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

# PRAYER FOCUS FOR JUNE, 2025 "TURN OUR DESERT INTO A FRUITFUL FIELD" (Isaiah 32:15) FOR EXHORTATION AT WEDNESDAY PRAYER MEETINGS

# 24TH SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICE 15th June 2025 ORDER OF SERVICE (LADIES FELLOWSHIP ANNIVERSARY)

- Invocation:
- Opening Hymn: RH- 30 2.
- Praise & Worship
- Intercessory Prayer
- Welcome to the House of the Lord:
- Announcements: Attention to Our Life and Ministry
- Song Ministration: Ladies Fellowship
- Scripture Reading: Gen. 1:28; Gen. 9:7
- Exhortation: As for You, Be Fruitful and Multiply-Pastor Damilare David
- 10. Tithes and Offering with Closing Hymn: SS&S-780
- 11. Closing Prayer & Benediction

# Attendance on 08/06/25: Children- 172 Adult-371 Total: 543

## WELCOME TO THE HOUSE OF THE LORD

We warmly welcome all worshippers to this Sunday worship service. May we be filled with fruitfulness in 7. Meetings: life and our hearts filled with the joy of the Lord as we join our Ladies Fellowship to celebrate the 2025 Anniversary. May God continue to enrich them and the Church with the virtues of the Good Woman in Jesus' name (Amen)

### FROM THE PULPIT LAST SUNDAY 08/06/25

**Topic:** Sowing And Reaping

Text: Psalm 126

Speakers: Pastor Henry Owolabi

- God is reminding us that we are still "work in progress", and He desires to bring us to the expected end.
- God is sowing into our lives, and He expects to see results.
- The Word of God is what has been sown in our lives.
- In John 3:16, God invested His only begotten Son in our lives so that we might be saved.
- Sowing and reaping is a principle of God.
- · When God made man, He sowed His word into him: "Be fruitful and multiply" and God's children are also called to operate by this principle of sowing, fruitfulness and multiplication.
- Everyone who sows expects a return—and likewise, God expects a return from our lives, since he has invested his only begotten Son.
- · If you sow in tears, you will reap in joy.
- Many people have problem with sow because they are running away from the tears that accompany it such as preoccupation with the thoughts of what to eat, wear, or drink (Matthew 6:31-32).
- Some people also have problem with trusting God and holding him be his words, they are not ready to sow their faith and so for reasons or unbelief do not sow.
- God needs you more than your money: He is not looking for your money—He is looking for you
- If you seek the Lord, you are sowing: therefore seek to know him, seek to please him, seek to know/do his will, seek to please him and let him be pleased with you, and so you walk worthy of the Lord.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS Attention to Our Life and Ministry**

- . Events Coming Up:
- a) 21st June 2025: Leadership Retreat
- b) 22th June 2025: Leadership Sunday
- 25th June 2025: Testimony Night I
- d) 29th June 2025: Praise Service I
- . Chapel of Praise UMCA Building Project: A/c Name: Chapel of Praise UMCA. A/c No.: 1021762469. Bank: UBA.
- Weddings:
- a) Ayodotun Kolawole weds Oluwaseun Olupide (Son of Mr. & Mrs. Joel Olupidi of COR) @ Offa. On Sat., 28/06/25. Thanksgiving service comes up on Sun., 29/06/25 @ COR by 9:30am follow with a light reception @ No 6 Jebba Road. Adewole Estate, Ilorin.
- Chapel Project: Work was concluded on the decking of the Pastorium Building i May. Praise the Lord! Solar Lights Project will be executed before continuation of work on the Pastorium.
- A/c Number: 1007345015; Name: Chapel of Redemption UMCA; Bank: UBA.
- . Medical Volunteers On Duty Sun, 15/06/25: Mrs. C.M. Olalere, Mrs. J.E. Nnochiri, Mrs. E.B. Adeoye, Mr. J.B. Oloruniyi, Dr. (Mrs.) Titi Alaofin, Dr. G.
- . Redemption Model N/P Sch. A/c.: 1019601985; A/c Name: Redemption Model Nur. & Pry. School. Bank: UBA.
- a) CFIAT meeting will hold on Mon., 16/06/25 @ 5:00pm.
- b) Ministration Team meeting will hold on Thur., 19/06/25 @ 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 June 2025: Mrs R.M. Adeniran, Mrs. F. Awojide, Mrs. V.A Agbabiaka, Mrs. Segun-Busari, Mrs. E.O. Adebola, Mrs. Yetunde Olupidi.
- 0. Ushers on Duty for June 2025: Mrs. E.B. Omokanye, Mrs. R.B. Afolayan, Mrs. V.F. Adewuyi, Mrs. V.S. Bojuwoye, Mrs. C.A. Alabiade, Dr. (Mrs.) Famolu, Mrs. T. Afolayan, Dr. (Mrs.) C. Jolayemi, Mr. D.E. Kadiri, Mr. O.A. Abolarin.
- 11.a) Ministering on Wed., 18/06/25: Mrs. O.C. Daodu, Mrs. M.O. Awesu. b) Ministering on Sun., 22/06/25: Mr. Jonathan Joseph, Dr. Femi Daodu. Mrs. Mary Sangoyomi, Dr. Oyinloye, Engr. Gbenga Mesubi, Sunbeam Choir,
- 12. Pastoral Succession: The tenure of Revd. (Dr.) Biodun Olugbemi will end on 30th September 2025. Pray for a refreshing leave for him and a smooth transition with Revd. Tope Olabode coming on board from 1st October 2025.
- 13.Tinted Glasses: Please wind down your tinted vehicle's windows at the entrang to give room for the Security Unit to conduct routine inspection.
- 4. Christian Literature: Please donate money to buy Bible Stories, Prophecies, Christian Novels, Gospel, Poetry and other Christian Literature for use by Children's Sunday School Dept.
- 5. 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.
- Invitation to Leadership Retreat: All current and past Executive Committee members of Fellowship/Activity Groups, Standing Committees, teams, Units and Departments, appointees and functionaries, fathers & mothers and serving members of all groups in the Chapel are invited. Speaker: Bro. Lanre Adeboy Time: 9.00 a. m. Venue: COR Auditorium
- 8. Grassing of Redemption Ground: This has started. Parking of vehicles and use of the space for soccer and other games are suspended forthwith. Please cooperate with the Security Team.

- 19. Couples' Koinonia 2025 Anniversary: The entire congregation is cordially invited to the 2025 anniversary of Couples' Koinonia. Date: 3rd to July 6th 2025: Theme Transformative Teaching Thursday & Friday3rd & 4th - Teaching; Saturday 5th (a Picnic (b) Movie night; Sunday 6th - Anniversary Service. Guest Speakers: Revd. Ayo Okeowo & Revd. Meshach Salawu.
- 20. Solar Energy Project: We continue to encounter power problems for official Chapel Office work, Sunday worship and mid-week programmes. We also have outages and disruptions while on generators during important activities and some sensitive equipment are at risk. It has thus become necessary and urgent to embark on installation of solar energy for use in the Chapel. It was approved in the 2025 Budget and it is now time to do it.
- 21. Chapel Directory: This document is old and doesn't have correct information on many members. Please give current information about yourselves & families to update the Directory.
- 22. Following the successful funeral programme of Mrs. Oluremi Ayodeji, late mother of Mr. & Mrs. Omosola Babatunde, thanksgiving will be held during the worship service on Sunday 22nd June 2025.

### PRAYER FOCUS FOR THE WEEK

- 1. Pray that unfruitful works of darkness will not be mentioned among
- 2. Pray that God will teach and show us His ways, so that we may walk in His paths and follow Him till the end.
- 3. Pray that our ladies will continue to love God with the their heart. soul, mind and all their might.
- 4. Pray for those whose surnames begin with letter "O".

#### **MISSIONS PRAYER FOCUS FOR JUNE, 2025**

- 1. Praise God for all our Missionaries/Pastors and their Families. Thank God for keeping and sustaining them.
- 2. Pray that the gates of hell shall to not prevail against the extension of the Church of God in all our mission fields and all over Nigeria.
- 3. Pray that God will raise Missionaries in our various Missions Field.

### **OPERATION WORLD**

#### Czech Republic Capital: Prague

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The population of Czech Republic is 10.9m. The Roman Catholic Mission has 1,083,899 worshippers (10% of population) while the second largest, Czech Evangelical Church, has only 51,936 worshippers.

Though the number of worshippers of traditional religions has dropped drastically, we need to pray to the Lord that the door which has been opened unto the word of God will not be shut. Let's also pray for the continuous growth in the evangelical ministry in the Czech Republic.

## THOUGHTS FOR THE WEEK

Spiritual growth is not so much of what we have done, but the feeling of love for Him we put into everything we do. It is not so much in knowing about God that we grow, but in getting to know Him in a personal, relational way.

-- Margaret Fishback.