

# NEWSLETTER

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## Brookings Seventh-day Adventist Church

### Seek First!

**Matthew 6:33** But seek first his kingdom and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

In this text Matthew is setting the priorities of life, especially for one who claims to be a follower of Christ. He simply says "Seek First." This is the number one thing! Without seeking God and his kingdom nothing else matters.

God also gives a promise here that if we put him first he will take care of our needs!

Listen to what he says in the previous verses:

Matthew 6:25  
"There-fore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or drink; or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more important than food, and the body more important than clothes?"

I know that 2012 may be a tough year for many if not all of us. It will be easy for us to start to worry about "all these things" but let us not forget that

Put Him where He belongs He will provide for our needs. That is what He has promised.

Take courage!

Be strong!

Trust your Lord!

Pastor Jose G. Galvez



### Upcoming Events

- ◆ Church Board will meet Thursday, July 5, 2012 at 6 PM in Classroom #5.
- ◆ On January 7, 2012, right after the church service, there

will be a meeting of all the Adult and Children's Sabbath School class leaders, teachers, assistants and anyone interested in children is invited to attend.

- ◆ The Business Meeting (for all church members) will be held on January 14, 2012 at 5 PM. Items of business will include the budget for 2012.

### Your Prayer List...

1. **Start with a list of five**—anyone you care about, who needs to know Jesus. Friends, family, people who could do great damage to Satan's kingdom.
2. **Pray the list**—consistently intercede for each one to the Lord.
3. **Work the list**—be willing to be used by God to win the lost. Get training, find new ways to connect!
4. **Grow the list**—who else has the Lord brought to your mind? Add them!
5. **Keep the list**—continue to pray no matter the results. George Mueller had five friends on his personal prayer list. One was saved after five years of praying. It took another ten years for two more to be saved. One was saved after 35 years...and three days after George died the last friend gave his heart to the Lord.