ANOUNCEMENTS/ MEETINGS

National Prayer Meeting

Every Monday from 11:00am - 2:00pm at FGT, London.

Host: Apostle. Newton Ofosuhene

Mid - Week Dist. Prayer Meetings

English Services

Tuesdays - 9:00am - 11:00am

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Tuesdays: - 7:00pm - 9:00pm **Wednesdays:** - 9:00am - 11:00am **Venue:** James McKeown Hall.

District Youth Meetings:

Every Saturday 3:00pm - 5:00pm at James McKeown Hall. Parents are entreated to encourage their youth to attend.

Monday 30th April — Sunday 6th May— Head's Meeting in Accra

Friday 4th May—Praise & Worship Allnight service at JMH from 10:00pm to 4:00am. Various artist will come and grace this service. (Bilingual Service)

Monday 7th—Sunday 13th— General Council Meeting in Accra, Ghana.

Thursday 10th May— A day's Area Women's Waiting on District level at JMH from 6:30pm—8:30pm

Friday 11th May—English half –night service **Funeral**

Saturday 12th May—There will be a funeral service for the late Madam Lucy Amponsah Addo aged 28, the daughter of Sister Margaret Kwarteng of PIWC, Milton Keynes, on Saturday 12th May from 6.00 – 9.00pm at James McKewon Temple.

All members are requested to participate in

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service and are encouraged to give their donations to the bereaved family.

Sunday 13th May—Pentecost University offering in all locals.

Baby **Naming**

Sunday 13th May—There will be a naming ceremony of Deacon and Deaconess Adi offei's baby at Bethel Assembly from 12:30pm.

Saturday 19th May—District Youth Service at JMH from 10:00am—1:00pm. All parents and Presiding Elders are to entreat their youth to attend this Service.

Saturday 19th May—District Officers Training day out. Venue and time will be announce later.

Baby Naming

Sunday 20th May—There will be a naming ceremony of Deacon Philip and Sister Michaela Boakye Yiadom's baby at Luton Assembly from 1:00pm

Wednesday 23rd to Friday 25th May—District Prayer and Fasting services at JMH from 6:30pm – 8:30pm each night.

Funeral

Saturday 26th May—

There will be a funeral service for the late Mr Kwadwo Anane aged 80, the father of Sister Sussie and Brother Philip Anane both of Northampton Assembly, on Saturday 12th May from 6.00 – 9.00pm. The venue is Abington Community Centre, 2 Weatfield Road South, Northampton, NN3 2HH.

Thursday 31st May –Friday 1st June—PIWC, 2 Day Revival With Pastor James Sam and Edmond Appiah. Theme: Waiting In His Presence.



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SUNDAY & MIDWEEK SERVICES (See inside for meeting times)



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Passage for the Month

Success

The Bible comments on mankind's desire for money and wealth. King Solomon, a man to whom God gave great wisdom, wrote most of the Proverbs. Solomon had everything a human being could wish for, yet he gave this warning: "Do not toil to acquire wealth; be wise enough to desist. When your eyes light upon it, it is gone; for suddenly it takes to itself wings, flying like an eagle toward heaven" (Proverbs 23:4–5, RSV).

King Solomon was striving to experience "life to the full." But he retained his wisdom in examining the effect of his experiences. What was the result? "Whatever my eyes desired I did not keep from them. I did not withhold my heart from any pleasure, for my heart rejoiced in all my labor; and this was my reward from all my labor. Then I looked on all the works that my hands had done and on the labor in which I had toiled; and indeed all was vanity and grasping for the wind. There was no profit under the sun" (Ecclesiastes 2:10–11). In other words, all his possessions and pleasure amounted to nothing—because they produced nothing of lasting value!

Some look for success in status, power and position, rather than in wealth. Is that true success? The mother of James and John—two of Jesus' disciples—came to Him with a request: "She said to Him, 'Grant that these two sons of mine may sit, one on Your right hand and the other on the left, in Your kingdom.' But Jesus answered and said, 'You do not know what you ask'" (Matthew 20:21–22). He then told them that those positions were for those chosen and prepared by My Father."

Jesus then shared a great key to true success, in contrast to the vanity of rulers lording over others. "You know that the rulers of the Gentiles lord it over them, and those who are great exercise authority over them. Yet it shall not be so among you; but whoever desires to become great among you, let him be your servant. And whoever desires to be first among you, let him be your slave—just as the Son of Man did not come to be served, but to serve, and to give His life a ransom for many" (Matthew 20:25–28).

The greatest is one who is a true servant—one who truly cares for and helps others! Notice that it was the Son of God, Jesus of Nazareth, who took little children up in His arms and who stooped over to wash the feet of His disciples. You can read about that foot-washing service in John 13. It was Jesus who sacrificed His life for us all! As the Apostle Paul wrote: "But God demonstrates His own love toward us, in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us" (Romans 5:8).

Continuation (Passage for the month)

Jesus' example was one of service, sacrifice and love. "For if when we were enemies we were reconciled to God through the death of His Son, much more, having been reconciled, we shall be saved by His life" (Romans 5:10).

Whatever position we may hold in this life, we will never find true success unless we have an attitude of godly service toward others. One of the measures of true success is the degree of godly service one is willing to give.

EBENEZER ASSEMBLY SUNDAY SERVICES Time: 9:30am - 11:30am

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Sunday, 6th May

Speaker: D'cn. Daniel Ampong

Sunday, 13th May

Speaker: Elder Francis Adusei

Sunday, 20th May

Speaker: Elder Kwadwo Tawiah

Sunday, 27th May

Speaker: Deaconess Hertha Kwakye

Sunday, 3rd June

Speaker: Elder Godfred Kwakye

MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETINGS

Venue: Heelands Meeting Place Time: **7:00pm - 9:00pm**

Friday, 4th May

Speaker: District All-night service (Praise &

Worship)

Friday, 11th May

Speaker: District Half-night service

(English)

Friday, 18th May

Speaker:

Friday, 25th May

Speaker:

Friday, 1st June

Speaker:

PIWC SUNDAY SERVICES

Time: 09:00 am - 12:00 noon

Sunday, 6th May

Speaker: Elder Emmanuel Addo

Sunday, 13th May

Speaker: Elder Ebo Hope

Sunday, 20th May

Speaker: D'cn. Alex Darko

Sunday, 27th May

Speaker: Elder Kingsly Twum

Sunday, 3rd June

Speaker: Elder Emmanuel Addo

MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETINGS

Venue: James Mckeown Hall Time: **7:00pm-9:00pm**

Thursday 3rd May

Speaker: Sis. Elizabeth Dabrah

Thursday 10th May

Speaker: Local Women's Day

Thursday 17th May

Speaker: D'cn. Oduro Boateng

Thursday 24th May

Speaker: Bro. Ato Enchill

Thursday 31st May

Speaker: PIWC 2 Day Revival With

Pastor Edmond Appiah

Thursday 7th June

Speaker: Bro. Anthony Brobbie

EMMANUEL ASSEMBLY SUNDAY SERVICES

Time: 3:00 pm - 6:00 pm

Sunday, 6th May

Speaker: Elder Stephen Agyapong

Sunday, 13th May

Speaker: Deaconess Gladys Fordjour

Sunday, 20th May

Speaker: Elder Joshua Agyemang Duah

Sunday, 27th May

Speaker: Elder Emmanuel Addo

Sunday, 3rd June

Speaker: Elder Martin Accorley

MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETINGS

Venue: James Mckeown Hall Time: **7:00pm-9:00pm**

Friday, 4th May

Speaker: District Praise & Worship Night

Friday, 11th May

Speaker: District Half-night service

(English)

Friday, 18th May

Speaker:

Friday, 25th May

Speaker:

Friday, 1st June

Speaker:

LUTON ASSEMBLY SUNDAY SERVICES

Time: 1:00 pm - 3:30 pm

Sunday, 6th May

Speaker: Elder Owusu Birima

Sunday, 13th May

Speaker: D'cn. Paul Williams

Sunday, 20th May

Speaker: Pastor James Sam

Sunday, 27th May

Speaker: Elder Alex Ofori Danquah

Sunday, 3rd June

Speaker: Elder Samuel Essiam

MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETINGS

Venue: St. Margaret Methodist Church

Time: 7pm-9:00pm

Friday, 4th May

Speaker: District Praise & Worship Night

Friday, 11th May

Speaker: District Half-night service

(English)

Friday, 18th May

Speaker: Deaconess Hannah Yeboah

Friday, 25th May

Speaker: Bro. Lord Obeng Larbi

Friday, 1st June

Speaker: Bro. Justice Afriyie

WELLINGBOROUGH ASSEMBLY SUNDAY SERVICES

Sunday, 6th May

Speaker: Elder Kingsley Twum

Sunday, 13th May

Speaker: Elder Albert Yeboah

Sunday, 20th May

Speaker: D'cn. John Adusei

Sunday, 27th May

Speaker: Bro. Simms Ayim

Sunday, 3rd June

Speaker: Elder Kwadwo Mante

MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETINGS

Venue: Daylight Centre Time: **6:00pm-8:00pm**

Saturday, 5th May

Speaker:

Saturday, 12th May

Speaker: Funeral Service (JMH)

Saturday, 19th May

Speaker: Officers Training

Saturday, 26th May

Speaker: Funeral Service

(Northampton)

Saturday, 2nd June

Speaker:

BEDFORD ASSEMBLY SUNDAY SERVICES

Time: 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm

Sunday, 6th May

Speaker: Elder Samuel Addai

Sunday, 13th May

Speaker: Elder William Dompreh

Sunday, 20th May

Speaker: Elder Richmond Abredu

Sunday, 27th May

Speaker: Deaconess Comfort Addai

Sunday, 3rd June

Speaker: Elder Seth Kudjo

MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETINGS

Venue: Methodist Church Time: **5:00pm - 6:00pm**

Saturday, 5th May Speaker:

Saturday, 12th May

Speaker: Funeral Service (JMH)

Saturday, 19th May

Speaker: Officers Training

Saturday, 26th May

Speaker: Funeral Service

(Northampton)

Saturday, 2nd June

Speaker:

BETHEL ASSEMBLY SUNDAY SERVICES

Time: 12:30 pm - 3:00 pm

Sunday, 6th May

Speaker: Elder Joseph Adu Addo

Sunday, 13th May

Speaker: Pastor James Sam

Sunday, 20th May

Speaker: Elder Ernest Agyemang

Sunday, 27th May

Speaker: Elder Ben Boadu

Sunday, 3rd June

Speaker: Elder Prince Boateng

MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETINGS

Venue: James Mckeown Hall Time: **7:00pm - 9:00pm**

Friday, 4th May

Speaker: District Praise & Worship Night

Friday, 11th May

Speaker: District Half-night service

(English)

Friday, 18th May

Speaker:

Friday, 25th May

Speaker:

Friday, 1st June

Speaker:

NORTHAMPTON ASSEMBLY SUNDAY SERVICES

Time: 9:30am - 12.30 pm

Sunday, 6th May

Speaker: Elder Kwadwo Tawiah

Sunday, 13th May

Speaker: Elder Raymond Adu

Sunday, 20th May

Speaker: Deacon Emmanuel Johnson

Sunday, 27th May

Speaker: Pastor James Sam

Sunday, 3rd June

Speaker: Elder Nana Ocansey

MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETINGS

Venue: Abington Community Centre

Time: 7:00pm-9:00pm

Saturday, 5th May

Speaker:

Saturday, 12th May

Speaker: Funeral Service (JMH)

Saturday, 19th May

Speaker: Officers Training

Saturday, 26th May

Speaker: Funeral Service

(Northampton)

Saturday, 2nd June

Speaker:

AYLESBURY ASSEMBLY SUNDAY SERVICES

Time: 1.30 pm - 3.30 pm

Sunday, 6th May

Speaker: Pastor James Sam

Sunday, 13th May

Speaker: Pastor James Sam

Sunday, 20th May

Speaker: Elder Kofi Danso

Sunday, 27th May

Speaker: Elder Prince Boateng

Sunday, 3rd June

Speaker: Elder Ekow Safo

MID-WEEK PRAYER MEETINGS

Venue: Fairfax Community Centre

Time: 5:00pm-7:00pm

Saturday, 5th May

Speaker: Prayer Retreat With The Evan-

gelistic Ministry

Saturday, 12th May

Speaker: Prayer Retreat With The Evan-

gelistic Ministry

Saturday, 19th May

Speaker: Officers Training

Saturday, 26th May

Speaker: Funeral Service

(Northampton)

Saturday, 2nd June

Speaker: Prayer Retreat With The Evan-

gelistic Ministry