



PARKLANDS BAPTIST CHURCH

Arise and Shine - Isaiah 60:1

2016: The Year of the Lord's Glorious Presence

April 16, 2017

Pastors Word

WISDOM IN THE CROSS

(1 Cor. 1:18)

True wisdom leads man to God, false wisdom leads man away from God. True wisdom puts Christ at the center (John 15:5), false wisdom puts man at the center. The cross is God's wisdom for the salvation of mankind.

To accept Christ's finished work through the cross and the resurrection is to accept God's wisdom. God has chosen the cross to confound the wisdom of this world.

The Cross is God's:

1. **Covenant wisdom**
2. **Ultimate provision**
3. **Unconditional love**
4. **Power for salvation**
5. **Absolute answer.**

Easter is a time to reflect on the Gospel. Jesus became man, he dwelt amongst us, he was crucified, he died, he was buried and on the third day he rose triumphantly from death and the grave.

Jesus conquered Satan, sin, death and the grave. Jesus now grants that same victory to those who believe (John 1:12). The message of the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing but to us who are being saved it is the power of God (1 Cor. 1:18). Jesus is the way, the truth and the life. (John 14:6). Turn to Jesus this Easter.

Arise and shine.

Rev. Simon Mwangi

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2017: The Year of The Lord's Covenant Blessings

ORDER OF SERVICES	TIME	TOPIC & REVELEVANT SCRIPTURE VERSE	FACILITATOR
Intercessory Prayers	7:00am - 8:10am		Prayer Ministry
First Service	8:30am - 10:30am	Wisdom in the Cross (1 Cor. 1: 8 - 31)	Rev. Simon Mwangi
College / Ignite Service	9:00am - 10:30am	Jesus is the Answer	Pst. Victor Kiniti
Bible Hour	10:30am - 11:30am		Maturity Department
Second Service	11:30am - 1:30pm	Eternal Covenant Solution (1 Cor 15: 1-20)	Rev. Ambrose Nyangao
Teens Service	11:30am - 1:30pm	My Bedroom Affair (Judges 16: 16 - 21)	MC Maxie
Precious Treasure	8:30am & 11:30am	Lessons On Daniel - Review	Sunday School Teachers
Evening Service	5:00pm - 6:30pm	Covenant Solutions, Blessed Wisdom	Elizabeth Mwangi
Wednesday Service	6:00pm - 7:30pm	Covenant Solutions, Blessed Wisdom	Rev. Ambrose Nyangao
FNL / Mwamba	5:30pm - 8:30pm	Covenant Solutions, Blessed Wisdom	Pst. Wachira Muriithi

Deacons on Duty

Pastor and Deacons on call (17th - 23rd April): Pst. Reagan Akaliche, Godfrey Masolo, Dr. Richard Gakunju
 Prayer hotline: 0708 972 003/ 0798569530 (Safaricom)/ 0780 737 358 (Airtel)

Doctor on call: Dr. Kohe

Staff team leader on duty: J. Gitau

E.A.C.P.F

East African Pastor's Conference Empowered to Serve God in Unity

Dates: 19th - 21st April

Venue: Parklands Baptist Church

Charges: Ksh. 500/= (Residents)

Payable via Mpesa Pay Bill No. 890 900

Acc, EACPF.

All Pastors and their spouses are invited.

For more info:

email: e.a.c.pastorsfellowship@gmail.com or

contact: 0720 723 360/ 0722 609 303 .

MAGNIFICATION DEPARTMENT

Kabete Zone Prayer Walk

Championed by the Mary Leakey House Group.

Date: 23rd April

Time: 7am - 9am

The team will meet at Lower Kabete Shopping Center.

For more info contact: 0700 826 344.

Watchman on the Wall Prayer Initiative - a time of prayer for the Kenyan heritage. (Ez. 33:7)

Venue: Uhuru Gardens

Date: 7th May

Time: 10.30 am - 3.00 pm

Dress Code: Kenyan flag colours - red, black, green and white

Register at the YP desk to book your transport. This is absolutely free.

Candidates prayer and Thanksgiving Meeting

Date: 30th April 2017

Venue: Pavilion

Time: 2-4pm

MISSIONS

The Women's Ministry and the Golden Girls will be visiting to PCEA Thogoto Home for the Aged.

Date: 22nd April

Please donate clothes and shoes for the mission.

Please register at the desk to join the team.

Kodiaga Prison Mission: Training on 18th & 20th April from 6pm in class 5H.

Register at the Missions office.

Workshop

Reaching The Chinese at Your Door Step
Date: 29th April
Time: 9am – 1pm
Venue: PBC

Give Before You Go

Teens Ministry Outreach
Martha Children's Home, Kawangware
Date 21st -22nd April
Please donate clothes, food stuff and books.
All teens who would like to participate in the outreach are requested to register at the Youth Sanctuary.
For more info contact Flo on 0706 729 675.

MEMBERCARE DEPARTMENT

Benevolence

Please donate the following items to bless someone:
beds and beddings, utensils, clothes for men, women and children, shoes.

Father and Daughter Day Out

Date: 29th April
Charges: 200/- per head (Payable via Mpesa Pay Bill No.890 900 Acc. Father Daughter).
Registration closes Monday 24th April.
No payments will be recieved after this date.
Registration is ongoing outside .
For more info contact 0727 102 770.

Ladies Annual Retreat coming up

Dates: 1st - 4th June
Mark your calendars as you plan to attend.
Visit the desk outside for more details.

MATURITY DEPARTMENT

Membership Classes
Sunday Classes
Dates: 23rd April – 28th May
Time: 2pm - 4pm
Thursday Classes
Dates: 20th April - 25th May
Time: 6pm - 8pm
Please register at the Maturity Desk Outside.

Children's Bible Club

Dates: 24th -26th April 2017
Time: 9am -12.30pm
Ages: 7- 14years

Believers Class: All believers - recently born again and those who would like to know more about walking the journey of salvation victoriously are invited for the classes.

Date: 23rd & 30th April Time: 2pm
Venue: Former Mother's Room
Register at the desk outside.

MINISTRY IDENTIFICATION DEPARTMENT

BRIDGE Camp 2017
Dubbed, "Camp Call of Duty"
Theme verse: Ecc. 12:13
Venue: Shunem
Dates: 18th - 21st April
Charges: KES 4,500/=
This is for Form 1's only.
Register with Ashley on 0790 403 256.
Registration closes on 16th April.

All participants of Zoe Courses are invited for a re-union:

April 29th @ PBC from 8am-1pm.
Let's re-nite, fellowship, share and get involved with the great things coming ahead.
For more information, contact Amos on 0708 364 238.

SHE Conference

Dates: 10th - 14th May
Theme: She is a Proverb's 31 Woman
Save the date!!!

ChildNet Children's Workers Training

(Annual training for teachers)
Dates: 28th -29th April
Venue: Youth Sanctuary

BIRTHDAYS

Bridgit Ndanu Kioko
Ruth Bolo
16th April

Dora Nafula
Alicia Mugavana
Alison Mugavana
17th April

Valarie Musila
Jeremy Mbugua
18th April

Chaviva Namalwa
Alfie Mwatika
Damaris Too Kimondo
Chelsy Maina
Karen Njeri
Njeri Maiteri
19th April

Roy Maina
Joy Ndolo
Nicole Ngang'a
Esther Kamau
20th April

Denzel Wanjohi
Michelle Omach
Victor Njoroge
21st April

Annah Wangari
Marcel Mamwa
Joshua Makau
22nd April

BELATED BIRTHDAYS

Nelly Lina Wanjiku
3rd April
Caleb Kamakya
7th April
Hadassah Watare
10th April
Ryan Aiden Njoroge
13th April
Cecilia Mukami
14th April

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

George and Cecilia Gikuhi Mwai celebrated their 4th anniversary on 13th April, 2017

WEDDING BANNES

David Wainaina and Bettina Isler on 21st April 2017 at The Forest - Kereita, Limuru.
3rd Announcement

Kenneth Makau Kisilu and Teresa Wangui Gitahi on 29th April 2017 here at PBC.
2nd Announcement.

John Kennedy Kinyua and Alice Wangui Ng'ang'a on 6th May, 2017 here at PBC. 1st Announcement

If you have any valid reason why the above should not be joined together, please contact the Pastors in good time.

BEREAVEMENTS

Esther Njoki, Teens Ministry (16yrs), daughter of Gabriel Irungu & Pauline Wairimu Irungu and sister to Samuel Njogu went to be with the Lord. The funeral service will be held at PBC, Youth Sanctuary on Wednesday, 19th April from 2pm. She will be laid to rest at Langata Cemetery on Thursday, 20th April. For prayer and support the family can be reached on 0717 885 084.

Stanley Marekia, father to Lucy Gitonga went to be with the Lord on 26th March. He was laid to rest on Thursday, 6th April in Nyarwa – Nyahururu. For prayers and support the family can be reached on 0722 113 349.

Ephantus Njeru Njagi, brother to Lucy Wawira Njagi and uncle to Robin Wachira went to be with the Lord on 3rd April. He was laid to rest on 11th April in Embu. For prayer and support the family can be reached on 0700 527 969.

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