

Crosswalk Community Church  
& Sunnyvale Christian School  
invite you to ...

# SECOND ANNUAL FAMILY FALL FESTIVAL

October 28, 2023 | 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

- Food Truck
- Balloon Artist
- Jump Houses
- Face Painting
- and much more!



**FREE**

ADMISSION & GIFT!



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Pastor Briant Cuffy

# True Church

*The Revolution Continues*

**All About Truth**

John 8:31-32

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## The Truth Will Set You Free

So Jesus said to the Jews who had believed him, “If you abide in my word, you are truly my disciples, and you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.” They answered him, “We are offspring of Abraham and have never been enslaved to anyone. How is it that you say, ‘You will become free’?”

Jesus answered them, “Truly, truly, I say to you, everyone who practices sin is a slave to sin. The slave does not remain in the house forever; the son remains forever. So if the Son sets you free, you will be free indeed.

## HOPE: YOUR HEART'S DEEPEST LONGINGS

ALLOWING THE GREAT HOPE WE HAVE IN JESUS CHRIST TO CONFRONT OUR DOUBTS,  
CALM OUR FEARS AND FILL US WITH JOY



WEDNESDAYS @ 6:30-7:45PM

6 WEEK CLASS STARTING OCTOBER 11

WITH VAL RED-HORSE MOHL IN THE LOUNGE  
TO SIGN UP EMAIL [VALERIER@VALERIEREDHORSE.COM](mailto:VALERIER@VALERIEREDHORSE.COM)



**PASTOR LINDA LEAVES FOR THE PHILIPPINES ON WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11 FOR A TWO WEEK MISSION TRIP TO THE ISLAND OF SAMAR. DOORWAY TO HOPE WAS FOUNDED IN 2011 AS A NON-PROFIT MISSION ORGANIZATION BY ROSEMARY SELLEN AND PASTOR LINDA, AND CROSSWALK HAS BEEN A VALUABLE PARTNER WORKING WITH DOORWAY TO HOPE IN THE PHILIPPINES.**

**MISSION PROJECTS WILL FOCUS ON CHURCH OUTREACH, HEALTHCARE CLINICS, DIGGING A CLEAN WATER WELL, AND CELEBRATING OUR BIBLE SCHOOL GRADUATIONS FOR 2023.**

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR PRAYERS!**



# Journey Notes

If you've ever been lied to you know the terrible feeling that lies introduce. You feel betrayed, disappointed and let down. Maybe someone promised to do something that they did not do, or outright lied to you. That stings. There is one place one should expect to hear the truth: the church. The church is a place of truth. Jesus is truth (John 16:6), we walk in the truth (3 John 1:4), and we speak the truth in love to each other (Eph. 4:15). This is so because Jesus is truth, which means Jesus is the way and the life. This is like saying, Jesus is the direction we're all seeking.

We are all looking for direction and therefore, we need truth. Truth is foundational to living life, without it nothing works. In the justice system, we're asked before testifying, "Do you swear to tell the truth, the whole truth, nothing but the truth so help you God?" Truth is foundational.

In fact, Jesus begins with this notion when he says, "you shall know the truth and the truth shall set you free." (John 8:32) But one might ask, "how does the truth set us free?"

- (1) The truth sets us free from our natural human ignorance and proclivities (John 12:39-40)
- (2) The truth sets us free from lies and helps us know how to worship God (John 4:24)
- (3) The truth sets us free to live and love well (1 Corinthians 13:4-6, 1 John 3:18)
- (4) The truth gives us assurance that God actually hears us and cares for us (1 John 5:14-15)

In the end, truth matters. If the world we live in was built on lies, there would be no planes in the air, no banks down the streets, no courts hearing cases, and no vows taken. Truth is critical.

This week, let us lean into this truth as we follow Jesus who is the truth. Let us also live in truth, tell the truth no matter the cost, for if we do we will truly be free.

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