

## General

Our monthly Apostolic Community Forum is hosted at the Hill of Blessing in Verulam. The next meeting is on Saturday 25 November 2023 at 07h00

## News

Wishing all our students good success for their examinations.

## Bank Accounts

### (Church Account)

Hill of Blessing NPC  
FNB ACC: 62798411999 Branch: 220629

### Community Development Fund

Dokimos Ministries Int  
FNB ACC: 62734534268 Branch: 220629

## 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.

Covenant partner with



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## BENEFITS OF THE FEAR OF THE LORD (Part 1)

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**

## Delight in His commandments

Psalms 112:1 (NKJV)

**1 Praise the LORD!**

**Blessed is the man who fears the LORD, Who delights greatly in His commandments.**

The demonstration of our reverential fear is seen in how we delight in the commandments of God. To delight is not only to know the word but to live it. This is evidence of our reverential fear and it results in being blessed.

**Pray:**

1. That we would delight greatly in the word of God.
2. That our delight in the word will be evident by our actions.
3. For our delight in the word to produce blessings in our lives.

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## Descendants will be mighty

Psalms 112:2 (NKJV)

**2 His descendants will be mighty on earth;**

**The generation of the upright will be blessed.**

David was a man who feared God and his descendants were mighty.

Abraham was a man who feared God and his descendants were mighty on the earth. Our children can be mighty if we walk in the fear of the Lord. To be mighty is to have a strong legacy of faith.

**Pray:**

1. That as we walk in the fear of the Lord our children will be mighty on the earth.
2. For the next generation to fear the Lord and walk in His ways
3. That we will leave a strong legacy of faith

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## Wealth and riches

Psalms 112:3 (NKJV)

**3 Wealth and riches will be in his house,**

**And his righteousness endures forever.**

Wealth and riches is not an accident in the kingdom of God. It is promised to those who fear the Lord. Hezekiah acted in the fear of the Lord when he reformed Israel and he was rich. Reverential fear is an attraction for wealth and riches.

**Pray:**

1. That our reverential fear will attract wealth and riches.
2. For wisdom to manage wealth and riches.
3. That we would focus on walking in godly fear and not on the rewards of riches that come with it.

## Righteousness endures

Psalms 112:3 (NKJV)

**3 Wealth and riches will be in his house,**

**And his righteousness endures forever.**

One of the characteristics of reverential fear is righteousness.

Righteousness of God is superior to mans righteousness. His righteousness is eternal and is governed by practical righteousness. When we walk in the fear of the Lord, righteousness endures in our genealogy.

**Pray:**

1. That like Noah who was a righteous man we would be governed by godly fear.
2. For the righteousness of God to endure in our genealogy.
3. That the righteousness of faith will be passed to our children.

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## Light in the darkness

Psalms 112:4 (NKJV)

**4 Unto the upright there arises light in the darkness;**

**He is gracious, and full of compassion, and righteous.**

Darkness is characterized by wickedness and evil. The bible declares that deep darkness will cover the earth but those who fear the Lord will arise as light in the darkness. Light illuminates the right path in dark times.

**Pray:**

1. For the light in God's word to lead us in these dark days.
2. That we would be light to the world through our good works.
3. For darkness to be overcome by light.

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## Grace and compassion

Psalms 112:4 (NKJV)

**4 Unto the upright there arises light in the darkness;**

**He is gracious, and full of compassion, and righteous.**

Those who fear the Lord are gracious, compassionate and righteous. These qualities are developed through reverential fear. These are signature qualities that are seen in the life of Christ when He walked the earth.

**Pray:**

1. For grace, compassion and righteousness to be seen in us
2. That our fear for the Lord would form us into the image of Christ.
3. That we would not be desensitized to the sufferings of humanity