

## CULTURE OF HONOR CONF

**JUNE 1-3**

If you are unable to make it to all 3 days of the conference, Walk-in Day Rates are also available (Th-\$20, Fr-\$20, Sa-\$40 // Students: Th-\$10, Fr-\$10, Sa-\$20) and can be payable at the conference (no online or pre-conference reg for day rates).

## CULTURE OF HONOR PRAYER & WORSHIP MEETING (SALT)

**MON, MAY 29 // 6-8PM**

**FIRST ASSEMBLY BASKETBALL COURTS**

This prayer and worship night really is the start of the Culture of Honor Conference. All are welcome to join us as we pray for the Holy Spirit to release His fire over the area and the conference.

## 2ND ROUND OF HEPATITIS A SHOTS

**JUNE 4 // 9:30AM-12PM**

**MMS LIBRARY**

5 Minute Pharmacy will be back to administer the 2nd round of the Hepatitis A shot on Sunday, June 4. It will be in the library in between worship services for all people (ages 18+), regardless of your insurance, and a prescription is not needed. If you do have health insurance, please bring your medical insurance ID card. Big Mahalo to 5 Minute Pharmacy for donating this to our church!

## KIDS SUMMER CAMP FUNDRAISER

**MUSUBIS & BAKE SALE**

Following each service, our kids ministry will be selling a variety of musubis from Mamaya and yummy baked goods and other goodies to raise money for their summer camp (gr.4-6). Thank you for your supporting this young & upcoming generation!

Next Sunday, they will be selling mini & regular garlic chicken & mochiko chicken bentos from Sugo's.

# A CULTURE OF HONOR BEGINS WITH IDENTITY

Pastor Charis Logan | May 28, 2017

Last week Sunday during the second service worship time, the Holy Spirit fell and it was such a powerful time! Something hit me as we sang the song Good, Good Father, especially since we are gearing up for the Culture of Honor Conference with Danny Silk. The lyrics in this song perfectly describe where a culture of honor begins. It starts with knowing—truly believing in our hearts and not just our heads—that:

“You’re a good, good Father  
It’s who You are, it’s who You are  
It’s who You are.  
And I’m loved by You  
It’s who I am, it’s who I am  
It’s who I am.”

At the end of worship, I quickly jotted this down in my phone: a culture of honor comes out of IDENTITY—the identity we receive through Jesus Christ and being a part of God’s family and inheritance. It if doesn’t come from who we believe we are through Him, honoring others is based on our performance.

I’m pretty sure that it doesn’t matter if you’ve been a Christian for over 40 years or just 4 months, the enemy is always going to go after our identity. If he can trip us up to forget or believe the lies that God is not a good Father or that His love can’t reach us for whatever reason (our sin has disqualified us or maybe fear has taken over and we only see the fear rather than Him), the enemy knows that we will pull ourselves from the game and sit on the bench rather than play a victorious game!

In *Culture of Honor*, Danny Silk writes, “Sustaining a supernatural lifestyle, where signs and wonders follow us, is therefore totally dependent on living out our true identities as sons and daughters of God” (p. 29). The “signs and wonders” that are to “follow us” is referring to The Great Commission in the Gospel of Mark, the final words of Jesus to His disciples.

“And these signs will follow those who believe:

In My name they will cast out demons; they will speak with new tongues;  
they will take up serpents; and if they drink anything deadly,  
it will by no means hurt them; they will lay hands on the sick,  
and they will recover.”

Mark 16:17-18

This is what Jesus left us on earth to fulfill! What Danny points out is that in order to carry out these “orders”, it starts with us **living out our true identities as sons and daughters of God**. We can’t give honor to others, especially those we deem undeserving of it, without first receiving it from our Maker, from whom we are so undeserving!

**“ For all of creation waits expectantly and longs earnestly  
for God’s sons and daughters to be made known.”**

**Romans 8:19**

The time is now. I am so excited for what God is about to do through His true sons and daughters! I believe that we are about to experience more of what God destined for His children from the beginning of time. Be blessed this week!