

Overflow

Multiplied Increase

09:55 am 5 Min. Count Down - VIDEO

10:00 am **LIVE Worship –

10:25 am **LIVE In House Welcome –

WELCOME to The Peak CC

Welcome our Church Online Platform –

We are so glad you could join us as we worship the Lord & expound on His Word.

**If this is your 1st time or perhaps you've been with us before but haven't engaged...
Please fill out**

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10:30 AM **Announcements Video - Tithing

10:32am LIVE SHOT – Welcome - Pastor Self Intro -

Sunday School: 1st things 1st 9am Sundays 2nd floor.

**Next-Week : March 5th 9am Sunday Service - Hosting Brooklyn
Adult & Teen Challenge.**

**Life Groups Home Groups 7pm Mon Nights - coming soon April - Host Family
Needed**

True North Youth Ranch - HAY DRIVE - sending out an email

Missionary to Italy - Rev. Joe & Mary Benecasa



The family and wide circle of friends who knew Anna Hongach are invited to a memorial service celebrating her life on Monday, Feb. 27 from 1 to 6 p.m. at The Prime Venue, an event space at 20 Welcher Ave. A formal ceremony will begin at 5:30 pm.

11:00 AM **Sermon Bump Video - Overflow

Personal Disclaimer..... Preaching/teaching on “giving”...

Have you ever gotten ripped off?? Conned into some sort of scam??

- **Fake Check Payments:** send you a check... looks real... deposit it... clears... wire % back to PO Box... Check bounces.
- **Work @ Home:** “No experience necessary” – inquire – hook you for the purchase of supplies “to assemble” ...Never hear back
- **MLM’s & Pyramid schemes:** Make money NOW!! Get rich quick! – selling products building sales teams – DEFUNCT!
- **MINISTRIES:** most damaging, destroys credibility of authentic ministry: TV Evangelists “Have a NEED, sow a SEED” 2023 year of the harvest... **RIGHT NOW SOW \$20.23... \$202.30... \$2,023.00** For your greatest increase...

How do you know what’s legit? What does GOD actually have to say about financial increase?

Doesn't He say He wants you to be the Lender & NOT the borrower? He wants YOU to be the HEAD & NOT the tail?

What if I told you that there is a guaranteed, verifiable investment strategy that blows the roof off of WALL STREET, Hedge Funds, Stocks & Bonds? – NOT a get rich quick scheme... BUT something you can TEST... YOU WILL SEE your “ROI”.

What if I told you that you could earn 30%? “For every \$10 invested... you’ll get back \$3.00?”

Or you can earn 60% on your investment? \$10 get back \$6.00... How about... 100% back??

“NO BRAINER”

****Mark 4:2-9 NKJV**

Then He taught them many things by parables, and said to them in His teaching:

3“Listen! Behold, a sower went out to sow. 4 And it happened, as he sowed, that some seed fell by the wayside; and the birds of the air came and devoured it. 5Some fell on stony ground, where it did not have much earth; and immediately it sprang up because it had no depth of earth. 6 But when the sun was up it was scorched, and because it had no roots it withered away. 7 And some seed fell among thorns; and the thorns grew up and choked it, and it yielded no crop. 8But other seed fell on good ground and yielded a crop that sprang up, increased and produced: some thirtyfold, some sixty, and some a hundred.”

9And He said to them, “He who has ears to hear, let him hear!

20 But these are the ones sown on good ground, those who hear the word, accept *it*, and bear fruit: some thirtyfold, some sixty, and some a hundred.”

What you sow.... How you sow.... Where you sow.... Why you sow... will determine your return.

Nothing is more important than the *condition of your HEART!!*

So where do we start? What's the GREATEST COMMANDMENT?

****Matthew 22:36-40** (NKJV)

³⁶ “Teacher, which *is* the great commandment in the law?”

³⁷ Jesus said to him, “**You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart (Kardia), with all your soul (psyche), and with all your mind (Dianoia) *the psychological faculty of understanding, reasoning, thinking, and deciding—‘mind.’***

’³⁸ This is *the* first and great commandment.³⁹ And *the* second *is* like it: ‘You shall love your neighbor as yourself.’⁴⁰ On these two commandments hang all the Law and the Prophets.”

Opening Prayer

LOVE GOD 1st.... Above all else... SURRENDER YOUR BEST... Understand that we don't live for ourselves...

****Galatians 2:20** (NKJV)

²⁰ I have been crucified with Christ; it is no longer I who live, but Christ lives in me; and the *life* which I now live in the flesh I live by faith in the Son of God, who loved me and gave Himself for me.

What does it mean to live a life “surrendered” to God? Our very lives become our offering ...

****Romans 12:1** (NKJV)

12 I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that you present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable to God, *which is your reasonable service.*

“MY LIFE SACRIFICED IS MY OFFERING”

Do you remember what the 1st offering presented to God was?

****Genesis 4:1-5** (NKJV)

4 Now Adam knew Eve his wife, and she conceived and bore Cain, and said, “I have acquired a man from the Lord.” ² Then she bore again, this time his brother Abel. Now Abel was a keeper of sheep, but Cain was a tiller of the ground. ³ And in the process of time it came to pass that Cain brought an offering of the fruit of the ground (trees, vines, bushes) to the Lord. ⁴ Abel also brought of the firstborn of his flock and of their fat. And the Lord respected Abel and his offering, ⁵ but He did not respect Cain and his offering. And Cain was very angry, and his countenance fell.

Abel brought

FIRST BORN – FIRST FRUITS – PUTTING GOD FIRST!!

Cain brought

SLOPPY SECONDS - What was ALREADY on the ground - LESS than the BEST..

Most of us operate with UPSIDE DOWN BUDGETS... *PAY BILL, TAKE CARE OF SELF 1ST... THEN WHAT'S LEFT OVER... I'll give to God... = to CAIN's offering* GOD WILL NOT RESPECT IT

Where then do we find the #OVERFLOW ???



****Genesis 14:18-20 (NKJV)**

¹⁸ Then Melchizedek king of Salem brought out bread and wine; he was the priest of God Most High. ¹⁹ And he blessed him and said:

**“Blessed be Abram of God Most High,
Possessor of heaven and earth;**

**²⁰ And blessed be God Most High,
Who has delivered your enemies into your hand.”**

And he gave him a tithe of all.

450 years... before the “LAW” would be given to MOSES Abraham would give the BEST of all he had... the 1st fruit of his increase... 10%

“The tithe pre-dates the LAW”

This isn't something that is done because it was a legal obligation or TORAH.. This is something that is done from the heart.. an acknowledgment that we have NOTHING if it's not for the sustaining LIFE that is in me.

Everything I do accomplish, acquire, earn.... at least 10% of that is going back into the Kingdom. For the work of the ministry.

Did you know that according to the “LAW” there are actually 3 tithes??

(1) **Numbers 18:21-24 (NKJV)

Tithes for Support of the Levites

²¹ “Behold, I have given the children of Levi all the tithes in Israel as an inheritance in return for the work which they perform, the work of the tabernacle of meeting. ²² Hereafter the children of Israel shall not come near the tabernacle of meeting, lest they bear sin and die. ²³ But the Levites shall perform the work of the tabernacle of meeting, and they shall bear their iniquity; *it shall be a statute forever*, throughout your generations, that among the children of Israel they shall have no inheritance. ²⁴ For the tithes of the children of Israel, which they offer up as a heave offering to the Lord,

I have given to the Levites as an inheritance; therefore I have said to them, ‘Among the children of Israel they shall have no inheritance.’”

(2) ****Deuteronomy 14:22-26 (NKJV)**

Tithing Principles for Sacred Feasts “Self”

²² “You shall truly tithe all the increase of your grain that the field produces year by year. ²³ And you shall eat before the Lord your God, in the place where He chooses to make His name abide, the tithe of your grain and your new wine and your oil, of the firstborn of your herds and your flocks, that you may learn to fear the Lord your God always. ²⁴ But if the journey is too long for you, so that you are not able to carry *the tithe*, or if the place where the Lord your God chooses to put His name is too far from you, when the Lord your God has blessed you, ²⁵ then you shall exchange *it* for money, take the money in your hand, and go to the place which the Lord your God chooses. ²⁶ And you shall spend that money for whatever your heart desires: for oxen or sheep, for wine or similar drink, for whatever

your heart desires; you shall eat there before the Lord your God, and you shall rejoice, you and your household.

God's SAVING PLAN for YOU....

(3) **Deuteronomy 14:28-29 (NKJV) the (Levite, stranger, fatherless, widow)

²⁸ “At the end of every third year you shall bring out the tithe of your produce of that year and store *it* up within your gates. ²⁹ And the Levite, because he has no portion nor inheritance with you, and the stranger and the fatherless and the widow who are within your gates, may come and eat and be satisfied, that the Lord your God may bless you in all the work of your hand which you do.”

O.T. “The Law” 3 TITHES Average to about 23.3% a year!!!! NOT 10%

How many are glad that we are no longer bound or held under the old legal obligations of “the Law”??

****Romans 6:11-14 (NKJV)**

¹¹ Likewise you also, reckon yourselves to be dead indeed to sin, but alive to God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

¹² Therefore do not let sin reign in your mortal body, that you should obey it in its lusts. ¹³ And do not present your members as instruments of unrighteousness to sin, but present yourselves to God as being alive from the dead, and your members as instruments of righteousness to God. ¹⁴ For sin shall not have dominion over you, for you are not under law but under grace.

However: We are still under certain obligations in the N.T..... remember that giving is a perpetual ordinance .. It's a "Statute FOREVER"

The principle of bringing God our BEST.... Our First Fruits as offerings STILL STANDS!!!

****Proverbs 3:9-10 (CEV)**

***⁹ Honor the Lord by giving him
your money***

***and the first part
of all your crops.***

**¹⁰ Then you will have
more grain and grapes
than you will ever need.**

****Malachi 3:9-10 (NKJV)**

**⁹ You are cursed with a curse,
For you have robbed Me,
Even this whole nation.**

**¹⁰ Bring all the tithes into the storehouse,
That there may be food in My house,
And try Me now in this,"**

**Says the Lord of hosts,
“If I will not open for you the windows of heaven
And pour out for you *such* blessing
That *there will not be room enough to receive it.***

I LOVE this passage of scripture... It;s like God is inviting us to TEST Him in this... like He’s so willing to PROVE this methodology...

****1 Corinthians 16:2 NKJV**

² On the first *day* of the week (SUNDAY) let each one of you lay something aside, storing up as he may prosper,

****2 Corinthians 9:6-15 (NIV)**

Generosity Encouraged

⁶ Remember this: Whoever sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and whoever sows generously will also reap generously. ⁷ Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. ⁸ And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work. ⁹ As it is written:

**“They have freely scattered their gifts to the poor;
their righteousness endures forever.”**

¹⁰ Now he who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will also supply and increase your store of seed and will enlarge the harvest of your righteousness. ¹¹ You will be enriched in every way so that you can be generous on every occasion, and through us your generosity will result in thanksgiving to God.

¹² This service that you perform is not only supplying the needs of the Lord’s people but is also overflowing in many expressions of thanks to

God. ¹³ Because of the service by which you have proved yourselves, others will praise God for the obedience that accompanies your confession of the gospel of Christ, and for your generosity in sharing with them and with everyone else. ¹⁴ And in their prayers for you their hearts will go out to you, because of the surpassing grace God has given you. ¹⁵ Thanks be to God for his indescribable gift!

Testimony: Sam

CALL TO ACTION

None of this will make any sense until you come to a place of asking HIM to enter into your heart. To wipe out the sin & cleanse your conscience

The Lord says draw near unto me... & I'll draw near unto you... Its up to YOU to make that move... *Are you ready to be set free?*

Would you give me an opportunity to pray for you right now? This altar is open.. for you..

RECEIVE THE RISEN LORD & KNOW FOR YOURSELF THAT HE LIVES!!!!

OK CHURCH...

***“The Lord bless you and keep you;
The Lord make His face shine upon you,
And be gracious to you,
The Lord lift up His countenance upon you,
And give you peace.”***

I bless you in the Name of the Father, & of the SON, & of the Holy Spirit... Amen!!

See you next week....