

he pursuit of vision or God's assignment for your life demands that you specifically knows where God is sending you. This is because your life and destiny won't be colourful until you stay where God wants you to be. Many are struggling because they did not ask to hear from God where they are being sent on assignment.

There is short distance between the way of the Samaritans and Jerusalem vet Jesus told his disciples in Matthew 10:5-6 not to go that way but to go to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. Despite being directly told the vision, you must ascertain where God is sending you because there is a place called "there". In 1 King 17:2, God gave Elijah the specific instruction to hide by the brook Cherith that is before Jordan. Jordan is the popular place but God told Elijah to camp in Cherith for it shall be that you shall drink from the brook and I have commanded the ravens to feed you there. If you miss your "there", the food will not come.

When the brook dried up in verses 7 to 9, God commanded Elijah to *Arise, get thee to Zarephath which belongs to Zidon and dwell there, behold, I have commanded a widow woman there to sustain you.* If the prophet of God didn't understand the place of where, read location, in his divine assignment, he would have missed his provision. You can't maximize the glory of God upon your life until you locate your "there". Location is quite critical to the actualization of vision and destiny. Per time, you must recognize where God is leading you, and follow Him dutifully. Even when moving does not make sense, move or stay as directed by God for it is then that you will see glory. Don't be like Jonah who was asked by God to go to Nineveh but headed for Tarshish and got swallowed by a fish while acting in disobedience. Going against God's leading comes with a heavy price.

Before making any move, always seek for divine signal that will tell the mind of God. You need Him to go before you and make the crooked paths straight. And should there be any trouble on the way, He will prevent you from encountering that challenge. Don't take a decision until you have a nudge in your spirit that God agrees with it. Some people have changed accommodation only to go down in life and suffer other calamities.

2 Samuel 7:10 says *Moreover I will appoint a place for my people Israel, and I will plant them, that they will dwell in a place of their own and move no more; nor shall sons of wickedness oppress them anymore, as previously.* When you stay in a place appointed by God, you shall have no affliction nor be attacked by the enemy. If you are in a place where you are constantly attacked, check if God is there, and if not, move away quickly. When you pray in the Spirit, you will catch the divine signal of God's leading.

Elimelech and Ruth's experience is instructive. There was recession in their days and Elimelech left Israel for Moab. While in that foreign land, the man died as well as his two sons, leaving widows. This happened to Elimelech because he moved against the will of God and embarked on a journey of no return. This contrasts with the case of Isaac in Genesis 26. Gerar, where Isaac was, suffered famine. This made him plan moving to Egypt but God told him to remain where He was, that His blessings will cover him and his seed in the same Gerar. He obeyed and verse 12 tells the outcome as Isaac grew so wealthy and prosperous that he became the envy of the aborigines.

Your location will determine your allocation. If you miss the location, your allocation will not come. Your lot is tied to where you are. If you are to be in Cherith, don't go to the popular Jordan. If you are to be in Zarephath, don't remain in Cherith. To be where God ordained for you, pray in the Holy Ghost and you will receive divine signal. As prove, you will experience inner peace and your spirit will bear witness to the Spirit of God concerning what to, or not do. Shalom

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Prayers for the Week

1. Lord, help me to go exactly where you have sent me.

2. May I always hear the voice of God for every decision or action I intend taking.

3. O lord, don't let me miss my "There" – the location you have commanded blessings for me.

4. Lord, help me to receive and recognize divine signals per time.

Tell of the Goodness of the Lord upon your life and situation by sending a mail to <u>testimonies@highlandchurch.com.ng</u>

Counseling/Prayer Lines

For pastoral counseling and prayers, please call: 07068672655, 08033750542.

ONE-YEAR BIBLE READING PLAN

Date	Bible Texts	Date	Bible Texts
Nov 1	Mark 4:1-20 & Leviticus 15	Nov 5	Mark 6:1-29 & Leviticus 24
Nov 2	Mark 4:21-41 & Leviticus 16-18	Nov 6	Mark 6:30-56 & Leviticus 25
Nov 3	Mark 5:1-20 & Leviticus 19-21	Nov 7	Mark 7:1-23 & Leviticus 26-27
Nov 4	Mark 5:21-43 & Leviticus 22-23		

For Your Information

This Sunday is for Thanksgiving

We are few days away from a special Sunday which is both the first Sunday as well as first day of the month of November. What a day to be in the presence of the Lord especially at Highland Church which will be marking the day with two powerful thanksgiving services. The Lord inhabits the praises of His

people and we shall be enthroning Him with our thanksgiving for the great things He has done and even greater ones that are in the works. You can be sure your life can never remain the same after being in such an atmosphere of thanksgiving. It's happening live this Sunday, November 1, 2020, at No. 22 Oweh Street, Jibowu, Yaba, Lagos during the First (8:30am) and Second (10am) Services.

Anticipate your Recharge!

We praise God for bringing us a special programme tagged 'Recharge' to imbue us with power and fresh fire to boost our faith in God. The revivalist conference which will hold for five days is inspired by 1 Corinthians 14:4 which states that anyone who speaks in an unknown

tongue edifies (Recharges) himself. It is also anchored on Jude 1:20 as the conference will be building up the spiritual and prayer life of attendees. In line with what God is set to do with this annual programme, a power preacher with prophetic gift, Pastor Segun Kingsley is coming from UK to revive the spiritual lives of participants and speak prophetically into their future. Also ministering is Pastor Joseph Aborowa, the Senior Pastor of Highland Church. The Recharge Conference holds from November 18 to 22, 2020 at No 22 Oweh Street, Jibowu, Yaba, Lagos.

Beneficial Saturdays at Highland Church

A lot happen at Highland Church every Saturday which are loaded with benefits for those who participate in these activities. First is the cleaning of the sanctuary which commences by 7am at Bethel. Then, there is the meeting of the Prayer Squad at the Upper Room of the building from 8am to 9am. This is immediately followed by a meeting of the evangelism team whose members proceed to win souls for the Lord after a brief session at Bethel. The evangelism team convenes from 9am to 11am. Participate in one or all of these activities and see God prove himself strong in your life.

HCM Here to Make You Recognized

The church should be big enough to accommodate everybody yet small enough to recognize everyone. It is in a bid to live up to the latter part of this assertion that the Highland Cell Meeting (HCM) commences in November 7, 2020 after months of meticulous planning and preparations. This is the crowd age of the Church when multitudes will be trooping into the church. Highland Church doesn't want any of her members to be lost in the crowd, hence the introduction of the cell system. House fellowship has scriptural backing in Exodus 18:21-23 and Acts 2:46. With HCM, everything experienced at Highland Church get to be replicated in the cell centres where the church can know her members up close and better attend to their needs. Reach out to the Admin to be told the closest cell centre to you. If you have a living room or space that can accommodate 15 people, be like the biblical Obed Edom by providing your home as a cell centre and be blessed

tremendously by the Lord for doing this. The HCM holds every Saturday evening for a maximum of 1hour 15minutes between 4 to 7:30pm. This is the move of God to bring His presence closer to you, make sure you welcome Him by keying into HCM.

Highland Church Is Home

Highland Church is one universal assembly where those joining

for the first time immediately feel at home owing to the pervasive and infectious warmth and love in our church. This is even as such first-time worshipper soaks in the glory and grace of God. We want this to last beyond the service and that is why we require few information about you to strengthen our fellowship with you. As such, kindly type this link (t.ly/2K0P) on your phone browser and avail us with relevant information.

Opportunity to be HLC Worker Still Open

You attract extraordinary blessings by using your talents and skills to work for God. Take advantage of the Workers in Training, WIT 2.0 to be a Highland

Church worker as classes that would prepare you to be a worker have commenced. Type the displayed link (t.ly/OoOV) on your browser to register for the WIT 2.0 training.

Hour of Grace and Communion Service Now On Site

The Hour of Grace and Communion Service now holds as an onsite meeting as against the virtual service we used to have. You are invited to be at the Highland Church Auditorium every Thursday by 6pm for this awesome time in God's presence. Thursdays are set aside for Highlanders to wait upon the Lord and get refreshed in a communion service by 6pm. You too can be a partaker.

Operation Two Abiding Souls

Operation Two Abiding Souls is still on. As a member of Highland Church, you are implored to bring at least two souls to church every month and be rewarded with wisdom and other immeasurable blessings from the Lord. Proverbs 11:30 made it clear that, "he who wins souls is wise"

Highland Children Church

As a family church, there is the Highland Children Church which helps in teaching and grooming your children in the way of the Lord by laying a solid righteous foundation for them as they grow. So, endeavour to take your children and wards to the appropriate Sunday school classes so you won't be distracted or have them distract others during worship. Their service times are the same as those of the adult church, which means that the Children Church will be open to receive your children and ward(s) during any of the 8:30am or 10am services. While their meeting is now on ground, ages 7-10 class services will be streamed live to accommodate kids who are outside Lagos.

We Are Social

If you are interested in being updated with happenings in Highland Church, kindly subscribe to our YouTube channel or follow us on Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and Mixlr using our social media handle; hlchurchng. These platforms as well as highlandchurch.com.ng have videos of teachings by the Senior Pastor, Joseph Aborowa, and his messages. You will also get to be treated to the sights of Highland Church services on our pages.





HIGHLAND CHURCH HEADQUARTERS

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