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“2014, Our Year of Overflow”

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“OVERFLOW OF JOY” BY PASTOR YEMISI BAMGBOSE



ISAIAH 61:10

“I will greatly rejoice in the LORD, my soul shall be joyful in my God; for He hath clothed me with the garments of salvation, He hath covered me with the robe of righteousness, as a bridegroom decketh himself with ornaments, and as a bride adorneth herself with her jewels.”

Joy is gladness of heart.

When a pregnant woman delivers her baby at nine month it brings joy to both the mother and her relatives for safe delivery of a living child and continuity in the family lineage.

Likewise, whenever a child becomes of age, and starts their own journey into marriage, it comes with joy and celebration.

When a student graduates from university with good results, the parents are always joyful that their investment has finally paid off.

Your joy should come from knowing Him as He is the true source of eternal joy.

Joy comes when we surrender our lives to Jesus. In heaven, angels are rejoicing and on earth, we are rejoicing that the devil has lost another candidate.

In **John 15:11**, Jesus said *“These things I have spoken to you that My joy may remain in you, and that your joy may be full”*.

John 17:13

Joy comes with victory, promotion and an enlargement of coast. It is more beneficial to have joy than happiness.

Happiness is circumstantial and short lived, but joy is of the spirit, springing from within the individual; so it is not dependent on things happening around the individual.

Success and achievement produces joy just as failure and disappointment brings about sadness of the heart.

The ninth month of the year represents delivery and it also represents when all our long awaited miracles shall be delivered without fail.

Song: I will exalt you Lord, for Thou has lifted me, above my enemies, Your banner over me is love.

Joy is a reflection of who God is in my life and in your life.

An Overflow of joy is unceasing gladness of the heart that is not subject to temporary setbacks. It is a show of gratitude to God for what He has done.

The passage in Isaiah 61:10 tells of God clothing you with the garment of salvation. The fact that Jesus delivered us from the slave market should make us joyful and cause us to rejoice.

He has also covered us with a robe of righteousness, wiping away all our guilt, sorrow, disappointment, barrenness and failure by the righteousness of His dear son Jesus Christ.

As many that God has kept alive, in good health should be filled with an overflow of joy; resulting in their continual praise to God for safe keeping and sound mind.

Joy is not circumstantial but it is a fruit of the Spirit which comes from knowing Him intimately. Joy comes from the depth of our heart and it is not superficial at all.

The Holy Spirit is the author of joy. He gives joy and God is only drawn to an atmosphere of joy as sorrow attracts the devil.

He gives us joy as a sign of sonship, so that our life can truly attract God with all His blessings.

In **Luke 1:46-55**, Mary declared that *“my soul magnifies The Lord, and my spirit has rejoiced in God my Saviour”*. This is because The Lord visited her above all other maidens in the land.

The One who is mighty had done a great thing for her and He is doing great things for us as well. Has The Lord done great things for you this year so far, if yes, then your heart should be filled with joy that must be demonstrated by praising Him unceasingly.

Our heart should be filled with overwhelming joy because of what The Lord has done for us.

In Winners' Way Dartford, this year alone, God has blessed us with so many babies. We are also having weddings and our students/children are doing exceptionally well at school with some of them receiving awards and some graduating from university. We also thank God for the journey mercies for all those that have travelled far and wide, God indeed has done us well.

Our hearts should be filled with gratitude to God alone.

Psalm 16:11 says, "You will show me the path of life, in Your presence is fullness of **JOY**, At Your right hand are pleasures forever."

If you want pleasure it is in His presence and joy attracts His presence to you.

Sorrow attracts His displeasure just as joy attracts His pleasure. So if you want God's pleasure, embrace joy in the Holy Ghost, which is the Kingdom of God.

Joy is like a magnet that attracts good things to you.

Joy is only obtainable in the presence of God. The joy that God gives cannot be taken away by the devil, because it comes from within your spirit.

Psalm 119:162 says "I rejoice at Your word, As one who finds a great treasure".

From the scripture, it is clear that anyone that wants joy must take time to study the Word of God as inside the Word lies are great treasures.

Whenever a person finds earthly treasure, they rejoice, so should those of us that read the Word of God, as it is an eternal treasure.

Jeremiah, 15:16b confirms the same by saying, And Your words was to me the joy and rejoicing of heart.

Hannah expressed her joy in songs unto The Lord that had done great and mighty things for her. The God that wiped away her sorrows, removed all her limitations and barrenness. **1 Samuel 2:1-10**

Psalm 113:9

Joy can be expressed by a great shout just like the children should when the foundation of the once destroyed temple was laid again as a symbol of things to come.

Ezra 3:11-13

It can be expressed in praises to our great God.

2 Chronicles 29:30

A grateful heart is a joyful one.

When we consider the grace of God that has made many of us great this year, our heart should be filled with unceasing joy and gratefulness to God.

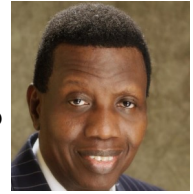
There are many causes of JOY

- When we have victory in life. - **1 Samuel 18:6**
- Genuine repentance of sinners. - **Luke 15:5,10**
- When we receive forgiveness. - **Psalm 51:8,12**
- Having our names written in the book of life. - **Luke 10:17-20.**

From all the mentioned reasons, it is clear to see that it is more beneficial to have joy and to retain it than to allow circumstantial setbacks to create sorrows in our hearts. Joy prolongs a healthy life and sorrow produces a broken spirit. May the joy of The Lord be our strength in Jesus name. You are blessed.



2014 PROPHECIES BY THE GENERAL OVERSEER OF RCCG WORLDWIDE



You must obey every instruction promptly and completely this year for your blessings to overflow.

INDIVIDUAL:

1. God says a divine promise of more than a decade ago will begin to find fulfilment
2. Someone can expect a prominent divine visitation that will radically alter the course of his or her life.
3. Someone will have a first taste of real dominion.
4. There will be quite a few narrow escapes from tragedies.

INTERNATIONAL:

1. There will be more major breakthroughs in medicine and science
2. Pray against noisy and highly destructive storms
3. Pray against monumental fire outbreaks

QUIZ: WORD MEANING



- 1.) What does Emmanuel mean?
 - a) Jesus
 - b) Saviour
 - c) Man of God
 - d) God with us
- 2.) What is an epistle?
 - a) A commandment
 - b) A letter
 - c) A plant
 - d) A hymn
- 3.) Just before He died on the cross, Jesus cried "Eli, Eli, lama sabachthani," which means:
 - a) It is finished.
 - b) Father, forgive them.
 - c) Into Thy hands I commit My spirit.
 - d) Why have You forsaken Me.
- 4.) What is the meaning of 'Golgotha'?
 - a) A place of a skull.
 - b) The mountain of death.
 - c) Valley of dry bones.
 - d) River of life.
- 5.) The book of Ecclesiastes has an alternative title. What is it?
 - a) The wise sayings
 - b) The preacher
 - c) Minor proverbs
 - d) More Proverbs
- 6.) What does the word 'Messiah' mean?
 - a) Saviour
 - b) God with us
 - c) Anointed One
 - d) Prince of Peace

SEPTEMBER

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

NAMES	DATES
Sis Taiwo & Kehinde Sulaiman	1 st
Seun Folorunsho-Dada	2 nd
Mr & Mrs Olorunda	4 th
Beulah Kadiri	6 th
Mr & Mrs Stanley Onojighofia	7 th
Oluwagbile Akisanmi	11 th
Sis Lola Salami	11 th
Sis Wunmi Daramola	12 th
Daniel & Samuel Abraham	13 th
Sis Yetunde Owojaiye	19 th
Sis Kemi Akintomide	21 st
Sis Kemi Ohiafi	22 nd
Sis Joke Odusote	24 th
Sis Eki Odigie	24 th
Mr & Mrs Akale	25 th
Mr & Mrs Kolade Salami	25 th
Ibukunoluwa Taiwo-Brown	25 th
Aaron Conteh	26 th

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Min Kola Akomolede	-	07940 356 453
Min Eric Ekure	-	07983 988 198
Min Seyi Akisanmi	-	07456 756 567
Min Stanley Onojighofia	-	07940 766 978
Elder Ibrahim Conteh	-	07888 694 634
Bro Bayo Akintomide	-	07533 481 997

SEPTEMBER ANNOUNCEMENTS

- Welcome to the House of Winners, where God makes room for you.
- September Theme is **OVERFLOW OF JOY (ISAIAH 61:10a)** "I will greatly rejoice in the Lord, my soul shall be joyful in my God; for He hath clothed me with the garments of salvation," May our joy never cease in Jesus name.
- Bible Study (Digging Deep) every Wednesday at the usual time of 6:30pm.
- Marriage Enrichment Club meeting takes place on 1st Saturday of every month. It is for couples under 10 years of marriage and the next one is on 6th September 2014 at 8:30am.
- The Marriage ceremony of our dear Sister Omolara Bamgbose and Brother Ifeoluwa Samuel comes up on the 11th and 13th September 2014. please see the notice board for further details.
- Pastor Dele Bakare (Big Daddy) 60th birthday celebrations comes up on Saturday 20th September 2014 at Asian Community Centre Plumstead. Time:5pm prompt.
- The School of Disciples comes up every 3rd Saturday of the month at 10am.
- Please help stock the Resource Room with at least one item. And may God bless you as you do so in Jesus name.

Please Listen Out For Further Announcements.

Thank you!

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PRAYER POINTS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

DAY 1

Thank God for the month of September, for His faithfulness, protection and mercy over your life and family.

DAY 2

Thank God for His numerous blessings and protection over your family and loved ones.

DAY 3

Heavenly Father, for every ground and opportunity that I have lost this year, grant me the grace to recover them all in the name of Jesus.

DAY 4

Pray that God will move you and every member of your family from increase to multiplication in blessings and joy in Jesus name.

DAY 5

Pray that God will give you the grace to show forth His glory in this new month in Jesus name.

DAY 6

Pray that God will continue to increase His favour upon you in Jesus name.

DAY 7

Pray that the doors of favour will continually be open unto you and every member of your family in Jesus name.

DAY 8

Pray that God will gracefully reposition you and every member of your family as channels of blessings to your nation and beyond in Jesus name.

DAY 9

Pray that favour will change your status for better in Jesus name.

DAY 10

Pray that this month will be your month of breakthroughs and divine elevation in Jesus name.

DAY 11

Praise God for the new month and the past months of the year, for His divine visitation, favour and answers to prayers.

DAY 12

Pray that in this month of overflow of Joy, you will have every cause to thank God in Jesus name.

DAY 13

Pray that Heaven's expectation over your life will come to pass in Jesus name.

DAY 14

Pray that the worship and thanksgiving in Winners' Way will always be acceptable to God in Jesus name.

DAY 15

Pray that you will always have a reason to praise God all the days of your life and let the praise and worship of Winners' Way be acceptable to God in Jesus name.

DAY 16

Father single me out this year for an unusual special miracle, and perfect all that concerns me, my health, my family, my joy, and my career in Jesus name.

DAY 17

Father, let the heavens of United Kingdom be open to Your Word, let Your Word prosper in this land for revival, for soul winning and let Your will be done in this nation in Jesus name.

DAY 18

Father by favour, Esther became a queen in a strange land; in this land let Your favour make my life relevant in Jesus name.

DAY 19

Father all the battles I cannot win on my own, please fight them for me in Jesus name.

DAY 20

Father, everything you have to change in me in order for me to make it to heaven, please change it today in Jesus name.

DAY 21

Father let everything and anything that causes shame in my life disappear today in Jesus name.

DAY 22

Father by favour, Jacob assumed the position of the firstborn, let Your favour promote and elevate me this year in Jesus name.

DAY 23

Father let every yoke in my life and family and ministry be broken now in Jesus name.

DAY 24

Father, make me and my family completely immune to any form of sickness or disease this month; put me and my loved ones into your protective envelope of divine fire in the name of Jesus.

DAY 25

Thank God for the month of September, for His faithfulness, protection and mercy over your life and family.

DAY 26

Thank God for His numerous blessings and protection over your family and loved ones.

DAY 27

Father, let Your glory be seen in my life and let me fulfil my purpose here on earth in Jesus name.

DAY 28

Father, let every yoke hindering the growth in Winners' Way Dartford be destroyed in Jesus name.

DAY 29

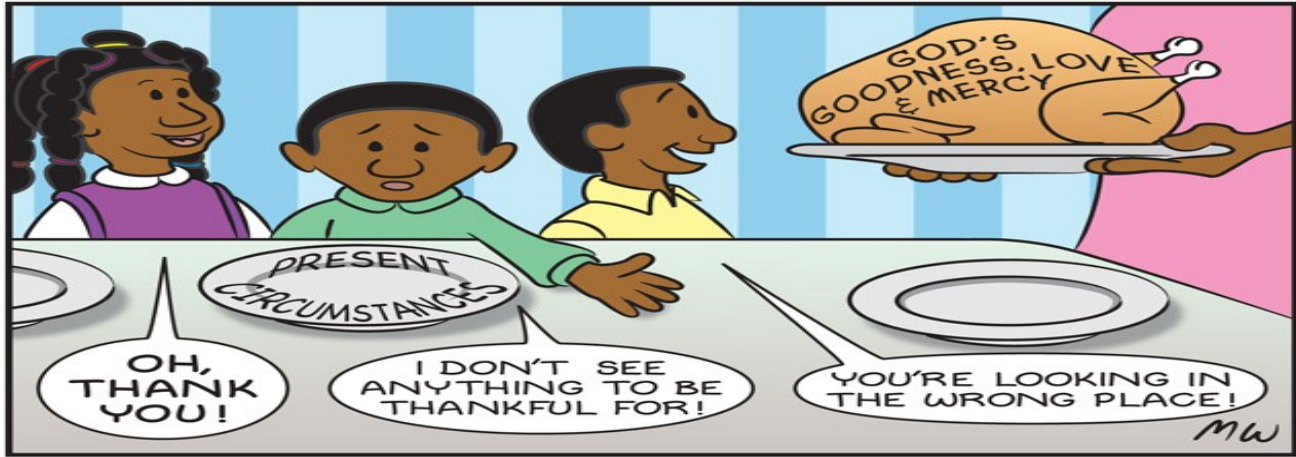
Father, let every Goliath standing between me and my throne perish today in Jesus name.

DAY 30

Father, by the auction of the Holy Spirit, let every enemy within and without trying to terminate my destiny and that of my family members be scattered and destroyed in Jesus name.

GIVE THANKS

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters

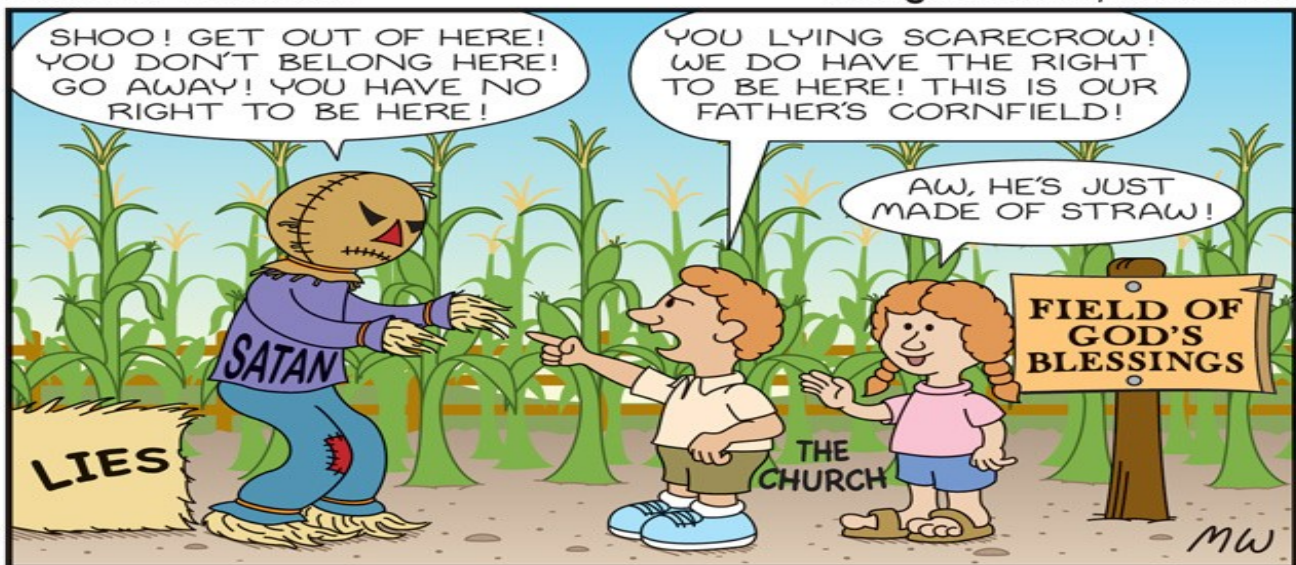


Praise ye the LORD. O give thanks unto the LORD; for he is good: for his mercy endureth for ever. — PSALM 106:1 KJV

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SCARECROW

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Fear not, little flock; for it is your Father's good pleasure to give you the kingdom. — LUKE 12:32 KJV

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GOD'S PRESCRIPTION

A Joyful 'toon by Mike Waters



My son, attend to my words; incline thine ear unto my sayings. Let them not depart from thine eyes; keep them in the midst of thine heart. For they are life unto those that find them, and health to all their flesh. — PROVERBS 4:20-22 KJV

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LOL**Desperate Measure**

Little Johnny went to his mother demanding a new bicycle. His mother decided that he should take a look at himself and the way he acts. She said, "Well Johnny, it isn't Christmas and we don't have the money to just go out and buy you anything you want. So why don't you write a letter to Jesus and pray for one instead." After his temper tantrum his mother sent him to his room. He finally sat down to write a

letter to Jesus.

Dear Jesus,
I've been a good boy this year and would appreciate a new bicycle.
Your Friend, Little Johnny

Now Little Johnny knew that Jesus really knew what kind of boy he was (Brat).
So, he ripped up the letter and decided to give it another try.

Dear Jesus,
I've been an OK boy this year and I want a new bicycle.
Yours Truly, Little Johnny

Well, Little Johnny knew this wasn't totally honest so he tore it up and tried again.

Dear Jesus,
I've thought about being a good boy this year and can I have a new bicycle?
Signed, Little Johnny

Well, Little Johnny looked deep down in his heart, which by the way was what his mother was really wanting. He crumpled up the letter and threw it in the trash can and went running outside.

He aimlessly wandered about; depressed because of the way he treated his parents and really considering his actions. He finally found himself in front of a Catholic Church.

Little Johnny went inside and knelt down, looking around not knowing what he should really do. Little Johnny finally got up and began to walk out the door and was looking at all the statues. All of a sudden he grabbed a small one and ran out the door. He went home hid it under his bed and wrote this letter.

Jesus,
I've broken most of the Ten Commandments; shot spit wads in school, tore up my sister's Barbie doll and lots more. I'm desperate. I've got your mama. If you ever want to see her again, give me a bike.

Signed, You know who

Church Gossip

Mildred, the church gossip and self-appointed arbiter of the church's morals, kept sticking her nose in the other members' private lives. Church members were unappreciative of her activities, but feared her enough to maintain their silence.

She made a mistake, however, when she accused George, a new member, of being an alcoholic after she saw his pickup truck parked in front of the town's only bar one afternoon.

She commented to George and others that everyone seeing it there would know what he was doing.

George, a man of few words, stared at her for a moment and just walked away. He didn't explain, defend, or deny; he said nothing.

Later that evening, George quietly parked his pickup in front of Mildred's house... and left it there all night



HYMNS FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

HYMN 1

OH FOR A THOUSAND TONGUES TO SING

Oh, for a thousand tongues to sing
My great Redeemer's praise,
The glories of my God and King,
The triumphs of His grace!

My gracious Master and my God,
Assist me to proclaim,
To spread through all the earth abroad
The honours of Thy name.

Jesus! the name that charms our fears,
That bids our sorrows cease;
'Tis music in the sinner's ears,
'Tis life, and health, and peace.

He breaks the power of cancelled sin,
He sets the pris'ner free;
His blood can make the foulest clean,
His 'blood availed for me.

Hear Him, ye deaf; His praise, ye dumb,
Your loosened tongues employ;
Ye blind, behold your Saviour come;
And leap, ye lame, for joy.

HYMN 2

BE GLAD IN THE LORD AND REJOICE

Be glad in the Lord and rejoice,
All ye that are upright in heart;
And ye that have made Him your choice,
Bid sadness and sorrow depart.

Rejoice! Rejoice!
Be glad in the Lord and rejoice!
Rejoice! Rejoice!
Be glad in the Lord and rejoice.

Be joyful, for He is the Lord,
On earth and in heaven supreme;
He fashions and rules by His word;
The "Mighty" and "Strong" to redeem.

What tho' in the conflict for right
Your enemies almost prevail!
God's armies, just hid from your sight,
Are more than the foes which assail.

Tho' darkness surround you by day,
Your sky by night be o'er-cast,
Let nothing your spirit dismay,
But trust till the danger is past.

Be glad in the Lord, and rejoice,
His praises proclaiming in song;
With harp and with organ, and voice,
The loud halleluyahs prolong!!

HYMN 3**I HAVE FOUND A FRIEND IN JESUS**

I've found a friend in Jesus
 He's everything to me.
 He's the fairest of ten thousand to my soul;
 The Lily of the Valley, in Him alone I see
 All I need to cleanse and make me fully
 whole.
 In sorrow He's my comfort,
 in trouble He's my stay,
 He tells me every care on Him to roll:
 (Halleluyah!)

Chorus

*He's the Lily of the Valley,
 The Bright and Morning star,
 He's the fairest of ten thousand to my soul.*

He all my griefs has taken,
 and all my sorrows borne;
 In temptation He's my strong
 and mighty tower;
 I have all for Him forsaken,
 and all my idols torn,
 From my heart, and now
 He keeps me by His power.
 Through all the world forsake me,
 and Satan tempt me sore,
 Through Jesus I shall safety reach the goal,
 (Halleluyah!)

He'll never, never leave me,
 nor yet forsake me here,
 While I live by faith, and do His blessed will;
 A wall of fire about me,
 I've nothing now to fear;
 With His manna, He my hungry soul shall fill.
 Then sweeping up to glory
 to see His blessed face,
 Where rivers of delight
 shall ever roll! (Halleluyah!)

HYMN 4**HOLY SPIRIT COME****Chorus**

Send Your Power
 To us from on high
 Come Holy Spirit come

Holy Spirit come And teach us now how to
 pray
 To get result Teach us how to pray
 To get answer when we pray
 Come, Holy Spirit, come

Holy Spirit come As the great Consuming Fire
 Burn our yokes Loose all our bonds
 Empower us to be witness to Jesus
 Come, Holy Spirit, come

Holy Spirit come As Divine Revelator
 Of things to come In our future
 Prepare us for our heavenly mansions
 Come Holy Spirit, come

Holy Spirit come As the divine Comforter
 Heal all our wounds
 End our sorrows Wipe away tears
 Turn our morning to laughter
 Come, Holy Spirit, come

Come in as a Dove
 Sending peace to all our homes
 Let storms be stilled Let troubles cease
 Let all wars end in our body, soul, spirit
 Come, Holy Spirit, Come

Come in as our Guide
 Guide us to the truths of God
 Teach us the truth That will set us free The
 great hidden truth
 And the deep secrets of God
 Come, Holy Spirit, Come

Holy Spirit come And help us to glorify
 Our Lord Jesus
 Who reigns now on high Help us to sing
 Shouting great Halleluyah
 Come, Holy Spirit, Come
 Singing, Shouting
 Great Halleluyah

CHURCH WEEKLY PROGRAMMES:

Sunday

Sunday Service - **10:00am**

Thanksgiving 1st Sunday - **10:00am**

Sunday, Monday & Tuesday

House Fellowship Meetings - **7:00pm - 8:00pm**

Monday

Early Morning Dew - **6:00am-7:00am**

Wednesday

Digging Deep (Bible Study) - **6:30pm**

Thursday

Miracle Hour, 2nd & 3rd Thursdays - **7:00pm**

Friday

Special Solution Hour, 1st Friday - **7:00pm**

Choir/Instrumentalist Practice- **4:00pm**

Youth Service, 3rd Friday - **6:30pm**

Last Friday - Shiloh (Night Vigil) - **10:00pm**

Saturday

Evangelism, 3rd Saturday - **10:00am**

Men's Fellowship, 2nd Saturday - **10:00am**

Good Women, 2nd Saturday - **4:00pm**

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Dartford 8 Sister Victoria Conteh	49 Hillside Road Crayford DA1 3NT	01322275984 Tuesday 7-8pm
Dartford 9 Brother Deji Dosumu	Rehoboth House, Brent Way Dartford DA2 6DA	07947881837 Sunday 2-3pm

