

WEEKLY FELLOWSHIP

SEPTEMBER 27, 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

7:00 pm – Young people's
meeting with dinner

7:30 pm – Small group meeting
(Burmese)

Holy Word for Morning Revival

- ❖ The Believers (1)—
Week 2

Life-Study of Romans

Message 7

Romans: 4:1-25

Free online Life-Study
messages:

www.ministrybooks.org

Announcement

❖ Phoenix Monthly Brother's Study Group Meeting—10/3

- Review of Vol. 1, lesson 29
- 8:30am

❖ Southern California Young People Conferences—Fall 2026

- Junior High Conferences
 - Friday Oct. 9 – Lord's day Oct. 11
- High School Conferences
 - Friday Oct. 23 – Lord's day Oct. 25
 - **Registration and \$85/person fee due Lord's Day, 10/11**

❖ 2026 International Thanksgiving Conference—Denver, CO

- Thursday, Nov. 26 – Lord's Day, Nov. 29
- **Gaylord Rockies Resort and Convention Center**
- Help still needed for conference-related practical services
 - QR code for service sign-up on bulletin board

❖ 2027 Gospel Calendars

- \$12; Place order in the bookroom
- Deadline for order: **Lord's Day, 10/25**

❖ 2026 December Semiannual Training

- **Subject: The Believers (2)**
- Ministry Conference Center; LSM campus, Anaheim, CA
- Live - Mon, Dec. 21, 2026; 4:00 pm to Sat, Dec. 26, 2026; 9:30pm
 - Registration donation: \$210 (1 outline)
 - Registration deadline: Lord's Day, 10/25
- Video – Wed, Dec. 23, 2026; 7pm to Lord's day, Jan. 3, 2027; 12pm
 - Registration donation: \$130 (1 outline)
 - Registration deadline: Lord's Day, 10/25

Message 1: 12/23/26, Wed, 7:00 PM

Message 2: 12/25/26, Fri, 10:00 AM

Message 3: 12/25/26, Fri, 01:30 PM

Message 4: 12/26/26, Sat, 10:00 AM

Message 5: 12/26/26, Sat, 01:30 PM

Message 6: 12/27/26, LD, 10:30 AM

Message 07: 12/30/26, Wed, 7:00 PM

Message 08: 01/01/27, Fri, 10:00 PM

Message 09: 01/01/27, Fri, 01:30 PM

Message 10: 01/02/27, Sat, 10:00 AM

Message 11: 01/02/27, Sat, 01:30 PM

Message 12: 01/03/27, LD, 10:30 AM

- Please send your registration fee via Zelle to **offerings@churchinphoenix.org** and indicate on the memo line **"2026 December Training"** and the **name(s) of registrant(s)**

- Registration QR code:



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Life-Study of Romans - Study Guide

Dear brothers and sisters,

We will continue our truth pursuit this week with Message 7 of the Life-study of Romans, titled "THE SUBJECTIVE EXPERIENCE OF JUSTIFICATION (1)". This portion in Romans 4:1-25 continues the section concerning justification. Romans 3 covered the definition of justification. Romans 4 illustrates the experience of justification and Romans 5 reveals the result of justification.

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

"Romans 4 is a deep chapter. We should not understand it just in a superficial way. If we enter into the depths of this chapter, we will see it reveals that adequate, living justification is God's deeper work in calling fallen people out of everything other than God and bringing them back to Himself. God created man for Himself and to Himself. However, man fell. The meaning of the fall of man is to be kept from God by anything that is not God. The man who had been created to God fell away from God to other things. It does not matter whether a thing is good or bad. As long as it is not God and it keeps man from God, it constitutes a fall. In God's justification, God calls the fallen man out of everything back to Himself. Therefore, when God called Abraham, He did not tell him where he should go, because His intention was to bring Abraham back to Himself. Moment after moment and step after step, Abraham's heart had to cleave to God. He had to trust in God for every move, not leaving His presence for a moment. In other words, Abraham had to be one with God." (Witness Lee, Life-study of Romans, Living Stream Ministry, Anaheim, CA, msg. 7)

Verses for pray-reading: Rom 3:24-25, 28; 4:3-5, 16-18

Questions:

1. What does it mean that God's justification brings us "back to Himself," rather than merely giving us forgiveness and righteousness?
2. Why was Abraham's offering of Isaac necessary after he had received God's promise?
3. What was Abraham's experience of the one "who gives life to the dead and calls the things not being as being." Relate this to our objective and subjective justification and to the two kinds of Isaac.
4. Why is Romans four necessary after justification was covered in chapter three?