

# ECCLESIOLOGY

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## INTRODUCTION

Houbung hi ipiham? Ahilou leh koiham? Hilchetna jatchom chom veuhite.

1. Houbung hi akilhengdoh/koudoh ho kiloikhomna (community of the elect) akiti. Houbung hi Lhagao Theng'in akoudoh'a kiloikhom ho kiseina ahi.
2. Kimkhatnin Houbung hi polamma kiloikhomna neihlo hilou, sunglamma Christa tahsan na neile kiloikhomna nei, midangin hehhih jongle Pathen'in ahet; Houbung khatna member hisese hih jongleh Pathen'in ahet, polam kiloikhomna ngaisang lou, ahi'a sunglama Chrita toh kiguijopna neihlo chu Houbung tahbeh ahi atiuve.
3. Kimkhat kitnin Houbung hi mutheija kiloikhomna neihlo, baptize chan vanga houbung member hiho chu houbung tahbeh ahi atiuvin, Christian tahbeh ahi atiuve. Hiche hi adeh'a Roman Catholicho tahsan chu ahi.
4. Christa tahsan vanga Pathen houho, leiset chung muntinna kithe jalho, chenna lhongpikhat jui, thuhil kibang pom, atahsanno twija kiphum lutna photchetna neihlo, antheng jongkhom le Pathen thu kihil jingho chu Houbung ahi. Sunggila Christa toh kiguijopna le tahsanna nei, polam kiloi khomna jong apoimo ahi, ti tahsang ho.
5. Loikhat kitchen Houbung hi muthei kiloikhomna kikhentel jat chomchomho – denomination jatchom chom ho kiseina ahi atiuve.

Ahin Bible dungjuijin Houbung hi:

1. **Local church:** Asunga memberho chu amin maimai Christian hilou, Pathen kouna chang, mitheng dinga kikou, Christian dihtah ho chu ahi (Rom. 4:11,13,13,25).
2. Juda mi hilou michombeh/honchombeh hochu houbung akiti (Rom.10:20; Isai. 65:1; Hosh. 2:23). Chuleh Pathen lungdei chu tun houbunga jao hih jongle ajaolou laihochu kiloikhomna'a jaosah ding ahi.
3. Old Testament dungjui Isai.1:9; cf. Rom.11:5 ja Houbung hi amoh/avaldo (remnant) kitihokhu ahi.
4. Houbunghi ahingthei tahsa (Living body) ahi. Hichu Christa tahsa ahi. Changvala Christian khat chu hiche tahsa'a chu jao – amahochu houbung kiti ahi. Tahsa chu chatloh thei ahito lhonna a member ho chu adoncheh'a chatloh ding ahi. Ahi'a amaho chu tipumkhat hiuva ahi. Mother Teresa in asei “Christan khut aneipon, eihoh khut hi anatoh nan amangin, keng aneipon ahivangin akinna chenna dingin eihoh keng amange” atikhu ahi (Rom. 12:4-5).
5. 1 Cor. 10:17 na'in Tahsan kiloi khom ho ahi ati.
6. 1 Cor.3:11 na'in Christa jalla kiloi khom ho ahi ati.
7. Lhagao Thengin aphi doh jong akiti (Acts. 2 cf. Eph.2:22; 1 Cor. 12; Rom. 12).

## **BUNG – 1**

### **HOUBUNG JAT CHOM CHOM HO**

1. **Houbung leh lenggam:** Mtt. 13 dunguijin lenggam hi apha le ase ani'a umkhomna ahin, hijeh chun houbung hi lenggam sunga khat (part of kingdom) ahin, lenggam chu ahipoi. Juda ten khatvei anapai doh'u Jesu Christa lengvaipohna lenggam chu ahungkit teng kitung doh ding ahibepme.
2. **Muthei leh mutheilou houbung** (visible & invisible): Muthei houbung hi leiset kiloikhomna houbung ahilouleh denomination khatna amin jao kiseina ahin, miph'a mise kihalna ahi. Mutheilou houbung hi Rev. 21:27 na'a kimu dunguija 'Kelngoi nou hinna lekhabu' a amin kisunho chu ahi.
3. **Amun houbung leh vannoi losoh houbung** (local and catholic): Amun houbung hi khokhat, venghat ahilouleh munkhatna kiloikhomna houbung ahin; vannoi losoh houbung (Universal/catholic) houbung hi muntinna houbung jouse apunna kisei gomna ahi.
4. **Houbung Mutheija umnalai leh abulhing/chamkim** (Church actual & ideal): Aumnalai houbung hi chamkim nailou, chamkim nadinga kihabol lai houbung ho hi kiseina ahin; chamkim houbung hin vangamma chetasa mitheng ho aseina ahi.
5. **Houbung Galbollai leh Galjou** (Church Militant & truimphat): Galbollai houbung hi leisetna houbung dihtah umnalai ho seina ahin; galjou houbung hin galjouva vangamma choldo tasaho aseina ahi.

## **BUNG – 2**

### **OLD TESTAMENT HOUBUNG**

Christa hungle natoh na'a kon mudoh thei chu Pathen'in ipi dinga leiset hi anasem ham tih ahi. Hichu ahina (nature) ngailutna akiphondohna ding leh hopdoh ahithe'i na ding ahin, mihemte ngailut achan nading ahi. Chuleh mihemte mopohna chu "Pathen loupi sah'a ichanu ngailutna'a tonsotna kipa ding hi ahi." Ahin mihem chonsetna (Adam chonsetna) chun Pathen'in ngailutna neitah'a agondoh mihemte toh kiguijopna atansah tai. Hinlah Pathen milungsetna chu achal jom jingthou thouvin; Mihemte toh kitepna aneijom jinge. Amasan Noah toh kitepna aneijin, hichu leiset pumpi hopma kitepna ahin; abana Babel insang jouva Abraham toh kitepna chu ahi. Hiche Abraham'a kona hi Christian Houbung hi hung kipan ahi tithei ahi. Hichu Mesopotomia gam Haran'a aumlaija akikoudoh'a aman jong ajotna ding helouva tahsan jala akipat doh jenga kon ahi (Gen. 12:1-4). Hiehche'a patchun Pathen'in lamchom beh'a mihem honkhat toh kiguijopna aneijin, hichu amaho changseh'in aphatchom nadingu hilouvin Pathen'in leiset chunga dinga alungtup hinkho dihtah chu mihemten aneithe'i nadingu ahi.

Paul'in houbung member chungchang aseina'a (Rom 4) ibonnuva ipao Abraham thupidan/apoimodan anaseijin ahi (4:16). Gen 12 na'a Pathen'in Abraham kitepna thum anapen – gamthah pehding, vang bohding chuleh ama'a konna namthah hungum dohding chu ahi. Ahin hiche kitepna chu tahsa lama achilhah ho sehseh dinga phatchomna hilouva, amavang'a leiset chung

pumpia vangboh changho ding ahi (Gen.12:3). Phatchom khat jouvin polam melchihna cheptan chu ahung kipen, ahin Paul'in athupi pen chu cheptan chu hilouva Abraham tahsan joh, apolama adanthu man joh hilouva asung lama atahsan jala athuman na joh chu ahi ati. Pathen mi dihtah ho chu Paul'in Abraham banga tahsanna neiho, Pathen toh changvala tahsan vanga kigui jopna neiho chu ahi ati.

Abraham to kitepna aneimasat chu Jacob toh chuleh Mosi toh asuthah'e. Hiche'a dinga hetjing dinga kipe tekahna le melchih na chu Pathen'in amite Egypt'a kon apuidoh'a twipisan apalgal kaipi chu ahi. Exodus hi Israelte dinga huhhingna achanu thusim a'itih'a mang louding khat chu ahi (Ps. 136).

Exodus jouvin Sinai mola danthu kipeh ahin, kitepna akisemthah chun (Ex. 19:5-6) danthu som chu akipei (Ex.20). Chujouchun hichu hilchetna dingin danthuho 'torah' chu akipen hichu Leviticus le Deuteronomy ahi.

Hicheho jouse hi Israel te dinga Pathen mi dihtah chamkim ahitheina dinguva kigong ahin, ahin Israelte analhing lel taove. Mose noija ahin, Thutan vahom ho noi ahin, lengho noi ahin, themgaoho noi ahin Pathen lungdei chu anabulhit lel jing taove. Israel le Juda chu Pathen'in analhen tum ahin, amopoh naojong lenna ahin; ahin amahon Pathen chu anungsunun pathen dang joh lama akiheisanun, gitlouna, thutahlouna le mivaichaho bolgentheina lama akiheijo taove. Hijeh chun Pathen chonphatah chun achunguva gotna alhunsah'in sohchang'a kaimangin aumtaove (c. 586-538).

Ahin Pathen lunggel chu jolela umding ahidehpoi. Phatseh leh Israel lah ahin Juda lah ahin "kitah tah'a um honlhomcha" anaum jiuvin, amaho chu kitahlouna leh gitlouna'a analha jipouve (Is.1:9; 2:2-5;10:20-23 cf. Judg.7:7). Hitichun Jeremiah phatlai sohchan lajin Pathen'in amilhen ho toh kitepna thah aneidiu thu akimu jingin ahi. Hiche kitepna hi polama danthu juivang hilouva; sunglam lungchang/lungthimma kitepna – ngailutna le Pathen tahsan vanga kiguijopna chu ahi. Hiche kitepna thah chu ahunglhun lhunle mijousen Pathen chu asunglama ahetdiu chuleh Pathen chu ngailutna neitah leh kipah tah'a asan diu ahi (Jer. 31:31-34) ati. Christian khat hina jalin hiche kitepna hi – New Testament – Christa a bulhinna aumtai ti imu'uvin chuleh Ama toh tahsan vanga pumkhat hina'a kiguijopna a bulhit ahi ti imu've. Christa amajeng tah in jong hiche kitepna nathah chu aguilhunge tin jan anneh nukhah penna anaseijin, hichu thisan vanga kitepna ahi anati (Lk. 22:20).

Isaiah 40-55 na'a Sohchanga kon ahung kiledoh diu nungu agahseina'a, huhdoh'a aumna diu kinepna agah mavetsah'in, OT sunga dinga akitah amoh (Faithful remnant) ho kiseina kichentah'in akimui. Ahin hiche amoh kisei chu mitamtah'a kon mikhatehseh'a ahung kiseineovin, amachun mijouse ngaidam achana diuleh hinkho thah aneitheina diuva mijouse chonsetna chu apoh'a, thina chana gentheina athoh din aseije (Isai. 52:13-53:12). Hiche soh bolgen theija umpsa themgao kama kiseipa hi Jesu Christa ahi tihi itahsanun, Gentheija ahi jalchun Israel namthah semdoh'in aumin, hiche sunga chu cheptan vang hilouva baptism vang, danthu juivang hilouva tahsan vanga lutheina ahi.

## BUNG – 3

### NEW TESTAMENT HOUBUNG

#### 1. ECCLESIA

Solchah lekhabu masa langa (Bung 1 – 5:11) Christiante chu seijui, mitheng, sopi, tahsanho, lampi juiho (Acts 9:2) tin anakisejin; Solchah 5:11 jouva patnin Greek paova athu kimangcha pen chu *ecclesia*, hichu ‘akikoudoh/akilhengdoh ho kiloikhomna’ tina ahin; munkhatna konna mundang khatna koudoh... tekahnan, muthim lah’ a kon khovah’ a (1 Pet.2:9) tina ahi. *Ecclesia* kiti thucheng hi Septuagint – Greek paova OT kiledoh – ajong anakimang’ in, hichu Hebrew thucheng *qahal* tichu Israelte houkhomho/houbung tin ana kimange. Hiche in avetsah chu Abraham’ a kon hungkipan gui chu tulai houbung geija chejom peh ahi. Hiche thucheng hi gospel sunga thumvei bou anakimange (Mtt. 16:18 leh Mtt. 18:17 a nivei). Solchah lekhabu leh lekhathot ho’ a jat ni in akimange.

- a. Munkhatna Christian kiloikhomho (local Christian community) seinan akimange (eg. 1 Cor. 11:18; Rom.16:5; Acts 18:22; 20:17). Hichehi tamtah (plural) a seiding’ in amun houbung (Local Church) tampi seinan jong akimange (Acts 15:41).
- b. Leiset chunga Pathen mite jouse seinan jong akimange (Acts 20:28; 1 Cor. 12:28; Eph. 1:22 f). New Testament hoimacha’ a *Ecclesia* hi plural’ a Denomination ho seinan akimang khapoi; Amun houbung chu tamtah umthei ahin, ahin houbung chu khatbou hija ahi.

## 2. ISRAEL LUI LE ISRAEL THAH

Jesu chu Houbung phutdohpa ham? Langkhatna seidin ahi. Ajehchu ama’ a chu “Mihem semthah’ a um ahi” (2 Cor. 5:17). Ahin alangkhatna seidin *Qahal* leh *Ecclesia* – akilhengdoh mite anaum tai iti jalun, Jesu hung masang Abraham kikouva patna chu anaum anahitai. Jesun thucheng *Ecclesia* chu alah’ a asemthah (transform) ma, natoh thah leh lampi thah ajot diuva agonpeh ahi. Amatah chu ‘amoh’ dihtah chu ahin, soh bolgentheija umpa, Israel te thusim lailung chu ahi. Gahvet dingin Israelte thusim hi changvui bangin ajum lha deo deuvuin, Israel dihtah, amoh/avaldoch chu alhom cheh cheh’ in akhonnан mikhat bou, midih tah chu Israelte lailung laitah’ a aum doh tai. Ahin changvui chu ahung len cheh cheh kitnin, Jesun seijui 12 ahin kouvin, hichu Israel phung 12 toh vetchep ahi. Midangin ahin belapmin, 120 ahin phan, Penticost ni maman mi 3000 ahung hidoh paije.

O.T a Pathen mite kisei naho chu mangcha kitnin, Israelte chu Kelngoi hon – Ps. 23; Ezk. 34 ana kiti bangin, Jesun hiche lim chu ala’ in amatah ‘kelngoi chingpha’ akitin (Jn.10) ‘kelngoi honlhom chaho kichahih’ un (Lk. 12:32;cf Mtt. 26:31 cf. Ezk. 34) anati. OT a Messiah kiseina soh hesohpa lasonin ama natoh’ a ahilchenin, ahinkho Ihumkeija Judeate henga angeh chu Pakai ahi tia asan diu chu ahin, hinlah amahon apai doh’ un, akhailih taove.

Hijeh chun Israel lui chu Phat chomkhatna dingin ajotna alhin man sattan ahitan, Israel ‘amoh’ athah chu ahung peng doh’ in; hichu Abraham tahsan banga tahsanna nei, hiche tahsan chu Pathen loi le gol tina min achanna tobang tahsan chu ahi. Juda mite chu aum jing vangun Pathen midih tah chu ahitapouve. Tu’ a patna hiche kitepna Pathen mite chu Christa jala houbung hi hi’ a ahitai. Israel Mikhat hina dinga talsa’ a Israel mi’ a pen ngai ahin, Israel thah mikhat hina ding Jesu le Paul thuhil dingjuija mikhat chu athah’ a apen kitngai ahi. Hichu Ihagaova thahpen kitchu ahi (Jn. 3:5; Mtt. 28:19-20).

## **BUNG – 4**

### **JESU THUHIL DUNGJUIJA HOUBUNG**

#### **1. PATHEN LENGGAM**

Pathen lenggam ahilouleh vangam (van lenggam – Kingdom of heaven) kiti thucheng hi Gospel sung seh seh'a jakhat veival akimui. Jesun anatoh apat patna athuhil jong chu ahi (Mk. 1: 15). Christa hi leng ahi chuleh lengkhat umna'a chu Lenggam jong ngaitei, chuleh athu'a nung ding mihem jong ngaitei ahi. Thilkidang abol, ngailutna neitah'a ana aboldam, 1hagao boh vop anodoh hohi ivetleh Pathen lenggam chu alah'uvah akiphong doh tai ti kichen tah'in akimui (Lk. 11&:20). Chuleh anungui ding mi akoukhom dan hi ivet leh Pathen'in mithah alheng khomne ti akimui

Ahin mitam tah'in hiti'a chu agel vangun hiche hin Houbung hi Pathen lenggam ahi atina ahidehpoi. Houbung hi Ihasam le chonse kikhentel leh hatjoulou ahi. Ahin chamkim loutah hijongle Houbunghi Pathen'in lenggam tundoh nadinga amanchah chu ahi. Lamkhatna seidin lenggam chu hunghung ahitai. Ajeh chu Christa Messiah chu ahungtan ahung nading melchih na'a kisei natoh kidang jouse abolchai tai (Lk. 7:22ff). Chuleh lenggam chu kitah tah'a anungjuiho 1ungsunga aume ati (Lk. 17: 21). Ahin alangkhatna ahunghung loulai ahin, hunghung bepding ahi. Hijeh'a chu itao tenguleh ‘Nagam hunghung hen’ ti'a itao jiu ahi (Lk. 9:27). Chuleh Jesun jong thutan na maija adin chun Mihem Chapa Pathen khut thahat jet lama atouding jong aseije (Lk. 22:69). Christa umna jouse leh anungjuiho kikhopna jouse ah lenggam chu muthei jin aume. Ahin hiche chu agongmai mai bou ahi nalaije. Hijeh'a jong chu vanna banga 1eisetna lenggam ahung ki tundoh nadinga taoji ihiuve. Houbung hi lenggam chu ahipon, ahin hubung dihtah'a ahinna'a lenggam hinkho chu muthei ahi.

#### **2. PETER IN APHONDOHNA AH**

Gospel sunga Ecclesia kimanna khat chu Mtt. 16:18 ahi. Hichu Peter'in Jesu aphondoh jouva Peter jah'a Jesun “nangma Peter nahin, hiche petre (Greek'a songpi kiseina) chunga hi kahoubung/ecclesia katundoh ding ahi” atina ahi. Hiche hin ipi aseina ham? Roman catholicte tahsan le thuhil dungjuijin Houbung hi papacy (Pope), Jesun houbung kaphudoh ding ahi ti'a aseina Peter khela pang Pope ho'a kiphutdoh ahi atiuve. Ahin Protestan hon hiche songpi atihin Peter tahsanna songpi aseina ahi, ahilouleh phondohna thucheng lentah chu aseina ahi atiuve. Chuleh. hiche hi adihna chu houbung hi Pakai Jesu Christa chu Messiah ahi tia phondoh'a kiphut ji ahi. Ahin Jesun Peter aseina hitei ding ahin; ahi'a Pope ho chunga kingam ahi ti vang aseina ahipoi. Paul'in Ephesus'a Christian ho lekha athotna'ah “Nangho solchah hole themgao ho bulphu na'a kisa doh nahiuv; Jesu Christa aninga song chun hiche in chu atuh det ahi ati” (Eph. 2:19-20). Peter ahin chuleh solchah dangho ahiuv Houbung kiphudoh nadinga mihema dinga abul kiphuna chu ahiuve. Ahin abul/foundation chu aphatseh'a Roman Catholicho tahsan banga khel jing angaipoi. Ajeh chu a foundation dih tah chu leinoi ja kivui Ihum ji ahijoi. Langkhatna seidin Peter hi Houbung kibulphu na'a amember khat ahin; houbung chu athuhil jaluchun kitah tah'in aum jingun (Acts. 2: 41) tahsan na atuh det jingui.

#### **3. HOUBUNG NATOH DING**

Jesun amachung chang natoh leh aseijui ho henga aseijing le aman jing khat chu ‘sol’ ahi. Pan keima eisol banga keiman nangho kasol nahiuve (Jn. 20: 21). Ngeihon lah'a kelngoi banga kasol nahiuve (Mt. 10: 16), Chuleh solna nukhah pen jong chu cheuvin seijui gasemun (Mt. 28:19) ti ahi.

Hiche hi Greek thucheng (verb) *apostellein*, Latin'a *mittere* ahin, hiche ledoh na' a kon nachu thucheng Apostle/Solchah (akisolpa) leh Mission (akisol/act of sending) hi kiladoh ahi. Jesun athulem seina'a Golvah loupi bolpan agolvah ankong loupi tah kipah tah'a umding mi holdia asoh ho asol banga (Lk. 14: 15-24) aseijuite leh Houbung hi kipana thupha 1hangsam dingleh Pathen lenggam chu ahung naitai ti seiphong dinga asol ahi (Lk. 10:1).

#### **4. HOUBUNG PUMKHAT AHIDAN**

Jesu thuchaina sei John 15-17 sunga kimu khun houbung dinmun ding ahaseije. Jesu chu lengpigui ahin eiho abah ihiuve. Koi hileh lengpi guija beh chun lengpi guija um hinna chu anei khompi ding ahin chuleh abah jouse chu kiloikhoma lengpigui jala chu pumkhat hija ahi (John:15:115). Chuleh 17: 21 na'a Jesun anungjuiho Ama le Pa pumkhat ahi banga akipumkhat theina dinguva ataopeh akimui. Kipunkhom hi thupitah le poimo tah ahi. Ahin hiche jonghi ajeh neija hiding, amin mai mai kipunkhom dei man hilouding ahi. Hichu ga neinading ahi. Lengpi guichu khanglen ding, hajama jamding, haga cheh cheh ding ahi. Jesun aseijui ho Pan asolna banga aman jong asol ahin, hichu houbung khantou na ding ahi. Hijeh'a chu kipunkhom lona jepen chu Mission (Anatong dia eikisol) jeh ahi.

#### **5. JESU CHRISTA NATOH NA'A HOUBUNG KILANG**

**a.** Jesun alungtup pen chu ache nungteng anatoh ban jomding mihon khat semdoh ding hi ahi. Hiche hi seijui somleni akouva konin muchet ahi. Amaho chu Israel phung 12 toh vetchep ahin, Israel thah semdoh ding lehacheuva Pathen lenggam thudol agahil le nadiu ahi. 12 ho henga leh midang ho henga “Neijuijun” atin, chuleh lenggam thu lhangsap dingin soljong asolin (Lk. 9:57-62), miman lensep dingin aseije. Hitichun honlhom cha chu ahung umdoh'in amaho chu ahung khangun ahi.

**b.** Aninana'a honkhat phudoh'a aumlon ajech chu jan an neh nukkah achun avetsah'e. Jan an neh hi Israel thah ho dinga kalchuh kut ahin, kitepna thah chomlouva athisanna mahor anam khum chu ahi (Lk. 22:14-22). Jan anjon kiphu doh leh houbung masa'a hon thupi tah'a anaman danuhin Jesu thusei “Keima neihet jingna dingun kahung kit kahsen bolun” tihi agel thupi'ui ti akimu. Hiche'in avetsah chu Jesun aseijui holeh honkhat aphudoh hochun natoh ajom jing dingu adei avetsah'e.

**c.** Athumna le achanina Jerusalem houin daltan na pondal Jesu athi'a ake chu ahi (Mk. 15:38). Hiche pondal chun milham holeh Houin dan sungnung chu akhen ahin, hiche munna chu thempu chungnung kumkhat leh khatvei bou lutthei ahi. Pondal ake chun Judeate bou hilou, mijouse Pathen ang jangpetna achethei diu avetsah'e (Heb. 10:20).

### **BUNG – 5**

### **SOLCHAH PAUL THUHIL DUNGJUIJA HOUBUNG**

**1. Houbung hi Pathen chenna In (Temple) ahi** (1 Cor. 3:16ff; 2 Cor. 6:16; Eph. 2:19ff cf. 1 Pet.2:5): Pathen'intheng alhagaova achenaha ahin, solchah holeh themgao ho bulphuna'a kisadah, aninga songpi chu Christa; Judeate ahin gentile te ahin alunghei jouse kibangtah'a ahin khomnao (Eph. 2) ahi. Intheng, Inhing Lhagao thengchena ahi (1 Cor.3).

2. **Houbung hi Insung khat ahi** (Rom. 8:29; Gal. 6:10; Eph.2:19): Tahsanna'a Pathen insungmi (Gal.6) ahi. Hiche insunga hi Pathen hi Pa hija, Christa chu mi upa hija – sopi numei le pasal tampi umma ahi (Rom. 8).

3. **Houbung hi Christa Mou/jihol ahi** (Eph. 5:22-33; 1 Cor. 6:15-17; cf. Rev.21:2). Ephesus achun insung'a Nupa kiguijopna thu aseijin, hichu Houbung le Christa kiguijopna toh atekah'e. Christian houbung angailun; Ama chu aluchang ahin, Houbung dinga chu athoh genthei ahi. Aman Houbung chu Baptist channa twija aloupina ding, bohbehlou le atheng ahina dingin asuthengin asil thengin (sactify & clensed) ahi. Hicheho jouse chung chona hin ngailutna'a kipun khom; Moulang le mounu kingailutna le kipunkhom dinga kigotna/ngalel nahin Christian houbung angailut toh tekah ahi.

4. **Houbung hi Christa tibah ahi** (Rom. 12:4-5; 1 Cor. 12:12-27; Eph. 4:12-16). Christiante jouse hi Christa tibah ahiuvin, natoh jatchomcheh anei vanguva khat chu khat chunga kingam ahi. Chuleh amaho luchang chu Christa ahi (Eph. 4:15). Hiche aluchanga konna chu tahsahin hinna anei ahi. Tahsa hi angai ngai hijing louva Christa dungchan apah kah'a akhan ngai ahi (Eph. 4:13).

Hiche kidangtah Houbung tekah na'a kon kimuchu – Houbung hi kiloikhomna le kijil khomna bou hilou ahi. Houbung hi ahing, achatloh thei, akhangthei, Christa ama hinna tahchun adipma Lhagao Thengin apuihoi ahi. Hijeh'a chu Houbung hi khat bou hija ahi; ajehchu Christa tibah chu kisukhen theilou ahi (1 Cor. 1:13). Muthei houbung hi Dinomination tamtah'a akihopkhen hin Christian alungdei le angaito na'a kona ilhah mangnao avetsah ahi. Christa tibah/houbung member jouse hi ngailutna le kiloikhom na'a kipumkhat ahin, khat le khat kikah'a mopohna aneicheh ahi. Hijeh'a chu khat chu alhuh ham agenthei hamleh abonna chu genthei jiu ahi (1 Cor. 12:26). Hijeh'a chu Christian khat chun a Christian chankhompi khat tahsa le lhagao ngaichat na chu nahsah mo'a akoi lou holding, midang khat lhasetna leh kipa nachu athoh picheh diu ahi. Midang jouse'a kon kichom khen thei louhel dingu ahi. Tahsa'a konna tibakhhat chu akisat lhah leh thiding ahitan (akisatlha chu), lengpi guija kon abah chu akisat lhah leh lengpi akisat lhachu gathei louding ahi (Jn. 15:4).

## **BUNG -6**

### **HOUBUNG HI PATHEN/LHAGAO (DIVINE) HAM AHILOU LEH MIHING/TAHSA (HUMAN) HAM**

Lhagaovin adip Houbung hi tahsa ahi itiuvem ahilouleh Lhagao ahi itiuvem? Houbung hi Christa tibah ahi jalhin Christa leisetna um tin jong mitampin ageljiuve. ‘Pathen Mihema ahung pen kitepchona’ tin jong akiseiji'e. Ajeh chu Christa chu tu'a hi vangama kilekit na ahitan, houbung'in tu'a hi ana atoh ahi akiti.

Ikiloikhom nao hi ivet jiteng ‘Houbng hi lhasam tah leh chonse tah ahi tih da thei ahipoi. Chuti ahileh hiche kibaotamna'a dim honkhat hi Christa tibah kiti theiham? Tahsan danghon itidanna hiche kitomona'a dim hi ahin jot'uva tahsan vanga Baptist channa ahinbel thei mong diuham? Chuti ahileh Houbung hi mihem kiloikhom na maimai, dan phajep leh khaujep semma suhtup'a hi'a konna chu kiloikhomna khangtou sothei hiding ham? (Mitamtah'in hitihin Houbung chu asempha/reform gojiuve.)

Hiche hi Christology leh Paul in houbung ahilchetna Christa tibah toh jopmatna sutlhap thei ahi. Christology in Christian atipum khat sunga chun (one person) hina (nature) ni aneije atin, Ama chu lhingsetna Pathen hija, lhingsetna mihem jong hija ahi. Hibang'a chu Houbung jong hi mihem jong hija Pathen jong ahi tithei ahi. Pathen ahilo na chu Christian aphudoh ahijeh leh aluchang ahijeh, chuleh Lhagao Theng in adip jeh leh niseh'a Ama toh kiguijopna inei jeh'u ahi. Ahin alangkhatna mihem jong ahina chu: michonse ho kiloikhomna, mihem lungngaito'a kisemtoh, kikhen jal, Laodicea houbung bang'a sa jong salou, votjong votlou, lum dapdap (Rev.3:16) ahijeh ahi.

Hicheho jouse hin Christa hina leh Houbung hina akikkeh dan akimutheije. Ani'a chu mihem jong Pathen jong hija ahi. Ahin Christa mihem hina jongchu chamkim le chonsetna bei ahin, ahin Houbung vang chamkim louleh chonsetna'a dim ahi. Houbung hi Christa mou ahin, thengsel le nolnabei ahiding adei ahi (Eph. 5:27). Ahin tupetnin vang Houbung chu chutobang ahipoi. Houbung toh kisaija inatoh diuchu: Christa Lhagao thahat na'a chu kibaona, kikhentelna, hatlouna jouse hi aboncha atheng le chamkim hisah'a Christa lungdei bolna ding, anatoh na ding leh kiloikhomna dih ahitheina dinga na itoh diu chu ahi.

Christa hi tunin jong Lhagaova Houbung'a aumjing nalaije. Achama kikhoukhah dinga adalhah louhel ahi. Christa ahingkit vanna kal tasa chu Houbung'a hi umjing nalai ahi. Hijeh'a chu mini ahilouleh thum kaminna akikhop naova chun keima jong kajaove (Mtt. 18:20) ati ahi. Athahatna, alhagao thahat thaneina chu houbungho sutheng ding leh anatoh nadiuva thahat pe'in apang jing nalaije. Ahin houbung chun hiche thahatna chu sang dinga kigosa umjing ngai ahin, hiche'a chu hin ngai ahi.

## **BUNG – 7** **HOUBUNG DINMUN/HINA** **(Mark/Nature Of The Church)**

Nicene Creed chun Houbung hi thil thupitah 4 in aseije. Hichu: Khat (one), Atheng (holy), vannoi losoh (catholic) le Solchah (apostolic).

### **1. Khat (One).**

Houbung kipum khatna hi ibola hiti thupi'a chuleh ipi aseina ham? Imu banguvin New Testament na Houbung hi khat ahi. Chuleh Paul'in ahomkhen goho chu themmo nasatah anachane (1 Cor.1:12). Ahin tunin houbung hi ivetleh Denomination tamtah'a akihom khenin, khatloi dehdeh chun aphutdoh pa min apu'un (Lutheran, Calvinist, Wesleyan etc) ahi. Paul'in kikhentelna ajeh anaseina'a, "hiche hi mihem chonset jeh leh hetna lhahsam jeh ahi" (1 Cor. 1:18) ati.

Kikhen telna hi 1054 AD a Western Church leh Eastern Church ti'a ahung kikhen na hungkipan ahi. Houbung hin lentah'a kikhenna ni anatoh'in hichu: Western church leh Easter church kikhen, leh Roman Catholic le Protestant kikhen ahi. Kikhen telna jonghi ajeh ana umin, khatloi chu akhau lheh jenge. Luthei in 1517 na 95 thesis kiti Wittenberg houin kotna anatah chun Roman Catholic Houbung hi suhkeh ding agot ahapon, semphat ding agot joh ahi. Ajeh chu asunga chu adihlou tamtah, Pathen thu nahsah louna, Pope thaneina dihlouna, Tahsan sanga Hou natoh thupi jo'a koi ho ana umjeh ahi. Ahin Houbung chu hiche kisemthahna hi sanding ananom pouvin, Luther chu nodoh (excommunicate) anabol taove. Hijeh chun acham louva akisemthah houbung khat aumdoh

angaitai. Ahin alungthim ma chu (khonung peh'a Calvin banga) houbung thah phudoh ding anangaito ahipon, houbung chu semphat ding joh anagot ahi.

18<sup>th</sup> Century laija England gamma John Wesley chunga jong hitobang mama hi anahi. England Houbung (Anglican) chu anakhing lhatan, danjui maimai bou anahi taovin, kisemthah na ngaichan anaum tapon, anago lhatai. Wesley'n England houbung chu suhhal ding, suh thouding, kipa na lemusah ding agot ahi. Chuleh amatah jong England houbung'a chun ahinkho lhum keijin Minister khatnin aumme. Ahin athi jouva bou 'Methodist society' ho chu hung kisepkhenova Methodist Houbung hungkitiu ahi.

Member jouse hin a denomination'u bullam ve'in kiloupi sahna tamtah anei jiuvin, midang sanga athupina le anatohdoh'u avetsah jiuve. Tekahnan Roman Catholic, Orthodox le Anglican Christian hon a liturgy (Pathen houna'a kimang lekhabu) Pathen theng houna'a kimang aneiju chu akiloupi sah jiuvin; Presbyterians hon Bible dunguija athuhilu leh Doctrine athupi sah'un chuleh democratic church government aneiju akithupi sah'un; Methodist hon tahsan na'a kipana, huhhing kihetchetna, Lasah'a kipana chule nopna leh adang dang anei soh keijui. Ahin itobang dinmun hijongleh kikhen telna hinso doh jouse'a chun chonset aumin, tuni'a hi Christan hiche chonset na'a kon asop theng dinga chu ihin puit diu chu imopoh nao ahi.

Kikhen telna jeh'a aphachom jong tamtah imu'uve. Ahin kikhen telna hin suhset tamtah jong aneije ti akichene. Athupi pen khat chu kikhentel houbung ho Pathen thuhil le hettoh sah hi akibang poi. Jesun Tahsan jouse kipunkhom theina dingleh leiset chunga mijousen tahsan na aneithehi na diuvin aseijuho pumkhat ahina diuvin anataopeh'e (Jn. 17:17ff). Hijeh hin kikhen telna hin kipana thupha lhangsap nalam panga setna lentah asodoh'e. Mihem ahin neile gou ahin akisu mangin, kipun khomma pankhom tah sangin kitetna aumin, kithangthip naleh kikichat ton aume. Tahsa kipunkhom na chu kisukeh ahitah jeh'in, tahsa natohna chu alhasame.

New Testament hin Denomination jat chomchom kikhen hi ana hepha poi. Lhagao khat le Pakai khatbou ahibusin Tahsan khat bou, Baptisma khat bou anahe'e (Eph. 4:4). Christiane hi tahsa khat tibah ahin, Christa chu aluchang ahi (Eph. 4:15). Chuleh Christa lungdei chu Ama leh Pa pumkhat/thakhat Christian te khat ahidiu, hi'a konna chu polam mihon Ama ahintah san diu chu ahi (Jn. 17:21).

### **Houbung kipum khatnahi Mutheija kipumkhatna ham ahiloule muthei louva Lhagaova kipumkhatna ham?**

New Testament munkhat cha'a jong tahsa'a kipum khatna jaolova Lhagao sehseh kipum khatna aseina aumpoi. New Testament na Denomination ana umpoi. Houbung kipum khatna hi mutheija kipum khatna ahin, kiloikhomna khat ahin, houbung jouse hin kiguijopna anei cheh'ui. Hiche hi khonungpeh'a hunglut ahibusive. Solchah Paul'in hiche denomination hi hademin anademe (1 Cor.1:13). Lhagaova i-Christian chankhompi muntina, gamtin le phungtin na umho toh kipum khatna ineinaovin, hichu kipa aumlheh'e. Ahin hichu alhing joupoi. Christan khat bou hidinga eikouvu ahin, tahsa'a muthei dingle Lhagaova mutheilouva kipumkhat ngai ahi.

## **2. Atheng (Holy)**

Apostle Creed in Houbung hi Atheng ahi tin asejin, hiche hin Paul'in Eph. 5:26-27 na'a avet sah'e. Hilai munna chun Houbung hi Christa Mou/jihol in asejin, Aman Houbung chu angailun

Athu'a asuh theng nading leh twi ja soptheng ahina dingin ahinna apei ati. Atheng kiti thuchenghi Greek'a *hagios* akitin, hichu thilkhat ahilouleh mikhat Pathen'in atumbeh'a amanchah dinga kichomkhen, atheng, apha leh manchah thei; chonset, thutah louna leh gitlounan asuhboh lou tina ahi. OT'a Pathen thenna hi avel velin akiseijin (cf. Lev.19:2) chuleh Chonphatna/thutah angailui akiti (Amos.5:21ff). Jesun jong vanna napau chamkim ahibangin nangho jong chamkimun (Mtt. 5:48) anatin; hiche chonphatna chu sunglama chonphatna leh thenna, Juda houlamkaiho banga polam thenna chu hilou ahi (Mt. 6:16ff).

Hoshea'a Pathen thenna chu ngailutna toh akijopmat akimun, NT'a hicchehi lasonin Pathen hina chu Christian hinkho'a juidingin aseije. Jesun athahat thaneina jouse koidoh'in ngailut hi thenna dinga manchah'in aneije. Koihileh ngailutna'a hinga, tahsan vanga Christa toh kipum khatna 'Ama'a' hinga chu atheng ahin, hibanga chu Houbung chu atheng kiti ahi.

Houbung hi atheng akiti jeng vangin ivet leh thenna'a kon akigam lhat lheh'e. Houbung chu Pathen leh mihem ahito lhonin atheng jong ahin, thenna'a kon gamjong akigamlhat lheh'e. Atheng ahina chu Pathen natoh nadinga kisepdoh ahijeh ahi; athen louna chu chonset na alhah ji jeh'a ahi. Eph. 5:27 na'a Paul in atheng hi ahunghung ding'a amangchan, tichu khonunga hunghung dingin aseije. Christan suhthengna natoh atohna hi nikhat teng houbung hi bohbehlou atheng ahung hina ding ahi. Houbung hi aphatseh'a atheng hidinga kou ahin hichu amaleh ama kisumila, kikoidoh'a (denies itself) Cross chu akiputna a Pakai pa chu ngailutna, hesoh gentheina le natoh'a ajuiteng hithei ding ahi (Mtt. 16:24).

Hijeh chun Houbung thenna kiti hin Atheng lou jouse; kinahna, kitomona, thudih lou etc. ho koidoh ding atina ahi. Houbung to kisai jouse hi Pathen'a dinga deium le apha hisah ngai ahi.

Houbung hi atheng ahi akiti lona hin; akhatna'a Akoupa chu atheng ahijeh ahi (1 Cor.1:2); Aninan, Jesu Christa aluchang chu athen jeh'a abonna atibah chu atheng ahi. Karlbart'in "Houbung hin aluchang Christa lim vetsah na (reflection) ahin, hijeh'a chu atheng ahi" ati. Chuleh athumna'a Lhagao Thenin asuhtheng jeh'ahi. Joseph Ratzinger'in "Houbung chu amember ho atheng ahijeh'a atheng hilouva Lhagao Theng amember hochu chonse ahijeng vanguva alungthimu asuhtheng jeh'ahi" ati.

### 3. Catholic (vanoi losoh)

Hiche hin Universal/vanoi losoh ahiding aseina ahi. Catholic kiti hi Greek thucheng *katholikos* tichu vanoi jouse'a tina ahi. Protestant hon Catholic thucheng hi amanchah lou vangun dihtah'a houbung hi catholic/vanoi losoh ahi.

Houbung hi Catholic ahi ititeng ipi seina ham? Ignatius of Antioch (ca. 107 AD) chun "Christa umna jouse'a Catholic houbung aume" ati. Houbung hi Christa tibah ahin, hoilai mun hijongleh pasal ahin numei ahin Ama toh pumkhatna ahinkhomna leh Lhagao Thengin adipna muna chu Catholic Houbung uma ahi. Hichehin kiloikhomna chu asei hijo louvin Christa'a uma leh Lhagao Theng chang jouse sopi'a isim diu aseina ahi.

Catholic atihin Houbung theng vanoi muntina umho aseina ahin, Houbung kikhen telna umlou, kinunbol tona umlou aseina ahi (Gal. 3:28). Chukitleh Houbung hi vanoi losoh hisah nadinga Mission le Evangelism natohna lama gunchu ding vetsahna jong ahi.

#### **4. Solchah (Apostolic)**

Tu'a houbung hi Act.2:42'a kisei New Testament houbung banjom ahin, ahung kipatna hi Solchahho thuhila kon ahi. Solchah 'akisol' hochu Jesun analhen ho, athuhil ana peh ho, houbung kibulphuna dinga amatah'in ana sepkhen ho (Mtt. 16:18; Eph. 2:20) chu ahiuve. New Testament jouvin houbung (Local Church) hin Solchahho toh kiguijopna lentah ana neiju ahi.

Ahin Solchahho chu athigam taovin, ahin athu hettohsah'u chu jihdoh'a akoijui. Hicheho chu Gospel ho leh lekhathot ho ahi. N.T'a hin Solchah ho thuhil akisunin, hichu mangcha'a Lhagao Thengin apui jaleh alamhil jala (Jn. 16:13) Houbung hi machal jinga ahi.

Ahin geldan khat, Apostolic succession, Solchah ho thalheng kiti Peter'a kon hungkipan achunga khutngap vanga kipeson, Peter'a kon Pope ho, Solchah dangho'a kon Bishop hung kipeson amaho'a hi houbung kingam ahi ti tahsan jong aume.

Ahin Apostolic succession atihin Solchah hina kipeson aseina hilouva solchah ho thuhil, Christian hinkho leh Houbung dinmun ding kiseiho aseina ahijoi. Houbung hi Solchah hon ana thuhil uva ana kitungdoh banjom, amahon anajuiju kijui, athuhil'u kipom leh kijui jing tina ahi.

### **BUNG – 8**

### **MUTHEI LEH MUTHEI LOU HOUBUNG**

#### **(Visible & Invisible Church)**

Reform Theologian hohi hiche muthei le mutheilou houbung hipodoh masapen ahipouvin, St. Augustine in masangpeh'a ana minphah ahitai (*Ecclesia tarrae*/type of church). Ama seidanin Muthei houbung hi leiset houbung ahin, donatists (donatism) {Mikhat chu atahsanna'a dettah'a adin ngai ahin; Leiset kivaipoh (State) leh houbung hin kiguijopna aneipoi tia pom – akhona thuhil dihlouva sima pamma pai doh hi'a, houbung sunga lutding nomkit talou} toh kikal ahi. Hijeh'a hi Roman Catholic hon Houbung sung tilouva Huhhingna aumpoi atiu ahi.

Achung chonna Augustine hi Mutheilou Houbung jong anaseijin *Ecclesia caelatis* (vangam houbung) anatin, hichehi muthei houbung kilah/kiphon doh masatna ahi ati. Mutheilou chung changa athuhilna hi Doctrine Predestination (het/got masah) nakon alahdoh sona, Pathen'in bou mutheilou houbunga memberho chu ahet ahi ati ahi.

**Roman Catholic** hon Houbung hi kipeson/lo (hierarchy) akon hiding ahi atiue. Amahon Muthei houbung hi tahsan dihtah neiho kiloikhomna ahin athupi pen ahi atiuvin, hiche'a hin Calvin leh Roman Catholic ho kibah louna aume. Calvin'in mutheilou houbung akhohsah'in Roman Catholic hon muthei houbung akhoh sah'ui. Roman Catholicho tahsan dunguijin Pope hi Christa thalheng (representative) ahi atiuvin, Amaho tahsan dunguijin Houbung hi hopthuma hop ahi.

1. Ecclesia Militia, Galballai houbung (satan to kisat) – Fighting Church
2. Ecclesia patient; Purgatory'a um houbung
3. Ecclesia triumphant: vanna galjouva um houbung.

Roman Catholic hon Purgatory a houbung aume ti atahsan nao jeh hi Houbung tailouva Huhhingna aumpoi atinao ahin, hijeh'a chu purgatory'a jong houbung aum ngai ahi.

Alangkhatn **Protestant** hon ani'in mutheileh mutheilou houbung atahsan gomun, achom chom ahi tin jong akhenui. Martin Luther dunguijin Houbung hi tahsan kipondohna ahin, hijeh chun Houbung hi mutheilou ahi ati. Aman hiche thuhil hi Houbung thuhil 'tahsan vanga bou chonphat chan' akon alahdoh ahi. Hijeh'a hi aman tahsan bouhi athupi penna alah ahi.

Luther ahin Calvin ahin muthei leh mutheilou houbung hi lentah'in akhen lhone. Adeh'in Calvin'in muthei houbung hi phatchomkhat set apai doh'in, ahin chomkhat jouvin amatah'in muthei houbung khat ahin kitun doh'e. Ahin tulai Theologian tamtah'in muthei leh mutheilou houbung achom choma khen hi adem lheh'ui.

1. Karl Barth in muthei leh muthei lou houbung akipumkhat dan ahilin ahi. Aman hiche teni hi houbung jatni hilouvin "houbung khatsehseh jatni/two types of one church" ahi tin ahile. Aman mutheilou houbunghi muthei houbunga, muthei houbung hi mutheilou houbunga kisadoh ahi ati.

2. Dietrich Bonhoeffer theologian minthang pen khat jonghi hiche mutheilou leh muthei Christa houbung kikhen dempen khat ahi. Aman Jesu minna kiloikhomna kimu theilou chu Jesu nungjui dihtah ahipoi ahi. Ajeh chu kiloikhomna dihtah muthim lah'a vah bang, phaicham laija mol bang mubai ahi ati.

## **BUNG – 9**

### **HOUBUNG'A TOHMUN**

#### **(Office in the church)**

Hiche houbung sunga tohmun/natoh/office chung changa hin geldan lentah ni aumme. 1. Apostolic suggestion (Roman Catholic tahsan) leh 2. Universal Priesthood of all Believer (Protestant tahsan).

#### **1. APOSTOLIC SUCCESSION (Solchah ho thakhel)**

Roman Catholic hon Solchah ho thakhel hi kipe son sonin agelui. Amahon Solchah ho'a kon khutngap (ordination) na Bishop ho kipeson ahi atiuve. Hijeh'a chu lhagaolam thaneina hi Ordination vanga kipeson ahi atiu ahi. Amahon solchah ho thakhel hi Houbung dihtah hetchetna ahi atiuve. Ahin Bishop hoseh hilouva themgao holeh Evangelist ho jong Pathen thupha lhangsam/hille anahiuve. Hijeh chun houbung sunga natoh jouse hi solchah dinmun (apostolic) ahin, houbung natoh thaneina hi Solchah ho'a kon hilou Jesu Christa akon hija ahi (1 Cor. 12:28; Eph. 4:11). Houbung masa laija chu solchah thakhel hi anakisei kha lou ahi. Hiche solchah thakhel mannin avetsah chu Pathen natoh na hi Solchah thakhel ho bouvin abolthei, Pope, Bishop, Priest ho bouvin Pathen na atoh theiju, milham ho dinga bolding le chanding umlou vetsahna ahi.

#### **2. PRIESTHOOD OF ALL BELIEVER (Tahsan ho jouse thempu ihiuve)**

Tahsan jouse thempu ahiuhi Lhagao Theng jal tilouva hetchet theihoi ahipoi. Christian jouse athempu hinao natong dinga kou ahin, hinlah thempu hina jong hi alangkhatna seidin Lhagao Theng thilpeh'a akikhe'e. Paul'in jong anatoh hi Lhagao Thenga kibulphu ahitin anaseije (Rom.15:18). Lhagao Theng thilpeh hi kitundoh nading leh Christa tibah kehletna ding ahi. Kimkhat chu japilah'a natong dinga kou ahin, khatloj thuseiding (Preaching), khatloj mihil dinga kou ahi. Thilpeh dangho

mitilkhou, chihna, hetna, lhagao hetkhena hohi changvala midangho lah'a natohna dinga angaichatna dungjuija manchah dinga Pathen'in apeh ahi.

Hijeh'a chu Christian te natoh ding chu Tahsan thudol hettohsah dinghi ahin, ahin mijouse hi lhangphong tah'a Solchah, Pastor, Themgao leh Evangelist ho banga hettohsah dingin akikou poi. Hijeh chun tahsan jouse thempu hina hi natoh jatchom cheh ahi. Houbung sunga member jousen kouna chomcheh, kibang ngen hilou achange. Athupi pen chu tahsan jousen iPakaiju Jesu Christa natohna nadingin lhagao thilpeh khatcheh ichanu ahi.

Christian jouse hi Thempu leh Leng ahin, ahin natoh chomcheh, ahi'a natohkhat Christa natoh nadinga kou ahicheh'e. Houbung thempu natoh chu Pastor leh Bishop hoding bouva koijeng chun Lhagao chu asuhmit nuva asuh lungphatmo'u ahi. Tahsan jouse hi Christa toh thempu dingle leng hikhom dinga kikou ahi.

Tahsan chate thempu hina hin tahsan jouse hin eija ding leh mi'a dinga taopeh theina, isopi ho dinga thumpeh theina tha ineina pao hileh kipana thupha iseitheinao avetsah'e. Tahsan chate jousen Pathen angsung Christa thisan jal chun lutheina ineitaovin, Pathen toh ikah lah'uva palai ding thempu dang ingaicha tapouve. Christa chu tonsotna ithempu'u ahin, aman tuhin Pa jetlama touvin eitaopeh jinguve. (1 Pet.2:5,9; Rev. 5:9-10; 2 Cor. 5:19)

## **BUNG – 10**

### **HOUBUNG NAHSAH LOU**

#### **(Despising the Church)**

Houbung hi iti Nahsah louva Kikoi ham?

1. Tahsan louho leh Atheist hon Houbung hi ademun, pannabei kiloi khomna danin agelui.
2. Christian ten jong hitobanga hi Houbung hi nahsah louva ibol jilou vangun, jatchom chomin nahsahmo tah'in ibol jiuve.
  - a. Houin kai lou jeh (Heb. 10:25). Houin ikaiji loutengu leh midang ho henga “Houin kai hi akhoh ahipoi” natina ahi. Houin kaidinghi apha nati leh apha ahi, gakaijin. Houin kailouhi houbung nahsah louva bolna leh noisena ahin, nahinkho'a thildang nakhoh sah joh tina ahi.
  - b. Houbunga kon aphachom muding bou igeluva, imopoh nao isannom louvu.
    - i. Ichateu chu lhandoh dingin aneolai ju leh Houin'a ipuijun, ahin alet tengu leh Houin le Sunday Schoola ipui ji pouve.
    - ii. Khangdong ho chu chumun na kichen dingin ipuijiuvu, ahin eima insunga maicham itungdoh ji pouve.
    - iii. Houbunga iminu aumin, ahin chiding namdang ho bolbol ibolun, amahotoh ibang ji ui.
    - iv. Antheng jonna'a kumkhat/lhakhat le khatvei iche jiuvin, ahin amangthei ho hol nan na itong pouve.
    - v. Christmas le Easter programme ho nop isa'un, ahin Pathen thutah dang ho nahsah'in inei ji pouve.

vi. Imithi'u chu chumuna vui dingin ipui jiuvin, ahin eiho noptah'in iumun athiding'a kigosan ium ji pouve.

vii. Houbung chu kiloikhomna dang, golnop leh kisuh halna, golvah bolna ilah ji'ji'uh.

c. Kikhop khomna'a ding/Houin kaina adinga ikigotji lou jeh'u. Thusei pa chu hoitah'a Bible hin sima, taoding leh hung kigo dingin igelun; ahin eiho ikigong ji pouve. Hijeh chun ilungthim Lhagao lama taona leh Bible sim puma kigotna hin neiding goh hilouva polama ikivonao, isil ichen, thengsit set ding ngai ahi.

d. Kikhop pet leh thu ingai louji jeh'u leh ilunglut lou ji jeh'u. Ilunglut lounao le houin sunga i'imutnu hi Pathen dinga thet umtah ahi. Ipi kangai jem sehseh hilouva iti kangai jem tijong ngai ahi.

e. Pathen thu ho iha tahsan jilou jeh'u leh thuhil (doctrine) ho ihet jilou jeh'u. Itahsan khat chu Bible dungjui ja photchetna inei thei louleh jachat umpen ahi.

f. Ihinkhouva dihlouna leh phatlouna jeh. Houbung member khat hija ahi'a chonse hotoh kibang chet atame. Houbung khat nahina'a chu mopohna lentah nanei ahi. Huhhing kahitai tinunga dihlou tah'a nahin chu Houbung nahsah louna ahi.

g. Houbung dinga kilom loutah'a thilto. Chapang chu biscuit choh nadingin cheng som napen, houin'a to dingin cheng khat bou nape ji'e. Houin'a kathil to hi Pathen kapeh ahi ti geldoh'a ithil peh'a ihuhingpu ahinaleh ingailutna vetsah ding ahi.

h. I talent lhasam tah'a iman ji jeh'u. Golnopna leh lenkhom na'a la sa sajeng ahi'a Choir'a jaonom lou, Houin na ahunglut teng la sangailou. Milah'a aumteng houlim athepma them ahi'a Pathen'a dinga mangchalou. Hijeh'a chu italent/ibolthei na paochu Pathen'a dinga imanchah diu ahin, imanchah louvu chu houbung inahsah lounao ahi.

i. Houbunga kon kidalse jeh. Houbung hi phatlhemna adimset nin keigel danin vang atheng hih beh'e. Ina kauma Dr. Billy Graham thusei Radio'a kangaija, TV'a Pathen thusei leh lasah kangai hi houin kaisangin apha joi tiho hin Christa tibah Houbung anahsah lounao ahi. Houbunghi phatale setaleh khatle khat kiloi khomna, Christa'a tipumkhat hina ahi.

### 3. Pathen le Houbung nahsah lou va koijeh'a thilsoh (result)

a. Pakai Jesun na salheh intin hinte. Ajehchu ama douna chonset ihiuve.

b. Kiloikhomna hi alhasame. Houbungin nang nangaichan, nangjong houbung nangai chai.

c. Michonse ho chu akipalun, huhhingna'a konin akihei mangui. Houbung thengtah leh dettah chun chonseho aloilut ahi.

d. Nang nalhah sam jehchun adang ho alhasamun, apohgih'u akibelapmin, natoh hi mithemcha ding chu ahah saji'e.

e. Kiloikhomna'a jao louho hi manga ahi.

i. Lhagao lamma: Nalhagao hinkho chu alhasuh'in ahi.

ii. Neilegou lamma: Pathen'in Ama peho chu apeji'e.

- iii. Chonna lamma: Houbung sunga kihilna le khantouna nadia kiseihon naja tapon, nalhasam tan, nangai cha'e.
- iv. Tahsa lamma: Pathen'in Nisagi sunga ni  $\frac{1}{2}$  beh nangma na natoh chu nadalhah'a ama naga houding adei ahi.

## **BUNG – 11**

### **HOUBUNG SUNGA KIGOTNA DAN**

#### **(Church Discipline)**

Church Discipline hi iseitho ji vanguvin koima amangcha tahbeh aumji poi. Ahin hiche hi Paul'in manchah dingin ahilin, Houbung chu polam miho achung thu'u kitan sahlouva, asunga amahon achungthu'u akitan dinguvin adeije (1 Cor. 6:1-3).

Discipline hin Houbung sunga member ho lah'a natohpha le thilpha asodoh theina dinga gotna kipehna atina ahin, hinlah tulai tampil ijuiji tapouve. Ajeh chu:

- i. Eihotah jong ilhahsam jeh'u leh ikhinlhah jeh'uva dihtah'a chaloh ding ikichat jiu ahi.
- ii. Ibonchaova acham kim dana ikigel uva, hichehi ngaibe khoh louva igel jiu ahi.
- iii. Ihoubung houhin amember khattou alhaso ding akichat jeh ahi.
- iv. Houbung sunga income lhahsam ding ikichat ji jeh'u ahi. Thenna le thutah sanga neilou gou ingaichat ji jeh'u ahi.
- v. Chonset chu chonset na isim ngamji lou jeh'u, isopi khat chunga chonset chu imelkhu nomji jeh'u ahi.

Houbung masa ho chu anahat nui. Ajeh chu anathen jeh'u ahi. Tulai ihoubung hou alhahsam nahi amember ho lah'a chonsetna ho imelkhu jeh'u leh chonset hi nahsah louva ikoiji jeh'u, chuleh achunga kiseihon jeh hi ahi.

#### **1. CHURCH DISCIPLINE HI ITIH TENG MIHO CHU HILDING HAM?**

Mihem khat chun alung ahin heijsa Baptist achan ma ngaija hilding, Atwilut masanga Christian chondan leh juiding ho seipeh ding ahi. Hiche chung chona chu thu aman loule jepna achanding dan ho jong seipeh ding ahi. Houbung sunga alut masang ngeija chu amopohna ho hoitah'a hetsah masat ding ahi.

#### **2. CHURCH DISCIPLINE NA HI IPI HILDING HAM? ITI BOLDING HAM?**

A. Church Discipline bolna dinga ithaneinao lampi Mtt. 18:15-17 sunga kimu dungjuijin

- a. Achonsepa henga chun chenlang nachangin gakihoulimpin.
- b. Anopdeh louleh mini mithum kipuijin lang chen.
- c. Alungtah teitei leh houbung ho hetsah'in.
- d. Hiche'a alungtah teitei leh ama chu chonse le chiding namdang bolin bolun, paidoh'un.

B. Discipline na koiding ho:

- a. Thuhil dihlou/false doctrine (Titus.1:13).
- b. Lhangphonga chonset na neiho/chonse ho (1 Tim. 5:20; Habbk. 1:13; Rom. 7:13).
- c. Jonthanhoi bolho (1 Cor. 5:1-5).

C. Church Discipline akhoh/agimnei dan: Satan khutna pehdohna ahin, atahsa suhmangna dingleh alhagao Pakai nikholeh huhhinga aumna ding ahi (1 Cor. 5:5). Houbung sunga kon koidoh/paidoh hina ahi (1 Cor. 5:13); Satan khutna pehdoh ahi (1 Tim.1:20).

Houbung sunga mikhat chu paidoh na lomlom (excommunicate) na leodinga chonsetna aneilouva ahileh, lungheina/kisihna dihtah aneina dingin achonsepa chu phatchomkhat na dingin antheng jonna leh kiloikhomna thupi ho'a konin koidoh'un. Hiche'a konna chu lungheina dihtah nei ahileh hungkile kitding ahi.

**3. CHURCH DISCIPLINE POHO ITI HILDING/BOLDING HAM?**

Amasapena houbung leh houbung lamkaiho chu athen masat ngai, amaho tah jong chonchan pha/dan dungjuitah/discipline neitah'a ahin ngai ahi.

A. Lungneng/kineosah tah'a bolding ahi. 1 Cor. 10:12 koihileh adinga kingaito chu aluh louna dingin chingthei hen. Alhuho chunga chu pohgih koibe peh nading ahipoi. Athoh tobang chu thoh lechun nangjong nalhuh maithei ahi ti hethemin. Hijeh'a chu lungneng tah leh kineosah tah'a bolding ahi.

B. Dihtah'a bolding ahi. Mtt. 7:3-5 na'a nangma mitna thingbong umchu mulouva mimitna buhse um naseiham? Kimkhatnin keibon kichamkim louva kasopi khatchu iti dan noi ja kakoiding ham? tinte. Hichu dihlou ahi. Pathen'in mopohna eipeh leh hichu bol ngai ahi.

C. Ngailutna'a bol/hilding ahi. 1 Cor.13:4 Ngailutnan nisottah athoh jouve. Ngailutna neitah'a bolding, adihlou naova kon chonphatna lampi'a hinle pui kitgot ngai ahi. Nangailutna chu asan maithei, apaidoh maithei ahi. Ahin Ngailutnan nisot tah athoh jin ahi. Ngailutna neitah'in bolinlang joljing lechun somsagi somsagi veiteng hung kilehei teitei ding ahi.

D. Pathen thutoh kitoh'a bolding/hilding ahi. Achonsetna chu Bible dungjuija dihlou ahiti naphot chet thei ngai ahi. Houbung hi Pathen thu/Bible'a kibul phu ahin, abol jouse Bible toh kitoh'a abola aphotchetna apehthei ngai ahi.

**BUNG – 12**  
**HOUBUNG SUNGA MOPOHNA JATCHOM CHOM HO**

**1. PASTOR HINKHO LEH AMOPOHNA**

Pastor hinkho hi athupi pen ahi. Ajehchu thu aseiji teng mihon angaijuva, amatah'in ajuimong hinam ti avet jingu ahi. Pastor chu mihepi them, atheng, mitheng Jesu ama'a kilah sahthei hi ngai ahi. Adeh'a tahsan louhon Pastor pa'a kon chamkimna muding akineppi jingu ahi. Pastor chu tao jing mi hingai ahi. Ajehchu houbungin ama chu niseh'a phat tampipi tao dinga akinep piu ahi.

Hiche hi pastor pan amachang tuma Pathen'a kon phondohna le hetna kot ahung kihona chonsetna jouse apampai jouna dinga jong angaichat khoh khat ahi (cf. 1 Sam. 12:23; Col. 1:9; Isai. 52:11; Act. 20:31).

Pastor khatchun mihemkhat chu huhhingna achan theina dinga akihoulimpi theija, aboina ho asutlhap thei ngai ahi (Mtt. 18:15-17). Pastor chun alunghem holeh alungkham hochu alheplung mongthei ngai ahi. Ahinkho uva le ainsung uva aluthei ngai ahi (Rom. 12:5). Hiche hin mihem thoh jouse athoh huthei ding aseina ahi. Hijeh'a chu Pastor'in Jesu Christa thalhenga leiset chunga um, Kelngoi ching ahi aphatseh'a asuhmil louding ahi.

Pastor khat ahina anatoh thupi pen chu kipana thupha hi alhangsap ding hi ahi. Pathen vangboh achana chonseho alung aheisah'a, tahsan ho ahatsah nadinga hetna jong ngai ahi. Pathen thu evangelist, Bible doctrine, thuhil, mitilkhou, mi gihje ahet ngai sohkei ahi (cf. Acts. 20:27). Japi lah'a taoje jong ahet ngai ahi. Hiche hi guhthima achanga ataona'a kon themthei ding ahi. Pastor taona jala hi houbungmi chu haltheija, Pathen ahounao nopthei ahi. Chuleh Bible jong kichen tahleh jana neitah'a mijouse hetthei dinga asimthei ngai ahi (cf. Neh. 8:8). Pastor chun sermon ahin, Bible lesson ahin, mijousen ahetthei diuleh ajuithei diuva avah ngai ahi (cf. Acts. 20:28). Chuleh Baptize changding ho jong agottup ding chu ama mopohna ahin, Antheng jonna leh Baptize channa kin hi amopohna hiding ahi. Chule kikhop chaina leh mipiho phatthei boh ding chu amopohna ahi (Num. 6:23-26; Rev. 1:4,5; Luke 1:21).

Pastor'in ahoubung mi Kelngoiho chu thuhil dihlouva kon avendit ding (Acts. 20:29,30), gamthim gama kipana thupha alhung theina dinga miho chu ahilding, chuleh amaho chu puijung apuija Pathen helouho lah'a natoh ji ahilding, avetjui diuva pangding ahi. Imajouse'a chu vetjuithei leh Christa muthei lim chu hiding ahi.

Pastor'in a pastor hina hi sum muna (1 Cor. 9:14) ding leh amaphat chomna maimai dinga atoh louding, ngailutna neitah leh pohnatna neitah'a houbung chunga chu mopohna aneiding ahi. Mijouse henga kineosah tah leh amaho hina dungjuija houlim thei, kivoppi thei, kithopi thei hi ngai ahi (1 Cor. 9:19-23). Achung nungpenna ahoubung miho hinna/lhagao chungchangna mopoh na lenpentah anei ahi (Heb. 13:17).

#### A. PASTOR (KELNGOI CHING) MOPOHNA/NATOH

- a. Aman kelngoi hochu hampa phatna munle lungmong tah'a akichol do na mundiova apui ji'e (Ps. 23:2; Isai.40:11).
- b. Aman Kelngoi hochu angaichat jouseo abulhit peh'in, anehdiu: adang chah phatle twi ape'in, agikel phat le nehding apen, Kelngoi hochu kitup tah'in aumsah ji'e (Ps. 23:1-2).
- c. Aman akelngoi hochu gamsa akon, gucha ho akon, chule tijatna thei thildang dangho'a konin ama hinkho dingjong gel louvin aveng jingin ahi (1 Sam.17:34-37).
- d. Aman akelngoi hochu avah mang khat tou aumma ahile, amu kahsen itobang hahsat na mun hihen lang go juhen dai keihen, sun hihen, jan hijongle amuto kah sen ahol holji'e (Mtt.18:12).
- e. Aman akelngoi hochu amin asah cheh in amin cheh'in ahen, akelngoi ho amin cheh'a agah kouteng le akoupa (Kelngoichingpa) aw jong kelngoi hon aheuve (Jn. 10:14)

f. Aman akelngoi adamlouho, ahatmoho phaten avesuijin, adehset nin kelngoinou apeng lhatil ho chu akhoh sah'in ahi (Gen. 33:13).

Kelgoichin kitih kelngoi honho chungle changval chunga khohsah naneija chin hi ahi. Hijeh hin thahat nale hansana, lungnem le kipehdoh angajjin ahi. Kelngoi chingpha chun imutmo nagei hihen, hesoh genthei na le thina changei to ding hijongle ama hinkho nopsah nading sangin akelngoiho nopsahna ding agel khoh joi.

Houbung masa lamkai hochun hiche kelngoi chin lamkai dinmun hi anajuijun ahi. Hiche hin Christian thah ho thutah'a vah, thuhil dihlouva konna venbit, aneilel agentheihio kithopi, tahsana lhadah ho tilkhau, danle mol tuh, lhagao lama lamhil kiti ho abonin ahopme (Jn. 21:15-17; Acts 20:28-31; 1 Thess. 5:2-15; 2 Thess. 4:1-5). Hijeh chun Pastor natoh hi Pathen kelngoi honho chin (1 Pet. 5:2) kiti ahi.

## B. THEMGAO LHEM LEH KELNGOI CHING DIH LOUHO

OT ahin NT ahin Kelgoiching hon thuhil dihlouva amiteo ahil setnu, apuset uva boina alun khum jingjeh uva demna le phona achanjingu akimui.

Israel gama chu kelngoi chinghon akelgoichin man uva chanvou anei hou chu anoi akeh khat achan uva, amul ho akivo teng akehkhat achanu hi ahi. Ahin kelngoi ching hochun hiche chanvou hi adei uvin kelngoi hoitah'a chin ding anom pouve (Ezekiel 32:2-3). Hitobang chun lamkai tampil amite jala chan vou achan houhi adei uvin ahin mi hochu hoitah'a lamhil'a kipumpeh puma kithopi a venbit ding anom pouve ati (Ezk. 34:4-6). Israel gama kelngoi ching hochun hinkho phalngam leova kelngoiho venbitna dinga apan louvu goh hilouvin, kelngoiho nahsan louvin anejuvin, khonung'a kelngoi holah'a ahung hat jep ding hole kisonpi thei, abolthei jep ding hochu abolgenthei juvin, asuthalhom jiuvin ahi. Hijeh'a chu Ezekiel themgao vin hitobang lamkai dihlou le themgao Ihem hochu Pathen amatah'in akelngoi chin natoh na uva konna ahaisah'a, akelngoi hou chu ahuh doh ding ahi ati (Ezk. 34:4,5,10; Jer. 23:1,39,40)

Hitobang chun NT sunga jong lamkai tampil kelngoi ching hisang'a gucha michom dan deova umho chunga demna aum jingin ahi. Hijeh'a chu Jesu Christan kelngoi ching dihtah le thalah'a kelgoiching ho ana tekah ahi.

Phat chomkhat jouvin Houbung khang'a lamkai phabep chun akelngoi chin natoh'u chu adihlou lama ana mang chaovin, hijeh'a chu Peter'in hitobang lunggel nei lamkai hochu akichih theina dinguva ana hil ahi (1 Pet. 5:2,3). Lamkai kimkhat chun alungthim pumpiu pelouvin, atoh diuva kinganse ahiman nun amoh bolbol jiuvin ahi. Kimkhat'in alamkai hinao din mun chu midang jenna'a neilouvin, amaho phatchomna dingin amang cha jiovin, midang vetsui theija hinkho man sangin milhamho chunga hunamin na atong jiovin ahi (2 Cor. 11,13, Gal. 2,4; Phil. 3:2; Col. 2:8).

## 2. HOUBUNG SUNGA HOUBUNG MIHO (LAYMANS) MOPOHNA

Tulai houbung lhahsam napen hi Houbung natoh hi mikhatna'a bou ageljeh'u ahi. Ahin dihtah'a member jouse hin mopohna aneicheh ahi. Hiche mopohna chu kipana thupha machalna dinga itoh theichan tokhom dinghi ahi. Houbung miho kipana thupha machal theina ding'a houbung sunga itoh diu hochu:

A. Midang ho houin kaija ihin puidiu (Jn. 1:40-42; Jn. 6:8,9; Jn. 12:20-22).

- B. Bible society ho'a jaova na hatah'a atoh theina diuva kithopiding.
- C. Pathen natohna ministry ho'a jaoding (eg. Gideons ho banga jaova Bible ho hop le ding, tracks ho hopding)
- D. Isumu chu Missionary ading peh'a inmuna kon Pathen na tohding.
- E. Pastor pa tilkhou ding. Agal satna'a ahat nadinga kithopiding, alhahsamna'a kithopi'a tilkhouding. Kamcheng leh natoh'a.
- F. Bible class leh Sunday school class ho e'in na phudoh'a, houin kai louholeh avah thamho hilding.
- G. Sunday school class'a mihila panding.
- H. Alhasam ho kithopi'a, alunghem ho lhamonding,
- I. Na'in muna maicham nasem na'a midang jong nakouva natilkhouding.
- J. Christa sanglou laiho asana diuva natilkhouva, nataopeh ding.
- K. Midang ho Bible chang chung chona kihoulim pi ding.
- L. Na testimony'a kon midang natilkhou ding.
- M. Agilkelho anpeh'a, adangchah ho twi peh ding, silding neilouho silding pehding (Mtt. 25:34-36)
- N. Nule pa neilou naochaga ho kithopi le vetsui ding (Jas. 1:27).
- O. Pastorpaa boiteng ama khela hou'ina thusei.
- P. Lasah na'a pan lah ding (choir ho'a jaoding).
- Q. Nabol thei chan bola kon – Houbung chu anatoh dinga nakitho pi ding ahi.

## **BUNG – 13**

### **HOUBUNG THUPEH (Ordinance)**

Bible sunga hin houbungin ajuijing dingu leh aboljing dinguva thupeh lentah, Jesun amatah'in anaphudoh; Kipana thupha kiphondohna toh kitoh'a Pathen natoh vetsahna dinga ngaikhoh cheh 2 ineijun Hichu: 1. Anthengjon (Communion) leh Twilut (Baptism) ahi.

Roman Catholic houbungin vang kintheng hi 7 ahi atiuvin hiche ho chu: 1. Baptism, 2. Communiom (anthangjon), 3. Ordination, 4. Confirmation (Houbunga lahlutna), 5. Matrimony (Kichen), 6. Extreme unction (thaonu) leh 7. Penance (Thempu anga Chonset ngaidam thum leh ngaidam chan).

Eihon hiche eihon ijaosah lounao chu: 1. Pakai amatah'in anaphudoh ahiloujeh, 2. Pakai amatah'in boldinga asei ahiloujeh, 3. Solchah lekhabu'a Houbung masahon ana bolu akimulou jeh, chule 4) Lekhathot ho'a bol dinga thupeh aumlou jeh ahi.

1. **Pakai jan an jon** (Eucharist/communion):

- a. Jan an jon kibol lona jeh:
  - i. Pakai thupeh ahin, hichu ijuinao leh imolsonao ahi (1 Cor. 11:24)
  - ii. Pakai thi igeldoh nao ahi (1 Cor. 11:26)
  - iii. Pakai ahungkit ding ipohtchet nao ahi (1 Cor. 11:26).
- b. Pakai anjon chu koihon abolthei dingu ham?
  - i. Lhagao Thenga pengthah'a apenthah jouva twilut hon (Acts 2:41-42)
  - ii. Pengthahsa twilutho jengin jong chonset bolpum leh discipline/vetna umhon abolou diu, suhthengna aumjou teng lebou abolthei diu ahi (1 Cor. 11:29-32). Hijeh'a chu ineh masanguva ikikhol chil masat diu (1 Cor. 11:28) kiti ahi.
  - iii. Ane dinga lomse honjong kinga khom cheh'a khatvei neh'a nekhom ding ahi (1 Cor. 11:33)

2. **Baptism (Twilut):** Baptism kiti thucheng hi Greek paova ‘*baptizo*’ kiti akon kila, hichu ‘phumlut’ ahilouleh ‘vuilut’ tina ahi. Greek lekhabu minthang NT Greek lexicon hinsundoh, bible themcheh mi 3 ho, Liddel & Scott, Church of England; Thayer, Congregational church leh Cremer, German hohin Baptism hungkon dohna abul chu ‘Phumlut’ ahilouleh ‘vuilut’ ahimonge tin asei cheh’ui.

Baptism thetho (sprinkling) ahungkibol patna chu AD 250 vela “Novation” damloujeh'a kona hung kibol pan ahi. Amahi damlou va thidinga lupna'a twilut man louva athiden ding chu a'insung miten sohcha hih khante ti'a agelna jeh'uva, alupna'a thekhum thodinga anangeh jeh uva kon kibol doh ahi. Hiche'a kipatna chu twilut hi sochatna'a ahin lahson peh'u ahin, Roman Catholic houbung chun AD 1311 1<sup>st</sup> Ravenna Council'a chu twilut thetho ahin bolpatnu ahi.

Twilut hi tilaija Jesu khang masang laija jong ana kibol ji vangin Houbung twilut, Apa, Acha, Lhagao Theng minna twilut hi Jesu athi'a athokit masangse chun ana kibolpon, ahin athi'a athokit jouva vanna akaltou kon chun hiche twilut thupeh hi ana kipepan bep ahi (Mt. 28:19,20). Chuleh hiche thupeh hi anatoh'a ahung kipatna chu Penticost ni'a chu kibolpan ahi (Acts 2:41:42).

- a. koitobang ho chu Baptize chang thei ham?
  - i. Jesu Christa huhhingpu'a kisan tapou, atahsanna apenthah leh changthei ahi (Acts 2:41; 8:12; 10:47; 16:33)
  - ii. Numeile pasal kikhen lou, chile nam kikhen lou atahsan jouse changthei ahi (Gal. 3:28).
- b. Koiho chu baptize chang theilou ding ham?
  - i. Naosen ho chu Baptize bollou ding ahi, Naosen baptize bolhon Acts 16:31-34 pansatnan aneijun, hijenga jongchun naosen baptize akibole akitipoi.
  - ii. Pengthah louchu baptize bolou ding ahi, Twiluthi pentah na ahipoi. Ajo themo chana bep hiding ahi (Mk.16:16).

- iii. Tahsa'a akum lhinjeh'a pengtah loulai baptize chan ding ahipoi.
  - iv. Houbung sunga akimanchah jeh, jinei ahijeh'a bolding ahipoi.
  - v. Houbung khat adalhah'a houbung com khatna alujeh'a bolding ahipoi.
- c. Koiho chun baptize achansah dingham?

Ordain Pastor'in abolding ahi. Tuphat hi solchahho phat kichainung houbung phat ahitah jeh'a houbung khatna Pastor khat ahilouleh Reverent khatin mipengtah hochu houbung khatna member ahung hina dinga Baptize abolding ahi.

Ajeh chu houbung kivaipohna aumtah jehchun, mipengtah poupouvin mipengtah khatchu baptize amoh bol thei ding thu ahipoi (Rom. 12:4-8; 1 Cor. 12:12-22; Eph. 4:7-12).

Chuleh houbung thusah louva jong Pastor ahilouleh Reverent khatnin ama thu'a achamta'h'a mi baptize amohbol thei ahipoi. Ijakai houbunga kon kichai ding ahi.