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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

“Call unto me, and I will answer thee, and shew thee great and mighty things, which thou knowest not.”
(Jeremiah 33:3)

Do Not Forget The Listening Aspect Of Prayer!

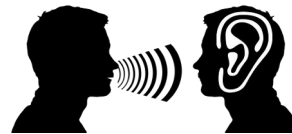
“I will stand upon my watch, and set me upon the tower, and will watch to see what he will say unto me, and what I shall answer when I am reproved.”
(Habakkuk 2:1)

Simply defined, prayer is communicating with God. Just as basic communication involves speaking and listening, so prayer also involves speaking to God and listening to Him. This truth is clearly revealed in Habakkuk 2:1 quoted above:

1. “what He will say unto me”

2. “what I shall answer”

Many of us only focus on the aspect of talking to God in prayer but fail to pay attention to the listening aspect whereby we can receive vital instructions from Him to help us know what we need to do,



“My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me.”
(John 10:27)

on our own part, in order to have the victory or success that we desire in the time of need. In fact, it was Habakkuk’s resolve to listen to what God would answer him in his prayer that helped him to

know what to do in the circumstance (see Habakkuk 2:2-3). Similarly, it was David’s willingness to listen to God in prayer that enabled him to receive God’s detailed instructions necessary for him to follow in order to gain victory over the philistines who came to battle against him time and time again (see 1 Chronicles 14:8-16).

To develop the listening aspect of prayer, we must constantly spend time meditating in the Word of God (Holy Bible) and praying in the Holy Spirit (Unknown Tongues). This is because the primary way God speaks to us by His Spirit is through His written Word (see John 5:39; 15:26; 14:25-26; 16:12-14).

Allow The Holy Spirit To Train Your Hears To Hear God Clearly!

“He that hath an ear, let him hear what the Spirit saith unto the churches.”
(Revelation 3:13)

Ears that are capable of hearing from God, by the help of the Holy Spirit, is

one of the privileges that Christians have. Hence, Jesus says: “My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me.” (John 10:27) But in order for our spiritual ears to hear clearly we must let the Holy Spirit train and develop

them by diligently spending time meditating the Word of God and praying in the Holy Spirit. This is why Isaiah 50:4 says - “... he wakeneth mine ear to hear as the learned.” So, allow Him to train your ears to hear God clearly!

THE WORD: ALREADY SETTLED IN THE SPIRIT

... continued from last month

The river of faith had been flowing even before the foundation of the world and in every generation, God raised people to keep it flowing.

Be like the Shunammite woman who, despite having a dead son at home, confessed out **"it is well with me."** (2 Kings 4:8-37, KJV). Note what she did. She insisted that the prophet of God must go with her and nobody else. Same way too, Moses insisted on the Lord's presence to come with him (Exodus 33:1-15). This Shunammite woman and Moses knew something. They knew the power of God's presence that comes through **persistent faith!**

The presence of the Lord guaranteed the ZOE Life of God that was necessary to bring to pass, in the life of her son, the words **"it is well with me."** It was cer-

tainly well with her son. The Lord's presence through His prophet gave life to the boy. Also, the Lord continued to lead Israel by a pillar of cloud by day and the pillar of fire by night - Israel occupied the promised land because of the ZOE Life of God (Exodus 13:21-22).

Must keep sowing the Word of God

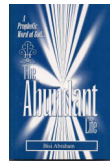
Words produce fruits. Evil words are evil seeds and produce evil fruits. The parables of Jesus make this very clear and also convey some other truth.

Let's look at some verses of Matthew chapter 13, Verse 24 says, Jesus told them another parable: **"The kingdom of heaven is like a man who sowed good seed in his field."**

Remember, earlier we said that the se-

cret of the Kingdom has been given to us believers, and that secret is the revealed word of God. Now, here Jesus says the Kingdom is like a man who sowed good seed ...see the pattern again? In God's Kingdom you must sow the word of God. The unique feature of the Kingdom of God is that the word of God is sowed and that it operates on the Word of God.

... continued next month.



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:

"Now faith is the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen." (Hebrews 11:1)

"For we walk by faith, not by sight." (2 Corinthians 5:7)

"While we look not at the things

which are seen, but at the things which are not seen: for the things which are seen are temporal; but the things which are not seen are eternal." (2 Corinthians 4:18)

"That your faith should not stand in the wisdom of men, but in the power of God." (1 Corinthians 2:5)

"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)

"For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith." (1 John 5:4)

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)

"My voice shalt thou hear in the morning, O Lord; in the morning will I direct my prayer unto thee, and will look up." (Psalm 5:3)

"Yet the Lord will command his lovingkindness in the daytime, and in the night his song shall be with

me, and my prayer unto the God of my life." (Psalm 42:8)

"Let my prayer be set forth before thee as incense; and the lifting up of my hands as the evening sacrifice." (Psalm 141:2)

"O thou that hearest prayer, unto thee shall all flesh come." (Ps. 65:2)

November Bible Reading Plan

1 Jer. 39-40; Ps. 121; 1 Cor. 15	15 Ezek. 9-10; Ps. 135; Eph. 1-2	29 Ezek. 37-38; Ps. 149; 2 Tim. 1-2
2 Jer. 41-42; Ps. 122; 1 Cor. 16	16 Ezek. 11-12; Ps. 136; Eph. 3-4	30 Ezek. 39-40; Ps. 150; 2 Tim. 3-4
3 Jer. 43-44; Ps. 123; 2 Cor. 1	17 Ezek. 13-14; Ps. 137; Eph. 5-6	
4 Jer. 45-46; Ps. 124; 2 Cor. 2-3	18 Ezek. 15-16; Ps. 138; Phil. 1-2	
5 Jer. 47-48; Ps. 125; 2 Cor. 4-5	19 Ezek. 17-18; Ps. 139; Phil. 3-4	
6 Jer. 49-50; Ps. 126; 2 Cor. 6-7	20 Ezek. 19-20; Ps. 140; Col. 1-2	
7 Jer. 51-52; Ps. 127; 2 Cor. 8	21 Ezek. 21-22; Ps. 141; Col. 3-4	
8 Lam. 1-2; Ps. 128; 2 Cor. 9-10	22 Ezek. 23-24; Ps. 142; 1 Thess. 1-2	
9 Lam. 3; Ps. 129; 2 Cor. 11	23 Ezek. 25-26; Ps. 143; 1 Thess. 3-4	
10 Lam. 4-5; Ps. 130; 2 Cor. 12	24 Ezek. 27-28; Ps. 144; 1 Thess. 5	
11 Ezek. 1-2; Ps. 131; 2 Cor. 13	25 Ezek. 29-30; Ps. 145; 2 Thess. 1-3	
12 Ezek. 3-4; Ps. 132; Gal. 1-2	26 Ezek. 31-32; Ps. 146; 1 Tim. 1-2	
13 Ezek. 5-6; Ps. 133; Gal. 3-4	27 Ezek. 33-34; Ps. 147; 1 Tim. 3-4	
14 Ezek. 7-8; Ps. 134; Gal. 5-6	28 Ezek. 35-36; Ps. 148; 1 Tim. 5-6	

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 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 receive the love of the truth in the heart (Romans 5:5; 2 Thessalonians 2:10-17, Matthew 7:7-11)
- Pray for every Christian to serve God with willingness of heart and mind (John 4:34; 1 Chronicles 28:9; 1 Chronicles 29:9,17-19)
- Pray for every Christian to experience the PERFECT WILL of God in all aspects of life (Colossians 4:12; Hebrews 13:20-21; Romans 12:2)

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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

- **Annual December Prayer & Fasting 2019:** Our Annual December Prayer & Fasting, in preparation for the new year 2020, will run from 1st - 31st December 2019 as usual. The theme for this year’s prayer & fasting will be announced in due course. Meanwhile, start making adequate preparations for it!
- **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.