

# YCC Newsletter

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## Do Not Forget!

God has given us His Prophetic Word to run with this year ...

**2019 - Come Up Higher**  
(Revelation 4:1; Philippians 3:14)

So remember to wage a good warfare with it in your daily prayers!  
(1 Timothy 1:18)



## A Word In Season

*“Labour not for the meat which perisheth, but for that meat which endureth unto everlasting life, which the Son of man shall give unto you: for him hath God the Father sealed.”*  
(John 6:27)

## Make Your Christian Calling And Election Sure!

*“Wherefore the rather, brethren, give diligence to make your calling and election sure: for if ye do these things, ye shall never fall: [11] For so an entrance shall be ministered unto you abundantly into the everlasting kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.”* (2 Peter 1:10-11)

The original Greek word translated ‘sure’ in the above scripture also means to be *stable, firm or steadfast*. Therefore, God is encouraging us to make our Christian calling stable/firm and ensure that we do not fall from the steadfastness of our Christian Faith! Furthermore, 2 Peter 1:10 quoted above says: *“... for if ye do these*

*things, ye shall never fall.”* So, what are the *these things* we are told to do? For the answer to that question we simply need to back up to verses 5-7 of the same 2 Peter 1. There we see God teaching us that it is not enough to



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just claim that we have faith but that we need to add to our faith the character attributes of God (fruit of the Holy Spirit) that are necessary for our stability and prevention from falling. Hence we are told to add to our faith

*virtue, knowledge, temperance, patience, godliness, brotherly kindness and charity.* Verse 8 says that if these character attributes **ABOUND** in us they will make us to be fruitful, as God wants us to be, in the knowledge of Christ, thereby enabling us to live our Christian lives in a genuine Christ-like manner. Bearing Godly Fruit in constantly abounding measures is God’s expectation of us as Christians (see John 15:1-2,8). Finally, the key to ensuring that we are adding these character attributes to our faith is by diligently spending quality time in the Word of God, Church Fellowship meetings and Prayers, just as the early Church did (see Acts 2:41-47).

## Christ Has Chosen And Ordained You To Bear Fruit That Last Eternally!

*“Ye have not chosen me, but I have chosen you, and ordained you, that ye should go and bring forth fruit, and that your fruit should remain: that whatsoever ye shall ask of the Father in my name, he*

*may give it you.”* (John 15:16)

As Christians, we ought to know the purpose for which Jesus Christ has chosen us to be His ambassadors in this world (see 2 Corinthians 5:20).

That purpose is to spend our time in this world bearing fruit for eternity! How to successfully do this is by **OBEYING** God’s Word in our daily deeds because God’s Word is the only thing in this world that is eternal! (see Matthew 24:35).

# THE WORD: ALREADY SETTLED IN THE SPIRIT

... continued from last month

2 Corinthians 4:13 says: ***“I believed; therefore I have spoken. With that same spirit of faith we also believe and therefore speak...”***

The faith that makes you believe is the faith that also makes you speak the word. Remember that the Lord moved Ezekiel and all the other prophets to speak His word. In the same way too, He will move you to speak the word. (2 Peter 1:20-21). Once faith is birthed in you, the Lord will grant you grace to speak out His word of faith. The deed of faith, or the evidence that you believe, is confessing out that same word you believe, and taking a firm stand on it.

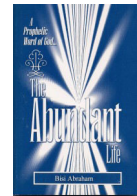
**If you have not started confessing the word of God into every area of your life, check yourself! Do you have faith to believe the word that it will come to pass in your life?**

**Has your spirit heard the word? Remember the spirit of faith comes as your spirit hears the word through your own personal meditation, the preaching of the word, discipleship classes, etc. and as you continue to hear the word, your faith grows.**

Faith is birthed and increased in your spirit as your spirit continues to hear and receive the word. (see Ephesians 1:15-23). Faith is the spiritual force that can overcome your fleshly inhibitions and move you to

speak the word of God. It's like a can of shaken gaseous drink which when opened, the content gushes out as a result of the pressure built-up by the gaseous drink.

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The above is an excerpt from THE ABUNDANT LIFE - a book written by our Senior Pastor and published by Yeshua Trust. Copies are available to order on our website.

## Faith Strengtheners

Here are some Scriptures to strengthen your faith this month:

*“For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith. [5] Who is he that overcometh the world, but he that believeth that Jesus is the Son of God?” (1 John 5:4-5)*

*“And his name through faith in his name hath made this man*

*strong, whom ye see and know: yea, the faith which is by him hath given him this perfect soundness in the presence of you all.” (Acts 3:16)*

*“For I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ: for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth; to the Jew first, and also to the Greek. [17] For therein is the righteousness of God revealed from faith to faith: as it is*

*written, The just shall live by faith.” (Romans 1:16-17)*

*“And these signs shall follow them that believe; In my name shall they cast out devils; they shall speak with new tongues; [18] They shall take up serpents; and if they drink any deadly thing, it shall not hurt them; they shall lay hands on the sick, and they shall recover.” (Mark 16:17-18)*

## Prayer Enhancers

Here are some Scriptures to enhance your prayers this month:

*“Let the Priests ...say ...” (Joel 2:17; Revelation 5:10; Hosea 14:2) ... **call upon Him in TRUTH** .. (Psalm 145:18-19)*

*“.. I went with them to the House of God .. I will say unto God my*

*Rock ... (Psalm 42:1-11)*

*“Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God. [7] And the peace of God, which passeth all understanding, shall keep your hearts and minds*

*through Christ Jesus.” (Philippians 4:6-7)*

*“Ask, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you. [8] For every one that asketh receiveth; and he that seeketh findeth; and to him that knocketh it shall be opened.” (Matthew 7:7-8)*

# July Bible Reading Plan

1 1 Chron. 14-15; Prov. 31; Rev. 18-19	15 2 Chron. 13-14; Ps. 14; Matt. 21	29 Ezra 5-6; Ps. 28; Mark 7
2 1 Chron. 16-17; Ps. 1; Rev.20-22	16 2 Chron. 15-16; Ps. 15; Matt. 22	30 Ezra 7-8; Ps. 29; Mark 8
3 1 Chron. 18-19; Ps. 2; Matt. 1-2	17 2 Chron. 17-18; Ps. 16; Matt. 23	31 Ezra 9-10; Ps. 30; Mark 9
4 1 Chron. 20-21; Ps. 3; Matt. 3-4	18 2 Chron. 19-20; Ps. 17; Matt. 24	
5 1 Chron. 22-23; Ps. 4; Matt. 5	19 2 Chron. 21-22; Ps. 18; Matt. 25	
6 1 Chron. 24-25; Ps. 5; Matt. 6-7	20 2 Chron. 23-24; Ps. 19; Matt. 26	
7 1 Chron. 26-27; Ps. 6; Matt. 8-9	21 2 Chron. 25-26; Ps. 20; Matt. 27	
8 1 Chron. 28-29; Ps. 7; Matt. 10-11	22 2 Chron. 27-28; Ps. 21; Matt. 28	
9 2 Chron. 1-2; Ps. 8; Matt. 12	23 2 Chron. 29-30; Ps. 22; Mark 1	
10 2 Chron. 3-4; Ps. 9; Matt. 13	24 2 Chron. 31-32; Ps. 23; Mark 2	
11 2 Chron. 5-6; Ps. 10; Matt. 14-15	25 2 Chron. 33-34; Ps. 24; Mark 3	
12 2 Chron. 7-8; Ps. 11; Matt. 16-17	26 2 Chron. 35-36; Ps. 25; Mark 4	
13 2 Chron. 9-10; Ps. 12; Matt. 18	27 Ezra 1-2; Ps. 26; Mark 5	
14 2 Chron. 11-12; Ps. 13; Matt. 19-20	28 Ezra 3-4; Ps. 27; Mark 6	

May God bless you abundantly, anew this month, as you obey His instruction that: ***“Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceedeth out of the mouth of God.”*** (Matthew 4:4; Deuteronomy 8:3).

## Healing Scriptures

The Bible says the Word of God is HEALTH to all our flesh! (Proverbs 4:20-22) In other words, the Word of God can heal us of all kinds of disease if we steadfastly believe it with our hearts and confess it with our mouths in faith (Romans 10:10) Also: ***“For I will restore health unto thee, and I will heal thee of thy wounds, saith the Lord...”*** (Jer. 30:17) The following are Scriptures that

promise us Divine Healing. Please study/meditate in them diligently and use them to pray in faith for your healing/health. You may choose to use them in addition to your Doctor’s prescribed medication IN JESUS NAME (Col. 3:17)

**Isaiah 53:1-5; Matthew 8:14-17; Matthew 4:23-24; Matthew 8: 5-13; Matthew 9:20-22; Matthew 9:27-33,35; Matthew 10:1; Mat-**

**thew 14:14; Matthew 14:34-36; Matthew 15:29-31; Matthew 17:14-21; Mark 7:24-30,31-37; Mark 16:14-18; Luke 5:17-26; Luke 6:6-10,17-19; Luke 13:10-17; Luke 17:12-19; John 5:1-14; John 9:1-7; John 11:1-4; Acts 3:1-16; Acts 5:12-16; Acts 9:32-34; Acts 10:38; Acts 14:8-10; Acts 19:11-12; Galatians 3:13-14; James 5:14-15; 1 Peter 2:24; 3 John 2; Jeremiah 17:14**

## Prayer Focus for the Month

- Pray for all men and rulers of the nations (1 Timothy 2:1-8; Proverbs 21:1)
- Pray for God’s Will to be done on earth as it is in Heaven (Matthew 6:10; Luke 11:2)
- Pray for all men to repent of THE SIN of unbelief in Jesus Christ (John 16:7-11; 2 Chroni-
- cles 7:14; Ezekiel 47:1-12)
- Pray for Israel and Peace in Jerusalem (Isaiah 62:1-7; Numbers 24:5-9)
- Pray for Christians suffering persecution (Psalm 18:16-19; Psalm 126:1-6)
- Pray for God-given Pastors to
- feed His People with knowledge and understanding (Jeremiah 3:15; Jeremiah 23:3-4)
- Pray for Christians to humbly submit to God’s Word (2 Timothy 3:16-17; James 4:6-10; Luke 18:9-14; Matthew 21:28-32)

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## YESHUA CHRISTIAN CHURCH VISION STATEMENT

Yeshua Christian Church is a purpose driven Church born by the will of God for the glorification of Jesus Christ and the blessing of mankind. It is the Church arm of Yeshua Trust – a Christian charity registered in the U.K. (Registered charity No. 1051006).

In addition to the GENERAL VISION for the Church of Jesus Christ which is clearly stated in Matthew 28:18-20 and Mark 16:15-18, Yeshua Christian Church has been commissioned by God to fulfil the following specific vision:

- Build a people who are PERSONALLY fulfilled in Jesus Christ i.e. a people who are whole in Christ. This involves wholeness in their spirit, soul and body.

**Scriptural reference:** *“Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth.” (3 John 2).*

- Chart a path to personal fulfilment in Christ via the teaching of the uncompromised Word of God and the impartation of the Holy Spirit so that the people may understand not just the Word of God but also the Way of the Holy Spirit.

**Scriptural reference:** *“And my speech and my preaching was not with enticing words of man’s wisdom, but in demonstration of the Spirit and of Power; that your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God.” (1 Corinthians 2:4-5).*

- Arrive at the ultimate end where such people, having been built up and personally fulfilled in Christ, may become TRUE WORSHIPPERS who worship God in Spirit and in Truth.

**Scriptural reference:** *“But the hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in Spirit and in Truth; for the Father seeketh such to worship Him. God is a Spirit: and they that worship Him must worship Him in Spirit and in Truth.” (John 4:23-24).*

In a nutshell, therefore, the vision of Yeshua Christian Church is to build a people who are PERSONALLY FULFILLED in Christ Jesus via the Word and the Spirit to the ultimate end that they may become TRUE WORSHIPPERS of God.

# JESUS CHRIST IS LORD!



## BIRTHDAY & WEDDING ANNIVERSARY BLESSINGS



We wish all our members whose Birthdays and Wedding Anniversaries fall within this month HAPPY CELEBRATIONS. May the Blessings of the Lord continue to abound over your lives and relationships in Jesus name.

## NEWS IN BRIEF

- **Sunday Pre-service Bible Study Classes:** Remember that we now have Bible Study Classes from 10 a.m. - 10.30 a.m. every Sunday morning before the main Church Service for the day begins. Therefore endeavour to come early to Church and participate in the Bible Study Classes. Also, help invite others come along with you too!
- **Church Building Project:** Our Church Building Project is still on-going. Please remember to prayerfully and financially support it as the Holy Spirit leads you. Thanks for your support.

## PASTORAL COUNSELLING

Do you need sound Scriptural Counselling in any area of your life?

As it is written:

*“For the priest’s lips should keep knowledge, and they should seek the law at his mouth: for he is the messenger of the Lord of hosts.” (Malachi 2:7)*

See the Senior Pastor to book an appointment.