

The Christian Global Harvest

Where You Get To Share Your Story

Welcome to a newsletter that has you in mind!



“So built we the wall; and all the wall was joined together unto the half thereof: for the people had a mind to work.”

Greetings! And welcome back to another exciting edition of The Christian Global Harvest! I pray that you are well and richly blessed.

So far, we have explored a number of different attitudes that we should have toward one another. Let’s explore one more that is crucial to getting things done: our **Attitude** toward our work.

Let me start by saying that we should have an appreciation for the privilege of our work. Paul expresses his appreciation in **1 Timothy 1:12**. “**And I thank Christ Jesus our Lord, who hath enabled me, for that he counted me faithful, putting me into the ministry.**” Are we appreciating the honor it is to offer service in the kingdom of our Lord? And with that honor should be enthusiasm to perform the service. Remember, in all that we do God loves a cheerful giver, according to **2 Corinthians 9:7**. You see, easy things become difficult if done with reluctance. On the other hand, difficult things can be made easier with enthusiasm.

We also need to apply **industriousness** and **due diligence**. As those in Nehemiah’s day, we need a “**mind to work**,” according to **Nehemiah 4:6**. Moreover, whatever we do, we should do it “**heartily**” as unto the Lord, according to **Colossians 3:23**. I don’t know who coined this phrase, but “some people are like blisters, they never show up until the work is done.” Don’t let this be you. **Proverbs 18:9** reveals to us that the slothful person is just as harmful as the destructive person.

To get any kind of work started, **initiative** is a must. Initiative has been defined as the willingness to do what is right without having to be prodded and urged on all the time. We should not have to be reminded constantly of our responsibilities. We must learn to

stir up our gifts and talents as Paul instructed Timothy in **2 Timothy 1:6**. When you see something that needs to be done, don’t criticize, energize! Or just do it yourself!

Lastly, let’s be **positive** and **persistence**. **Philippians 2:14** teaches us that we are to do things without murmuring and grumbling. The chronic complainer and the negative thinker are obstructions to the people of God. They only cause discouragement why hindering the work.

It’s imperative that we have the attitude of Christ, not just to do, but to finish the work of God, according to **St. John 4:34**. My friends, we need “**completeness**” as well as “**initiative**,” as declared in **Hebrews 6:12**. Then we can say with Paul as he declared in **2 Timothy 4:7**. “**I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith.**”

I pray that you have enjoyed this series of teaching because ideal attitudes make for ideal working conditions among church members. Our goal is to promote growth, not to stifle growth.

Sincerely,

Bishop Dr. Willie J. Moore

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Evangelist Kathryn Butler

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Achieving Your Dreams in 2017

“The Best is Yet to Come!!”

The blessing of the Lord, it maketh rich, and addeth no sorrow with it. Proverbs 10:22

It may appear that the blessings of God are not present when we are experiencing challenges or going through some struggles, but His Word is true. *The blessings of the Lord maketh rich and addeth no sorrow.*

When we speak of the blessings of the Lord, many misinterpret it to be solely materialistic and all about our finances. In this instance, we are referring to the Spiritual Bank Account and how God will allow the redeemed to enjoy what the world considers riches through their labor. We not only prosper spiritually and enjoy the fruits of love, peace, joy and contentment, but also enjoy the best this world can offer as well.

Not everyone that is a believer lives in the abundance that God created and meant for us to enjoy. God would have it that all would be saved and that all would enjoy his blessings but we have the option or choice in how we benefit, or not benefit, by the lives we live. Riches are from the Lord, and we should acknowledge it to be so. The blessings are the goodwill and favor of God that makes all rich in Christ. We are made rich in faith and in good works, and with the riches of grace and of glory.

In the second part of the verse, it says “*and addeth no sorrow with it.*” No sorrow goes along with the blessings and we don’t have to deal with the sorrow in getting, keeping, and losing them. The best of what God has for us has yet to come. When we seek the kingdom of God and his righteousness, all these things are added to us, over and above, according to **Matthew 6:33**. As declared in **1 Corinthians 2:9-10a**, “**No eye has seen, no ear has heard, no mind has conceived what God has prepared for those who love him. But God has revealed it to us by his Spirit.**”

We cannot fathom the greatness of what is to come to those who love the Lord. If we can stay focused on the big picture and stay steadfast to the word and stand on his promises, we shall reap if we faint not. Let us not despise small beginnings, as with God, all things are possible and we can do all things through Christ, which strengthens us, according to **Philippians 4:13**. The Best is yet to come!! **Job 8:7** declared, “**Though thy beginning was small, yet thy latter end should greatly increase.**” Our latter shall be greater!

While enjoying the blessings of the Lord, and expecting his return, we must occupy with a glad and grateful heart. The process is perfecting us for God’s glory. God’s plan for our lives is strategic and his plans are to prosper us and do us good and not evil.

“The blessing of the Lord, it maketh rich, and addeth no sorrow with it.”

Let us work in the vineyard and prosper as our souls prosper for “**Lazy hands make for poverty, but diligent hands bring wealth.**” **Proverbs 10:4**

The Best is yet to come!!!

Dare to dream,

Evangelist Kathryn Butler



Bishop Dr. Willie Moore

Presiding Prelate: Voices of Victory National Fellowship
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Mission Update

Mission work is quite interesting and rewarding. You get to meet and work with different people from all walks of life, as well as those you are serving. The rewards are invaluable. You develop new relationships, make new friends, change people's lives and give them hope for the future.

I love mission work for the reasons mentioned. More importantly, it's obedience to the Word of God. Jesus commands us in **Mark 16:15** to **"Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."** This is one of the functions of Voices of Victory Christian Ministry and the National Fellowship. Not only do we preach the gospel, but we partner with others to serve the poor and those who are less fortunate than others.



One of our mission works is in Africa, where we provide teaching materials for promoting the gospel and funds for purchasing food for orphanages. Pastor James works tirelessly preaching and caring for those within his reach, especially orphans. Often they are without food and proper medical care, but by the grace of God and those who have partnered with him to make a difference, the work yet strives to



the glory of God.

Africa can be a very harsh climate for many who live there, both environmentally and economically. And because we can't be in all places at once, we can certainly send our support. And we do!



Another agency we have partnered with is Mission Acts Ministries, led by Evangelist Michael Waldrup. This ministry focuses on the inhabitants of Mexico, where many are deprived of common provisions that we take for granted. Evangelist Waldrup spends most of his time in the country ministering, building, and providing care for the people. He has developed logistical channels to provide clothes, toys, and building



materials to afford better living conditions and a Christian environment to promote the gospel and the establishment of churches.



On the local front, Sister Sophia, the Mother Tressa of Chula Vista, continues to feed and clothe the homeless week after week. She's tireless in her efforts and the Lord continues to meet her needs through the help of others. We really enjoy working alongside her, worshiping, ministering, and providing what we can in the way of food and clothing.



What's heartwarming and encouraging about these missions is that the leaders provide continuous updates to show that they are actively engaged in preaching the good news and providing for those in need. That's a refreshing thought! And they are commended in the sight of God and men for their contributions and perseverance.

Sadly, we can't provide all that is needed. We need your help. Will you partner with us to help these leaders make a difference in the mission work they have been called to fulfill? If so, you can contact us at (619) 697-8597 or admin@voices-of-victory.com or visit our website and make a contribution there: www.voices-of-victory.com. Your contribution will prove invaluable to the work of these ministries. — WJM

Upcoming Events

Department of Women
Southern California First Jurisdiction Church of God in Christ
Missionary and Laywomen Awareness Institute (MLAI)
Bishop Joe L Ealy, Jurisdictional Prelate
Mother Barbara McCoo Lewis, General Supervisor, Jurisdictional Supervisor
Regional Missionary, Evangelist Mazie Sconiers
Regional MLAI Coordinator, Evangelist Kathryn Butler



Saturday, September 16, 2017
7:30 AM – 1:00 PM
Faith Tabernacle Worship Center COGIC ~ 616 Raven Street ~ San Diego, CA 92102
Host Pastor, Elder Adrian Ewings

Theme:
“Front Line Warriors – Faithful, Focused, Fruitful”
Ephesians 6:11, Colossians 3:2, John 15:5

~ SUBTOPICS ~

Maintain a Vibrant Relationship with Christ
Evangelist Candace Brown

Understanding the Ministry of the Missionary
in the Local Church
Evangelist Barbara Devers

Witnessing- Taking the Gospel
to the Whole World
Evangelist Tonya Bailey

Clergy Wives and Laywomen
Valuable Contributors to the
Framework of Our Church at
Every Level
Evangelist Genise Finley

Registration \$25.00
Deadline: August 25, 2017
Please note: There will be no same day registration

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Upcoming Events

Join us for

**Sunday
October 29
11AM**

5th Apostolic Assemblies of Christ's Southern California Sunday Fellowship

**Spirit Filled Worship,
Dynamic Speaking & Wonderful Fellowship.**



*District Elder Paul and
First Lady Classie Reeder,
Facilitators*



*District Elder Jessie and
First Lady Terese Tate,
Facilitators*

VOICES OF VICTORY CHRISTIAN MINISTRY
2778 Sweetwater Springs Blvd, Spring Valley, CA
Bishop Willie Moore, Host Pastor
Dinner will be served immediately after service

International Apostolic University of Grace and Truth



Welcome to Grace International College and International Apostolic University of Grace and Truth. Both schools offer an accelerated academic program geared toward students who are able to devote a major portion of his or her time to independent academic studies and scholarly research. The sole purpose of this university is to provide a high quality, systematic program of study, which will enhance, equip and qualify individuals for service in various Christian ministries.

To learn more about IAUGT, visit their website at: www.iaugt.com.

Dr. Gloria J. Forward - President

Voices of Victory National Fellowship



Our purpose is to assist small churches in developing programs and leadership skills so as to be effective workers and witnesses in their communities and beyond.

Once developed and effective, bring those churches together to do impact ministry on a national level in collaboration with other churches and supporting agencies to meet the spiritual and physical needs of God's people everywhere.

To learn more, visit us at www.vovnf.org and contact us at your earliest convenience. We look forward to hearing from you!

Bishop Dr. Willie J. Moore - Presiding Prelate

Resources You Can Use - Just click on the subjects.

Videos

Weekly Broadcast - Hosted at Voices of Victory Christian Ministry

Teleconference Teaching (6 p.m. PST - 9 p.m. EST)

Patience. Taught by: Prophetess Monica Harris. Recorded payback number is: 1-641-715-3848. Access Code is: 206521#. Course number 103.

Contact Dr. Gloria J. Foward for more information about classes at: [gjforward@hotmail.com](mailto:gjfoward@hotmail.com) or visit www.iaugt.com.

Conference call is free! Dial 1-641-715-3822. Access code is: 206521#. You will be edified by the teaching!

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Mission Statement

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- To provide a venue for ministries to share what they are doing to enhance the Kingdom of God.
- To make these resources available electronically to God's people globally.

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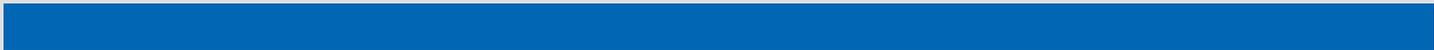
Welcome to September! Schools are in full bloom and the summer is still hot. However, we are steadily moving toward the end of the year. The holidays will be soon be upon us. Meanwhile, let's keep the victims of Hurricane Harvey in our prayers as they recover and rebuild again. Calamities can strike at any time and any place. Even though we plan for the worst, we still need to put God first in all that we do because He is our Salvation.

This month I took the time to give you a mission update from around the world. God's leaders are busy with spreading the Good News while providing for the poor and less fortunate. I personally commend them for their efforts, commitment, and perseverance in working through various challenges to see that the mission is fulfilled.

Evangelist Kathryn Butler blesses us with a power article, *The Best is Yet to Come*. She uses **Proverbs 10:22**, one of my favorites, to support her position. And I must agree that only the Lord's blessing can make one truly rich without any sorrows. Praise His Holy Name!

Please keep in mind that we are striving to make a difference in the lives of others. Again, we can only do so much without your help. We don't have any gimmicks or anything to offer you in exchange for your support, other than the love of God and our sincere gratitude. If at anytime you are led to make a monetary contribution to our mission work, please visit our website at: www.voices-of-victory.com. There you will find a PayPal link to make a contribution. Thank you so much!

Remember, we are striving to bring you the best in gospel content while building a holistic ministry. Continue to look for articles on family, health, wellbeing, and finance. **3 John 1:2** declares, "*Beloved, I wish above all things that thou mayest prosper and be in health, even as thy soul prospereth.*" Until our next edition, send us your story for publication. It will bless the hearts of many. Contact us at admin@vovnf.org. *WJM*



Countries Reached

United States



France



Ghana



Nigeria



Philippines



Japan



India



Jamaica



Canada



United Kingdom



Kenya

