

WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP

MARCH 22, 2026

The Church in Phoenix

Meeting Schedule

Lord's Day

10:00 am – Lord's Table

11:00 am – Prophesying meeting

Tuesday

7:00 pm – Spanish-speaking prayer meeting at home

7:30 pm – English-speaking prayer meeting at meeting hall

Thursday

7:00 pm – Small group meeting (Spanish/English)

Friday

7:00 pm – Small group meetings (Spanish)

7:30 pm – Small group meetings

Saturday

9:30 am – Cleaning & maintenance at the hall

7:30 pm – Young people's meeting

7:30 pm – Small group meeting (Burmese)

Holy Word for Morning Revival

- ❖ The All-inclusive Christ as Revealed in Matthew—week 4

Life-Study of John

Message 33
John 15:1-11

Announcement

❖ Church in Phoenix Love Feast—3/29

❖ SCYP Spring Conferences

- Oak Glen camp, CA
- Junior High Brothers
 - Dates: March 27-29
- Junior High Sisters
 - Dates: April 3-5, due date: March 22
- **Registration fee: \$125, no late registrations**

❖ Church in Phoenix Annual Business Meeting—4/19

- Lord's Day, 11am

❖ 2026 Spring Southern California College Conference

- **Dates:** April 10, Friday – April 12, Lord's Day
- **Topic: The Wonderful Testimony of Jesus**
- **Location:** The Church in Cerritos (12061 Del Amo Blvd, Cerritos, CA 90703)
- **Transportation:** We can provide rides
- **Registration Fee and deadline: \$20 due by 04/03**
 - 1. Hospitality will be provided
 - 2. Meals: Self provided
 - 3. Please pay \$20 to Hermon Mak via Venmo (@csasu), Zelle (hmak144@gmail.com), or cash
- **Sign-up form:** <https://forms.gle/fQF65NnYfrpCanAh6>

❖ International Memorial Day Blending Conference

- Friday, May 22 – Monday, May, 25
 - **Location: Sheraton Dallas, Dallas, TX**
 - **Lodging:** Sheraton Dallas Hotel
 - Special group rate of **\$129.00 USD** per night plus tax (currently 18.36%) for single, double, triple, and quadruple occupancy rooms
- Room reservations: (the Living Stream Ministry group rate)
- call 888-627-8191
 - Online reservations at the special group rate, please go to:
book.passkey.com/go/LivingStreamMinistry2026
 - Reservations must be made on or before **April 27, 2026**
 - Childcare registration please use posted QR code
 - Register by May 1, 2026

❖ Offerings

Please send your offerings through Zelle to the following email address: offerings@churchinphoenix.org

Life-Study of John - Study Guide

Dear brothers and sisters,

We will continue this week's truth pursuit with Message 33 of the Life-study of John - "THE ORGANISM OF THE TRIUNE GOD IN THE DIVINE DISPENSING (1)". This life-study message covers John 15, which is a continuation of chapter 14. Once we understand John 14, where we see the mutual abode, the mingling of divinity with humanity, we are prepared to consider John 15.

Here is an excerpt from this message followed by key verses for pray-reading and questions for your study:

"In 15:1-11 we see that the vine and the branches are an organism to glorify the Father by expressing the riches of the divine life. Some readers of this message might be bothered by the word organism; it may sound quite strange to their understanding to hear of the organism of the Triune God in the divine dispensing. But we are used to saying that the church, the Body of Christ, is not an organization but an organism. What is the difference between an organization and an organism? A table, for example, is an organization, for many pieces of wood are assembled to form one entity. Why is a table an organization and not an organism? Because in the table as a unit, there is not one organ. There are no organs in a table, because there is no life in a table. Apparently, our body is also an organization. However, it is much more than an organization because we have both organs and life. Since our body has both organs and life, it is an organism, not merely an organization. In like manner, the church, the Body of Christ, is an organism.

In John 15 this organism is likened to a vine tree. The grapevine is used as a figure of this wonderful organism. Within this vine tree we have the tree itself and all its branches. The Lord Jesus said that the vine tree is just Himself (v. 1). He is the tree, and we are the branches of this tree. By this clear picture we can see that we are the branching out of the tree, for the branches are the branching out of the vine tree. If you were to cut off the branches, you would have just a bare tree without branches, and there would be no branching out of the vine. But today this universal vine tree has many branches, and these branches are simply His branching out. Praise the Lord that throughout the whole earth we see the branching out of this vine tree! This is not an organization; it is an organism that has life with many organic elements, organs, and organic systems growing in it." (Witness Lee, Life-study of John, Living Stream Ministry, Anaheim, CA, msg. 33).

Key Verses for pray-reading: John 15:4,5

Study questions:

1. John 15 has four very important items: God the Father as the source and founder, God the Son as the center and manifestation, God the Spirit as the reality and realization, and the branches as the Body, the corporate expression. Please share on each of the four items with verse references to show the dispensing of the Divine Trinity.
2. The vine portrays God the Son. What are the 6 points related to the significance of the vine?
3. The branches of the vine portray the believers in the Son. Related to this, what is the significance of fruit-bearing by the branches (there are 5 points)?