For example, when a friend asks you a question about a sensitive area in your life, there is no such

thing as a believer in Christ, by answering with a partial truthful answer. You must either answer truthfully or not. Sometimes the enemy of our souls tries to get us to compromise what the Holy Spirit is telling us to do. In the face of this temptation, let me encourage you to do right and honor God with good choices. We are in a major upheaval in America right now over what happened to George Floyd, Ahmaud Arbery, and Breanna Taylor. How do we as believers respond to the events in a just way. We serve a God that is just in all his ways and calls us to walk out being just people. As an example, we can do right by having dialogue with our neighbors about these shootings and calling for justice when wrongs are done in our society. Being silent and ignoring matters of injustice is not doing the right thing. We as Christians, have a good opportunity to lead the way in being light and salt in this time in America.

May God bless us to continue to do right in his name.

Pastor David



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Live and in person, with social distancing JUNE 20th





10:30 AM 8:00 AM

FAITH, FELLOWSHIP AND FOOD

Men meet at 8:00am for breakfast and great faith building discussion. Women meet at 10:30am for snacks and Bible study.

TIM & MARGARITA REVETT

Missionaries to Paraguay PART 2:



Our ministry received permission to distribute food during the quarantine. Last month I took advantage of that permission to go with a colleague and an Ava Christian to the new

"Villeta" Ava and Mbya Guaraní community. They, too, were experiencing a food shortage, so we delivered provisions along with a gospel message in the Guaraní language, assuring them of God's presence in this difficult time. At least four people prayed to trust in Jesus, and they invited us to return to share from the Bible. We thank God for their receptivity. Pray that he calls someone—perhaps the Ava brother who accompanied us—to visit them on a regular basis. There are at least three families at the "Piraju" Ava-Mbya community who gather with us each Monday to hear from the Bible after a community lunch is served. As soon as the domestic travel restriction is lifted, a Mbya evangelist plans to visit this community and we believe God will make a great impact through him. Pray for the formation of a congregation in this community. Also, give thanks to God for stirring up interest in biblical counsel in another Mbya community that is normally closed-off to ministry efforts.

Before I could stop her, Margarita quickly stepped into the middle of the group of angry, hungry mothers battling for the provisions in our car. She calmly listened to the desperation they felt and conversed with them in eloquent "jopara" (a commonlyspoken Spanish-Guaraní mix). In our next update, I will share about how your support along with Pastor Alberto's church are sharing Jesus' peace with the squatters' village and the Ava community, but the scene reminded me of what another person of faith and a warrior once wrote: "I will not fear the tens of thousands drawn up against me on every side...From the Lord comes deliverance."

Blessings, The Revett's