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

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.

News

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



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REVERENTIAL FEAR (Part 4)

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

Chosen place

Genesis 22:2 (NKJV)

2 Then He said, "Take now your son, your only son Isaac, whom you love, and go to the land of Moriah, and offer him there as a burnt offering on one of the mountains of which I shall tell you."

Abraham had to take his son and offer him at the place God has chosen. Those who walk in reverential fear discern the place that God has chosen. When we walk in the fear of the Lord we do not end up in the wrong place.

Pray:

- 1. That reverential fear would direct us to the right place
- 2. For our fear for the Lord to keep us from staying in the wrong place
- 3. That the place we stay in would be an awesome place where God speaks to us

Directed by circumstances

Ruth 1:1(NKJV) Now it came to pass, in the days when the judges ruled, that there was a famine in the land. And a certain man of Bethlehem, Judah, went to dwell in the country of Moab, he and his wife and his two sons. Elimelech left Bethlehem and went to Moab because of the famine. Circumstances sometimes cause us to relocate but if it is directed by fear of

circumstances and not the fear of the Lord we can end up in a place that is grace deficient.

Pray:

- **1.** For our movements to be directed by reverential fear
- 2. That we would not let circumstances push us into grace deficient places.
- **3.** For humility to return to places of grace sufficiency.

Prepared place

Exodus 23:20 (NKJV)

20 "Behold, I send an Angel before you to keep you in the way and to bring you into the place which I have prepared.

The chosen place is also the prepared place. The Hebrew people were directed by the Angel of the Lord to the prepared place. Christ has prepared a place for us when He went to the cross (John 14:2). We are in the bosom of the Father and He is the prepared place. We are chosen in Christ to be part of His Body.

Pray:

- **1.** That we would abide in Christ and He will abide in us.
- 2. For reverential fear to keep us in the bosom of the Father
- **3.** For the perfect love of the Father to cast out fear from our lives.

Angel of the Lord

Exodus 23:20 (NKJV)

20 "Behold, I send an Angel before you to keep you in the way and to bring you into the place which I have prepared.

The Angel of the Lord is Christ but it is also those whom Christ has sent. It is messengers of the Lord that will keep you in the way and bring you to the place which God has prepared. We must be connected to and follow an angel of the Lord that would keep us in the way.

Pray:

- 1. That our reverential fear would make us discerning of the angel of the Lord.
- 2. For connection to messengers who would keep us in the way
- 3. That we would not fear messengers but fear the One whom they represent.

Outcome of going to the wrong place

Genesis 12:10 (NKJV)

10 Now there was a famine in the land, and Abram went down to Egypt to dwell there, for the famine was severe in the land.

Abraham went to Egypt because of the famine and he went to dwell there. There are places you visit but there are places you dwell in. Abraham was not assigned to dwell in Egypt and therefore he ended up with a Hagar that becomes a thorn in his flesh.

Pray:

- 1. That our fear of the Lord would direct us to places we should visit and the place that we should dwell in.
- 2. For grace to stay on the assigned path God has chosen for us
- 3. That our reverential fear would overcome the fear of famine

Outcome of staying in the right place

Genesis 26:2-3 (NKJV)

2 Then the LORD appeared to him and said: "Do not go down to Egypt; live in the land of which I shall tell you. 3 Dwell in this land, and I will be with you and bless you

God appeared to Isaac and told him to dwell in the land of Gerar even though it was going through a famine. Isaac stayed in the place God had assigned and he was blessed. He prospered and became very wealthy.

Pray:

- **1.** That our obedience would result in prosperity.
- 2. For the fear of the Lord to govern our hearing of the voice of God is discerning a place.
- **3.** That our prosperity would be a testimony of dwelling in the right place