

HERMON LIFE



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THE ACCEPTABLE YEAR OF THE LORD

LUKE 4:19 ; ISAIAH 49:8



Welcome to April!

It's the fourth month of the year and the beginning of the second quarter. Expect great things from God to happen this month.

Every number in the Bible is significant. God is the God of numbers. Lazarus was dead for four days before the Lord Jesus raised him from death.

Medical knowledge shows that a corpse starts to decay from the fourth day. Once that decay sets in, it becomes impossible and irreversible to live again. Nothing can stop corruption. But Jesus did.

On that fourth day, when the dead body of Lazarus was irrevocably decaying and stinking, just one command from the Lord Jesus brought him back to life. (John 11:39-44).

Lazarus came out of the tomb alive and without any smell of decay or corruption. The one whom Martha said was stinking (and indeed, he was), came out with that fragrance of life that only the Resurrection and Life can give.

This is why you should rejoice! Dead things are jerking back to life in the name of Jesus! Every smell of shame, death or decay in your life is turned to the fragrance of life! You shall testify. You shall rejoice in the name of Jesus!

I am looking forward to seeing in all our services this month. Easter is in about two weeks and we have an holy convocation (April 16th-17th) you should not miss. Have a victorious week!

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Senior Pastor

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**LET'S GET TO
KNOW YOU
BETTER!**

Don't do life alone....

**God sets the lonely person in
families... (Psalm 68:6)**

**This is your family and spiritual
home. So don't remain isolated or
be lost in the crowd.**

**We want to know you better and
make you feel and be a valued
member of this church.**

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people are empowered to fulfill
their God-ordained destinies and
to be a Godly influence wherever
they are.

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EARLY RISERS' SERVICE - 7:30AM
FAMILY WORSHIP SERVICE - 9:30AM

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MID-WEEK SERVICE (ONLINE ONLY)

Every WEDNESDAY - 6pm

SERMON SUMMARY: BUILD ON THE ROCK

The parable of the house on the rock and the house on the sand has so many lessons within (Matthew 7:24-28).

The house is a representation of anything we do that we want to last, that is, anything that we're looking to endure in the long term. The rock is representative of Jesus' sayings, that is, His teachings, His Words. When we live our lives by doing all that Jesus tells us, we are building on the rock.

The sand is anything that God is not in. The rains, heavy winds and storms are representative of challenges. These challenges can't be prayed away.

Every house has a builder, and the person who builds it is the one who gets recognized for their work. God Himself is a master builder.

The Bible says in Psalm 127:1 that except the Lord builds the house, the builders build in vain. What does this mean? It means that God already has a pattern for everything, and if we are not following His pattern, whatever we do will be in vain. Whenever we fail to build according to His pattern, we deprive God of the glory He deserves.

If we want what we're building to last, we must build according to the pattern God has already built. When Moses was to build the tabernacle, God instructed him to be careful that he builds it according to all that He had shown him (Exodus 25:40).

It is dangerous to get involved in anything God is not involved in. It may seem appealing initially, but it will ultimately bring regret (Proverbs 14:12).

In 1 Corinthians 3:9-13, we're admonished to build but to use the right materials in building. Several materials were mentioned: gold, silver, precious stones, wood, straw, and hay. The gold, silver and precious stones represent the pure and undiluted Word of God.

In Matthew 16:13-19, Jesus asked his disciples who people said he was, and they mentioned several things. He eventually asked them what they thought, and Peter responded that He is the Christ, the Son of the living God.

Jesus in responding, said that flesh and blood did not reveal that deep revelation to Peter. Subsequently, Jesus began to tell them things that must happen in the future.

What does this teach us? Jesus will not build anything in our lives until we have a revelation from God. Anyone whom God shows a revelation becomes a leader.

A sign that heaven is closed over any person is that they lack revelation. One revelation can bring us peace over specific pressing issues for many years (Read Judges 3:7-30).

5 things happen when we receive revelation:

1. It places us in the blessing of God (Matthew 16:17). We must not pursue riches, but rather seek the blessing. What brings the blessing is revelation. And the blessing is an invisible force. Cars, houses, and so on, are only manifestations of the blessing.
2. It provides God with a foundation upon which to build. The foundation is the revelation of His Word that He gives us.
3. The gates of Hades can't prevail against us (Matthew 16:18). Revelation gives us authority over Hades.
4. Revelation gives us keys to the kingdom of heaven (Matthew 16:19). Keys signify: a) Ownership, b) Access, and c) Authority
5. Revelation will help us to bind (forbid) and loose (permit) (Matthew 16:19).

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DAILY DEVOTIONAL

After you have fasted and prayed, do. Dare! Until you take bold, corresponding actions, you will never experience supernatural manifestations. In 2 Kings 7:3, the four lepers said to themselves, "Why sit we here until we die?"

A siege of Samaria by the Syrians had resulted in a severe famine. None could go out or come into the city. It was so terrible that people were eating their children. (2 Kings 7:24-33). Locked outside the city were four lepers. They decided that since they could not enter the besieged city, they had been lepers, and there was even a great famine there, so they decided to go towards the invaders. (2 Kings 7:4).

It was a decision that changed many things. They discovered that there was not even a man in that camp as they went. The Syrians had fled, leaving behind all they had. (2 Kings 7:5-8). Had the lepers not dared, they and the whole of Samaria would have perished of famine even though God had wrought great deliverance for them.

Until you dare in faith, you will never discover what God has done.

DARE

by
Hermon Devotional
PASTOR NNALMEKA KEMEFUNA
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Declaration: In this new week, dare to go. Dare to do! Take corresponding actions concerning what you have fasted and prayed for. As you do, God will amplify your steps of faith to be the sounds of a mighty army in Jesus' name.

[Click this link for daily devotional \(Monday - Saturday\)](#)

BIBLE READING

DAILY BIBLE READING

Sunday	JOSH 7-9; LUKE 22-24
Monday	JOSH 10-12; JOHN 1-2
Tuesday	JOSH 13-15; JOHN 3-4
Wednesday	JOSH 16-18; JOHN 5-6
Thursday	JOSH 19-21; JOHN 7-8
Friday	JOSH 22-24; JOHN 9-10
Saturday	JUDGES 1-3; JOHN 11-12

April Celebrants

Happy Birthday

- Christian Joshua 1st
- Eugene Ossai 14th
- Friday Jimmy 17th
- Mummy Hermon 21st
- Sumisola Agbolade 25th
- Smart Egbemamwen 25th

ENCOUNTERS in HERMON

'And they overcame him by the blood of the
Lamb and the word of their testimony....!'

(Revelation 12:11)

Has God done anything for you? Please share it. When you share testimonies, you glorify God, edify the brethren and preserve what God has done.

To share, ask for the testimony form from our ushers or send it to: admin@hermoncentre.org



Principle 6 - Communication

The sixth principle is communication.

Communication is the lifeblood of any relationship.

It is actually what may eventually determine if a relationship or marriage can last. Without it, there is no relationship, bonding or intimacy (which we refer to as fellowship in church).

It was part of what God saw when He said that it is not good for man to be alone. Adam had no one to share his thoughts, desires, aspirations, moods and discoveries with. Even though he gave names to all the animals and they were all under his rule, he could not just flow with them.

To communicate is beyond just speaking English language. It is to capture and meaningfully convey information, feelings and affections through a common system of speech, symbols, signs or behavior.

Communication can be verbal or non-verbal. It is not all speech, even though speech is an important aspect of that. Notice in the definition, the parties have a common system known to each other. This is important especially as it concerns intimate relationships. It is said that three things determine the strength and health of marriage: sex, money and communication. But believe when I tell you that communication is the master key.

Do you share the same vision and values with your intending? If not, there might not be much to communicate. Can you disagree without a fight? Do you listen to respond or to understand? Are you able to express yourself clearly to him or her? How often do you speak? Do you enjoy each other's conversations? Can you spend the whole day just gisting with this person?



EASTER 2025 HOLY CONVOCATION

**16th - 18th April
Wednesday - Friday**

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