

General

Our monthly Apostolic Community Forum is hosted at the Hill of Blessing in Verulam. The next meeting is on Saturday 30 September 2023 at 07h00

News

Our matric tuition programme is held every Saturday from 09h00 to 13h00

Bank Accounts

(Church Account)

Hill of Blessing NPC
FNB ACC: 62798411999 Branch: 220629

Community Development Fund

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Meetings

Week day meetings are being hosted ONLINE using the Zoom conferencing platform

Tuesday

Online Bible Study 19h00

Saturday

Prayer & Dialogue 07h00

Sunday

Service 08h30

Details for the meetings are communicated via Whatsapp.

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REVERENTIAL FEAR (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, read the devotion, pray and partake of communion

Senior Elders:

Pastor Ralph and Michelle Ellaya



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Available

Genesis 22:1 (NKJV)

1 Now it came to pass after these things that God tested Abraham, and said to him, “Abraham!” And he said, “Here I am.”

Abraham was tested by God to offer his only son Isaac as a sacrifice. When he did so the Angel of the Lord said "now I know that you fear me". The substance of Abraham's reverential fear was availability. Often times people are unavailable due to several excuses but reverential fear helps us prioritize.

Pray:

1. That we would be available to do the will of God.
2. For priorities to be realigned by reverential fear.
3. That we will stop making excuses when it comes to the kingdom of God.

Fulfillment of the word

Psalms 119:38 (NKJV)

38 Establish Your word to Your servant, Who is devoted to fearing You.

David was devoted to fearing the Lord and the word was established or fulfilled in his life. When we are available we will see the promises of God being fulfilled in our lives. Abraham saw all the promises of God being fulfilled in his life because he was available to what God asked him to do. Availability will initiate the fruition of the word of God in our lives.

Pray:

1. That as we become available we will see God's word come to pass.
2. For every promises in the scriptures to be fulfilled because of reverential fear
3. That's God's word will never return void

Honor

Genesis 37:13 (NKJV)

13 And Israel said to Joseph, “Are not your brothers feeding the flock in Shechem? Come, I will send you to them.” So he said to him, “Here I am.”

Joseph showed honor to his father Israel by being available. He was asked to go to his brothers in Shechem and he obeyed his father. These were the brothers that hated and despised him and he could have made several excuses not to go but he honored his father. Joseph's dreams were fulfilled because of reverential fear.

Pray:

1. That we would develop a culture of honor.
2. For grace to overcome rejection and hatred.
3. That as we revere and serve, our dreams will be fulfilled.

Serving in the temple

1 Samuel 3:4-5 (NKJV)

4 that the LORD called Samuel. And he answered, “Here I am!” 5 So he ran to Eli and said, “Here I am, for you called me.”

God called Samuel but he ran to Eli and said "here I am". Samuel was serving the priest Eli and was untrained in hearing God's voice. He heard the call four times. When we are available to serve we begin to hear God's voice more clearly. Samuel became a great judge but it began by being available to serve.

Pray:

1. That our availability to serve will develop our perception of God's voice.
2. That like Samuel a young generation would be ready to serve in the house of God.
3. For greatness to be activated by availability.

Unavailable because of emotionalism

Matthew 8:21-22 (NKJV) **21 Then another of His disciples said to Him, “Lord, let me first go and bury my father.”**

22 But Jesus said to him, “Follow Me, and let the dead bury their own dead.”

There are several reasons why people are unavailable and one of them is sentimental and emotional attachments. Jesus was not asking the man to be dishonorable in not burying his father but was highlighting what makes us unavailable. Reverential fear like in Abraham's life overcomes emotions.

Pray:

1. That we would overcome sentiment and walk in the fear of the Lord.
2. For boldness and courage to deal with emotional ties.
3. That we would not let feelings dictate to our fear for God

Unavailable because of building bigger barns

Luke 12:18 (NKJV)

18 So he said, ‘I will do this: I will pull down my barns and build greater, and there I will store all my crops and my goods.

Progress is good but when progress hinders availability then our reverential fear is questionable. People become unavailable because they are progressing and prospering. We forget that our progress in life comes from the fear of the Lord. We must not allow our prosperity to hinder our availability for ministry in the kingdom

Pray:

1. That we would prosper because of the fear of the Lord.
2. For discernment in knowing when our progress is hindering our availability.
3. That our prosperity would advance the kingdom.