Nkana East Chapel Weekly Bulletin

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Nkana East Chapel Pulpit Ministry Week 3 of July 2020									
	Morning Service			Evening Service			Officers on duty		
Date	Song Leader	Text	Speaker	Chairman	Text	Speaker	Elder	Deacon	
05.07.2020	Mr. J Chiyengi Psalm 112	Phil 2	Ps. S Banda	Mr. J Tembo Ecuador	Heb 13: 7-14	Mr. L Chisha	Pf. F Kalaba	Mr. W Mwape	
12.07.2020	Mr. W Mulenga Ps 113	Phil 2	Ps. S Banda	Mr. H Kadochi	Heb 13: 15-19	Mr. R Chiyangi	Mr. L Chisha	Mr. P Mbewa	
19.07.2020	Mr. W Mulenga Ps 114	Phil 2	Ps. S Banda	Mr. L Chisha	Heb 13: 20-25	Mr. W Samiselo	Mr. R Kamanga	Mr. J Siwingwa	
26.07.2020	Mr. W Mulenga Ps 115	Ps 100	Ps. C Mwanza	Mr. P Manda	Ecclesiastes 1:1-11	Ps. S Banda	Pf. F Kalaba	Mr. C Tembo	
02.08.2020	Mr. J Bwalya Psalm 116	Ps 101	Pf. F Kalaba	Mr. M Mwelwa	Ecclesiastes 1:12-18	Ps. S Banda	Mr. L Chisha	Mr. M Mwelwa	



Your Group is Important... Let's Pray for NEC GROUPS

SCRIPTURE: 1 JOHN: 12-14 (ESV)

12 I am writing to you, little children, because ^ryour sins are forgiven for his name's sake.

13 I am writing to you, fathers,

because you know him who is from the beginning.

I am writing to you, young men, because you have overcome the evil one.

I write to you, children, because you know the Father.

14 I write to you, fathers,

because you know him who is from the beginning.

I write to you, young men, because you are strong,

and the word of God abides in you, and you have overcome the evil one.

n the passage above the Apostle John addresses different groups that make up the congregation of God's people. It is important to note that there are different groups of people in the body of Christ. And these different groups are important to the life and ministry of the church. We wish to take time this week and pray for the different kinds of people and their situations. Please feel free to add names of the people as you pray individually or even as a family.

THE MEETINGS OF THE NEC ASSEMBLY

Following the elders' meeting on Wednesday, 1st July, 2020 a number of decisions were made concerning our meetings. Below are the decisions the elders made:



Introduction of a needed midweek meeting on Wednesdays from

18:00hrs to 19:00 hrs. The meeting shall look at various topics, the first one being the Doctrine of the Holy Spirit. The last Wednesday of the month shall be devoted to prayer time at the chapel. We encourage all the members to attend.

The meetings of various ministries can now take place under the strict health measures. This means that these meetings should be conducted at the chapel because it is easier to monitor them. The duration of all these meetings shall not exceed one hour allowed by the health department. Before the meetings for ministries start it will be good for the elders to be notified.

We hope to have the breaking of bread once in a month during the Covid pandemic period. This shall be done during one of the evening services. Be assured of our commitment to take all the necessary measures.

THE FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

- Wednesday 15th July, Midweek meeting at the chapel from 18:00hrs to 19:00hrs. Topic: The Doctrine of the Holy Spirit
- Saturday, 18th July, Prayer meeting at the chapel from 06:00hrs to 07:00hrs for men with the rest joining from their homes
- Sunday, 19th July, Morning Service at the chapel from 10:00hrs to 11:00hrs. Chairman – Mr. W Mulenga, Preacher: Ps S Banda
- Sunday, 19th July, **Evening Service** at the Chapel from 16:00hrs to 17:00hrs. Chairman Mr. L Chisha, Preacher: Mr. W Samiselo.

THE MIDWEEK MEETINGS - THE DOCTRINE OF THE HOLY SPIRIT

- First Session 8th July
- Second session 15th July
- Third session 22nd July
- 29th July Monthly Prayer meeting
- Fourth session 5th August

PRAYER FOCUS FOR WEEK BEGINNING 12th JULY TO 18th JULY

Thanksgivings items

- For the first midweek meeting which took place on Wednesday, 8th of July.
- The traveling mercies for our brothers and sisters who travelled out of town during the week. Elder Kalaba was in Lusaka on Friday.
- We thank the Lord for his help in the meetings that we had during last week.
- For the grace given to brother Patrick Mbewa who was preaching at Ndeke Village Chapel.
- We thank the Lord that Solwezi Chapel was able to meet for the first time in months after obtaining the health certificate from the government. The attendance was good for the first meeting.

Items for petitions

- Pray for the commencement of ministries in monthly meetings that the Lord shall bless these efforts.
- The political, economic and spiritual state of the nation.
- Pray for Solwezi and East Park Chapels for growth. Remember the leaders that the Lord shall continue to guide, protect and provide for them.
- The recruitment process for teachers for our school that the Lord shall lead us to the right people.

Those away

- Mr. and Mrs. Kwensa travelled to Lusaka on Friday for medical attention. Pray that wisdom be given to the doctors to help our dear ones.
- Lisa Nyekele and Chitendi Chiyengi, the Chishas travel to Lusaka on Saturday to take Mkoti to School, they travel back on Sunday.

Those unwell

Mr. Milambo, Mr. and Mrs. Kwensa, Mrs. Jennifer Njovu

Sunday 12th July, - The Older Generation

- We thank the Lord for those who are still faithful to the Lord and serve as role models to the rest of the church.
- Pray for grace for those struggling with poor health that the Lord shall give good health even in old age.
- For their businesses that the Lord shall prosper them.

Monday 13th July, - The Men in the Church





Men Take Up Tough Projects at NEC

- Pray for fathers to be role models for their children.
- The commitment of the men in the life and ministry of the church.
- For the men's committee for grace to do their work.
- Pray men in need of employment or business opportunities.
- Who live and work away from their families for God's grace that the family units may in the near future be reunited.



Young Men Active in Media Team

Tuesday 14th July, - The Couples

- For unity in the marriage
- For wisdom to raise children and deals with matters relating to the extended family
- The couple's ministry committee to be given wisdom in their work

Write an encouraging short story on how you found your husband or wife.



Wednesday 15th July, - The Young People



Write a Testimony on How NEC Youth Group Has Benefited You

- a) Pray for the salvation of those youths who are not saved.
- b) Pray for growth for those who are believers. That they may know their savior and seek to serve him within and outside the church.
- c) Pray for those away for studies.
- d) For those are looking for places in tertiary institutions.
- e) For those for employments or business opportunity.
- f) Pray for Wishard and Lisa's marriage plans for next month.



Or Write a Christian
Adventure.
Share Your Encouragement.

- g) For those looking for marriage partners.
- h) For the ministry among the youths to be effective in reaching out to other young people.

Thursday 16th July, Pray for The Children



Reaching Out to Children with the Gospel:

A Spiritual Emphasis at Nkana East Primary School



It's a Mixture of Nursery and Older Children. None is too small to give Praise!

Pray ...

- a) For wisdom in dealing with the current situation where children are not allowed in public gatherings and thus their physical Sunday program has been suspended.
- b) Pray for parents to find time to train their children in the ways of the Lord.
- c) Pray that the current recordings of messages for the children by the Sunday school teacher may be used to help the children.
- d) Pray for them that the closure of schools shall not hinder their academic progress.
- e) Pray for their salvation.

Friday 17th July, The Leaders

- a) Pray for wisdom and grace to be given to the elders as they do their work especially with the Covid 19 pandemic.
- b) Pray for the deacons that the Lord will help them in serving the body of Christ.
- c) For the ministry leaders that they may know the Lord's help in the leading of their ministries.
- d) Pray for our political leaders for grace to govern this nation in the fear of the Lord.



NEC Elders and their Dear Wives

PRAY FOR EGYPT





Egypt Arab Republic of Egypt in Africa

See Prayer Information

Geography

Area: 997,739 sq km

Mostly desert; only 3% is arable land - along the banks and delta

of the Nile River and around the Western Desert oases.

Population: 84,474,427Annual Growth: 1.83%

Capital: Cairo Urbanites: 42.8%

HDI Rank: 123 of 182 (UN Human Development Reports 2009)

Peoples

Peoples: 39 (59% unreached) All peoples

Pray for the Unreached Abaza, Arabized of Egypt



"Declare his glory among the nations" Psalm 96:3

Unreached Peoples Prayer Card

Official language: Arabic Languages: 27 All languages

Religion

Largest Religion: Muslim

Religion		Pop %	Ann Gr
Christians	10,838,069	12.83	1.4
Evangelicals	3,282,646	3.9	4.6
Muslim	73,213,986	86.67	

Prayercast

Answer to Prayer

The innovative use of electronic media through websites, chat rooms, satellite TV and mobile phone downloads has opened a way for millions of Muslims to hear the gospel clearly, in safer environments for true seekers. Signs indicate a very widespread response.

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Challenge for Prayer

The Coptic Church is by far the largest body of Christians in the Middle East and is a strategic key for the evangelization of the region. Pray for:

- a) Church leaders, especially the Coptic Pope. Wisdom, grace and confidence are needed in handling the Muslim authorities, Islamist persecution and the questioning world. A close walk with God is essential to be both a bridge between communities and an example to their flock.
- b) A spiritual awakening Church-wide in the midst of mounting pressures and communal tensions. Many Copts are very nominal. The responses to Muslim agitation need to be humble and loving but strong, and only those walking in faith are capable of this.
- c) The biblically based renewal movement in the Coptic Church, which has steadily gained momentum since 1930. It strongly emphasizes Bible study and personal faith, and many are fervent witnesses for the Lord. Monasticism sees a rejuvenation as well. Pray for the growth and effectiveness of this movement of the Spirit.
- d) Christians are numerous in business, the professions and health services, but overall the Coptic influence within Egypt is much less than their large numbers warrant. Pray that Copts might have a positive and transforming effect in the nation, just as Joseph did millennia ago.

For an additional 11 Challenges for Prayer see Operation World book, CD-ROM, or DVD-ROM.

More Information

The Operation World book, CD-ROM, and DVD-ROM provide far more information and fuel for prayer for the people of Egypt.



BIBLE STUDY QUESTIONS

The Promotion and Protection of Christian Fellowship Part 2: Philippians 2:3-4

- a) What is the meaning of humility?
- b) Why is humility important?
- c) Why do we find it difficult for a person to humbly himself?
- d) How can one show humility towards others?
- e) Give reasons that makes us look only to our own interest?
- f) Why we should look at another people's interest?



