



## 2017 END OF YEAR E-BULLETIN

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### *Praise the Lord!*

*A phrase we use before we speak or minister to anyone in the assembly of saints but also as a greeting. Again I say praise the Lord, in a year of many challenges during which we buried our dead, offered support to the distressed and worked together as fellow labourers in the Kingdom of God. Many years ago the Lord told us that every time we praised him He would give us a miracle. Praising God at times has not been easy but we also remember the words of David: "let everything that has breath praise the Lord".*

*We said goodbye to Prophetess C Flowers and Elder Clarke early in 2017. We also celebrated with the Bedford Church the dedication of their new place of worship.*

*I am pleased we were able to receive a number of overseas ministers from India and Barbados in our summer convocation. I am also pleased that we created a number of national positions which will strengthen the ministry into the future. Please support the national appointees with your prayer, encouragement and support.*

*I have not been able to travel as I would have wanted this year because of the need to divert as much of our finances towards developing the Church Convention Centre.*

*2018 is Jubilee year for our ministry which began in such a simple way. It was never our intention to start a church but it was the Lord's doing which over the years has become marvellous in our eyes.*

*Jubilee means freedom and is a time of celebration. Israel celebrated their freedom when they were delivered from the tyranny of Egypt. The born again believer celebrates new life in Christ Jesus. Help me raise the funds needed in 2018 to develop the Convention Centre.*

*Finally, thank you for your love for me and your loyalty to the ministry. I look forward to being with you on 1<sup>st</sup> January as we start the year in prayer has we have done for many years.*

*"Now unto him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy, to the only wise God our Saviour, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever. Amen".*

*The Lord's servant*

*Apostle GT Mullings*

## APOCALYPSE NOW

*Last September I was prompted by the Holy Spirit to teach, preach and spend time in the Book of Revelation. As many would know the original Greek word for Revelation is Apocalypse, meaning the unveiling or to be revealed.*

*I chose to use the Greek word apocalypse because of its association with strange happenings, prophetic revelation, end time scenario or end of the world.*

*2017 has been an apocalyptic year in human affairs but even more so in spiritual affairs.*

*In January a new and very different president was sworn into office as President of the USA. His accomplishments have been few and he is disliked by many at home and abroad but he is in office despite polling no less than 3 million fewer votes.*

*Time will reveal the reason for Donald Trump's election to the office of president, for as the prophet Daniel was told: "God rules in the kingdom of men".*

*Britain and Europe are saddled with sorting out Brexit. Consequently, there is drift, uncertainty and nationalism. Xenophobia has become respectable again in Europe, USA and other parts of the world.*

*War is only a decision a way. As I look at the world at large there is unrest, fear and distrust. The UN is irrelevant; China has economic might but not political. Countries are not queuing up to become communist in fact right wing extremism is more popular at the moment.*

*Russia is strong but not economically or politically. She is the great illusionist of modern times. The thing with an illusionist the hand is quicker than the eye.*

*In Africa there was a change of government in Zimbabwe and Kenya with hardly any bloodshed. Keep on praying for Africa for the land is fertile and the fields are white, ready for harvest.*

*Europe is the Dark Continent, spiritually. The church of Jesus Christ needs to rise from obscurity in Europe and stop frightening itself with scary stories about persecution. The early church went through severe tribulations when tens of millions of Christians were killed for the faith. We must stop wringing our hands at societal changes and instead do the works of God. Change comes when people are changed.*

*We are in the era of the "open door". God has opened the door for evangelism and no man can shut it. The door will remain open until God calls time.*

*The biggest challenge for the church is "lukewarmness". We are free to have services in the UK, Europe, Africa and North America. We can also plant churches. The church in Communist China and other communist countries like Cuba are freer than ever before. There are only very few places in the world where the liberty to preach the gospel, have missions and plant churches is a problem.*

*The Middle East must be evangelised for only through Jesus Christ will Arab and Jew learn peace. Through modern technology evangelism can be done remotely.*

*2018 is Jubilee Year for Restoration Revival Fellowship. Fifty years is a significant number in the bible. Jubilee means freedom and new beginnings.*

*I shall continue to teach from the book of Revelation, identifying the things that are relevant to the world for the church is the prophetic voice to the nations.*

*The name of the ministry reveals the mandate God gave us fifty years ago.*

**Restoration:** *of bible truth, true salvation and faith towards God.*

**Revival:** *the importance of the Spirit in ushering and maintaining revival. As the body is dead without the spirit so the church is dead without the Holy Spirit.*

**Fellowship:** *amongst one another and with others. It's through fellowship the ministerial and operational gifts flourish and benefits all. Good communication improves fellowship so let us as a ministry communicate better by letter, email, telephone, in person and in meetings to prevent misunderstanding, misjudgment, suspicions and poor decisions.*

*I am personally looking forward to 2018 because it will give us the opportunity to remember the journey so far, take stock of the present and plan for the future. A prophetic voice must be able to see the past, explain the present and predict the future.*

*Thank you for your work in years past, please double your efforts for the year ahead knowing the time, "that now it is high time to awake out of sleep: for now is our salvation nearer than when we believed.*

*The night is far spent, the day is at hand: let us therefore cast off the works of darkness, and let us put on the armour of light".*

**Apostle Lloyd Denny**

## REFLECTIONS ON 2017

*2017 was a challenging year for the ministry from January through to December. Challenging in that sickness, misunderstandings, pride and death all conspired to test our faith but I do believe our faith is stronger than before.*

*The year began with our New Year's Day fasting and prayer meeting which set us up well for the challenges which lay ahead.*

*The Bedford Church dedicated their newly acquired place of worship in November last year and had a thanksgiving Service in November 2017.*

*The Harrow Church lost through death, two pastors. Prophetess Flowers and Elder Clarke died in April and May respectively. Their death did not come as a surprise for they were sick nevertheless their loss was sad. Thanks be to God they died in hope of a better resurrection. Moreover, their works do follow them.*

The death of Prophetess Flowers re-established links with Norway through Br and Sister Walde. Thank you to the many churches who attended the funeral.

For the Harlesden and Luton Churches it was business as usual. In June a three person team visited Kenya.

We were pleased to receive Apostle Solomon Godetti from India and Pastor Critchlow and family from Barbados in our General Convocation in July.

In October we had our first all ministers meeting which was attended by most of the UK based ministers. The action plan arising from the meeting will be followed through into 2018.

At the General Anniversary and Thanksgiving Service in October a number of national appointments were made.

- **Minister Pam Stewart** - President of Foreign Missions
- **Minister Horace Clarke** - President of Men's Department
- **Br Joshua Chandler** - Youth President
- **Sister Judith Chandler** - Director of Music
- **Evangelist Davina Stewart** - National Choir Director

The 2017 General Convocation theme was: **"The overcomers' reward: now and the future"**. There are many references in the Bible about the importance of overcoming but I will pick just one: **"For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world: and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith"**. (1 John 5:4).

**2017 IN PICTURE**

**Dedication of Bedford Church Premises**



**Prophetess Flowers**

**Prophetess C Flowers  
With Sis. V Johnson**

**Elder V Clarke**



*In the year 2017, God has led us through a way that we have never gone before. Needless to say, losing two pastors, in the space of two months; our senior pastor Prophetess Flowers, one of the foundation stones of RRF ministry and Pastor Clarke, has meant that it was a very challenging year for the assembly. The challenges have caused some to 'move on' and to worship elsewhere. We continue to pray for them and to wish them all of God's rich blessings. We thank God for those who have 'stayed put'. God has been taking us through a period of change, transitioning us into a new phase and bringing forth a people whose character is being forged through the fire. We thank God for the support of all our RRF assemblies during this period of transition and Pastors from other assemblies.*

*During this year, our outreach ministry has increased in Harrow. We have provided support through prayers and financial assistance, to Pastor Juma's Conference in Kenya and Young Pastor Vega's crusade in Cameroon. As a result, many souls were added to the Kingdom of God. Our Wednesday fasting and prayer service continues to flourish through the dedicated labour of our senior Deacon Johnson. In our Thursday night prayer meetings, we have experienced God's manifold blessings as we cry to Him for the nations around us. Souls from the community have come in requesting prayer, and we believe that God will grant them a full and complete deliverance.*

*As an assembly, we are engaged in much fasting and prayer and we are with great expectation looking to God for direction and guidance into our new season.*

**Jeremiah 17:8.** *The Message Bible translation:*

*"But blessed is the man who trusts me, God, the woman who sticks with God. They are like trees replanted in Eden, putting down roots near the rivers— never a worry through the hottest of summers, never dropping a leaf, Serene and calm through droughts, bearing fresh fruit every season".*

**Prophetess C Flowers**



**Pastor Clarke**



**Pastor H Epie, RRF Harrow.**

## *Oh to be God's hand extended*

*"The earth is the Lord's and fulness thereof" (Psalm 24:1). It is difficult for us to really fathom the reality of this statement. Most of us have been up in an aeroplane, some of us out on the ocean. In these moments we catch a glimpse of the expanse of the natural world - the earth that is the Lord's.*

*Jesus said, "And this gospel of the kingdom shall be preached in all the world for a witness unto all nations; and then shall the end come" - Matthew 24:14.*

*He also stated, according to the book of Acts 1:8, "...ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth."*

*The Lord is concerned with the entire world. And it doesn't take Him as long as it takes us to get around it. In fact it is stated that: "...the eyes of the Lord run to and fro throughout the whole earth to shew himself strong in the behalf of them whose heart is perfect toward him..." In the book of Revelation we are painted a picture of the "seven Spirits of God sent forth into all the earth."*

*One thing is sure: the Lord has the entire earth covered. But how does the Lord impact the earth? It is through us and by His Spirit! The first clause of the quotation above from Acts 1:8 is: "But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you..." the power is released to enable us to be witnesses around the entire world. The prophecy of Daniel demonstrates that God's holy power would be scattered across the earth before the close of time (Daniel 12:7).*

*Jesus said whilst he was here he was the light (John 9:5) but he looks at us and says: "Ye are the light of the world" (Matthew 5:14) - and that as he was in the world so should we be (John 17:18).*

*So here is my encouragement to the body, especially at a time of transition for me personally, and recognising that there will always be impact when people move on, it is important to recognise the opportunities that arise in such times.*

*The Lord's intent is to bring us into His image. He achieves this through creating the conditions that force us to trust Him. There's a reason why every now and then we are faced with problems that doctors can't solve. Like Hannah being barren, or Lazarus being dead. There's a reason why the people we admire so much often disappoint us. Whether it's the experience of Samuel watching the demise of Eli; or David the demise of Saul. Samuel's character was defined by the things he witnessed. The negativity didn't make him negative, it made him positively faithful. Saul wasn't too bothered about the ark and where it was but David enquired of the Lord about it intently.*

*The processes we go through should be seen through the macro purpose of God. The Lord is not putting you through a test to punish you. And he's not putting you through a test just for you. The purpose of the test is to bend our lives into a position where he can flow in and flow out into every little pocket of the earth where He might station us.*

*The Lord had bent the life of Abraham so much, that Abraham was in a place where God could predict his behaviour and responses in future situations. God said of him: "...I know him, that he will command his children and his household after him, and that they shall keep the way of the Lord," (Genesis 18:19). What does God know about us and how far can he throw us? Can he send you to a neighbour, a family member, a friend or even a foreign nation? It is His intent to save this world - not merely through established church organisations and the call of their charismatic leaders, but by shaping your life and mine to such a degree that we can be placed anywhere in His earth and be His hand extended.*

*As I leave the UK, I have committed to mentor a handful of promising brothers in the faith of our Lord Jesus Christ. They are the leaders of our multilevel platform outreach initiative: Young Adult's Ministry (YAM). The Lord has inspired these young men to exploit modern social media methods to engage with a generation that do not readily walk into our church buildings. Pray for them and for my family also in this season of transition, that the Lord would have His way.*

**Pastor Joseph Mullings**

**IN MEMORIAM**

*We give thanks for the life of Prophetess Flowers and Elder Clarke who served as ministers for over four decades. They both were part of the first RRF church established in West London and later NW London. They were well loved by the churches and their families.*

***Prophetess Flowers** was a missionary to India and Norway she also spent time in Holland. In later years she visited Kenya, Nigeria and Ethiopia and was President of Foreign Missions. Her last years was as senior pastor of the Harrow Church which she served from its inception.*

***Elder V Clarke** served as musician, Deacon, Evangelist and later as Elder. His commitment to street evangelism was well known in Harlesden and later Wembley for over three decades. Without fail he stood outside Jubilee Clock in Harlesden with Bible in one hand and megaphone in the other hand preaching the gospel. He did so in all weather, and despite sometimes, the apathy of the public.*

*Elder Clarke relocated from Harlesden to Wembley but continued his street evangelism to the very end. Let us also remember their families and the Harrow Church, especially Sister Merline Denny, William Flowers, Mother Clarke and the children of the late Elder Clarke.*

*We also remember Sister Vilma Johnson (Nee, Murray), whose untimely death was a shock to all who knew her. Please remember her daughter Brittany who can be seen in the above photo.*

**UGANDA MISSION**



*I greet you in Jesus name. We had a good mission to Uganda as the Lord healed and delivered; several*

*souls accepted Him as their Saviour. We also encouraged the believers. Thanks for prayers, continue to keep us in your prayers. Shalom from Pastor Peter Juma, Eldoret, Kenya.*

**ELDORET, KENYA ANNUAL CONFERENCE SEPTEMBER 2017**

*We have had a good conference; we have seen the power of GOD ministering to people and leaders. We annually have this conference in September since the year 2015 when our spiritual mom the late Pastor Flowers visited us and encouraged us to be having such meetings. We speak to church leaders and have a general service for all. This year we restricted some delegates as we run short of support but God was faithful we did it. Hope you will put in your calendar and visit us next year to encourage the body of Christ. GOD Bless you.*



*Thanks for prayers, attachments shows the meeting and me ministering in His vineyard,*

**SHALOM.**

**Pastor Peter Juma, Eldoret, Kenya**

*Praise the Lord Jesus, we thank God for the end of year revival service we had over the week. Several people were touched by His power and healing service with a visiting pastor friend from Tanzania and we give the Lord praise. Thank God for praying for Naomi, she is discharged and doing fine in Jesus name. We look forward to a great finish and New Year. Greet the saints in Jesus name.*





## ***First End of year Convocation 2017 in RRF Douala, Cameroon***

*This is the new RRF Cameroon building.*

*It is not yet completed but the saints need somewhere to worship and therefore use the building while completing the works.*

***Pastor Innocent, RRF Douala, Cameroon***

## **JUBILEE YEAR 2018**

*The following are discussion points which may form part of final plans for Jubilee Year. The New Year day's service will be our first opportunity to pray and participate in the Jubilee plans.*

*The Jubilee year will be a yearlong celebration: reflecting on the past, working in the present and planning for the future.*

*Church growth is key to Jubilee Year. Therefore, strengthening the local assemblies, planting new churches and developing ministers for the work are part of the plan.*

*RRF from the beginning has been a pioneering ministry, in the years ahead our plan will include consolidating existing ministries and planting new ones, for example, the Caribbean Islands and Europe.*

*Jubilee Year will also be an opportunity for us to come together from Africa, India, North America and the Caribbean.*

*The final Jubilee plans will be approved by Ministers in January and will then be shared with the churches.*

## **THE TESTIMONY OF JESUS IS THE SPIRIT OF PROPHECY**

*"And I fell at his feet to worship him. And he said unto me, See thou do it not: I am thy fellowservant, and of thy brethren that have the testimony of Jesus: worship God: for the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy. (Revelation 19:10).*

*The chapter is a continuation of a series of visions John has of heaven and things that will take place on earth.*

*The chapter opens with a wonderful scene of worship in heaven. John sees the 24 elders on their knees before God in worship. John also hears voices of praise and worship: So great is the experience that John falls down in worship before the heavenly being thinking it was God but is rebuked. "See thou do it not: I am thy*

*fellow servant, and of thy brethren that have the testimony of Jesus: worship God: for the testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy”.*

*As a ministry we began in the UK from whence we have gone into other parts of the world. We carry testimonies of what Jesus can do.*

*In prophecy the Lord told us that from among us He would send preachers to other parts of the world.*

*In prophecy the Lord told us not to establish ourselves for He would establish us in righteousness.*

*The testimony of Jesus is the spirit of prophecy because it tells us of the future.*

*Many false prophets have gone out into the world and have predicted the end of the world but have been found liars.*

*Joseph Smith, Charles Taze Russell, Ellen G White, Jimmy Jones and David Koresh are just a few examples of false prophets whose predictions of the future have been proven to be wrong and dangerous.*

*The Jews who for millennia had prophets who spoke for God are now speechless because the Testimony of Jesus is the spirit by which we prophesy.*

*RRF is a prophetic voice to the nations. There are many voices in our world especially in the age of the Internet.*

*Our voice must be distinct and certain: "For if the trumpet gives an uncertain sound, who shall prepare himself to the battle? [9] So likewise ye, except ye utter by the tongue words easy to be understood, how shall it be known what is spoken? for ye shall speak into the air. [10] There are, it may be, so many kinds of voices in the world, and none of them is without signification". (1 Corinthians 14).*

*God wants us to speak truth to power. Elijah, Nathan, Micaiah spoke truth to power not always in public but sometimes in private.*

*King David accepted truth from Nathan when he exposed his misdeeds. But to be able to speak truth to power the church must be courageous and full of faith.*

*Elijah emerged from obscurity and spoke truth to King Ahab. Jonah emerged from the belly of a fish and spoke truth to a city and saved them. Let us speak truth to power not to condemn but for their conviction.*

*Our platform is the world and our congregation the people.*

*Apostle Lloyd Denny*

## RRF NATIONAL SERVICES YEAR PLANNER 2018 (JUBILEE)

### National Services:-

New Year's Day Service - 1st January @11am. 50 Church Road, Harlesden, NW10.

National Day of Prayer and Fasting 24<sup>th</sup> February @9am (**Harrow**)

Youth Convocation - Friday 30th March  
- Saturday 31st March  
- Sunday 1st April (evening)

National Day of Prayer and Fasting 28<sup>th</sup> April @ 9am (**Bedford**)

General Convocation - Thursday 26th to Saturday 28th July

Anniversary Service - Wednesday 24th to Saturday 27th October

### Harlesden Church:

Annual Brunch - 17th March from 10am to 2pm

Women's Conference - 2nd June

### Harrow Church:

New Beginnings Outreach - Friday 9th March

Thanksgiving Service - Saturday 10th March (Jubilee)

### Luton Church:

Faith Conference - 1st July 2017 (Apocalypse Now, Part 2)

Thanksgiving Service - 15th September (Jubilee)

Thanksgiving Service - Sunday 23rd September (Jubilee) 4pm to 6pm (**Dunstable**)

Youth Conference - 6th & 7th October

### Bedford Church:

Anniversary and Thanksgiving Service 17th November (Jubilee)

**Note:** A few of the above dates will be confirmed shortly after the January executive ministers meeting.

## RRF NEWS

If you would like to contribute to the next e bulletin then please send your article, testimony, photos or news to: Apostle Lloyd Denny or Minister P Stewart.

### **E bulletin Deadlines in 2018.**

**Quarter 1** - deadline for articles and contributions - 28<sup>th</sup> February for Publication in March.

**Quarter 2** - deadline for articles and contribution - 31<sup>st</sup> May for publication in June.

**Quarter 3** - deadline for articles and contributions - 31<sup>st</sup> August for publication in September.

**Quarter 4** - deadline for articles and contributions - 30<sup>th</sup> November for publication in December.