

How the 12 Apostles died: Peter

Simon, a.k.a. Peter: Simon-Peter, who was appointed by Jesus as leader of the Apostles, was eventually martyred in Rome during the reign of the emperor Nero. As the story goes, Peter asked to be crucified upside down, so that his death would not be the equal of Jesus and the Romans supposedly obliged.

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SUNDAY BULLETIN 4th FEBRUARY, 2018

The Redeemed Christian Church of God
Ebenezer and Halleluyah Parishes
Ishaka-Bushenyi, Uganda

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Livestreams (Dove TV):

- 1st Fridays: 9pm
- 1st Mondays: 9:00am
(DSTV 349; Star Times 464)

To Our First Timers

You are specially welcome. We are glad to have you in our midst. You are special to God and to us. Please, feel at home. We love you in the mighty name of Jesus!

RCCG ANTHEM

We are redeemites
United in Love
Jesus is for us
We shall conquer

Halleluyah!
Halleluyah!!
Halleluyah!!!
Halleluyah!!!!

We are together
United in Love
Jesus is for us
We shall conquer

We are victorious
United in love
Jesus is for us
We shall conquer

Covenant children
United in love
Jesus is for us
We shall conquer

RCCG Ebenezer Parish (Orushenvi-Abuja)

Weekly activities:
Mondays-6:00pm-7:30pm
Thursdays-6:00pm-7:30pm
Sundays:
Workers meeting 7:30am Sunday
School 8:00am
Main Service 9:00am

RCCG Halleluyah Parish (Hot Springs, Ishaka)

Weekly activities:
Mondays-6:30am-7:30am
Wednesdays-6:30pm-8:00pm
Sundays:
Workers meeting 9:00am Sunday
School 9:30am
Main Service 10:30am

NB: Normal weekly activities suspended, except Sunday Services, and replaced with daily prayers at 5-6pm, until the end of the fasting season

Announcements

1. Combined Holy Communion Service today Sunday 4th February, 2018 at 6:00pm at Ebenezer Parish
2. Moments of Inspiration every Mondays to Fridays at 8:00am on World FM 101.3
3. Fifty Days (50) fasting and prayer started on Thursday 11th January and will end on Thursday 1st March, 2018.

Pastoral Message:

What You Believe Is What You Receive!

"Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them" Mark 11:24.

Be careful what you believe because what you believe is what you receive! Many believers do not understand the power of faith and so miss out of a lot of blessings and benefits that should be theirs. What you believe is what you are going to receive. This is why we must never believe anything that is negative about us and anything that does not agree with the word of God. The word of God must be the standard for our lives.

We are in a prayer and fasting season in the Redeemed Christian Church of God worldwide and we are believing God for so many things to happen. The Lord has helped us to have parishes in about 200 countries of the world but one of the things we are believing God for is the expansion of the Church here in Uganda and in some "closed" nations of the world. Already God is answering this prayer and we are confident He will do more.

Beloved, whatever you desire from God believe that you will receive it and you shall have it. Believe that all things are possible (Mark 9:23) and you shall receive all things: for all things are yours (1 Corinthians 3:22). No matter how difficult and big what you need from God is, we serve a God who is "More than Enough" and the "All-Sufficient One", so do not doubt. If God created the whole Universe and everything we can see and cannot see, what is your challenge or need that you think He cannot meet? God asked, "Behold, I am the LORD, the God of all flesh: is there anything too hard for me?" (Jeremiah 32:27) Only believe; all things are possible.

Weekly Radio: Saturdays 6-7pm on

World FM 101.3 (Halleluyah Hour)

Church website: www.rccg.org

Ebenezer Blog: <https://rccgishaka.wordpress.com>

P.H. Bamaiyi Website: www.phbamaiyi.com

February: My Month of Divine Favour

Operation Win One (OWO): Win a soul for Jesus today! Prov. 11:30; Daniel 12:3

- ❖ Operation Invite One (OIO): Invite One friend to Church next Sunday (John 1:40-42)
- ❖ Are you sure you are saved? If in doubt call any of the numbers on this bulletin

SUNDAY SCHOOL
TOPIC: CHRISTIANITY AND
SOCIALISATION

MEMORY VERSE: "Let your moderation be known unto all men. The Lord is at hand"

Philippians 4:5 (KJV)

BIBLE PASSAGE: 1

Corinthians 6:12-13

INTRODUCTION: To socialise simply means "to talk to and do things with other people in a friendly way". There are various ways of socialising, ranging from relating with people in the immediate environment, to getting involved in governance and community development activities. Christian socialisation cuts across recreation, social interaction, cultural activities and political issues. While there may be diverse opinions on the extent of the involvement of Christians in social issues, it should be noted that moderation should be the watch word.

LESSON OUTLINES:

1. BIBLICAL INSTANCES OF SOCIALISATION

Jesus and His disciples attended a wedding ceremony at Cana of Galilee (John 2:1-2). He dined with Zacchaeus in his house (Luke 19:5). He was a friend to the family of Lazarus, Mary and Martha (Luke 10:38-42) and also paid them condolence visit (John 11:33-35). He and His disciples also participated in the Feast of Passover (Mark 14:12-14; Exodus 12:24-27). Apostle Paul interacted with diverse classes of people for the sake of the Gospel in order to win some (1 Corinthians 9:19-23). Daniel

was involved in the political administration of land in His days (Daniel 1:18-21; 6:1-3).

2. WORLDY PERSPECTIVES VERSUS BIBLICAL PERSPECTIVES

Christians cannot live in isolation in this present world. However, we must know when and how to draw the line between worldly (sinful) and acceptable (holy) socialisations. For instance, Christians are expected to recreate (1 Timothy 4:8) but visiting bar/beer joints and night clubs for recreation are unacceptable. Christians should avoid participating or feasting at occasions where idols are celebrated (1 Corinthians 10:28). Modernised carnivals with satanic undertones and other places where Christian integrity is questionable should also be avoided (1 Corinthians 8:10-11; 10:19-21). Watching immoral movies, listening to/singing of ungodly music and wearing seductive apparels in the name of socialisation are also ungodly things Christians must avoid (Philippians 4:5; 1 Corinthians 8:8-11).

While getting involved in secular activities, Christians should watch out and abstain from things that can make them compromise their faith (Philippians 4:8).

CONCLUSION

Whatever we do to socialize should be to the glory of God and edification of the saints (1 Corinthians 10:31). Christians are to show moderation in social interactions

Hymn 1

1. Come, thou Fount of every blessing, Tune my heart to sing thy grace; Streams of mercy, never ceasing, Call for songs of loudest praise. Teach me some melodious sonnet, Sung by flaming tongues above. Praise the mount! I'm fixed upon it, Mount of thy redeeming love.
2. Here I raise mine Ebenezer; Hither by thy help I'm come; And I hope, by thy good pleasure, Safely to arrive at home. Jesus sought me when a stranger, Wandering from the fold of God; He, to rescue me from danger, Interposed his precious blood.
3. O to grace how great a debtor Daily I'm constrained to be! Let thy goodness, like a fetter, Bind my wandering heart to thee. Prone to wander, Lord, I feel it, Prone to leave the God I love; Here's my heart, O take and seal it, Seal it for thy courts above

Hymn 2

1. "Great is Thy faithfulness," O God my Father, There is no shadow of turning with Thee; Thou changest not, Thy compassions, they fail not As Thou hast been Thou forever wilt be. "Great is Thy faithfulness!" "Great is Thy faithfulness!" Morning by morning new mercies I see; All I have needed Thy hand hath provided— "Great is Thy faithfulness," Lord, unto me!

2. Summer and winter, and springtime and harvest, Sun, moon and stars in their courses above, Join with all nature in manifold witness To Thy great faithfulness, mercy and love.

3. Pardon for sin and a peace that endureth, Thine own dear presence to cheer and to guide; Strength for today and bright hope for tomorrow, Blessings all mine, with ten thousand beside!

SUNDAY SCHOOL HYMN

1. O Sunday School, on the Lord's day O how I love Thee well, I am happy, it makes me glad To rejoice at Thy birth.
2. O Sunday School, on the Lord's day Thy friendship suits me well; Both young and old will sing Thy song We long for Sunday School.
3. O Sunday School, on the Lord's day Christ was Thy first teacher, The Holy Spirit, Great Teacher Does manifest in thee.
4. O Sunday School, on the Lord's day This testimony's sure, That God, the Father Almighty, Poured His blessing on thee.
5. O Sunday School, on the Lord's day Though the sun be so bright Or if the clouds be black with rain, I'll be in Sunday School.
6. O Sunday School, on the Lord's day I rejoice to see thee; Will Thou pass over me today Without my being blest?

Please, join a Department today: 1. Prayer Band 2. Sunday School 3. Choir 4. Evangelism/Follow-up 5. Children 6. Media 7. Ushering

❖ In need of urgent Prayer? Call: 0703009550; 0778635274; 0754665158

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