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Do Not Forget!

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

2018 - We Shall Do Valiantly (Psalm 60:12; Psalm 44:5)

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



A Word In Season

“But thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. [58] Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye steadfast, unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.” (1 Cor. 15:57-58)

Are You Seeing As God Sees?

“Moreover the word of the Lord came unto me, saying, Jeremiah, what seest thou? And I said, I see a rod of an almond tree. [12] Then said the Lord unto me, Thou hast well seen: for I will hasten my word to perform it.” (Jeremiah 1:11-12)

To every circumstance of life there are two main perspectives - GOD and HUMAN. In other words, we can either ‘see’ our circumstance from God’s perspective or from our human perspective. In the scripture quoted above, God said to Jeremiah: ‘Thou hast

well seen’ because he saw exactly as God saw. It was as a result of Jeremiah’s correct vision that God promised to hasten His Word to perform it. This is the key thing about walking by faith - the ability to



“Blessed are the eyes which see ...” (Luke 10:23)

see things God’s way (2 Corinthians 5:7) It is also why walking by faith is the only way to please God (Hebrews 11:6) Genuine Faith relies absolutely on God’s perspective without any recourse to our

human understanding! (Proverbs 3:5) Unlike Human’s perspective that is solely based on natural intellect, God’s perspective is always based on His Word as already SETTLED in Heaven and WRITTEN in the Holy Bible (Psalm 119:89; Romans 15:4) Hence, we need to study the Bible DILIGENTLY and fix our eyes/heart on its promises so as to ‘see’ as God ‘sees’ (Proverbs 4:20-22) For instance, if we are sick we have to study/meditate God’s promises regarding healing until they become the only thing we ‘see’ instead of the sickness. Whenever our perspective agrees with God’s own, He will certainly perform His Word in our circumstance! (Jeremiah 1:12, Amos 3:3)

Be Not Afraid, Only Believe!

“While he yet spake, there came from the ruler of the synagogue’s house certain which said, Thy daughter is dead: why troublest thou the Master any further? [36] As soon as Jesus heard the word

that was spoken, he saith unto the ruler of the synagogue, Be not afraid, only believe.” (Mark 5:35-36)

At times, in our walk of faith, the situation may go from bad to worse! During such times, we

must remember what Jesus said to Jairus and choose to KEEP ON BELIEVING God’s Word, rather than succumb to the Devil’s plan to paralyse our faith with fear! Whenever fear comes knocking, TRUST GOD! (Psalm 56:3)

THE WORD: FOUNDATION OF EVERYTHING

...Continued from last month

Let's take a first look at these verses of scripture to examine some basic truths. We will take another look later.

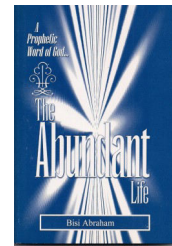
“As the rain and the snow come down from heaven, and do not return to it without watering the earth and making it bud and flourish, so that it yields seed for the sower and bread for the eater, so is my word that goes out from my mouth: it will not return to me empty, but will accomplish what I desire and achieve the purpose for which I sent it.”

Isaiah 55:10,11

The Lord likens **His word to a seed** which when planted (by speaking it out of our mouths) will produce fruit after its kind. Our Lord Jesus Christ also confirmed this truth in Luke's account of the parable of the sower. Chapter 8 verse 11 says: *“This is the meaning of the parable: The seed is the word of God.”*

In short, God says: **learn the way of the seed on earth, then you will understand how powerful my word is; you will understand how to use my word; you will understand how the Kingdom of God operates and you will be able to enjoy the benefits of the Kingdom.**

Just as every farmer needs to sow a seed before he can reap a harvest of fruits, we need to sow the word in order for us to reap the fruit of the word. *... 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 at our Church office.

Faith Strengtheners

Here are some Scriptures to strengthen your faith this month:

“And Jesus answering saith unto them, Have faith in God. [23] For verily I say unto you, That whosoever shall say unto this mountain, Be thou removed, and be thou cast into the sea; and shall not doubt in his heart, but shall believe that those things which he saith shall

come to pass; he shall have whatsoever he saith.” (Mark 11:22-23)

“And the apostles said unto the Lord, Increase our faith. [6] And the Lord said, If ye had faith as a grain of mustard seed, ye might say unto this sycamine tree, Be thou plucked up by the root, and be thou planted in the sea; and it should obey you.” (Luke 17:5-6)

“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)

“So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God.” (Romans 10:17)

Prayer Enhancers

Here are some Scriptures to enhance your prayers this month:

“And he spake a parable unto them to this end, that men ought always to pray, and not to faint; [2] Saying, There was in a city a judge, which feared not God, nei-

ther regarded man: [3] And there was a widow in that city; and she came unto him, saying, Avenge me of mine adversary. [4] And he would not for a while: but afterward he said within himself, Though I fear not God, nor regard man; [5] Yet because this widow troubleth me, I will avenge her, lest by her continual coming she weary

me. [6] And the Lord said, Hear what the unjust judge saith. [7] And shall not God avenge his own elect, which cry day and night unto him, though he bear long with them? [8] I tell you that he will avenge them speedily. Nevertheless when the Son of man cometh, shall he find faith on the earth?” (Luke 18:1-8)

February Bible Reading Plan

1 Ex. 13-14; Ps. 32; Mark 12	13 Ex. 37-38; Ps. 44; Luke 8	25 Lev. 19-20; Ps. 56; Luke 20
2 Ex. 15-16; Ps. 33; Mark 13	14 Ex. 39-40; Ps. 45; Luke 9	26 Lev. 21-22; Ps. 57; Luke 21
3 Ex. 17-18; Ps. 34; Mark 14	15 Lev. 1-2; Ps. 46; Luke 10	27 Lev. 23-24; Ps. 58; Luke 22
4 Ex. 19-20; Ps. 35; Mark 15	16 Lev. 3-4; Ps. 47; Luke 11	28 Lev. 25; Ps. 59; Luke 23
5 Ex. 21-22; Ps. 36; Mark 16	17 Lev. 5-6; Ps. 48; Luke 12	
6 Ex. 23-24; Ps. 37; Luke 1	18 Lev. 7-8; Ps. 49; Luke 13	
7 Ex. 25-26; Ps. 38; Luke 2	19 Lev. 9-10; Ps. 50; Luke 14	
8 Ex. 27-28; Ps. 39; Luke 3	20 Lev. 11-12; Ps. 51; Luke 15	
9 Ex. 29-30; Ps. 40; Luke 4	21 Lev. 13; Ps. 52; Luke 16	
10 Ex. 31-32; Ps. 41; Luke 5	22 Lev. 14; Ps. 53; Luke 17	
11 Ex. 33-34; Ps. 42; Luke 6	23 Lev. 15-16; Ps. 54; Luke 18	
12 Ex. 35-36; Ps. 43; Luke 7	24 Lev. 17-18; Ps. 55; Luke 19	

Healing Scriptures

The Bible says the Word of God is HEALTH (literally MEDICINE) to all our flesh! (see 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 (see Romans 10:10) Also, according to Psalm 107:20 God sent His Word to heal the afflicted who cried to Him for help. 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 as the Spirit leads.

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)
- Pray for Israel and Peace in Jerusalem (Psalm 122:6-9; Isaiah 62:1-7)
- Pray for Holy Spirit empowerment for every member of the Church (Isaiah 11:2; Acts 1:8)
- Pray for Divine Protection for every member of the Church (Psalm 91; Isaiah 54:17)
- Pray for God's Perfect Will for all that concerns every member of the Church (Colossians 4:12; Hebrews 13:20-21)
- Pray for Christians who are suffering persecution (Acts 12:1-5; Hebrews 13:3)
- Pray for Godly increase and more labourers for our Church (Acts 2:47; Luke 10:2)
- Pray for Supernatural Provision for our own Church Building (2 Samuel 7:10; Nehemiah 2:20)

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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

NEWS IN BRIEF

- **Church Building Project:** We desire to acquire a suitable Church Building of our own. Everyone who is of a willing heart can prayerfully and financially support our Church Building Project as regularly as they wish.
- **On-line Donations:** Our website now has facilities for receiving DONATIONS on-line via the secure PayPal platform. If you have friends, family or colleagues who would like to make donations to support the Church, they can do so securely via our website.

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.