

THEME OF THE YEAR 2025: “BE FRUITFUL AND MULTIPLY” (GENESIS 1:28)

PRAYER FOCUS FOR APRIL, 2025 “I WILL MAKE YOU EXCEEDINGLY FRUITFUL” (GEN. 17:6) FOR EXHORTATION AT WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETINGS

<div>17TH SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE</div> <div>27th April 2025</div> <div>ORDER OF SERVICE</div> <div>(HYMN SUNDAY/UMCATC DAY)</div> <div><div>1. Call to worship:</div><div>2. Praise & Worship:</div><div>3. Hymn Session I: RH: 719 (Day of Rest) RH: 314 (Pass me not) RH: 460 (Be gone Unbelief)</div><div>4. Intercessory Prayer: RH: 210- Spirit Divine attend our prayer</div><div>5. Welcome to the House of the Lord:</div><div>6. Hymn Session II: RH: 582 (Take my life) RH: 578 (I am Thine)</div><div>7. Announcement: Attention to our life and ministry</div><div>8. Hymn Session III: In Christ Alone Faith of our fathers RH: 309 (Are you washed?)</div><div>9. Scripture Reading:</div><div>10. Hymn Session IV: With Tithes & Offerings: RH: 245 (Showers of blessing) RH: 555 (When we all get to heaven)</div><div>11. Closing Prayer & Benediction</div><div>Attendance on 20/04/25: Children- 228 Adult- 424 Total: 652</div></div>	<div>ANNOUNCEMENTS</div> <div>Attention to Our Life and Ministry</div> <div><div>1. Events Coming Up:<div><div>a) 1st May 2025: Prayer Coordinators Retreat 9am-1pm.</div><div>b) 3rd May 2025: Ushers' Retreat</div><div>c) 4th May 2025: Missions Outreach Report/Cong Outreach</div><div>d) 7th May 2025: Testimony Night II</div></div></div><div>2. Chapel of Praise UMCA Building Project: A/c Name: Chapel of Praise UMCA. A/c No.: 1021762469. Bank: UBA.</div><div>3. Weddings:</div><div>4. Chapel Project: We have been on the decking stage of the Pastorium building Project for some time. Pray and give handsomely towards its execution. A/c Number: 1007345015 A/c Name: Chapel of Redemption UMCA; Bank: UBA.</div><div>5. Medical volunteers On Duty Sun., 27/04/25: Mrs. A.D. Kolawole, Mrs. V.O. Aina, Mrs. Y. Kudabo, Mrs. I.O. Adekanye, Dr. (Mrs.) Titi Alaofin, Dr. Ifeoluwa Oluwole</div><div>6. Redemption Model N/P Sch. A/c.: 1019601985; A/c Name: Redemption Model Nur. & Pry. School. Bank: UBA.</div><div>7. Meetings:<div><div>a) Jesus Bride meeting will hold immediately after service on Sun., 27/04/25.</div><div>b) Monthly Prayer & Fasting will hold on Mon., 05/05/25 @ 5:00pm.</div><div>c) Combined Early Morning Prayer Tue., 06/05/25 @ 6:00am.</div><div>d) Missions Team meeting will hold on Sun., 11/05/25 after the service.</div></div></div><div>8. a) Ladies' Fellowship of COR A/c Number: 2300429026 A/c Name: Ladies Fellowship of COR: Bank: UBA. b) Men's Fellowship of COR A/c Number: 1016963893 A/c Name: Men Fellowship of COR: Bank: UBA</div><div>9. Sanctuary Cleaners for May 2025: Mrs M.M. Adekeye, Mrs. F.A. Fayeye, Mrs. E.F. Ajayi, Mrs. A.O. Aremo, Mrs. M.B. Inelo, Dr. (Mrs.) Olubunmi Mokuolu, Mrs. A.A. Ojo, Miss Folake Opeyemi, Mrs. L.A. Bamidele, Mrs. A. Ake, Mrs. E.B. Ogunremi, Mr. Jonah Dodoh.</div><div>10. Ushers on Duty for May 2025: Mrs. E Awulaba, Mrs. L.B. Olaiyoye, Mrs. M.K. Afolayan, Mrs. M. Kumolu, Mrs. M.A. Olu, Mrs. A.I Adeoti, Mrs. O.F. Olarewaju, Miss B. Agboh, Mr. Opayoye Peter, Mr. S. Obaze.</div><div>11. a) Ministering on Wed., 30/04/25: Miss Victory Inelo, Mrs. Grace Adedoyin. c) Ministering on Sun., 04/05/25: Engr. Femi Agaja, Dr. (Mrs.) Tolu Agaja, Mr. A.A. Olalere, Mr. Idowu Omokore, Dr. S.A. Oyetoyan, Quartet, Panel.</div><div>12. Pastoral Succession: The tenure of Revd. (Dr.) Biodun Olugbemi will end on 30th September 2025, pray for a smooth transition.</div><div>13. Tinted Glasses: Drivers of vehicles with tinted glasses should please wind down their windows at the entrance to give room for the Security Unit to inspect their vehicles and the occupants.</div><div>14. Christian Literature: The Children's Sunday School Dept. needs new Christian literature for the children. Please donate Christian Literature (Bible Stories, Prophecy, Christian Novels, Gospel, Poetry etc) or money to buy them.</div><div>15. Bible Society of Nigeria: The Arise and Build Project is still on. Members and are encouraged to bountifully contribute to the building project.</div><div>16. Hour of Prayer: Holds every Sunday 7:30-8:30 a.m. with focus on our Christian Walk. All leaders and members are expected to participate.</div><div>17. Chapel Secondary School: Admission forms into JS 1 (2025/26 session) are available @ ₦6,000. Entrance examination date will be announced later.</div><div>18. Students and Youths Congress (SAYCO) 2025: Organized by the Peace House for students of tertiary institutions. Theme: Double Portion for the Days Ahead, Date: 30th April- 3rd May 2025; Venue: UNILORIN Chapel of the Light. All tertiary students are encouraged to participate, especially those in UNILORIN.</div></div>	<div>19. Final Funeral programmes scheduled as follows:<div><div>a) Wake Keep of Late Engr. John Omishakin holds on 15th May 2025 at No 35 Reservation Road, GRA Ilorin by 5.00 p.m. while Final Funeral & Thanksgiving Service will hold on Saturday 17th May 2025 at Canon Ajibola Memoral Anglican Church, Ife Central Missionary Archdeaconry Headquarters, Igboya Community, Ile Ife, by 10/00 a.m.</div><div>b) Wake Keep of late Chief Barrister Babatunde Awojide (Father of Mrs. Racheal Adeoye) on Thursday 15th May 2025 at White House, Lasole Road, Oke Ola, Odeomu at 4.00 p.m. while Final Burial and Thanksgiving holds at St. Michael's Anglican Church, Odeomu on Friday 16th May 2025 by 10.00 a.m.</div></div></div> <div>20. The first Membership Sunday for 2025 comes up on the 18th May, 2025. Therefore, anyone interested in becoming members of the Chapel should put down their names in the Chapel Office or with the Chairman, Membership Committee, Mr. Dotun Oluwole on or before Sun., 27/04/2025.</div>
<div>WELCOME TO THE HOUSE OF THE LORD</div> <div>All worshippers are warmly welcome to this special worship service where we shall be worshiping God in Hymns. May you not go empty-handed as you came. Rather, the Lord will fill your heart today to overflowing with joy and the richness of His blessings. In Jesus name. Amen!</div>		<div>PRAYER FOCUS FOR THE WEEK</div> <div><div>1. Spirit Divine: come with Pentecostal grace to make our hearts your throne and spread your wings of peaceful love upon us.</div><div>2. Purge our hearts with sacrificial fire and make our whole selves an offering to you our Redeemer and as well lead us in the paths of life where all the righteous go.</div><div>3. Ask that our barrenness may rejoice to own God’s fertilizing power</div><div>4. Pray for those whose surnames begin with letter “K-Z” except “O”</div></div>
<div>FROM THE PULPIT LAST SUNDAY 20/04/25</div> <div><div>Topic: Fruitfulness And Multiplication Through The Death And Resurrection Of Our Lord Jesus Christ.</div><div>Text: John 12:24-34</div><div>Speaker: Prof. J.A. Olorunmaiye</div><div><div>The resurrection of Jesus from the dead is the most important event in human history.</div><div>It is the will of God that Jesus be crucified on the cross.</div><div>The history of Jesus can be traced back to Abraham. This is because God had already told Abraham that He will bless and multiply him (Gen. 22:1-16).</div><div>Isaac was submissive to his father just as Jesus was submissive to God.</div><div>Children are, in the same way, to obey their parents in the Lord (Eph. 6:1).</div><div>Abraham received the blessings of fruitfulness and multiplication (Gen. 22:17-18).</div><div>As God gave Jesus to die for us, He receives multiple blessings of more children adopted through the death of His son Jesus Christ (Rom. 8:29).</div><div>God planned for ther resurrection because He wants to demonstrate that the 2nd Adam (Jesus Christ) has conquered death.</div><div>The resurrection event happened because God wanted to fulfill the prophecy that Jesus’ body would not see corruption (Ps. 16:10; Acts 2:27).</div><div>The resurrection also happened to deliver us from the fear of death and give us hope (Heb. 2:14-15).</div><div>The resurrection of Jesus also makes Christianity different from all the other religions.</div><div>With the death and resurrection of Jesus, Christians have hope of eternal glory and victory over sin and Satan.</div></div></div>		<div>MISSIONS PRAYER FOCUS FOR APRIL, 2025</div> <div><div>1. Thank God for our Missionaries and pray for encouragement, wisdom, protection and provision as they labour in their fields.</div><div>2. Ask for a successful and fruitful Easter Outreach. Appreciate God for provision of vehicles, materials, financial and other needs.</div><div>3. Pray that we will continue to labour over the souls that God has committed into our hands as we also raise/send more labourers for the harvest.</div></div>
		<div>OPERATION WORLD</div> <div>Democratic Republic of Congo (Congo-Kinshasa) Capital: Kinshasa</div> <div>DRC has a population of 71 million of which 96% are Christians. There is a cloud of darkness and wickedness over the land. We must pray for God to brake the power of darkness that has gone on for a long time over Congo and seek his face to revive the churches.</div>
		<div>THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK</div> <div><div>1. Christ's message in all its richness must live in your hearts. Teach and instruct one another with all wisdom. Sing psalms, hymns, and sacred songs; sing to God with thanksgiving in your hearts. Col 3:16</div><div>2. Good hymns are an immense blessing to the Church. They train people for heaven, where praise is one of the principal occupation. --J.C. Ryle</div></div>