

**3-DAYS PRAYER AND FASTING /CROSSOVER
WATCHNIGHT SERVICE**

**INTERNATIONAL CENTRAL
GOSPEL CHURCH – EDMONTON
LOVE TEMPLE**



EMPOWERMENT FOR 2016

Isaiah 40:31

Dec 29th – 31st, 2015

A Message from the Shepherd

Isaiah 40:31 But those who wait on the LORD shall renew their strength; They shall mount up with wings like eagles, They shall run and not be weary, They shall walk and not faint.

I encourage you to wait on God through prayer and fasting from Tuesday, December 29th to Thursday, December 31st, 2015. **The main purpose for this time of waiting is to receive God's empowerment for 2016.**

Because we are not at the same level, this kind of empowerment can take on many forms. For some, this empowerment may mean getting a bigger picture of where God is taking them to (vision). In case you have reached a point where you are dispirited, tired and may have lost your desire to continue doing what God has called you to do, this is the time to trust Him to renew and empower you.

For others, this empowerment may mean guidance because they have reached a point where they feel confused. They wonder if perhaps they have wandered off the path along the way. Some too, may also be asking questions and not coming up with answers. Questions like: *Am I wasting my time in this role or service? How much longer do I keep doing this? Am I working with the right people?*

For such people, this empowerment may be having a sense of peace about a decision they need to make to get back on track.

In my opinion, our first and greatest source of empowerment is to know who we are and what God is calling us to do in 2016. If you know who you are in Christ and what God has called you to do, you will be willing to allow Him to break, melt, mold, fill and use you for His Glory.

I would like you to focus on the following:

- 1) Thank God for 2015, the year of perfection. Spend time to thank Him for all the blessings you have and are yet to receive i.e. life, health, new job/career/calling, promotion, family and friends, protection, deliverance from various calamities, safe deliveries, healthy babies, healthy marriages, growth, house, car, immigration breakthroughs, etc.
- 2) Pray and seek God's will for your life in 2016.
- 3) Pray for every member of ICGC Love Temple to discover their place in God's house. Pray for members to grow in the grace and knowledge of God (2 Peter 3:18) and to be transformed into ministry (1 Peter 2:9). Pray that each member will draw nearer and nearer to God and become rooted in sound biblical doctrine.
- 4) Pray for the power of God to be demonstrated in the church - Acts 4:30.
- 5) Pray for the manifestation of the gifts of the Holy Spirit in our services - 1 Corinthians 12:7-11.
- 6) Pray that God will increase His anointing on all pastors and church leaders - Acts 4:31

I encourage you to be part of the evening corporate prayer meetings via conference call and our Crossover Watchnight Service in the church auditorium from 9:00 PM – 1:00 AM. I believe with all my heart that, as we provoke heaven through our prayer and fasting, God will cause us to receive His anointing, wisdom and grace for the coming year.

Pastor Emmanuel Anum Laate

Day 1 - Tuesday, December 29, 2015

2 Peter 3:18 but grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and forever. Amen.

1 Peter 2:9 But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light;

PRAYER POINTS:

- 1) Pray for every member of ICGC Love Temple to discover their place in God's house.
- 2) Pray for members to grow in the grace and knowledge of God and to be transformed into ministry. That each member will draw nearer and nearer to God and become rooted in sound biblical doctrine.
- 3) Ask the Holy Spirit to help you to continue to apply what God has taught you in 2015 in your life.
- 4) Pray that God will grant you the grace to stay in fellowship and let brotherly love continue.
- 5) Pray for the grace to strive for excellence in all you do in 2016.
- 6) Ask God to help you to think outside the box, go beyond the call of duty (Matthew 5:41), reach beyond the mark or go beyond well done.
- 7) Ask God to help you to become a vessel in His hand. That your life will be set apart for noble use.
- 8) As directed by the Holy Spirit.

**Corporate prayer via conference call @ 7-8pm
(All Love Temple Members)**

Day 2 - Wednesday, December 30, 2015

Acts 10:38 *How God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and with power, who went about doing good and healing all who were oppressed by the devil, for God was with Him.*

PRAYER POINTS:

- 1) Pray that God will anoint you with the Holy Ghost and with power so you can fulfill His assignment for your life in 2016.
- 2) Ask the Holy Spirit to open your understanding to know how big God is so that you will not limit Him. Pray for the grace to trust God for big things.
- 3) Pray and come against every spirit of apathy and complacency. Bind every attack the devil has planned for your life and declare that nothing will hinder you from becoming the person God wants you to be in 2016.
- 4) Pray for God's favour and presence upon the church. That no weapon that is thrown at us as a church will stand in 2016.
- 5) Ask the Lord to open your eyes to fresh opportunities in 2016.
Ecclesiastes 9:11 *I returned and saw under the sun that the race is not to the swift, nor the battle to the strong, nor bread to the wise, nor riches to men of understanding, nor favor to men of skill; but time and chance happen to them all.*
- 6) As directed by the Spirit of God

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Day 3 - Thursday, December 31, 2015

PRAYER POINTS:

- 1) Pray and thank God for all the blessings you have received in 2015 - **Psalm 103:1-5**.
- 2) Praise God for the peace and prosperity of Edmonton, Alberta and Canada. Praise Him also for granting wisdom for governance to those in authority at both the provincial and federal levels - **Isaiah 60:18**
- 3) Ask God to crown 2016 with His goodness and abundance. That in 2016, you will experience God's goodness and abundance in every area of your life.

Psalm 65:11 You crown the year with Your goodness, And Your paths drip with abundance.

- 4) Ask God to bind families together with the cords of love that cannot be broken. That He will save marriages that are facing serious challenges.
- 5) Praise God in anticipation of all the blessings coming your way in 2016 – an overflow of His goodness and mercies (favour, wisdom, fresh fire to serve the Lord, protection, financial prosperity, career advancement, marriage, healthy family relationships, God-fearing spouse, etc.,).
- 6) As directed by the Spirit of God.

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Watch Night Service

Host
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DECEMBER 31ST, 2015
@ 9:00pm

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