

NEC Officers On Duty				
Date	Elder	Mobile	Deacon	Mobile
04/11/18	Mr. L Chisha	0966890101	Mr. W Mwape	0966 846 300
11/11/18	Dr. F Kalaba	0971771043	Mr. M Mukubuta	0977 617 034
18/11/18	Mr. R Kamanga	0968350143	Mr. C Tembo	0976 849 239
25/11/18	Mr. L Chisha	0966890101	Mr. W Mwape	0966 846 300
02/12/18	Dr. F Kalaba	0971771043	Mr. M. Mwelwa	0955 839 122



Pastor Mtonga (left) faithfully served NEC for over 20 years. We thank the Lord for his love and care.

6) Music

This subcommittee will help the church in the worship of our faithful God through hymns and spiritual songs. The members are: Mr. Kambuta Kandochi, Mr. Richard Chiyangi, Mrs. Lilly Kalaba, Mrs Agnes Milambo, Mrs. Mahongo Banda and Mr. Caleb Mwewa.

D Days of Final Meetings

Several meetings will be planned, leading up to the climax of our celebration from 14th to 20th October, 2019.

PASTOR'S CORNER

Great is Your Faithfulness

Lam 3:22-23

The verse above points to three attributes of God namely, love, mercy and faithfulness. This verse is our theme of our 25th anniversary celebration. The Wycliffe dictionary of Theology defines God's faithfulness in two

ways. Firstly, "He is reliable, firmly constant and not given to arbitrariness or fickleness." Secondly, it means "covenant loyalty, steadfastness, loyal love (always merciful or kind)." Our God is truly faithful!



As we celebrate 25 years of our existence, our focus should be on how the Lord has been faithful to us as a church. I can imagine that when the suggestion was first made to start a work in Nkana East, not many were warmed to this idea because it meant leaving the comfort and stability of meeting at Kitwe Chapel to meeting in a primary school! There were other issues to do with parting company with our dear brothers and sisters in a stable church to meet in a smaller group. This might have scared some people. There were also other issues, such as leadership and construction of a church building of our own for worship.

Looking back at the decision to start a new work in 1994, there is no doubt that the Lord has proved that he is faithful. He has provided for this congregation all that she has ever needed—be it a place of meeting, leadership, growth, direction and protection. It is therefore, important that as we clock 25 years we take a very close look at how the Lord has been faithful to us. As God's people, we need to ask ourselves: *Have we been faithful to Him in appreciation of His faithfulness?* May the Lord help us draw near to him as we spend this period of commemoration!

NKANA EAST CHAPEL

WELCOME NOVEMBER 2018



CHURCH MEETINGS

Saturday Worship	06:00 Hours: Men's Prayer Meetings on Saturdays at Church 14:00 Hours: Youth Meeting on Saturdays at Church 14:00 Hours: Ladies Meeting on 2nd and 3rd Saturday of the Month
Sunday Worship	09:00 Hours: Sunday School & Adult Bible Classes 10:00 Hours: Family Service 16:00 Hours: Evening Service
Tuesday/Thursday/ Friday	Bible Study/Prayer Meeting in House Groups with Different Timing

PULPIT MINISTRY – NOVEMBER, 2018

Date	Morning Service			Evening Service		
	S/Leader	Text	Speaker	B/Bread	Text	Speaker
04/11/18	Mr. W Mulenga Psalm 37	Luke 12: 22 -34	Ps. S Banda	Mr. M. Mwelwa	Acts 13: 1-12	Dr. F Kalaba
11/11/18	Mr. W Mulenga Psalm 38	Pr. 22:6	Mr. R Kamanga	Mr. J Bwalya	Nehemiah 1:1-4	Ps S Banda
18/11/18	Mr. W Mulenga Psalm 39	Own Topic	Rev Alan Purser	Mr. M Lukwesa	Nehemiah 1:5-11	Ps S Banda
25/11/18	Mr. W Mulenga Psalm 40	Matt 5: 1-3	Ps S Banda	Mr. J Chiyengi	Nehemiah 2:1-8	Mr K Kalyata
02/12/18	Mr. W Mwape Psalm 41	Matt 5:4	Ps S Banda	Mr. P Mbewa	Nehemiah 2:9-20	Mr. P Manda

NEC 25TH Anniversary Celebration 2019 *Lam. 3:23 great is your faithfulness*



Flashback: Services at Riverain Primary School, 1995

The coming NEC Anniversary Celebration is not just any other celebration. It marks NEC's Jubilee Year! What is its purpose? Who will be the participants in planning its events? How should you, as a church member, get involved in the preparations?

A. The purpose of the celebration

It is important in everything we do to be clear on the reasons for doing it. For our forthcoming 25th anniversary we need to focus on four things. Firstly, we must reflect on the Lord's faithfulness—what He has done through NEC from the time it started till now. Secondly, this is an opportunity to help those who do not know the history of NEC to understand where we have come from. The third reason is to examine the current state and ministry of the church and compare our progress during the different periods up today. Lastly, it is our desire to spend time to thank the Lord for his dealings with the church in the past, and ask him for his help and direction for the future.

B The participants of the celebration

Our hope is that all the current church members will actively participate in the planned tasks for the celebration. We also hope that some **past** church members will make time and join us as we reflect on God's faithfulness. In addition, we shall be delighted to

have a representation from our two church plants namely, Pilgrim and Solwezi Chapels. We will also invite our sister churches and other churches of like mind to join us in our remembrance and thanksgiving.

C. The planning of the celebrations

i) Organising Committee

A committee has been set up to act as the main organizing committee. This reflects the desire by the leadership to encourage every member of the church to, not only participate, but also to own these celebrations. This is an opportunity to demonstrate real Christian unity at Nkana East Chapel. The people appointed on this committee are: Mr. Simon Banda, Mr. Riebeck Kamanga, Mr. Mubiana Mukubuta, Mr. Winston Mwape, Mrs. Wendy Nyekete, Mr. Johnwell Simwingwa, Mr. Kambuta Kodochi, Mrs. Lillian Katemba, Mrs. Jester Bwalya and Mr. Sakeni Kadochi.



Flashback: Dedication of NEC Plot

(ii) The Sub Committees

In addition to the above Organising Committee the following subcommittees will be formed:

1) Hospitality

The Hospitality Team, which will be responsible for looking after the participants, will be made up of Mrs Lilian Katemba, Mrs Sarah Mwape, Mr Lewis Chisha, Mr Peter Manda, Mrs Margret Muyangwa, Mrs Jester Bwalya, Mrs Patience Mukubuta and Dr. Womba Kadochi.



Flashback: Laying the Foundation for NEC Church Building.. It was tough. Were the labourers few?

2) Media

This committee will be responsible for documenting and providing technical support. The members of this group are Mr. Sakeni Kadochi, Mr. Leonard Nyirongo, Mr. Chilekwa Kampeshi, Mr. Mubiana Mukubuta, Miss Lisa Nyekete and Mr Dickson Lumandi.

3) Infrastructure

The task of this subcommittee is to oversee works to be done on the Chapel building and the premises. The members of this group are: Mr. Roy Kaonga, Mrs. Margret Kwensa, Mrs Chungu Chiyangi, Mr. Charles Tembo, Mr. Collins Chisala, Mrs. Chisala Chipili, Mr. Edgar Muwowo, Mr. Riebeck Kamanga, Mrs. Elizabeth Kampeshi, Mr. Joseph Bwalya, Dr. Nyekete, Mr. Cipo Mbozi and Mr. Charles Tembo Jr.



Soon the walls were going up!

4) Fundraising

We encourage every member of the church to give to the Lord as an exercise and expression of their worship to the Lord. We also hope to engage in ventures that will bring in the revenue to carry out all the things we wish to do. This group shall consist of Mr. Field Silomba, Mr. Kakoma Ngombo, Mrs. Wendy Nyekete, Mr Richard Chiyangi, Mrs Mwiza Mulenga, Mrs Mutale Muwowo, Mrs. Beatrice Kapanji, Mrs Doreen Mulela and Mrs Mahongo Banda.



The church was finally completed. We all rejoiced. The Lord Makes Things So Beautiful in His Own Time!

5) Social Concern

This committee shall be responsible for leading the church to do something in our community. Taking a lead in this task are the following: Mr. Wishard Mulenga, Mr. Robert Katemba, Mrs Nazen Chibwe, Mrs. Mwila Lamba, Mrs. Leya Nyirongo, Mrs Namwila Kadochi and Mr. Johnwell Simwingwa.

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