

# 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

*“Be sober, be vigilant; because your adversary the devil, as a roaring lion, walketh about, seeking whom he may devour: [9] Whom resist stedfast in the faith, knowing that the same afflictions are accomplished in your brethren that are in the world.” (1 Peter 5:8-9)*

## Always Guard Against Spiritual Complacency!

*“Wherefore let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall.” (1 Corinthians 10:12)*

Complacency is a major trap the Devil sets for Christians to make them fall. In fact, no matter how ‘spiritual’ we think we are as Christians, we are all prone to falling into complacency if we do not guard against it! 1 Corinthians 10:12 quoted above, if studied in context from verse 1, is a warning against complacency. In verses 6 and 11 we are admonished to clearly understand that the examples given from verses 1-10 are for our ‘learning’ so that we may not fall into complacency

as they fell into it and ended up displeasing God.

The Webster’s dictionary defines complacency as: *“self-satisfaction especially when accompanied by unawareness of actual dangers or defi-*



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*ciencies.”* In other words it is a false sense of safety or security that ultimately results in a fall or defeat!

There are many examples in the Bible of people who suffered greatly because of

complacency. David, for instance, committed adultery with Bathsheba because of complacency (see 2 Samuel 11:1-27). He also made the costly mistake of wrongly taking a census of Israel because of complacency (see 1 Chronicles 21:1-7) Another notable example is Samson who had an affair with Delilah that eventually brought him to ruins (see Judges 16:1-20).

In order to guard against complacency, each one of us must take personal responsibility to always:

1. Take heed to God’s Word (Hebrews 2:1)
2. Pray in the Holy Spirit (Jude 17-21)

## Be Watchful, Be Prayerful Always!

*“Watch and pray, that ye enter not into temptation: the spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak.” (Matthew 26:41)*

In order to successfully overcome the weakness

of the flesh and walk in the Spirit, thereby pleasing God, we must heed the instruction that our Lord Jesus Christ gave to His disciples in Matthew 26:41 as quoted above. Furthermore, Jesus repeats a similar injunction in Luke 21:34-

36 where He clearly teaches us that the key to not being overwhelmed at any time by the lusts of the flesh is to watch and pray always! Finally, the way to watch and pray is by constantly abiding in the Word of God and prayer!

# THE WORD: ALREADY SETTLED IN THE SPIRIT

... continued from last month

Remember the parable of the ten virgins in Matthew chapter 25 - the foolish ones ran out of oil because they were asleep, not only in their flesh but also in their spirit. Meditating in the word of faith day and night, alongside the brethren, keeps the oil flowing. They were not constantly in the presence of God and the Holy Spirit. So it is you who will benefit now and throughout all eternity, if you don't forsake the assembling together of the saints - *"For I long to see you, that I may impart unto you some spiritual gift, to the end you may be established; That is, that I may be comforted together with you by the mutual faith both of you and me."* (Romans 1:11,12, KJV)

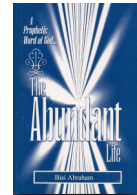
Several times Israel was exiled in the

past, and even recently the nation of Israel was restored in 1948, after a trying period, which included the holocaust. No matter what comes against Israel in the future their status will forever be this: **'God calls them and sees them as a vast army and blessed in their own land (the promised land) for ever and ever.'** Even in the newly created heaven and earth, Israel will be in their land a vast army and blessed. (Read Revelation 21:1-2; 7:1-8, and Romans 11:1-6; 11:25-32; 2:10-11)

The word spoken over Israel, through prophet Ezekiel, reflects how Israel is in the spirit realm, and it will always come to bear on the physical, no matter what. *"Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will never pass away."* (Matt. 24:35) It is amazing what the word of God says in Romans

chapter 11 verse 29 *"For God's gifts and His call are irrevocable."* Israel will reap the fruit of these words for ever and ever.

... 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:

*"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)

*"But the righteousness which is of faith speaketh on this wise, Say not in thine heart, Who shall ascend into heaven? (that is, to bring Christ down from above:.) [7] Or, Who shall descend into the deep? (that is, to bring up Christ again from the dead.) [8] But what saith it? The word is nigh thee, even in thy mouth, and in thy heart: that*

*is, the word of faith, which we preach;"* (Romans 10:6-8)

*"We having the same spirit of faith, according as it is written, I believed, and therefore have I spoken; we also believe, and therefore speak;"* (2 Corinthians 4:13)

*"For with the heart man believeth unto righteousness; and with the mouth confession is made unto salvation."* (Romans 10:10)

## 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."* (Philippians 4:6)

*"The righteous cry, and the Lord heareth, and delivereth them out of*

*all their troubles."* (Psalm 34:17)

*"And when ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have ought against any: that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses. [26] But if ye do not forgive, neither will your Father which is in heaven forgive your trespasses."* (Mark 11:25-26)

# September Bible Reading Plan

1 Job 41-42; Ps. 62; John 1	14 Isaiah 6-8; Ps. 75; John 16	27 Isaiah 35-36; Ps. 88; Acts 10
2 Eccl. 1-2; Ps. 63; John 2-3	15 Isaiah 9-10; Ps. 76; John 17	28 Isaiah 37-38; Ps. 89; Acts 11-12
3 Eccl. 3-4; Ps. 64; John 4	16 Isaiah 11-13; Ps. 77; John 18	29 Isaiah 39-40; Ps. 90; Acts 13
4 Eccl. 5-6; Ps. 65; John 5	17 Isaiah 14-15; Ps. 78; John 19	30 Isaiah 41-42; Ps. 91; Acts 14
5 Eccl. 7-8; Ps. 66; John 6	18 Isaiah 16-17; Ps. 79; John 20	
6 Eccl. 9-10; Ps. 67; John 7	19 Isaiah 18-19; Ps. 80; John 21	
7 Eccl. 11-12; Ps. 68; John 8	20 Isaiah 20-22; Ps. 81; Acts 1	
8 Song of Sol. 1-2; Ps. 69; John 9	21 Isaiah 23-24; Ps. 82; Acts 2	
9 Song of Sol. 3-4; Ps. 70; John 10	22 Isaiah 25-26; Ps. 83; Acts 3-4	
10 Song of Sol. 5-6; Ps. 71; John 11	23 Isaiah 27-28; Ps. 84; Acts 5-6	
11 Song of Sol. 7-8; Ps. 72; John 12	24 Isaiah 29-30; Ps. 85; Acts 7	
12 Isaiah 1-2; Ps. 73; John 13	25 Isaiah 31-32; Ps. 86; Acts 8	
13 Isaiah 3-5; Ps. 74; John 14-15	26 Isaiah 33-34; Ps. 87; Acts 9	

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; John 16:7-11)
- 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 God to raise up more
- LABOURERS in the Church for His Work (Matthew 9:37; Luke 10:2)
- 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

- **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.