HERMON LIFE



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It has been an eventful year thus far.

September ends on Monday and a new month, the tenth of the year, starts on this Tuesday. October will answer to the plans, purposes and goodness of God in your life in the mighty name of Jesus.

Set the atmosphere for the supernatural to manifest in your life as you join our monthly Prayer & Fasting for the month of October. It starts tomorrow (Monday, September 30, 2024). It is for three days, from Monday to Wednesday.

In this Prayer & Fasting, mountains will move and rivers will flow in every wilderness. God will do mighty things. What was lost will be found. What was stolen will be restored. What was detained will be released in the mighty name of Jesus.

Expect great things to happen. Engage with the grace supplied by the Spirit of God to effect your desired change.

Next Sunday is 'Thanksgiving & Anointing' service by 7:30am & 9:30am. Don't miss it. Make sure to invite and come with someone to church.

Have a testimony filled week

Naemeka Q. Kemefuna Senior Pastor

SUNDAY SERVICE SUMMARY:

SEPARATED FOR BLESSINGS

Abraham, who the Bible refers to as the father of faith was blessed by God. One distinctive thing about Abraham is that he was blessed in all things (Genesis 24:1). But before he became blessed, God called him out from his country and his people (Genesis 12:1-4).

Separation signifies for us today — separation from the world. It means consecration to God for His use. Two things destroy consecration to God — (a) Alcohol and (b) Sexual Immorality. To be consecration to God is to be God's own.

Here are 3 ways to preserve your consecration to God:

- 1.2 Corinthians 6:17. 1 Peter 2:9: God has called us out of the world to be separated to Him. It means we can't live like the world lives or speak like the
- world speaks.

 Proverbs 12:26: Be Separate have boundaries. Choose your friends wisely.

3. Do not touch any unclean thing.

We have been called out from this world. That's why we are in the world but not of the world (John 15:19). There are environments where the miraculous cannot happen. If we want to see the miraculous constantly, we must create an environment of faith. Part of creating the right environment or atmosphere for miracles is by separation from people, things and places that choke your faith.

How Your Faith Works:

- Have faith and a good conscience. Avoid sexual immoralities. Be pure (1 Corinthians 5:19). Avoid Greed, it leads to an early death. (Proverbs 28:16).
- Avoid Idolatry

- Avoid speaking idle words and vulgarity. Avoid alcoholism and drunkenness. (Proverbs 21:17. 23:20-21). Avoid fraud. (Zechariah 5:1-4. Psalm 50:16-18. Proverbs 14:34).

If we claim to be Abraham's children, then we should follow certain patterns in

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TESTIMONY

THANKSGIVING

I want to thank God for the journey mercies He granted me throughout my stay in the places I travelled to. God kept me and my colleagues safe while on the sea and brought us back safely to land. He also made the purpose of our travels very successful.

May His name be praised in Jesus' name. Amen.
Sister Ozioma (Lagos, Nigeria)

I want to thank God for over turning a situation at work that could have called my intergrity to question and led to my termination. I also want to thank our Pastor for standing with me in prayers and encouraging me in the Lord.

God turned a bad situation into one of praise for me. Instead of a sack, I received a salary increase. Praise the Lord.

Brother Timilehin (Lagos, Nigeria)

Early Risers Service -7:30am Family Worship Service 9:30am

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Daily Devotional

David killed Goliath with a sling and a stone. Such a crude weapon brought down a champion with one of his day's most sophisticated weapons.

In today's weights, Goliath's armour alone weighed 57 kilograms, and the tip of his spear was 7 kilograms of iron. His shield was too big and thick enough that it took an armour bearer to carry it. (1 Samuel 17:4-7).

Yet, cutting him down took a simple weapon and a new recruit. God did mighty things with David that day. He used a crude weapon and a young David to silence Goliath's insolence and defeat the invading Philistine army. But notice that that was the last time David used the sling and the stone.

It was never mentioned again. He went on to learn the art of warfare and fighting with swords, shields and spears. This holds a big lesson for us. God will use the sling and stone to kill your Goliath, but after that, go and learn how to use the sword, spear and shield.

Improve yourself. Reinvent yourself. The stone and sling have served their purpose. It is now time to learn new things.



Hermon Devotional
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<u>Declaration</u>: In this new week, may you not drown in past victories and old glories. Receive the grace to be teachable, to learn new things, and to move with the tides and timings of the Holy Spirit in Jesus' name. You will neither stagnate nor grow stale. Fresh victories and new glories in Jesus' name!

Click this link for daily devotional (Monday - Saturday)



God will give you reasons to laugh for joy this week in Jesus name.



Blessing Egoma 15th Babatunde Sanni-Osilowo 16th Daniel Adeyemo 29th Adebisi Agbolade 30th

"May the Lord's light shine upon you, bringing immense joy on your birthday and in the years ahead. Happy Birthday!"



HOLY COMMUNION

SERVICE (Online only)

THIS WEDNESDAY | October 2

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Springs Of Hermon

our confession

- I am for signs and wonders.
- I have a sound mind and God blesses me with wisdom and retentive memory.
- My God will meet all my needs. He will meet them in keeping with his wonderful riches. These riches come to me because I belong to Christ Jesus.
- I am the head and not the tail. I am always on top never at the bottom.
- The Holy Spirit is my friend and He helps me, He is with me forever. I will not be afraid.



Bible Reading Reading Research

Monday



Tuesday
Songs of Solomon 7- 8
Luke 6

Wednesday

Amos 1 - 2 Luke 7

Thursday:

Luke 8

Friday

Saturday

Amos 3 - 4 Luke 8

Amos 5 - 6 Luke 9

Amos 7 -9

MIDWEEK SERVICE SUMMARY:

MAKING WISE CHOICES

Nobody was born with the ability to make the right choices; they grow into it. (Luke 1: 80. 2: 52) Everybody wants to make the right choices in life. However, sometimes we make wrong choices and regret them. Sometimes, some of the decisions we make are out of ignorance or very limited knowledge. Other times, they're out of situations or past experiences.

Serving God is a choice as God would never force you to serve Him. Apart from Salvation and the Gift of the Holy Spirit, Freewill is the third most powerful gift from God. As we grow in life, we also grow in our ability to make the right/wise choices and whatever we choose, we must learn to live with the consequences. (Deuteronomy 11:26-28. Psalm 73:1, 6-17. Hebrews 10:36-38.)

No matter the reasons for our choices, there's always that desire within us to make the right and wise choice. And this is very possible. (

Here are 7 things that we must do if we want to make wise choices:

- 1. Give God's Word first place in your lives and accurately understand it. (Psalm 138:2, Acts 18:24
- 2. Be fully persuaded of the Word of God that has been revealed to us (Romans 4:20-22).
- 3. Be ready to stand and walk alone (Exodus 23:2).
- Be patient (Hebrews 6:12). Patience is the proof of genuine faith.
 A pure heart which gives 3 things a. Discernment. b. Boldness and Courage (Proverbs 28:1), c. Favour before men.
- 6. We must have vision (Proverbs 29:18).
- 7. We must be persons of Love. We must be invested in people.

We must note that just because we make wise choices does not mean that the reward is immediate. However, we will eventually see the results of making those wise choices.



Dare to be Different.....

It's common practice these days to follow the crowd to do 'woke' things. Many people chase what is popular and in vogue. Trends spring up and thousands of people follow. There's even a saying that states, "If you cannot beat them, join them." This saying couldn't be more wrong.

As children of God, we are supposed to be different everywhere we find ourselves. God has chosen us from the beginning of time to showcase His glory (Ephesians 1:4). Jesus said we should let our lights so shine before men that they may see our good works and glorify our Father in heaven (Matthew 5:16).

How can we shine this light of our desire to be like the rest of the world?

Thrive: Fundamentals of Pre-Martial Relationship

When we follow trends, especially the ones that clearly don't glorify God, we're being just like the world. Let's remember that friendship with the world is enmity with God (James 4:4). The only way we can qualify for God's blessings is by separating from the world. This means that we must dissociate from doing things the way the world does.

In Romans 12:2, we're told to not conform to the standards and patterns of this world. This is how we can be separated from the world, consecrated for God's use.

Even though we do not see the reward for consecrating ourselves to God immediately, let's not be discouraged but hold fast to what we've been taught and believe. The reward will surely come.



Finding Grace: A Weekly Guide to Joyful Motherhood/ Parenting

(Proverbs 31:11) NLT. Her husband can trust her, and she will greatly enrich his life.

Building on our previous discussion about enriching our husbands, as seen in our scripture, let's consider another powerful verse: 'One will chase a thousand, and two will chase ten thousand' (Deuteronomy 32:30). This emphasizes the exponential impact of unity and collaboration. When we work together as a team, supporting and enriching your husband, we can achieve far more than we could alone.

- 3. Intellectual Stimulation and Growth
- Engage in meaningful conversations.
- Explore new interests and hobbies together.
- Support each other's passions and pursuits.
- 4. Financial Partnership and Collaboration
- Manage finances together.
- Work towards shared financial goals.
- Encourage financial literacy and responsibility.
- 5. Personal Growth and Development
- Encourage and support each other's passions.
- Foster a culture of learning and self-improvement.
- Celebrate individuality and personal growth.

To be continued next week.



A Couple That Prays Together (2)

By turning to God in prayer, couples can experience a peace that surpasses understanding, even in the most challenging times. Prayer helps them to shift their focus from the problem to the One who can solve it, reminding them that they are not alone in their struggles.

Growing Together Spiritually

Praying together strengthens the bond between a couple and creates an opportunity for profound spiritual growth. It encourages both partners to deepen their individual relationships with God while building a strong spiritual foundation for their marriage. I Peter 3:7 advises, "Husbands, in the same way, be considerate as you live with your wives, and treat them with respect... so that nothing will hinder your prayers" (NIV).

Prayer, as a catalyst for mutual respect, love, and understanding, helps couples to grow in unity and spiritual maturity.

As couples pray, they also learn to surrender their individual desires and align their hearts with God's will for their lives. This allows them to experience a greater sense of purpose and partnership in their marriage, seeing their relationship as part of God's divine plan.

A couple that prays together taps into the true power of unity, trust, and love in their marriage. By seeking God together in all things, they build a relationship that is not easily shaken by the storms of life. As Psalm 127:1 says, "Unless the Lord builds the house, the builders labour in vain" (NIV).

Let prayer be the foundation upon which couples build their marriages, trusting God to guide, protect, and strengthen their daily bond.

Deep Dive: The Business Side of God & About Business



FAQs About Business Registration in Nigeria (1)

Here are frequently asked questions about business registration in Nigeria.

What types of companies can be registered in Nigeria?

There are different types of business registration in Nigeria. You can register a business as a Sole Proprietorship, Partnership, Limited Liability Company, Public Limited Company, Company Limited by Guarantee, or Incorporated Trustee.

What is the process for business registration in Nigeria?

Choose a company name, conduct a name search, reserve the name, fill out the required forms, pay the necessary fees, and submit your application for incorporation.

How long does business registration take in Nigeria?

A business name or company typically takes 3 to 10 working days, longer for more complex entities like trusts or NGOs.

Can a foreigner register a company in Nigeria?

Yes, foreigners can register a company but must meet specific requirements, like a minimum share capital for certain types of companies.

What documents are needed for business registration in Nigeria? Identification for directors and shareholders, Articles of Association, Memorandum of Understanding, and proof of address.

Do I need a local director to register a company in Nigeria?

Nigerian company law requires at least one local director for a company to be registered.

Can I register a business online in Nigeria?

Yes, the Corporate Affairs Commission offers an online portal for company registration.

How can I protect my business name in Nigeria?

Once registered, your business name is legally protected. Unregistered entities cannot legally use it.

What is a Tax Identification Number (TIN), and do I need one? A TIN is required for tax purposes in Nigeria. Every registered company must have one.

(Culled from Florence Chikezie)

September 2/2							
	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1 Sunday Sorvice	Monthly Fast	Monthly Fast	Montfily 4 Fast Holy communion Service	5	6	7
	8 Sunday Service	9	10	11 Mid-Week Service	12	13	14
	15 Sunday Service	16	17	18 Mid-Week Service	19	20	21
	22 Sunday Sorvice	23	24	25 Mid-Nek Savice	26	27	28
	29 Surday Service	October Fast Crossover					