

19 May 2013: Preached by Preacher Joseph Poon

Topic: **Make Your Life a Catalyst**

Scripture Text: Hebrews 10:19-25

1. Hebrews chapter 10 gives us 3 reasons why we should come to Church every Lord's day? The first reason is to worship God. In v.22, we are exhorted to draw near to God. The second reason is to learn the Word of God. In v.23, we are exhorted to hold fast the profession of our faith.

2. The third reason is given in v.24-25 (the emphasis of this message) is to consider one another. The word consider is to show concern and to watch after each other. This concern is for one another, and not myself. Our focus is on others and not what the Church can do for me.

3. The ways to consider one another are:

a) Provoke one another to love and good works (v.24) - to provoke means to fire up or stir up so there is a reaction in others who will grow in love for God and do good works to glorify God.

b) Not forsake the assembling together (v.25a) - we must be present in worship and participate in fellowship meeting, prayer meeting, evangelism, camp etc. Our presence in such meetings will encourage others.

c) Exhorting one another (v.25b) - it is come along side others to help them. This can be done through visitation.

4. The motivation to consider one another is in v.25c as we see the day approaching i.e. Jesus Christ will return very soon. This is graduation day for Christians. We must obey God's Word to be ready and prepared when Jesus comes again. Jesus said it is more blessed to give than to receive.