



COMPASSION DIGEST

A WEEKLY PUBLICATION OF ALL CHRISTIANS FELLOWSHIP MISSION

THEME OF THE YEAR

GOD OF ALL IMPOSSIBILITIES

JEREMIAH 32:27 KJV

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

1

OUR VISION

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

2

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.

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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.**

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WEEKLY MEMORY VERSE

Keep your eyes on Jesus, our leader and instructor. He was willing to die a shameful death on the cross because of the joy he knew would be his afterwards; and now he sits in the place of honor by the throne of God.
HEBREWS 12:2 LB

ANNOUNCEMENT

CONGREGATIONAL HYMN

JULY

30 SUNDAY 30TH JULY, 2023
 Healing and Victory Service

31 MONDAY 31ST JULY, 2023
 ACFM National Children Vacation Bible School in all the districts
 Date: Mon. 31st – Sun 6th August, 2023
 Registration Fee: N5,000
 Registration: Online transfers to:
 Dr. (Mrs.) FOLASADE MOMOH
 Acct. No. 1005007850 Bank: UBA

AUGUST

01 TUESDAY 1ST AUGUST, 2023
 Bible Study
 Manual: Extract from Issues of Life Volume 1
 Topic: How to live a joy filled life Part II" Study 74
 "Lesson 5:
 Time: 6:00pm. (Or as agreed by the various centers)
 Venue: All Small Group Centers.

03 THURSDAY 3RD AUGUST, 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 neighbors, friends, colleagues and unbelievers.
 Time: 5:00pm.
 Venue: ACFM Cathedral of Compassion.

04 FRIDAY 4TH AUGUST, 2023
 National Travailing Women Prayer comes up
 Date: Friday 4th August, 2023.
 Arrival time/ Registration/Light Refreshments: 7pm - 8.30pm
 Pre- Programme Film show: 8.30pm - 9.30pm
 Programme: 10pm.
 It's a night to be remembered. Invite someone.

05 SATURDAY 5TH AUGUST, 2023
-Church Sanitation
 Kindness group, Sanitation Group B and the Youth Fellowship (All Tribes).
 -Joining of Holy Matrimony Between Sis. Oluwaseun Dorcas Oyinkuro & Bro. Somto Ryan Haidome
 Time: 10am
 Venue: ACFM Cathedral of Compassion

07 FRIDAY 7TH AUGUST, 2023
 ACFM National Coaching Classes for JSS & SSS (2 weeks).
 Date: Mon. 7th – Fri. 25th August, 2023

11 FRIDAY 11TH AUGUST, 2023
 Youth Weekend begins from the
 11th of August - Movie Night | Time: 5:30pm
 12th of August - Skill training | Time: 10am
 13th of August - Sunday service with ministrations from the Lxc Choir, The word, Rap and lots more.. | Time: 8:30am

WHEN WE WALK WITH THE LORD

1. When We Walk With The Lord
 In The Light Of His Word,
 What A Glory He Sheds On Our Way!
 While We Do His Good Will,
 He Abides With Us Still,
 And With All Who Will Trust And Obey.

Chorus
*Trust And Obey, For There's No Other Way
 To Be Happy In Jesus, But To Trust And Obey.*

2. Not A Burden We Bear,
 Not A Sorrow We Share,
 But Our Toil He Doth Richly Repay;
 Not A Grief Or A Loss,
 Not A Frown Or A Cross,
 But Is Blest If We Trust And Obey.

3. But We Never Can Prove
 The Delights Of His Love
 Until All On The Altar We Lay;
 For The Favor He Shows,
 For The Joy He Bestows,
 Are For Them Who Will Trust And Obey.

4. Then In Fellowship Sweet
 We Will Sit At His Feet,
 Or We'll Walk By His Side In The Way;
 What He Says We Will Do,
 Where He Sends We Will Go;
 Never Fear, Only Trust And Obey.

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SEEING LIFE FROM GOD'S PERSPECTIVE

MATTHEW 10: 28 – 31

REV. [DR.] WILLIAM OKOYE



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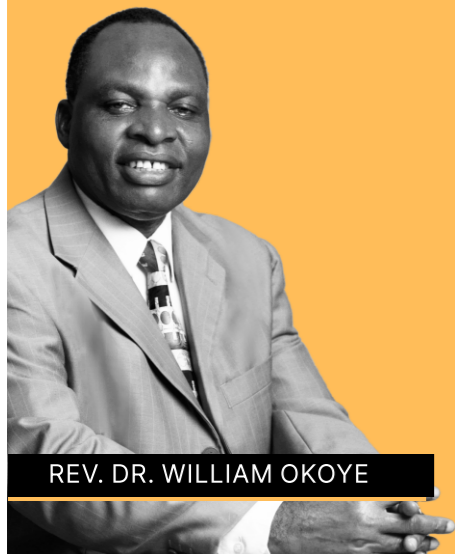


TUNE IN TO OUR WEEKLY TV BROADCAST aired on Wazobia Max Channel 259 (DSTV) Sundays 2:00PM



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LIVESTREAM on our Online Channels Sundays 9:00AM



REV. DR. WILLIAM OKOYE

28 "Don't be afraid of those who can kill only your bodies—but can't touch your souls! Fear only God who can destroy both soul and body in hell. **29** Not one sparrow (What do they cost? Two for a penny?) can fall to the ground without your Father knowing it. **30** And the very hairs of your head are all numbered. **31** So don't worry! You are more valuable to him than many sparrows" **Matthew 10: 28 – 31 [TLB]**.

Our text begins with Jesus telling us not to fear those who can kill our bodies, but to fear God who can kill both our bodies and souls. It also lets us know that we are more valuable to God and our lives are in His hands. There is nothing about us that takes God by surprise.

It is God and not the devil, who decides when we are born and how long we live. So, as God's children, we are not to live in fear of the devil or death. We are to love the Lord passionately, spend time with Him and live at the centre of His will for our lives as instructed in **Deuteronomy 30: 19 - 20**, which says, "Today I have given you the choice between life and death, between blessings and curses. Now I call on heaven and earth to witness the choice you make. Oh, that you would choose life, so that you and

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your descendants might live! You can make this choice by loving the Lord your God, obeying him, and committing yourself firmly to him. This is the key to your life. And if you love and obey the Lord, you will live long in the land the Lord swore to give your ancestors Abraham, Isaac, and Jacob."

It is important to reiterate that only God knows the length of our days: "Look here, you who say, "Today or tomorrow we are going to a certain town and will stay there a year. We will do business there and make a profit. How do you know what your life will be like tomorrow? Your life is like the morning fog – it's here a little while, then it's gone. What you ought to say is, "If the Lord wants us to, we will live and do this or that." Otherwise you are boasting about your own plans, and all such boasting is evil. Remember, it is sin to know what you ought to do and then not do it" **[James 4: 13 - 17]**.

We should also bear in mind that life is not just about the here and now, there is the eternity aspect, "...Guard against every kind of greed. Life is not measured by how much you own... a person is a fool to store up earthly wealth but not have a rich relationship

with God... For life is more than food, and your body more than clothing..." **[Luke 12: 13 – 24]**. Life is more than eating and drinking, or the things you gather. This is why Christ asked, "For what shall it profit a man if he gains the whole world and loses his soul?" **[Mark 8: 36]**; because everything gathered will be lost when you die.

Paul the apostle saw life as worth nothing unless he used it to carry out his God-given assignment – the work of telling others the Good News about the wonderful grace of God: "And now, behold, I go bound in the spirit unto Jerusalem, not knowing the things that shall befall me there: Save that the Holy Ghost witnesseth in every city, saying that bonds and afflictions abide me. But none of these things move me, neither count I my life dear unto myself, so that I might finish my course with joy, and the ministry, which I have received of the Lord Jesus, to testify the gospel of the grace of God" **[Acts 20: 22 – 24]**.

Life is meaningless unless we carry out the will of God, which includes bringing honour and glory to Him, advancing His kingdom on earth and putting smiles on the faces of other

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people: "For I fully expect and hope that I will never be ashamed, but that I will continue to be bold for Christ, as I have been in the past... For to me, living means living for Christ, and dying is even better... Above all, you must live as citizens of heaven, conducting yourselves in a manner worthy of the Good News about Christ... Don't be intimidated in any way by your enemies... you are going to be saved, even by God himself..." **[Philippians 1: 20 - 30]**.

Christians are not supposed to be frightened by death because it is a doorway into a better life. Death is an appointment, "And just as each person is destined to die once and after that comes judgement, so also Christ died once for all time as a sacrifice to take away the sins of many people. He will come again, not to deal with our sins, but to bring salvation to all who are eagerly waiting for him" **[Hebrew 9: 27]**.

As long as you know the Lord Jesus Christ and you are doing everything you can to live at the centre of His will, there is nothing to worry about – God will take care of your situation.

• REVEREND (DR.) WILLIAM OKOYE IS THE GENERAL OVERSEER. ALL CHRISTIANS FELLOWSHIP MISSION (ACFM)

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