

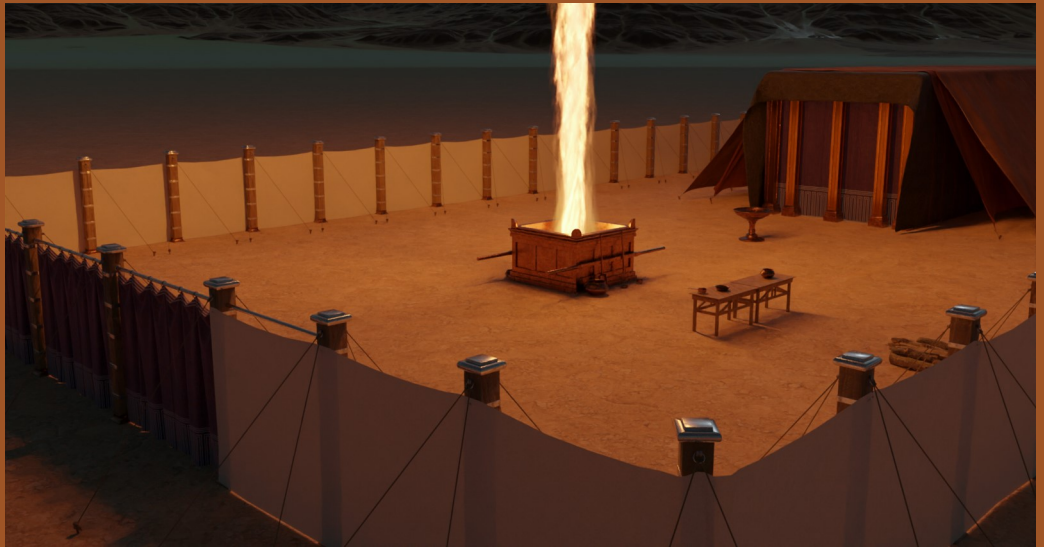
WOL TIMES

March 2024 Edition



Transforming Lives, Fulfilling Destinies

2024, Our Year of Living in His Presence



Exodus 33: 14 -15

Acts 1: 4 – 5

Acts 4: 13 – 14

John 15: 5

2 Corinthians 3: 17

Psalms 16: 11

Theme for March 2024

ARISE



Isaiah 60:1

Matthew 5:14 –16

Ephesians 5:14

2 Kings 19: 5

Genesis 35:3

John 14:31

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Welcome

We welcome you to the February Edition of the WOL Times. We are excited to bring this edition to you and pray that you will find it a blessing and a useful tool. We will love to hear from you, your feedback, your testimonies, your suggestions. Please feel free to send them to info@wordoflife-lcc.org

If you are visiting one of our church services or attending any of our events, WELCOME!!! We are so thrilled you could join and engage with us. We hope you are blessed and will love for you to stay in touch with us by visiting us again or via our website, email or phone.

To get in touch with us, ask a question, get some more information, put in a prayer request, or speak with any of Our Team, please contact us via Email at info@wordoflife-lcc.org or telephone our Church office on 0208 857 7406 and 07930 958 097 Monday to Thursday, 10am to 2pm

To stay up to date with our activities, events and useful information, please check out our website: www.wordoflife-lcc.org.



Welcome!

God Loves You

God Loves YOU and wants you to have a relationship with Him through His son Jesus.

The Bible says that God so loved the world, that He gave His only Son, Jesus, so that whoever believes in him shall not die, but have eternal life (John 3: 16).

The first step to know more of God is to obey His Word and receive Jesus as your Lord and Saviour, by simply repenting of your sins and believing that Jesus has died on the cross and paid the price for you to be reconciled to God for ever. By doing that, you will receive a new life, the very life of God, within you, and you will become a child of God. If you want to make that step, please see below. These will explain to you more about it. Don't put it off, God has been waiting for you... Today is the day! God bless you.

GOD LOVES YOU!!!

step 1 **GOD's Purpose: Peace and life** God loves you and wants you to experience peace and life: abundant and eternal.

*"we have peace with GOD through our Lord JESUS CHRIST."
(Romans 5:1)*

*"I have come that they may have life in abundance."
(John 10:10)*

*"for GOD so loved the world that he gave his only begotten SON, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have everlasting life."
(John 3:16)*

Why don't most people have this peace and abundant life that God planned for us to have?

step 2 **The Problem: Our Separation** God created us in his own image to have an abundant life. He did not make us as robots to automatically love and obey him. God gave us a will and a freedom of choice. We chose to disobey God and go our own wilful way. We still make this choice today. This results in separation from God.



*"for all have sinned and fall short of the glory of GOD."
(Romans 3:23)*

*"for the wages of sin is death, but the gift of GOD is eternal life in CHRIST JESUS, our Lord."
(Romans 6:23)*

Our attempts to reach GOD People have tried many ways to bridge this gap between themselves and God....

*"there is a way that seems right to man, but in the end it leads to death."
(Proverbs 14:12)*

*"but your iniquities have separated you from your GOD: your sins have hidden his face from you, so that he will not hear."
(Isaiah 59:2)*



No bridge reaches GOD... except one...

God Loves You

step 3

GOD's Bridge: The Cross Jesus died on the cross and rose from the grave. He paid the penalty for our sin and bridged the gap between God and people.

*"for Christ died for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, to bring you to GOD."
(1 Peter 3:18)*

*"for there is one GOD and one mediator between GOD and men, that man JESUS CHRIST."
(1 Timothy 2:5)*

*"but GOD demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, CHRIST died for us."
(Romans 5:8)*



**GOD has provided the only way.
Each person must make a choice!**

step 4

Our Response: Receive CHRIST We must trust Jesus Christ as Lord and Saviour and receive him by personal invitation.

*"yet to all who received him, to those who believed in his name, he gave the right to become children of GOD."
(John 1:12)*

*"here I am! I stand at the door and knock. if anyone hears my voice and opens the door, I will come in and eat with him, and he with me."
(Revelation 3:20)*

*"that if you confess with your mouth 'JESUS is Lord' and believe in your heart that GOD raised him from the dead, you will be saved."
(Romans 10:9)*

Where are you?

Will you receive JESUS CHRIST right now?

Here is how you can receive Christ:

1. Admit your need (I am a sinner).
2. Be willing to turn from your sins (repent).
3. Believe that JESUS CHRIST died for you on the cross and rose from the grave.
4. Through prayer, invite JESUS CHRIST to come in and control your life through the HOLY SPIRIT (receive him as Lord and Saviour).



GOD LOVES YOU !

First Word

Arise & Shine

By Reverend Rowland Henshaw

Isaiah 60:1

**Arise, shine; For your light has come!
And the glory of the Lord is risen upon you.
For your light has come! And the glory of the
Lord is risen upon you.**

Every believer is commanded to arise and shine. God wants us to arise and shine wherever we are. In our workplaces, in our communities, in our homes, etc.

Why is it necessary that we shine wherever we go, we shine because we are the light of the world.

The verse 2 of Isaiah 60 there is great darkness.

**For behold, the darkness shall cover the earth,
And deep darkness the people.
But the Lord will arise over you,
And His glory will be seen upon you.**

Jesus tells us the Matthew 5 that we are the light of the World, we are a city that is set on the hill that cannot be hid.

Matthew 5:14-16

14 "You are the light of the world. A city that is set on a hill cannot be hidden. 15 Nor do they light a lamp and put it under a basket, but on a lampstand, and it gives light to all who are in the house. 16 Let your light so shine before men, that they may see your good works and glorify your Father in heaven.

God wants our light to so shine that unbelievers and backsliders will be drawn to the light and the glory of God.

This month, I believe the Lord is challenging us to Arise and shine! Arise from your Slumber.

Arise from your failures.

Arise from apathy.

Arise from complaining and murmuring.



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Can't you see the darkness around you?
Can't you see the deceptions.

If you and I do not arise, the deceptions will continue, and deep darkness will cover our communities, our workplaces, homes and our streets.

John 1:5

5 And the light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not comprehend it.

When we arise, when we get up from whatever we are going through or doing, then the light of Christ will shine through us in the darkness. And darkness will not be able to stop the light. If we do nothing the darkness will continue to grow.

God wants you to Arise and shine and be the light that Jesus says we are.

In the garden of Gethsemane, the disciples had fallen asleep, even though Jesus wanted them to pray with Him. They had fallen asleep; Jesus comes to them and says are you sleeping.

Matthew 26:40-41

40 Then He came to the disciples and found them sleeping, and said to Peter, "What! Could you not watch with Me one hour? 41 Watch and pray, lest you enter into temptation. The spirit indeed is willing, but the flesh is weak."

Jesus wants us to arise from our slumber, He wants us to awake and align ourselves with Him so that His light can shine through us and eliminate the darkness.

He wants us to arise and pray.

He wants to arise and evangelise.

He wants us to arise and show love to the unloved.

When we arise, the Lord will arise with us. And His glory shall be seen over us. God has a good reason for wanting His Church to arise. We find the answer in Isaiah 60:3.

***The Gentiles shall come to your light,
And kings to the brightness of your rising.***

Light attracts, and the Lord is telling us that those in darkness are

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waiting for His light to shine so they can come into the Kingdom.

Jesus says this in Matthew 13:43 as He explains the parable of the good seed and the tares.

Matthew 13:43

43 Then the righteous will shine forth as the sun in the kingdom of their Father. He who has ears to hear, let him hear!

Jesus wants His Church to shine His light today and always until He returns.

Finally, Daniel 12:3

3 Then the wise will shine like the brightness of the heavens, and those who lead many to righteousness will shine like the stars forever and ever.

We are the wise and the righteous, we are righteous because we are the righteousness of God because of Christ Jesus. We are wise because we are soul winners.

Arise and let your light shine today and always, in Jesus name.

Prayer & Fasting

PRAYING FOR OUR YOUTH & CHILDREN

This month we will be fasting and praying for our youth and children. We want to bring our youth and children before the Lord. I believe God has called our children to great things, so let us pray for them with passion, that they will fulfil God's purpose for their lives.

FRIDAY 01/03/2024

Psalm 127:3-5

3 Behold, children are a heritage from the Lord, The fruit of the womb is a reward. 4 Like arrows in the hand of a warrior, So are the children of one's youth. 5 Happy is the man who has his quiver full of them. They shall not be ashamed But shall speak with their enemies in the gate.

- Today let us thank God for our youth and children.
- Let us thank God for his protection over them, over the years.
- Let us thank God for entrusting us with these children.

Prayer & Fasting

- Today we want to thank God for blessing us with wisdom, giving us strength and the provision to parent.
- Let us thank God and declare that we will not be put to shame but will have reasons to testify of God's goodness.

SATURDAY 02/03/20204

JOHN 8:32

And you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.”

Isaiah 64:1-2

Oh, that You would rend the heavens! That You would come down!

That the mountains might shake at Your presence—

2 As fire burns brushwood, As fire causes water to boil.

To make Your name known to Your adversaries,

That the nations may tremble at Your presence!

- Today let us pray that God will rend the heavens and come down on behalf of our youth and children.
- Let us pray that God will break the hardness of heart in them, and that God will make Himself known to them and bring them freedom.
- Let us pray that our youth will know the Lord and surrender their hearts to Christ.
- Pray that they will know the truth and the truth shall set them free. Pray for freedom for them, freedom from every lie, deception, every manipulation etc in the name of Jesus.

SUNDAY 03/03/2024

Joel 2:28-29

28 “And it shall come to pass afterward, That I will pour out My Spirit on all flesh; Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, Your old men shall dream dreams,

Your young men shall see visions.

29 And also on My menservants and on My maidservants

I will pour out My Spirit in those days.

13For it is God who works in you to will and to act on behalf of His good purpose.

Philippians 2:13

13 For it is God who works in you to will and to act on behalf of His good purpose.

- Today let us pray for a Spiritual awakening amongst our youth and children.

Prayer & Fasting

- Let us pray that there will be an outpouring of God's Holy Spirit on them.
- Let us pray for God's hands to be on them for good.
- Let us pray that they will become radical for Christ.
- Pray that the heavens will be open over them, and that God will work through them to do His good purpose.

MONDAY 04/03/2024

ROMANS 12:2

Do not conform to the pattern of this world but be transformed by the renewing of your mind. Then you will be able to test and approve what God's will is—his good, pleasing, and perfect will.

PSALM 144: 11-12

11 Rescue me and deliver me from the hand of foreigners, Whose mouth speaks lying words,

And whose right hand is a right hand of falsehood—

12 That our sons may be as plants grown up in their youth; That our daughters may be as pillars, Sculptured in palace style.

- Let us pray that our youth and children will be protected from strange people.
- From strange doctrine.
- From the lies of the enemy.
- Let us pray that our sons and daughters, will grow strong, rooted, and matured.
- Let us pray that they will grow in the Lord and wont conform to the pattern of this world.
- Pray that they will be transformed by the renewing of their minds.
- Pray against every rebellious attitude.

TUESDAY 05/03/2024

EZEKIEL 36:25-28

25 Then I will sprinkle clean water on you, and you shall be clean; I will cleanse you from all your filthiness and from all your idols. 26 I will give you a new heart and put a new spirit within you; I will take the heart of stone out of your flesh and give you a heart of flesh. 27 I will put My Spirit within you and cause you to walk in My statutes, and you will keep My judgments and do them. 28 Then you shall dwell in the land that I gave to your fathers; you shall be My people, and I will be your God.

Prayer & Fasting

- Today let us pray that God will remove the heart of stone from our young people and children.
- Pray that God will give them a heart of flesh.
- Let us pray that God will remove every hardness of heart from our young people and children.
- Let us pray that God will release His Holy Spirit on them.
- Let us pray that they will serve the Lord and bring glory to God every day of their lives.

WEDNESDAY 06/03/2024

1 Corinthians 15:33

33 Do not be deceived: “Evil company corrupts good habits.” 34 Awake to righteousness, and do not sin; for some do not have the knowledge of God. I speak this to your shame.

2 TIMOTHY 2:20-22

20 But in a great house there are not only vessels of gold and silver, but also of wood and clay, some for honour and some for dishonour. 21 Therefore if anyone cleanses himself from the latter, he will be a vessel for honour, sanctified and useful for the Master, prepared for every good work. 22 Flee also youthful lusts; but pursue righteousness, faith, love, peace with those who call on the Lord out of a pure heart.

- Let us pray that our young people and children will be vessels of honour unto God.
- Let us pray that they will flee every youthful lust.
- Let us pray that they will pursue righteousness, faith, love, and peace.
- Let us pray that they will have godly friends.

THURSDAY 07/03/2024

DANIEL 1:19-20

19 Then the king interviewed them, and among them all none was found like Daniel, Hananiah, Mishael, and Azariah; therefore, they served before the king. 20 And in all matters of wisdom and understanding about which the king examined them, he found them ten times better than all the magicians and astrologers who were in all his realm.

- Let us pray that our young people will be successful in their studies.
- Let us pray that they will be 10 times better than their equals in every sphere of their lives.

Prayer & Fasting

- Let us pray that they will fulfil God's call upon their lives.
- Let us pray that the joy of the Lord will be their strength.

Isaiah 54:13-15

13 All your children shall be taught by the Lord, And great shall be the peace of your children.

14 In righteousness you shall be established. You shall be far from oppression, for you shall not fear. And from terror, for it shall not come near you.

Today let us also declare in faith.

- That our Children will be taught of the Lord and great shall be their peace.
- Declare today that they shall walk and be established in righteousness.
- Declare today that oppression will be far from them.
- Declare that terror will be far from God.
- Declare that they are blessed and favoured by God.

I AM CALLING EVERYONE TO PLEASE JOIN THE EARLY MORNING PRAYER DURING THIS PERIOD OF PRAYER AND FASTING AS WE PRAY FOR OUR YOUNG PEOPLE AND CHILDREN. 6:00AM TO 7:00AM. THANK YOU.

Mother's Day Greeting

Happy Mother's Day! Thank you for being a wonderful mother & a woman who honours God so faithfully. May the Lord bless your daily life with joy of every kind, perfect health & peace of heart & mind.

"The Lord delights in those who fear Him. Who put their hope in His unfailing love"—Psalm 147:11



Regular Events

Monday to Saturday

6am – 7am (daily) Early Morning Prayer Meetings via Zoom, Monday to Saturday

Wednesday

7pm – 8pm (weekly) Midweek Power Service

Friday

12noon – 2pm (weekly) Foodbank & Community Resource Centre in the Lower Hall, Rehoboth building

7pm – 8.30pm (fortnightly) Chosen Generation Youth (CGY) Hub in the Lower Hall, Rehoboth building. **The CGY Hub is a relaxed and safe space for the youth to engage in games, learn life skills, socialise and connect with one another.**

7pm – 8.30pm (weekly) Revival Prayer Meeting in the Main Hall Rehoboth building

Saturday

10.30am – 12.15pm (weekly) SOS Evangelism Outreach at Rehoboth building

5pm – 6pm (weekly) Dig Deep, Search the Scriptures (Interactive Bible Study) via Zoom

Sunday

11.00am Celebration Service at Rehoboth Building (Livestream on YouTube & Facebook)

After Praise and Worship – Children's Church (3 – 12 years)

1.00pm Youth Cell (small) Groups (boys and girls aged 13 onwards)

Weekly Cell Groups (small groups)

Meetings are held via zoom or in person once a week on various weekdays. All our cell groups are homogenous in nature so you can feel at ease. We have men, women, youth and children cell groups to cater for all.

Children and Youth

Our Children and Youth programmes take place in the lower hall on Sundays. The children meet in the lower hall immediately after the time of corporate praise and worship **except for the first Sunday of the month, which is our family Sunday and some other special services.**

The youth also meet in the lower hall every Sunday **immediately after the service** for their cell groups where they can explore the message further and ask questions.

March Diary



POWER service

The Power of the Lord is Present

Acts 10: 38 and Luke 5: 17

March 2024



Power of the Cross & Resurrection

Every Wednesday from 7pm - 8pm

Word of Life Church, 72A Mayeswood Road, Grove Park, London, SE12 9RP

Email: info@wordoflife-lcc.org Web: www.wordoflife-lcc.org



MEN'S ENCOUNTER DAY

Date: Saturday 9th March 2024

Time: 10:00am to 4:00pm

Venue: Main Sanctuary, Rehoboth Building, Word of Life Church,
72A Mayeswood Road, Grove Park, SE12 9RP

Tel-02088577406 /07930958097 (Mon-Thu, 10am-2pm) | Email- info@wordoflife-lcc.org

Free for all men

March Diary



WOL Mothering Sunday

Sunday 10th March *Service*

Time: 11:00am

Main Sanctuary, Word of Life Church, 72A Mayeswood Road, Grove Park, SE12 9RP
Tel-02088577406 /07930958097 (Mon-Thu, 10am-2pm) | Email- info@wordoflife-lcc.org

SYA Fellowship for single young adults



Saturday 23rd March 2024

Time: 9:30am - 12noon

Venue: Address available on request

March Diary



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MISSIONS
SUNDAY
24th March 2024

Time: 11:00am

**Main Sanctuary, Word of Life Church, Rehoboth building,
72A Mayeswood Road, Grove Park, London, SE12 9RP**

Good Friday Communion Service

Friday 29th March 2024

Time: 6:00pm

**Venue: Word of Life Church,
Rehoboth building, 72A Mayeswood
Road, Grove Park, London, SE12 9RP**



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Easter Gospel Evangelistic Event

Easter Saturday 30th March

Time & Venue - To be Confirmed

Word of Life Church, 72A Mayeswood Road, Grove Park, London, SE12 9RP

Tel: 0208 857 7406 / 07930 958 097 (Mon-Thu 10am -2pm) | Email: info@wordoflife-lcc.org



EASTER SUNDAY *Service*

Sunday 31st March 2024

Time: 11:00am

Word of Life Church, Main Sanctuary, Rehoboth building, 72A Mayeswood Road, Grove Park, London, SE12 9RP
Tel: 0208 857 7406 / 07930 958 097 (Mon-Thu 10am -2pm) | Email: info@wordoflife-lcc.org

March Diary

Clocks
Spring
forward

Sunday 31st March 2024



One less hour of sleep



Every Thursday
Time: 6:00 - 7:30pm



Body & Soul
for Ladies!!!

Venue: Lower Hall Community Resource Centre, Word of Life Church, Rehoboth building, 72A Mayeswood Road, Grove Park, London, SE12 9RP

Sessions are led by a qualified personal trainer and are **FREE OF CHARGE**

To register, please email us at community@wordoflife-lcc.org

You are also welcome to **just come along weekly on Thursday evenings!**

Tel - 07930 958 097 (Monday - Thursday 10am - 2pm) | Email - community@wordoflife-lcc.org

March Diary



BODY & SOUL FITNESS

FOR MEN / BOYS



**Every Tuesday
6-00pm - 7-30pm**

FREE to attend

**Lower Hall, Rehoboth building, Word of Life Church,
72A Mayeswood Rd, Grove Park, SE12 9RP**

Tel: 0208 857 7406 / 07930 958 097

**Email:
community@wordoflife-lcc.org**



WARM



**WELCOME
SPACE**

WHEN: FRIDAYS

TIME: 12:00 NOON - 2:00PM

**FREE DROP IN TO KEEP WARM, CONNECT
WITH OTHERS, A HOT DRINK, A HEALTHY
SNACK AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES.**

**VENUE: Word of Life Church, Lower
Floor, Rehoboth Building, 72A
Mayeswood Road, Grove Park,
London, SE12 9RP**



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Community Website: <http://wordoflife-lcc.org/community>**

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FOOD BANK AND COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTRE

Day & Time: Fridays, 12pm to 2pm

**Location: Lower Hall, Word of Life Church, Rehoboth Building, 72A
Mayeswood Road, Grove Park, London, SE12 9RP**

Tel-0208 857 7406 /07930 958 097 (Mon-Thu, 10am-2pm) | Email- info@wordoflife-lcc.org
Community Website: <http://wordoflife-lcc.org/community>

We meet on Friday
1st & 15th March 2024

CHOSEN GENERATION YOUTH HUB

Register
here



for ages 11 to 21

every fortnight Friday 7pm to 8.30pm

Venue: Rehoboth Building, 72A Mayeswood Road,

Grove Park SE12 9RP



Chosen Generation

• **FREE ACTIVITIES** •
for more info contact youth@wordoflife-lcc.org

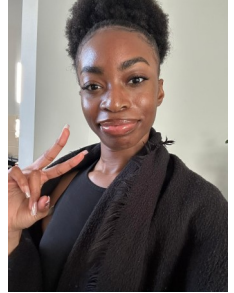
table tennis pool table music quiz nights
movie nights workshops table football refreshments
creative arts mentoring chill & chat space etc...

REGISTRATION LINK: <https://tinyurl.com/YouthHubRegistration>

Youth Corner

Revision Tips—Part 1

By Ashleen Yao



I know doing exams is really stressful and can cause you to procrastinate or get really anxious and fearful however there are some tips and tricks that can help to overcome that

Point 1: God

- putting God first in your exams is SO important, for example praying to God, tell him that you will be starting your exam and you need his guidance and for him to grant you peace

- ☐praying for you start an exam and praying afterwards thanking him no matter what the result of that exam and remember that God has a plan for you not to harm you but to prosper u

Point 2: Revision timetable.

- of course, having God is really important however once God helps you out u are also required to put in the work "faith without works is dead" - ☐

- ☐making a timetable, includes putting more hours in the subjects you are not doing so well in so for example ..extra hours in maths because are struggling 4 hours a week? Perhaps...

Point 3 (basics)

- don't look at anybody else when revising, focus on yourself if your completely struggling ... don't worry what the other person is doing, they will tell u that they haven't revised full on knowing they pulled an all nighter revising for that subject...

- ☐YOU HAVE TO BE DISCIPLINED, without discipline you will not go far ... so something to help with that is doing 25 minutes of something then you will get into the mood and want to do longer - method: 25 minutes then 10 minutes break then repeat

- ☐TAKE A BREAK, this is something that I am currently struggling with , taking breaks but taking breaks doesn't mean just laying in bed you can reward yourself by going out with your friends or buying something for you self, once your mind adapts to that rewards it would become a healthy revision plan, where you work, then you reward yourself for it.

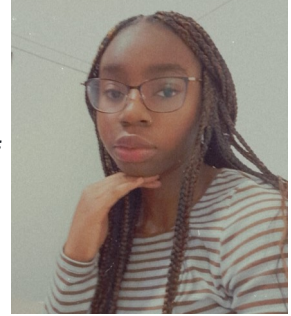
Well, that's all I got for now, you Get this and God is with you always!!!
Praying for your success.

Youth Corner

Revision Tips—Part 2

By Inioluwa Akinola

The traffic light method ●●● is a revision technique that uses colour-coding to organize and prioritize study materials.



1. ***Colour Coding***: Assign colours to different parts of your study materials. Typically, ● signifies content you understand well, ● signifies content you partially understand or needs to review further, ● and signifies content you don't understand at all or need significant review.
2. ***Review and Assessment***: Start by reviewing your study materials and identifying the areas that you understand well, those that need a bit more attention, and those that require significant review.
3. ***Colour Application***: Use highlighters or colored pens to mark the different sections of your materials according to their level of understanding. Highlight or mark ● for areas you understand well, ● for areas that need review, and for ● areas that require significant review or clarification.
4. ***Prioritisation***: Focus your study time on the areas marked in ● first, followed by those marked in ●. Once you feel confident in those areas, move on to the ● sections for a quick review to reinforce your understanding.
5. ***Reassessment***: After studying the ● and ● sections, reassess your understanding by going through those areas again. Update the colour codes as needed based on your improved understanding.
6. ***Regular Review***: Always revisit your materials and update the colour codes as your understanding improves. The aim of the game is that everything should remain ● so this method helps you focus your study time efficiently and prioritize areas where you need the most improvement.

As Ashleen said about putting God first, your need to pray, pray for: understanding, strength, and sound mind. However, u can't just pray and then do nothing. You have to do both work and have faith.

<https://youtube.com/shorts/Hy53OPU-F2E?si=fNPmPH5vet7H63xM>

Church News



ARE YOU NEW TO WORD OF LIFE CHURCH?

Welcome to Word of Life Church! We are so glad you have chosen to visit and be part of our services. If you have any questions will like to know more about the Church, receive pastoral help, or explore how you can connect and be involved in the life of the Church, please come speak with any of the team or send us an email at info@wordoflife-lcc.org. Someone will respond to you as soon as possible. Thank you

YOUR WELLBEING IS OUR CONCERN / BENEVOLENCE (CARING FOR ONE ANOTHER)

If you have any concerns, please do let us know. Your well-being is especially important to us. If you require prayer or pastoral help / counselling or support, please do not stay silent, please let your cell leader, any of the leadership team or the church board member representatives (Brother Sylbourn Sydial and Sister Serena Manly-Spain) know, so we can offer prayer and support. Please do not isolate yourself, speak with someone. In addition, if you are in in need and require practical assistance, please let your cell leader know or send an email to info@wordoflife-lcc.org

AN OPPORTUNITY AND A CALL TO SERVE

This 2024 we are inviting every member of WOL to give your time, strength, commitment, gifts, and talents to serve the Lord here in Word of Life Church. Your Church needs your service in many areas of ministry. We are particularly looking for more **stewards / ushers, children's workers, and more** immediately. You are also very welcome to serve in other areas that you believe the Lord has called you to with your gifts and talents. We believe that every Christian is called to serve by Jesus so please get in touch with us by emailing info@wordoflife-lcc.org or speak with your cell leader or deputy cell leader and complete one of our volunteer worker's form. Please do not sit on your gifts and talents this year. We look forward to hearing from you.

Church News

HOUSEKEEPING / SAFEGUARDING:

Mobiles - We encourage every congregational member to please switch off mobile phones during the service as we concentrate on worshipping God and hearing His Word and the voice of the Holy Spirit. Kindly please avoid texting, calling, responding to messages, watching, or scrolling through your mobile phone or the internet while the service is going on. We do understand that in exceptional / rare cases there might be an emergency but on the whole let's focus on the Lord and give due reverence and honour to Him during our time of Worship.

Children - We would like to remind parents and guardians to please keep their eyes out for their children and the young ones while in the church premises. Let's join to help keep them safe and stop them from coming to any kind of harm.

Personal Belongings - Please keep your personal belongings with you while in the building premises. Many thanks for your co-operation.

For any safeguarding concerns, involving children or vulnerable adults please email safeguarding@wordoflife-lcc.org

BEING MINDFUL OF GOD'S HOUSE- REHOBOTH BUILDING

We would like to ask everyone to please be mindful and intentional about caring for, looking after, and keeping clean and tidy the house of the Lord. Please avoid bringing food or drink (except water) into the main sanctuary Let us join to do this. We also ask that you please be mindful of the carpets in the building, IN PARTICULAR in the main sanctuary. Let us please keep it clean as much as we can by using the mats as we come into the building. Thank you for your help with this.

We also want to be good stewards of the resources God provides us in this House, so we ask that everyone please help with avoiding wastage of any of the church's resources. Thank you for your help with this.



Upcoming Events



Find the TRUTH

2024, APRIL 14

WORD OF LIFE CHURCH
72A MAYESWOOD ROAD, LONDON
SE12 9RP

FOR SINGLE
YOUNG ADULTS, YOUNG COUPLES,
YOUNG PROFESSIONALS AND MILLENIALS

Upcoming Events



M'PACT **MEN'S RETREAT**

Friday 28th June - Sunday 30th June 2024

**Venue: High Leigh Christian Conference Centre in
Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire**

Registration & Payment Details:

<http://tinyurl.com/MPactMensRetreat2024>

Tel - 0208 857 7406 / 07930 958 097 (Mon-Thu 10am-2pm) ; Email - mpact@wordoflife-icc.org



Fresh, Fruitful & Flourishing

Ladies Retreat 2024

**25th - 27th October 2024
(Friday to Sunday)**

High Leigh Conference Centre, Hoddesdon, Hertfordshire, EN11 8SG

Cost: £218.75 per person

Register here: <http://tinyurl.com/FreshLadiesRetreat2024>

***If you would like to set up a Standing Order
please contact us by email fresh@wordoflife-icc.org***

**Tel - 0208 857 7406 or 07930 958 097 (Mon - Thu 10am - 2pm)
Email - fresh@wordoflife-icc.org**

Bible Book of the Month

THE BOOK OF DANIEL

This month, let's join to read, meditate, study, and explore the book of DANIEL.

The book of Daniel captures the major events in the life of the prophet Daniel during Israel's exile. His life and visions point to God's plans of redemption and sovereign control of history.

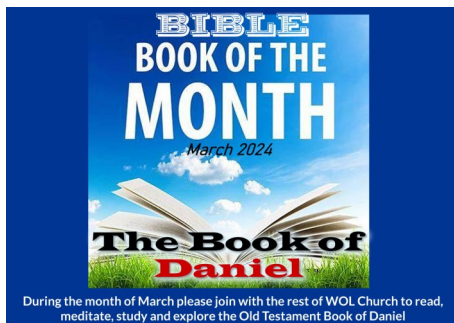
The book of Daniel is about how God shows His everlasting wisdom, power, and faithfulness through one of Israel's greatest prophets.

God's wisdom is pervasive in the book of Daniel. In God's wisdom, Daniel was brought to Babylon to give counsel. Through God's wisdom, Daniel is proven to be a trustworthy prophet, even capable of interpreting other people's dreams. Daniel attributes his vast wisdom, insight, and understanding to his wise God.

The God of Israel is consistently called the Most High God in the book of Daniel. He is the one who raises and removes kings. He is the Ancient of Days on the throne He is the God of heaven, whose kingdom will never be destroyed.

Daniel's visions show God's faithfulness to His people. God cares for His people and gives them a set of prophecies that point to the events that come in later days. Daniel prophecies about the Messiah, the temple, Jerusalem, and a coming kingdom of righteousness. Through Daniel, God promises a full restoration of Israel.

Daniel can be neatly divided into two parts. The first half is primarily narrative, and concerns Daniel's life in Babylon under foreign kings. The second half is mostly a record of Daniel's visions concerning Israel and world empires.



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Notices

Happy Birthday Greetings to all those born in the month of **MARCH** and **Congratulations** to all celebrating **Anniversaries** this month!



GIVING (Tithes & Offerings)

- **CASH** - put in an envelope (available from the ushers), mark it as 'Christmas Hampers' & place cash/envelope in the basket
- **BANK TRANSFER** - Lloyds Bank- Account#- 03215544, Sort Code- 30 91 87, Account Name: ECKT Word of Life Church
- **GIVT APP**—Download the free app & select Word of Life Church (Lewisham)

TESTIMONIES



Every testimony of God's goodness brings glory to Him and encourages others greatly.

Please email your written or video recorded testimony to info@wordoflife-lcc.org We look forward to hearing from you and sharing God's goodness

WATER BAPTISM

If you will like to be baptised, please speak with your cell leader or email the Church office at

admin@wordoflife-lcc.org.



DEDICATIONS



If you will like to dedicate your child, please contact the church office by emailing admin@wordoflife-lcc.org or ringing 07930 958 097.

Dedications are usually held 2nd/3rd/4th Sundays of the month.

SUNDAY SERVICE MESSAGES



Messages are currently available to watch/listen by visiting our YouTube channel: <https://www.youtube.com/user/wordoflifecf>
Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/wollcc>
Spotify Podcast: (Word of Life Church LCC) <https://open.spotify.com/show/4tWTW5KRivYcVeifF9LPZy?si=a8d2f806ac454534>

WOL Mission Statement

'Transforming Lives, Fulfilling Destinies'



A CHURCH WITH PURPOSE ...

To be a God-centred church, developing people to Christ-like maturity and equipping them for their ministry in the church, and life mission in the world.



... AND VISION

To impact the Borough of Lewisham with the gospel of Christ in word and action, and to touch London and the nations of the world.

*"Go and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the Name of the Father, Son and Holy Spirit, and teaching them to do all that I have commanded you."
(Matthew 28:19-20)*

"2024, Our Year of Living in His Presence"