



COMPASSION DIGEST

A WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF ALL CHRISTIANS FELLOWSHIP MISSION

THEME OF THE YEAR

GOD OF ALL IMPOSSIBILITIES

JEREMIAH 32:27 KJV

APRIL

ANNOUNCEMENT

- 09** SUNDAY 9TH APRIL, 2023
Celebration Service
Mercy Group should wait immediately after service
Venue: Cathedral of compassion
- 10** MONDAY 10TH APRIL, 2023
Faithfulness Group Meeting
Time: 5:00pm
Venue: Multipurpose Hall
- 11** TUESDAY 11TH APRIL, 2023
Bible Study
Manual: Be the Change You Want To See
Previous Study: Be Just
Topic: Be Kind
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Time: 6:00pm. (Or as agreed by the various centers)
Venue: All Small Group Centers.
- 13** THURSDAY 13TH APRIL, 2023
HELP FROM ABOVE is
-Prayer and Fasting day for the entire church.
-A Healing, Miracle and Deliverance service
-An outreach programme (reaching unsaved people for Christ and reaching out to other people who are hurting and are in need).
Please invite your neighbours, friends, colleagues and unbelievers.
Time: 5:00pm.
Venue: ACFM Cathedral of Compassion.
- 15** SATURDAY 15TH APRIL, 2023
Church Sanitation
Goodness group, Sanitation Group B and the Youth Fellowship All (Tribes).
- 17** MONDAY 17TH APRIL, 2023
ACFM Maitama General women's fellowship meeting comes up on Date: Mon. 17th April, 2023.
Time: 5pm
Venue: Cathedral of compassion
Old and new members are encouraged to be in attendance.
- 22** SATURDAY 22ND APRIL, 2023
Joining of Holy Matrimony between Sis. Blessing Chinaemelum Okafor & Bro. Peter Chibuzo Nwoye
Time: 10:00am.
Venue: ACFM Cathedral of Compassion
Date: Sat. 22nd April, 2023
- 24** MONDAY 24TH APRIL, 2023
2nd National Prayer and Fasting (14 Days)
Date: Mon 24th April – Sun. 7th May, 2023

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

LOW IN THE GRAVE HE LAY

1. Low in the grave He lay,
Jesus my Savior!
Waiting the coming day,
Jesus, my Lord!

Chorus

*Up from the grave He arose,
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes;
He arose a victor from the dark domain,
And He lives forever with His saints to reign.
He arose! He arose!
Hallelujah! Christ arose!*

2. Vainly they watch His bed,
Jesus, my Savior!
Vainly they seal the dead,
Jesus, my Lord!

3. Death cannot keep his prey,
Jesus, my Savior!
He tore the bars away,
Jesus, my Lord!

FELLOWSHIP ACTIVITIES

FIRST DAY OF THE MONTH

Atmosphere of Worship
ACFM Cathedral of Compassion

6AM

EVERY TUESDAY

Bible Studies
Small Group Centres

6PM

EVERY THURSDAY

Help from Above
ACFM Cathedral of Compassion

5PM

EVERY SUNDAY

Celebration Service
ACFM Cathedral of Compassion

8AM

PASTOR IN CHARGE

Resident Pastor
08033141485

MON - FRI

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OUR VISION

To raise Christ-like disciples who would be agents of transformation in the world.

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OUR MISSION

To bring people to Jesus and membership in his family, develop them to Christ-like maturity, equip them for their ministry in the Church and life mission in the world, in order to magnify God's name.

3

2023 MEMORY VERSE

"Behold, I am the Lord, the God of all flesh; Is there anything too hard for me?"
JEREMIAH 32:27 KJV

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OUR MOTTO

LOVE GOD AND LOVE PEOPLE.
Life is all about love and developing relationship with God and with other people. Learning to love is life's most important lesson.
Jesus called it THE GREATEST COMMANDMENT.

5

WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

And I say also unto thee, That thou art Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church; and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it.
Matthew 16:18 KJV

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THE WAYS OF GOD

ISAIAH 55: 6-9

REV. [DR.] WILLIAM OKOYE

As read from our text, we are told amongst other things, by God Himself that, "For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways..."

being could he die and in dying break the power of the devil who had the power of death. Only in that way could he deliver those who through fear of death have been living all their lives as slaves to constant dread.

and suffered a great deal just like every one. These appear to be unreasonable but this is the way of God.

and human wisdom, but the Holy Spirit's power was in my words, proving to those who heard them that the message was from God.

If we look at the mission of God in sending Jesus to this world, it was to save us from our sins and to reconcile us to God, God not willing that we should perish, after the sin of Abraham and Eve had separated humanity from God.

Our salvation and redemption from sin requires death and since God cannot die He has to take the form of a human being and also to experience the frailties of humans, feel the way we feel when we go through trials and

Today, we celebrate the triumphal entry of Jesus into Jerusalem. The people of His day were expecting a messiah that will deliver them from the oppression of the Romans and so they were busy shouting Hosanna! Hosanna! But Jesus was focused, prepared to pay the ultimate price without been distracted.

If the princes of this world knew that they were actually helping God to fulfill His purpose by killing Jesus, they would not have done so. They thought that they were hindering the plan of God from coming to pass.

Why did the Almighty God, the creator of heaven and earth, come down and take the form of a man, go through all kinds of rigorous and a very painful road in order to bring us salvation? The Bible says that God was in Christ reconciling us to Himself.

To be a child of God is a privilege, it is also a responsibility because the moment we repent and receive Christ as our lord

Later, He was arrested; tortured, spat on by the same humans He created! God allowed all these to happen because He was focused on the end result, the salvation of mankind.

As a nation, we are today at a most dangerous juncture and the powers of darkness and evil are doing everything in their power to envelope this nation with thick darkness.

The answer is not far fetched. God honours His word more than His name and so He cannot violate His word. The Bible says, "The soul that sinneth shall surely die..."

challenges - He knows because He has been there. This is the wisdom of God. Sometimes, the ways of God does not make sense to us as humans.

God honours His word more than His name and so He cannot violate His word.

However, the good news is that God is going to surprise them and we are going to have Mount Carmel experience in Nigeria. "The God that answereth by fire..." will show up Himself and we are going to have another experience of David and Goliath.

The Bible in Hebrews 2: 14 -18 records; "Since we, God's children, are human beings—made of flesh and blood—he became flesh and blood too by being born in human form; for only as a human

When Herod heard that Jesus was born he requested to see Him in order to worship. But God spoke to Joseph to take the young lad to Egypt because wicked people are after His life to kill Him - God running away from human beings? It does not really make sense because God does not need to do that in the first place.

defense He would have asked His father to send angels to defend Him. But knowing that there is a greater goal, He allowed whatever they did to Him so that the purpose of God is fulfilled.

When the person that was supposed to be our saviour was killed; hell and all the forces of darkness rejoiced that this "self-acclaimed" messiah is gone and whatever was His plan perished with Him.

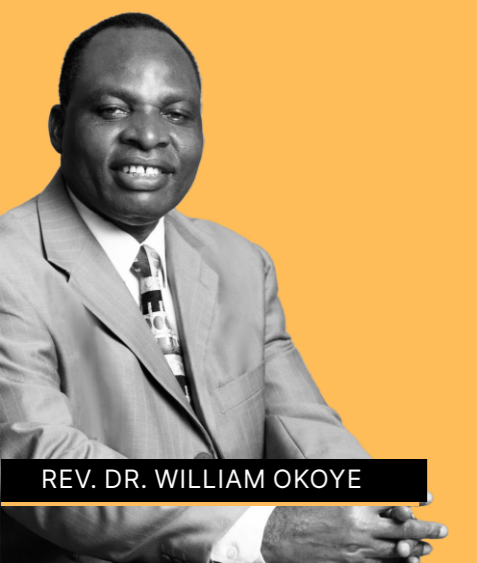
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