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Week of National Prayers & Repentance

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Dearly beloved,

WEEK OF NATIONAL PRAYERS & REPENTANCE

race be unto you, and peace, from God our Father, and from the Lord Jesus Christ" (Philippians 1:2). Amen. If ever the Church in Nigeria, like the Philippian Church, needed both grace and peace from God, it is especially in this season of increasing threat to Christianity and to national unity, this season of unpleasant rumours and fainting hearts, a season when, strangely, salvation is also nearer than before. As follow up to an earlier letter by Pastor Bosun Emmanuel that you may have received, I come in the awe of the moment again to bring you this 2020 call to the Lord's altar of mercy "for such a time as this" (Esther 4:14).

The Week of Prayers this year is the third in a consecutive series since 2018, but the call this year is probably more urgent than ever, and more prophetic. As we began to respond to the urgency in the spirit to call the nation again to Jehovah's altar of Mercy for the land, little did we realise that the call last year had come at exactly this same period, 4th – 10th February, 2019, ahead of the national elections. Significantly, this time, the Week shall be commencing at the conclusion of the three days also called by the Christian Association of Nigeria (CAN) from Friday 31st January to Sunday 2nd February, 2020: "In the mouth of two or three..." (Matthew 18:16). In the same spirit has Throneroom (Trust) Ministry of Prophet Emmanuel Kure called significantly for 25 hours of divinely commanded prayer and fasting and worship, between January 29th and 31st, that the books be opened for judgement over the nation and its ruler. All in the same season. There is a sound in the spirit...

In August last year, the city of Jos in central Nigeria hosted the end time prophet, Sadhu Sundar Selvaraj, who saw a huge angel in the hall during a session, an angel he identified as "the chief prince angel of the nation of Nigeria," who revealed that there was coming "a new Nigeria ... a new beginning for the nation of Nigeria ... a change ... in the political arena" that "will come suddenly," and "the unrighteous one will be removed from office." Whatever that might mean, may that time come now as we pray in this season with simultaneous stirrings from on High...

While I was brooding on the heavenly intelligence for Nigeria in 2020 aptly coded in Acts 12:4, another respected Messenger also sent a word reporting rare encounters with the Lord, with indications for urgent national prayer interventions before the end of the first quarter of the year. Like Haman (Esther 3:7), Herod has picked a date.

4 And when ... [Herod] had apprehended him, he put ... [Peter] in prison, and delivered him to four quaternions of soldiers to keep him; intending after **EASTER** to bring him forth to the people ... But prayer was made without ceasing of the church ... and his chains fell off ... and he went out [of the prison] ... And immediately the angel of the Lord smote [Herod] ... But the word of God grew and multiplied (Acts 12:4).



Hosea 6:1-2

1 Come, and let us return unto the LORD: for he hath torn, and he will heal us; he hath smitten, and he will bind us up.

2 After two days will he revive us: in the third day he will raise us up, and we shall live in his sight.

Jonah 3:5, 10

5 So the people of Nineveh believed God, and proclaimed a fast, and put on sackcloth, from the greatest of them even to the least of them.

10 And God saw their works, that they turned from their evil way; and God repented of the evil, that he had said that he would do unto them; and he did it not.

2 Chronicles 7:14

14 If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land.

Herod had an Easter date against the early Church. We could put Nigeria's name there and call the year 2020, and the parable might make better prophetic sense. To the discerning as well as the simple, in the physical also, no less has the urgency been stressed by recent curious media agitations from certain parts of the country, and the equally curious exodus of their peoples to certain other parts of the country. But we have also heard the Lord.

We might have been shamed by righteous blood spilled on the altars, by the painful molestation of our virgins, by the captivity and the enslavement of our young men, by the forceful occupation of our territories, but we have also heard God through His prophets, that He will come through for the nation when we would seem to have hit rock bottom. That time could be today, but the destiny of every generation lies in the hands of the people of that generation; whether they sleep or arise. Not Moses nor Martin Luther will return to lead this age to its Promise Land.

Having been directed again to coordinate the present initiative, and having consulted with respective leaders of the Church and intercessory organisations in the country and abroad and secured their commitments to this urgent call from on high, we are persuaded that Mercy shall prevail over judgment in our national destiny. In the spirit of ceaseless supplications, a 24/7 prayer watch shall commence soon after this exercise, tentatively, until 10th October, 2020 (10/10/20), with participating individuals and organisations in Nigeria and abroad picking a 30-minute slot in the day to watch in prayers.

The Week of National Prayers & Repentance has been scheduled as follows:

- DATE: Monday, 3rd Sunday 9th February, 2020.
- Everyone should fast during the day and find at least an hour to pray before midnight.
- Each city centre should meet daily at their designated venues to spend at least an hour of corporate prayers.
- On the seventh and final day, the meeting should include children, women and men, each group requesting God's mercy and the frustration of Herod's malicious and bloody calendar. A Passover Communion, where possible, is recommended, to close the day, besides psalms and hymns and scriptures to be read.
- Kindly find attached a guide for the daily meetings, and contact persons in respective locations in Nigeria and abroad.

Below is a programme guide especially for the last day of the Week. Each centre may however be freely guided by the Spirit of God.

- 1. Opening procedures
- Prayers: national repentance/rededication (Ezra 10:1-3);
- 3. Hymns/worship/songs
- 4. Bible Reading

- 6. Prayers: the prayers of Nineveh (Jonah 3:5-10); judgment on Herod's calendar (Ps. 2:1-5), etc. by children, women, men, etc.
- 7. Passover Communion / Closing

You may kindly share this information as widely as you can, with your members, your branches, and with other Christians. Be free to reach any of the undersigned with further matters of interest.

May the Lord strengthen your good hands for much more at "such a time as this" (Esther 4:14) in this Week of mercy mingled with tears. Amen.

Sincerely

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- 1. ABA 08036671483; 08073618214;
- 2. ABAKALIKI 08037441284, 08069655992
- 3. ABIA STATE 08035791741 & 08062761115
- 4. **ABUJA** 08035904056; 08034954995 & 0803 650 4001; 08136678288; 08033380417
- 5. AGBOR 08054139207
- 6. AHOADA 08064324087
- 7. AKURE 08062571479
- 8. AKWA IBOM 0802 223 2076; 08036534092
- 9. CROSS RIVER STATE 08195203483
- 10. ALUU 07068568354
- 11. ASABA 08035090306 & 08036683358
- 12. AWKA- 08036726099
- 13. BENUE STATE 0806 976 0976; 08069274969.
- 14. BIDA 08034990988
- 15. CALABAR 08056529724; 08033177433
- 16. CALABAR-SOUTH 08068755502
- 17. DELTA STATE 08105225326; 08123550049
- 18. ENUGU STATE 08039593081;
- 19. ANAMBRA STATE 08135750458
- 20. EBONYI STATE 07066664204.
- 21. EDO STATE 08078678628
- 22. EJIGBO 08053524051
- 23. EKET 08027904999; 08064325817
- 24. EKITI 08137579004 & 09037471397; 09030253198
- 25. ENUGU 08033329079; 08065187100; 08035487972
- 26. BAYELSA STATE 0803 672 5119
- 27. FUGAR 08078737761; 07033888126
- 28. GBONGAN 08066207713
- 29. GOMBE STATE 0803 636 2185 & 08083918191
- 30. IBADAN 08028270830
- 31. IKERE-EKITI, IJERO-EKITI 07065611913; 08038851151
- 32. IKORODU 08033309782
- 33. IKOT-EKPENE 08036666532
- 34. ILE-IFE 08157609726
- 35. ILE-OLUWAJI 07030921576
- 36. IMO STATE 07039394834 & 08037137590
- 37. ISIALA-NGWA 08063749333
- 38. ISU 08037319248
- 39. JIGAWA STATE 08065547650

- 40. JOS 08034623530
- 41. KADUNA 08037018686
- 42. KANO 08039763965 & 08034384518
- 43. KATSINA STATE 08069189151
- 44. KEBBI STATE 08135846600
- 45. KOGI STATE 08036476718; 08136765470
- 46. KWALE 08064198781; 08164760769
- 47. KWARA STATE 08034984226
- 48. LAGOS 08033064511 & 0803 434 1672; 08033043963
- 49. LOKOJA 08062778763
- 50. MAKURDI 08034708309
- 51. MICHIKA 08024257872; 07066763080
- 52. MUBI 08160375680
- 53. NIGER STATE 08055959831; 08034990988
- 54. NNEWI 08030954712
- 55. OGOJA 08027437560
- 56. OGUN STATE 07038287888
- 57. OKIGWE 08063698180; 08098992200
- 58. OKITIPUPA 07038121059
- 59. OMOKU 08064172152
- 60. ONDO CITY 08060453424 & 08035113288
- 61. ONDO STATE 08032391282,
- 62. ONITSHA 08132314835; 08051242117
- 63. OREDO 08038204392; 08056027012
- 64. OSOGBO 08031539802
- 65. OSUN 08068294254
- 66. OTUN-EKITI 08032386779
- 67. OYIBGO 08036707923
- 68. OYO STATE 08067462560
- 69. PLATEA STATE 0703 816 4377; 08166678466
- 70. POTISKUM 08108237269
- 71. RIVERS/PORT HARCOURT 08081739960 & 08033415606; 08030912008; 08039705230
- 72. SOKOTO 08033720854 & 08066756855
- 73. TARABA STATE 0803 628 2333
- 74. UGHELLI 08038258326
- 75. UMUAHIA 08064349483
- 76. UMUDIKE 08066649495
- 77. UYO 08052204857
- 78. WARRI 08052721699; 08034411937
- 79. ZAMFARA STATE 08060620027
- 80. AUCHI 08058198308
- 81. You.....

This list is not exhaustive. You may create your own centre and kindly send us details so that others can also join at your altar. Below is a list of partnering groups/churches/ministers, some of them who had been part of "Project 21" in 2018 when the call was first made for 21 days of fasting and prayers. They may also be reached for details and may organise their own prayer centres. We shall be glad to know about all

centres, and eventually, a brief report on how everything went, as well as prophetic directions that the rest of the Church could be guided by.

- 1. Nigeria Prays (Gen. Yakubu Gowon. Contact: Austin 08033462252)
- 2. Intercessors for Nigeria (Barr Emeka Nwankpa. Contact: Iheanyi 08033380417)
- 3. Gethsemane Prayer Ministry (Rev Dr Moses Aransiola. Contact: Isaac 08023027551)
- 4. Wailing Women Worldwide (Dr Laide Okafor. Contact: Esther +234(0)802 6209 952)
- 5. The Watchman Ministries (Christian Evangelical Social Movement of Nigeria CESM) (Pastor Austin Ukachi. **Contact**: John 08033106825)
- 6. Omega Fire Ministry (OFM) (Apostle Prof Johnson Suleman. Contact: Joseph 08058198308)
- 7. The Preacher (Prof Kontein Trinya. **Contact**: Obele 08033410301)
- 8. Charismatic Renewal Ministries (Dr Cosmas Ilechukwu. Contact: Ugo 08137556526)
- 9. Womb of Intercession International Ministries (Evang. Mrs. Patience Eworo. 08023134735)
- 10. The Messenger (Barr Isaac Ezeh. 08060912968)
- 11. Changemaker Africa (Dr Erik Ighalo. 08023291520)
- 12. God will Do It Ministries (Rev Dr Gomba Oyor. Contact: Blessed 07031306893)
- 13. Ambassadors of God to the Middle East (Dr Olurotimi Olokodana)
- 14. The Ambassadors Group Africa (Prince Joshua Oyeniyi)
- 15. Christian Women Intercessors for all Nations (CWIFAN) (Dr Augusta Ogbene. 08036769278)
- 16. Hausa Christian Foundation (Amb. Joshua Danlami Jydson. Contact 08057543004)
- 17. All Women Intercessors for Nigeria (AWIN) (Prophetess Success Oyewole)
- 18. Watchmaidens Ministries International (Mrs. D. Nwokolo)
- 19. Christian Fellowship of Nigeria (FCS) (Gideon M. Chimmin)
- 20. Nigeria Fellowship of Evangelical Students (NIFES) (Mr Rex N. Onuh)
- 21. Ministers Breakfast Meeting (Dr. Diran Ajayi)
- 22. St. Jerome's Missionary Outreach (Mrs. Bridget Itsueli)
- 23. Lunch Hour Fellowship (Pastor Sylvester Mbamali)
- 24. Youth Empowerment & Restoration Initiative, Nigeria (Dr Ibilola Amao)
- 25. Pleroma Missions (Tokumbo Salami: 08060917000)
- 26. Scripture Union of Nigeria (Prof Madu Iwe: 08089659512)
- 27. Ministers Prayer Network (Rev. Mosy Madugba: contact: Chinyere 08033095264)
- 28. Scripture Union Campus Fellowship (Sola Ajide)
- 29. Full Gospel Businessman's Fellowship International (FGBMFI) (Arc Ifeanyi Odedo. **Contacts**: chapter presidents)
- 30. Nigerian Christians in Diaspora (Dr. Emmanuel Olatoye, Manchester, UK +447773394420)
- 31. The Truevine Women Intercessors (Pst Helpmeet Ene Secondus. Contact: Eberechi 07036680123)
- 32. Club 401 (Elder L.F. Jumbo. Contact: Martins 08095851234)
- 33. Ambassadors, Dr Joshua,
- 34. Anglican Diocese of Igbomina West (Rt Rev Olajide Adebayo)
- 35. National Prayer Network (Pst Andrew Omale, 08035904056)
- 36. Hope of Shiloh Community Church, Tampa Florida, USA (Rev Sam Anyalechi +18138602903)
- 37. Pastor Jeffrey Daly, USA
- 38. Beauty for Ashes (Pst Mary Fayemi)
- 39. Wings of Redemption Ministry (Prof Ekere 08037075632)
- 40. Bethesda House of Prayer (Oluyemi Esan Issachar, 08033087908)
- 41. Blow the Trumpet Commission (Pst Chidozie Uzoigwe 08069655992)
- 42. Daughters of Destiny Interdenominational Fellowship (Apostle Busola Jegede, 07063463066)
- 43. The House of Issachar (Rev Linda Tokuta, 08099299085)
- 44. Nigerian Faith Based Community Organization, New Jersey, USA (Pst Ayeni)
- 45. International Foundation for Christian Unity (Cyprian Agbazue, 08033037564)
- 46. Caucus of Conservative Nigerians in the Diaspora, USA (COCNID)
- 47. LiftUpNow (USA) (Prof. Adeniyi Ojutiku)
- 48. Gracefold Church (Pst Valour Tiabasi, 08094645430)
- 49. Wonders of Grace Int. Christian Centre (Pst Joshua Orisa 08023241554)
- 50. etc.

Prayer guide for the Week

DAY 1

Monday 3rd Feb., 2020

Repentance for neglect of God's Word and counsel – Prayers of Daniel and Nehemiah (Dan 9:1-19; Neh 9:1-38)

DAY 2

Tuesday 4th Feb., 2020

Repentance for neglect of persecuted Christians (Matt 25:41-46; Ephesians 6:19-20)

DAY 3

Wednesday 5th Feb., 2020

Repentance for defilement of sanctuary and communions with Jezebel (Matt 21:12-14; 1 Kings 18:19; Ezr 9:1-15)

DAY 4

Thursday 6th Feb., 2020

Repentance for Christian compromises and blood on the land (Deut 21:1-8; Psa 74:1-23)

DAY 5

Friday 7th Feb., 2020

Repentance for divisions in the Body of Christ and weakness before the enemy (Psa 133:1-3; 1 Cor 3:1-10; Matt 18:18-20)

DAY 6

SATURDAY 8TH FEB., 2020

Authority over forces of witchcraft, violence, Haman's and Herod's calendars (Esth 3:7-15; Acts 12:1-4; 8:8-24)

SUNDAY 9TH FEBRUARY, 2020

Day 7

Thanksgiving to God for His grace and mercy/ Communion (Exo 12:1-14; Psa 136:1-26; Neh 8:1-18)