

## News

Please join our weekly ONLINE MEETINGS

Our meetings remain closed due to the spread of the corona virus.

Please download our DOKIMOS app to your phone and receive our audio and video updates at your fingertips. Our weekly devotional is available on the app.

## Prayer

Keep praying diligently for those that are sick and also for families that have lost loved ones due to the pandemic.

## Bank Accounts

### Pastor Ralph Ellaya

Name of Acc: SM Ellaya  
FNB ACC: 60649031585 Branch: 220529

### (Church Account)

Hill of Blessing NPC  
FNB ACC: 6279841999 Branch: 220629

### (Relief Fund Account)

Hill of Blessing NPC  
FNB ACC: 62859574165 Branch: 220629

### Community Development Fund

Dokimos Ministries Int  
FNB ACC: 62734534268 Branch: 220629

## Meetings

All our meetings have been canceled due to the spread of the corona virus.

Our meetings are currently being hosted ONLINE until further notice.

### Tuesday

Online Bible Study 19h00 to 19h45

### Wednesday

Online Prayer 18h30 to 18h45

### Saturday

Online Prayer 08h00 to 08h15

### Sunday

Online Service 09h00

Details for the meetings are communicated via Whatsapp.

Covenant partner with



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# TEST OF FAITH (Part 3)

I will make them and the places all around **MY HILL, A BLESSING**; and I will cause showers to come down in their season; there shall be showers of blessing.

- Ezekiel 34:26

Families are encouraged to gather each day to read the devotion, pray and partake of communion

Senior Elders:

**Pastor Ralph and Michelle Ellaya**

## Money

**Job 1:14-15** and a messenger came to Job and said, “The oxen were plowing and the donkeys feeding beside them, 15 when the Sabceans raided them and took them away—indeed they have killed the servants with the edge of the sword; and I alone have escaped to tell you!”

Job faced the test of money when he lost his possessions and property. Money can test our faith because of its influence in our lives. We must remain faithful to biblical principles that govern how we use our money

### Pray:

1. For grace to face the test of faith regarding money and its uses
2. That we would remain faithful to biblical principles that govern how we use money
3. That we would serve God and not money

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## Medical

**Job 2:7** So Satan went out from the presence of the LORD, and struck Job with painful boils from the sole of his foot to the crown of his head.

Job faced the test of health when he was struck with boils. We live in a world that is toxic and we are prone to sickness and diseases. We often face the test of health because we get sick. This becomes a test of our faith to believe that God can heal us.

### Pray:

1. That in our sickness God would be glorified
2. That like Job we will worship God even when we are sick
3. For God to heal the sick and infirm

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## Marriage

**Job 2:9** Then his wife said to him, “Do you still hold fast to your integrity? Curse God and die!”

Job also faced a test in his marriage because his wife disagreed with his reactions to the problems they were facing. When we face the test of faith the strength of our marriage is also tested. Husband and wife must be in agreement so that the house is not divided leading to its collapse. When any two agree, God answers.

### Pray:

1. That marriages would be in agreement during times of testing
2. For marriages to be established on the word
3. That the test of faith would lead to stronger marriages

## Mental

**Job 3:1** After this Job opened his mouth and cursed the day of his birth.

The multiple crisis that Job faced began to weigh on his mental well being to the point of cursing the day he was born. He had forgotten all the good he had experienced and was now in a state of mental exhaustion. The test of faith can be a heavy emotional and mental burden to carry. We must choose to have the mind of Christ.

### Pray:

1. That our minds would be focused on the Lord in times of crisis
2. For emotional and mental fortitude
3. That we would meditate on the word to renew our minds

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## Ministry

**Job 29:1-2** Job further continued his discourse, and said: 2 “Oh, that I were as in months past, As in the days when God watched over me;

During his time of testing, Job reflected on the time when he was active in ministry. We also face the test of ministry or being productive in the kingdom of God. Jealousy, envy, hatred, familiarity can weigh down on us in our call to minister to the Lord. Such tests must embolden us to become more effective and have greater impact in this world

### Pray:

1. That we would not allow the test of ministry to discourage us
2. For perspective on what God is forming in us when we face the test of faith in ministry
3. That we would be challenged to be better and more effective

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## Mature

**James 1:3-4** knowing that the testing of your faith produces patience. 4 But let patience have its perfect work, that you may be perfect and complete, lacking nothing.

The testing of faith in different areas of our lives must have its perfect work. The work or the outcome of these tests is to mature us into Christ, the perfect man. These tests of faith must develop us into wise sons of God that become good representatives of God our Father.

### Pray:

1. That the testing of our faith would mature us
2. For growth in our representation of God our Father
3. For our faith to grow when our faith is tested