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

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

14TH SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE 6th April 2025 ORDER OF SERVICE (THEME OF THE YEAR)

- Invocation:
- Opening Hvmn: RH 382: SS&S 511
- Praise & Worship I:
- **Intercessory Prayer:**
- Welcome to the House of the Lord:
- **Announcements:** Attention to Our Life and Ministry
- **Song Ministration:** Chapel Choir
- Scripture Reading: John 8:31-38
- **Exhortation:** Live by What I Say Pastor Henry Owolabi
- Sixtieth Birthday Thanksgiving: Mrs. B. O. Bamigbade 10.
- Tithes & Offering with Closing Hymn: RH 361 11.
- Closing Prayer & Benediction 12.

Attendance on 30/03/25: Children- 141 Adult- 306 Total: 447

WELCOME TO THE HOUSE OF THE LORD

Welcome to the Chapel of Redemption on Mount Zion this first Sunday of April 2025. Here we worship God in spirit and in truth (John 4:24), and look to him for the grace of deliverance. Surely, he will abundantly strengthen us with his might to make fruitfulness and multiplication our portion and possession in the mighty name of Jesus Christ.

FROM THE PULPIT LAST SUNDAY 30/03/25 (Post Outreach Charge)

Topic: After Winning Souls: What is next? Text: Luke 15:7 & 10: Proverbs 12:27

Speaker: Pst. Henry Owolabi

Following sessions of praise to God for his mercy and help, key points in the closing charge were that:

- 1. The Congregation should join the heavenly hosts to rejoice for sinners who have repented.
- 2. Prayers should be made that the fruits of the outreach will abide.
- 3. Follow up the converts and NOT be lazy or slothful in doing God's business so as not to waste the harvest the Lord gave to us.

Post-Outreach Testimonies

God did so much on Sunday 30th March 2025. We cannot tell it all! Some testimonies in brief:

- 1. How good to enjoy God's presence during the outreach under a splendid weather? Halleluvah! - SAO
- 2. Though I strongly felt that the outreach should be cancelled to avoid clashes, the Holy Spirit convinced me to go and I eventually surrendered and saw his mighty hand at work, PTL! - 001
- 3. God took the pains which I woke up with that day away just as I obeyed to go, PTL! - MOA
- 4. God brought out a lady to us from behind her fence and she responded to the gospel. - 002
- 5. It was my first time and God granted me the boldness to share the gospel, and he saved some people in the process PTL! - MAA
- 6. Prayer for a businessman turnaround was instantly answered, with a customer patronizing the man who requested to be prayed for, PTL! -TA

ANNOUNCEMENTS Attention to Our Life and Ministry

Events Coming Up:

- a)6th April 2025 General Assembly Meeting (a.m.)
- b)13th 16th April, 2025: Week of Spiritual Refreshing
- c) 18th April, 2025 Good Friday/Holy Communion Service (a.m.)
- d) 20th April, 2025 Easter Sunday/Baptismal Service (p.m.)
- 2. Chapel of Praise UMCA Building Project: A/c Name: Chapel of Praise UMCA. A/c No.: 1021762469, Bank: UBA.
- . Weddinas:
- . Chapel Project: The Pastorium has reached the decking stage. May the Lord bless you as you pray and give towards its execution. COR A/c Number: 1007345015 A/c Name: Chapel of Redemption UMCA; Bank: UBA.
- Medical volunteers On Duty Sun., 06/04/25: Mrs. J.Y. Adekanye, Mrs. C.M. Olalere, Mrs. E.A. Oshe, Mrs. B.T. Dosunmu, Dr. W.A. Alaofin, Dr. Praise
- . Redemption Model N/P Sch. A/c.: 1019601985; A/c Name: Redemption Model Nur. & Prv. School, Bank: UBA.
- Meetings:
 - a) Monthly Prayer & Fasting will hold on Mon., 07/04/25 @ 5:00pm.
 - b) Combined Early Morning Prayer Tue.,08/04/25 @ 6:00am.
 - c) Missions Team meeting will hold on Sun. 13/04/25 after the service.
 - d)Chapel Committee Meeting will hold on Mon., 14/04/25 @ 5:00pm.
 - e) Sunday Sch. Teachers Prayer Meeting holds on Mon., 14/04/25 @ 5:00pm.
 - f) Ushers Meeting will hold on Mon., 14/04/25 @ 5:00pm.
- 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
- . Sanctuary Cleaners for April 2025: Mrs Iyabo Odediji, Mrs. C.M. Oyinloye, Mrs. M.V. Oraiye, Mrs. A. Boye, Mrs. R.M Agbogun, Mrs. M.M. Osabiya, Mrs. B.E. Coo, Mrs. M.O. Sangoyomi, Miss. Foyinsola Omojasola, Mrs. S.O. Ayeni, Dr. (Mrs.) A.O. Aremu.
- 0.Ushers on Duty for April 2025: Mrs. M.A. Adekeye, Mrs. C.B. Akande, Dr. (Mrs.) T.N. Odeigah, Mrs. A.I. Adeoti, Mrs. O.B. Agbola, Mrs. R.M. Ogungbayi, Mrs. F.E. Emielu, Mrs. M.F. Adewuyi, Dr. Oreoluwa Omojasola, Mr. J. Dodoh.
- 1.a) Ministering on Mon., 07/04/25: Miss Mercy Ayano, Mrs. Ibilola Omokore.
- b) Ministering on Wed., 09/04/25: Mrs. Kadiri, Mrs. Omobola Ajayi.
- c) Ministering on Sun., 13/04/25: Dr. Wemimo Alaofin, Miss Anna Adefemi, Mr. Joe Olupidi, Arc. Niyi Omokanye, Dr. Femi Daodu, Chapel Choir, Guest
- 12. Pastoral Succession: The tenure of Revd. (Dr.) Biodun Olugbemi will end on 30th September 2025, pray for a smooth transition.
- 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.
- 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.
- 15. Bible Society of Nigeria: The Arise and Build Project is still on. Members and are encouraged to bountifully contribute to the building project.
- 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.
- 17. Chapel Secondary School: Admission forms into JS 1 (2025/26 session) are available @ \\6,000. Entrance examination date will be announced later.

- 18. Children & Teens Holiday Camp will hold from Wed., 09/04/25 to Sat., 12/04/25. Theme: Looking Unto Jesus. @ CEM Camp. Children below 5 years (₦2,500); 5-12 years (₦4,500); 13-19 years (₦6,000).
- 19. We rejoice with and congratulate our latest parents Mr. & Mrs. Lucky & Blessing Anerhua (Bro. Stephen Obaze's nephew) for the safe delivery of a bouncing baby girl on Wednesday 2nd April, 2025. Praise the Lord!

PRAYER FOCUS FOR THE WEEK

- 1. Pray that the Holy Spirit will illuminate our hearts of understanding to be exceeding fruitful.
- 2. Ask for grace to meditate in God's word day and night and follow with obedience so as to be like the tree planted by the rivers of water.
- 3. Pray for those whose Surnames begin with letter "A" and those celebrating their Birthdays or Wedding Anniversaries in April.

MISSIONS PRAYER FOCUS FOR APRIL, 2025

- 1. Thank God for our Missionaries and pray for encouragement, wisdom, protection and provision as they labour in their fields.
- 2. Ask for a successful and fruitful Easter Outreach. Pray that there shall be for provision of vehicles, materials, financial and other needs.
- 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.

OPERATION WORLD

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines Capital: Kingstown

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, an island in the Lesser Antilles chain, southern Windward Islands, lying at the southern end of the eastern border where the Caribbean Sea meets the Atlantic Ocean, has majority Christian population with Protestants and Catholics being the main faith. There are also smaller communities of Rastafarians. Baha'is and Muslims.

Let's pray that the churches of God in the island be on fire for the Lord and that the gospel will spread faster among unbelievers and nominal Christians.

THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

A true and faithful Christian does not make Holy living an accidental thing. It is his great Concern. As the business of the soldier is to Fight - so the business of the Christian is to be like Christ.

--- Jonathan Edwards