#### FFWPU USA Blessing and Family Ministry: Thrive in an International Marriage

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### Blessing & Family Ministry Newsletter

#### MATCHING | MARRIAGE | PARENTING

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Hello family. West Coast couples retreat. MatchNet episode. Blessing webinar pause. Touchy topics webinar. Building true love. HN livestream. Kindness superpower. Sunday service livestream.

### what's new?

## Young Couples Retreat: Glimpse of a Blessed Life 2025

West Region Hosted | Oct 3–5, 2025

Bay Area Family Church | Registration is OPEN!

This retreat is for young adult singles and couples seeking to: 

Explore what the value of the marriage Blessing is and what it truly means to live a Blessed life

Hear testimonies from Blessed couples and families 
Build vision for a faith-filled future, a strong community, and a world of peace 
Find space for meaningful discussions, connection, and renewal

Nourish your faith, refresh your perspective, and grow together as One Family Under God.

#### A YOUNG ADULT SINGLES AND COUPLES RETREAT



bridging the gap between the ideal and reality, gaining practical tools in relationship building, testimonies, reflection and more!

4pm Oct 3rd - Oct 5th 12pm





Registration link:



register here

# How to Thrive in an International Blessing (not just survive)

Benjy shares from the heart in this raw episode on the real struggles and victories of an international Blessing.

listen here

## Blessing Webinar Are On Pause



#### events

## Touchy Topics Webinar



join here

## Building True Love: Conscious Communication for Couples

Welcome! This will be a six-session class with practice, starting either Sep 6 or Sep 8. You will have homework to practice the skills you learn. It will be by Zoom, so you don't have to be in the same location as your spouse. And if your spouse can't attend at all, it's okay. You'll still get something out of it to get your communication off to a good start.



register here

## "Relationship Ready" High Noon Livestream



sign up now

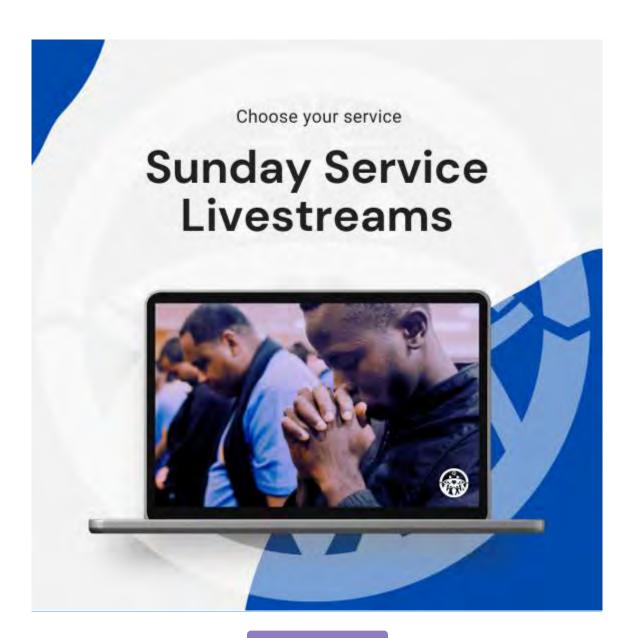
## Kindness as a Super Power



#### by Myrna Lapres

According to Mark Twain, "Kindness is the language which the deaf can hear and the blind can see" and Aesop, the Ancient Greek fabulist, states, "No act of kindness, no matter how small, is ever wasted." The gift of kindness may start as a small ripple that over time can turn into a tidal wave affecting the lives of many. How do we cultivate kindness in ourselves and our families?

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