

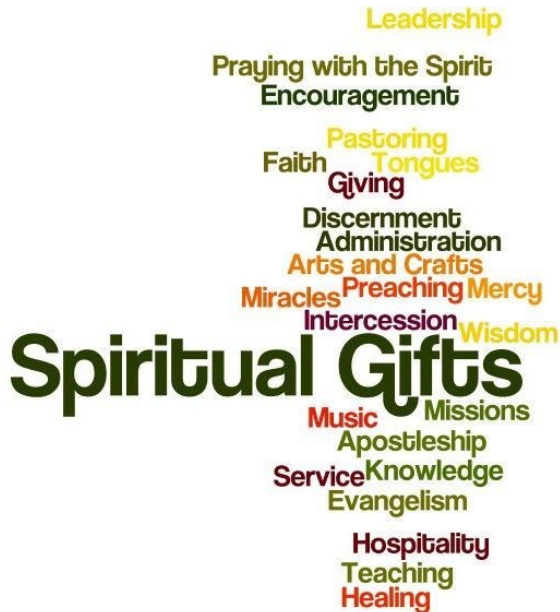


Senior Pastor: Bishop Donovan Allen
18 September 2022

JESUS THE LIFE CHANGER
Through our Ministry and Gifting

Scripture
1 Corinthians
12:1-12

Speaker
Martin Cole



Saturday Morning “Prayer Watch” - 7.00 am to 8.00 am

Church & Pastor’s Council Members: Philip Edwards, Wilbur Jeffers, Norma Moss, Rachelle Peart, Louis Wright, Tiffany Dubidad, Paulette Wright (CPC Secretary).

Local Ministers: Rev Phyllis Brown, Rev Dennis Hines, Bishop Rudolph Parkinson, Rev Virginia Thomas, Rev Phyllis Thompson, Rev Audrey Browne, Rev Paulette Derby-Johnson, Rev Alicia Hyder



Members Meeting

Sunday

18 September 2022

@ 1.30 pm

(after service)



*Light refreshments will
be provided*

Thank you

New Christians' Class



Come and join our
class for new converts with
Rev Phyllis Brown &
Sis Marie Aransevia

Every Sunday
*(except for the 1st Sunday
of each month)*

From 10.00 am to 10.45 am
in Prayer Room

- * Getting to Knowing Your Church
- * Vision, Mission, Core Values & Beliefs
 - * Statement of Faith
 - * Water Baptism
- * God's Plan for Mans Salvation



District Women's Discipleship Conference

Many Congratulations to
Sis Colleen Coates who received the
Blossom Award at the Conference for her
hard work and diligence in Pastoral Care
and supporting the less able during the
Pandemic and since.

The award will be formally presented by
Sis Paulene Haye our District WDM
President, date to be confirmed

Sis Paulette Peters
WDM President

The 'Blossom Awards'

"Blossom Beason was a woman who truly displayed the characteristics of her name 'sweet, beautiful' She bloomed with positivity and faith, and brought joy to those around her.

She lived her life serving the Lord cheerfully, gracefully and most of all faithfully. She served throughout her nursing career and was known for launching health clinics around Nottingham that were specifically geared at caring for the elderly in her community.

Her passion and commitment was indeed visible to many; as she, alongside her husband Bishop George Beason served their congregation humbly and lovingly; Not to mention her abounding care and love towards her family, who she would do anything for. The best thing about Blossom is she would let nothing stop her from flourishing, and this was a fact particularly apparent throughout her 5 year battle with cancer. Her faith grew bigger, her beauty became more radiant, and her courage was nothing short of inspirational. This award remembers the wonderful heart of a woman whose passion moved her hands to serve those around her, and recognises this same spirit dwelling within you, causing you to carry on the legacy

Blossom's legacy encourages us to resonate with this quote;

'If by chance you wish to remember me, do it with a kind deed or a word to someone who needs you. If you do all I have asked, I will live forever'





In our time of national mourning and supporting others who are so emotionally broken at this time, pondering over matters of death, what life is etc let us stop to say thank you for NTCG National Evangelism & Missions Expo 2022 last weekend.

Many churches received 1st, 2nd, and 3rd prize awards in several other categories. The NTCG Northampton E&M team got one of the 1st place Award for our E&M work. To our, God be the glory and praise. We got what we never knew was in store for our church. Look what the Lord has done for us! Thank you to everyone who prayed (before, during, after) and/or was on the ground at Saturday's NTCG National E&M outreach in Northampton town

centre.

We thank God for the souls rescued from the kingdom of darkness and transported into the kingdom of light, for those who were also prayed for spiritual encouragement, strengthening, healing etc

Well attended by churches around the Northamptonshire area and some NTCG church members from Kings Park Centre.

We say to God be the glory! Look what the Lord is doing just as He promised us, as we make ourselves available to be engaged in His kingdom end time ministry work! Here is picture taken before we left with Sis Rachele, me and some of our local church brethren who were present, of a group church photo showing the award as the 'spoils' belong to all of us as a church family! God bless you all. We keep on praying and doing/ going for God in these end-time days.

Rev Audrey Browne



We invite you to

NTCG
The LightHouse

Our Journey

The Windrush Generation & Beyond

EXHIBITION & BANQUET

Sat 29th Oct
Starts 4:00PM



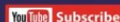
THANKSGIVING SERVICE

Sun 30th Oct
Starts 11:00AM

Please register online at www.ntcgthelighthouse.org

NTCG The LightHouse, Melbourne Road, Leicester, LE2 0DR
Phone: 0116 254 4131, Mobile: 07957 422 827
Web: www.ntcgthelighthouse.org

Streaming Live on YouTube
Channel: NTCG The LightHouse
[youtube.com/c/NTCGTheLightHouse](https://www.youtube.com/c/NTCGTheLightHouse)





Bishop Donovan,

I pray that you, the family, and the church are doing well in the power of God's grace.

I am requesting your support to raise £5000.00 to provide a roof and flooring for a church which is located in Chiransa in the Kumasi region of Ghana. I visited them last year and have seen the condition under which they congregate for worship, which only happens when there is no rain - please photo sent separately!

I have raised to date just over £1200.00.

I am requesting that you ask your church for a special offering to this effect and send the same to the following missions account which I operate, with the reference of your church and Ch/Roof/Floor.

Account name:
Rev. B. A. Mullings

Barclays Bank.

Acc. No: 83702367
Sort Code: 20-26-20

I will let you know the total amount raised and provide photos of work before and after along with an account of transaction with reference to exchange rate and cost of material and labour.

God will bless you for doing your part in aiding the spread of the Gospel of Jesus Christ for the glory of His name.

Respectfully yours

Pastor Barrington Mullings
Brooks' Bar Manchester



**Would you like someone to pray with
you?**

GET IN TOUCH

01604 436394

during our live service

11:00 am -1:00 pm TODAY



Operation Christmas Child 2022

Good News! Great joy!

The mission of Operation Christmas Child is to show God's love in a tangible way to children in need around the world, and together with the local church worldwide, to share the good news of Jesus Christ. Since 1990, more than 157 million children in over 160 countries have experienced God's love through the power of simple shoebox gifts from Operation Christmas Child.

This year our goal is to send two-thirds of shoeboxes from the UK to Ukraine or the neighbouring countries like Moldova and Romania that are hosting many Ukrainian refugee families. During the early days of the Ukraine crisis, an Operation Christmas Child outreach event for refugees touched the lives of many families. Since the beginning of the crisis in Ukraine, thousands of Operation Christmas Child gifts have been distributed to children there and in surrounding countries by our local church partners; but there is still the opportunity to bless many more who are in need.

There are 5 different ways to contribute this year

1. **Packing your own shoeboxes**
2. **Drop individual items from the list in the box in the foyer (tip check out baubles on the trees to see which items we need)**
3. **Pack a shoe box online for £20**

<https://shoebonline.samaritans-purse.org.uk/>

4. **Sponsor a suggested donation of £5 which** is essential to cover project costs, including shipping, to enable a local church or group overseas to lead a safe, well-organised children's event where your shoebox will be given to a child in need.
5. Pray for the work of OCC and for the children and families who will be led to Christ through –The Greatest Journey’

How to pack a shoebox

- Find an empty medium sized shoebox and wrap box and lid separately.
- Get the appropriate boy/girl label. Mark the correct age category and attach the label to the outside of your shoebox
- Fill your shoebox with a variety of new gifts that will bring delight to a child, add a suggested project donation of £5 which included shipping, and hand it to your Project Leader. You can also pray for the child who will receive your shoebox gift
- Hand in your prepacked box at church Sunday **20th November 2022.**

Don't forget to get your labels, rubber bands and add your £5 .00 donation.

Any further information please don't hesitate to contact me. Many blessings

Rachelle

Adult Sunday School

Sunday 11th September 2022

10.00am to 10.45am

in the Sanctuary

Taught by Annie Dzwaka

25th September - Louis Wright



Adult Sunday School

Sunday 18 September 2022

HUMAN SINFULNESS BEGINS

1. Sins of the First Humans (Genesis 3:1-13)
2. Hope in Spite of Failure (Genesis 3:14-4:2)
3. Acceptable Versus Unacceptable Worship
(Genesis 4:3-16, 23-26)

Central Truth:

All have sinned and fallen short of glorifying God.

Focus:

Recognising that human sinfulness began with Adam and Eve, and receive forgiveness by trusting in Jesus Christ .

Golden Text:

“By one man sin entered into the world and death by sin; and so death passed upon all men, for that all have sinned” (Romans 5:12).

Adult Sunday School

Sunday 25 September 2022

HUMAN SINFULNESS INCREASES

1. Human Became Exceedingly Evil (Genesis 6:1-7)
2. Noah Found God's Grace (Genesis 6:8-13)
3. Preparation for Coming Judgment (Genesis 2:14-22)

Central Truth:

God is merciful, but persistent sinning invites His judgment.

Focus:

Understand and accept that amid increasing sin and impending judgment, God is gracious.

Golden Text:

“God saw that wickedness of man was great in the earth, and that every imagination of the thoughts of his heart was only evil continually” (Genesis 6:5).



Please pray for . . .

- ❖ *Mother Medlin Cleghorn and her family for the loss of her daughter Barbara Cole*

- ❖ *Bro Louis Wright, Sis Eileen Wright and family for the loss of his mother*



Please keep them and their families in your prayers this week

Join Us To
Pray for our
Schools



Substitute

STUDENTS

Teachers

Teachers

School Nurses

Janitors

Food Service Workers

Step 1: Nominate A School

Step 2: Stand Outside Your

Chosen School and Say A Prayer

If You Can't Go, Just Pray

THURSDAY IS **SENIORS'** DAY

We are pleased to announce that our
Seniors will be resuming their
weekly meetings from

Thursday 22 September 2022

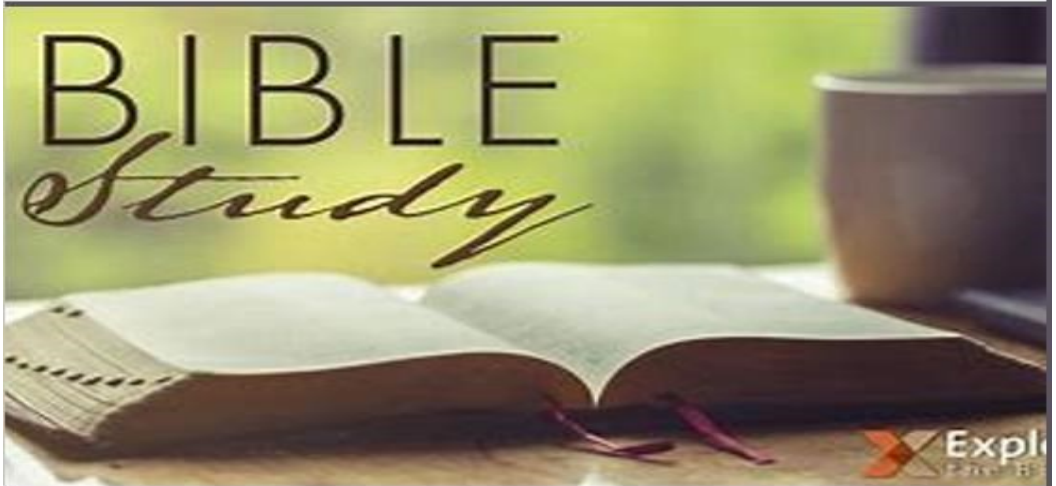
11.00 am to 1.00 pm

at

NTCG College Street

For further information please speak to
Sis Gloria Bartley

Join us for



Wednesday 21st September @ 7.00 pm

Topic:

A Study Journey through Colossians

Description:

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus

Scripture:

Colossians 3

Facilitator: Rev Alicia Hyder

Zoom Meeting Details

Meeting ID: 898 0174 9043

Passcode: 216602

PRAYER LINE



MONDAY 7.30 pm to 8.30 pm
THURSDAY 6.00am to 7.00 am
SATURDAY 7.00 am to 8.00 am

ACCESS DETAILS:

DIAL TELEPHONE NUMBER:

0333 011 2308

ROOM PASSWORD:

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PIN NUMBER: 1053#

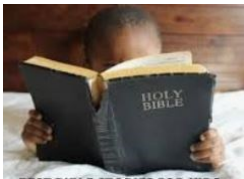
Children's Church

Every Sunday

*(except for the 1st Sunday
of each month)*

**Children's Church for 12 years and
younger is being held Upstairs Hall**

Start Time: 11:45 am



Proverbs 22:6 (NLT)

Direct your children onto the right path,
and when they are older, they will not
leave it.

So, like a well rooted tree our focus is
to equip our children in the knowledge and wisdom of
God, so that they grow in godly confidence,
helping to prepare them for the greatness
almighty God has gifted to each one.

For any further queries or if anyone would like to be in-
volved in Children's Church, please see Fiona or Tanya



Youth Forum

**Every 2nd & 4th Sunday of each Month
at 11.45 am**

Downstairs Hall behind the Pulpit

**Do come along with your Bible or
Bible Apps**

**Be ready to explore, learn and share the
word and our faith, as its expected of us
Proverbs 21:21**

For further information please contact

**Rev Paulette Derby-Johnson
07935 451420**

**Sis Murna Braham-Stewart
07737 536156**

**For any changes and updates please use the
Youth and Parents WhatsApp Groups**

This is my Testimony

Sis Murna Braham Stewart



I was born in Jamaica in 1958, in the Parish of Trelawney, in the district of Lime Tree.

I came to England in the Winter of 1965. I came to England because, like many other parents, my mother left me with other family members until they were able to send for me to travel to the UK and reunite with my mum and dad.

As a child, growing up in Jamaica I went to Church with my family. I didn't understand why, but I knew that what my mother was doing was important to her and I had no choice but to go along with her and I continued to do so as I got older. I stopped going to church after I got married when I was 19yrs old. However, after a very abusive marriage which lasted 5 years and the legacy of two children, I started going back to church.

When I came to England, I lived in Bedford. My family and I went to the Brickhill Baptist Church, where I would always sit at the back of the church, hoping that no one would see me. One Sunday, whilst sitting in my usual spot, I closed my eyes whilst the preacher was praying, and in my mind's eyes I saw myself walking very briskly down a beautiful path, I was almost running to get to the end with tears running down my face. When I opened my eyes, I was standing at the pulpit telling the minister that I wanted to be Baptised. The minister was happy and asked someone to pray with me. I did the discipleship training and was baptised soon after. At that time, I was 25 years old.

I was introduced to Northampton NTCG in 2013 when we moved to Rushden. My Cousin Nancy introduced my second husband and me to the Church. I became a Member of College Street NTCG in 2016.

When I first attended College Street, I didn't know what to expect, but I was

College Street Church is fulfilling in me what God has in store for me. I am a mentor for some of the local University Students and I enjoy working with them. I am energised by their hunger to seek God in every situation, and their trust in me to offer them support in their Christian growth.

One of my favourite scriptures in the Bible is Luke 12 v 22-23 'Do not worry about your life or what you will eat, or what you will wear, Life is more than food and the body is more than clothing'

On the 26th September, 2019 whilst I was working in my office at home, the Holy Spirit put me in a sleeping mode at my desk, and placed a pen in my hand and allowed me to write in my diary these words “ ***Hold on to your faith***” ‘then again I heard “ Something is going to happen, hold on to your faith and share this message with the Church.” I had no idea what this meant, but soon after that, came ‘Covid -19. I am happy to say that I am not afraid of Covid-19, because I am “Holding on to my Faith”, wearing God's Armour, and that I was obedient in sharing this message with the Church.

Many people are vulnerable due to ill health, and Church services on Zoom

have been a blessing to them. A major learning insight for me over this period has been the privileged opportunity to listen to God more acutely, trust him more strongly and make myself more available to do his will.

I would like to say to those who come to Church and sit and enjoy the services, don't be a spectator and leave empty handed, come with an expectancy to be empowered and enriched to be used by God in accordance with his good and perfect will and when you do that, you will experience 'Jesus the life changer' as he has been for me.

If you have a story/testimony to share, please let Rev Phyllis Thompson know by emailing her on: phyllis.thompson@ntcg.org.uk

New Testament Church of God
Women's Empowerment Conference



FOLLOWING GOD'S PLAN

ESTHER 4:14-17, 5:1-5

SATURDAY 1ST & SUNDAY 2ND OCTOBER 2022



Host:
Mrs Joycelyne Bolt
National Women's
Discipleship Ministries
Director



Guest Speaker:
Rev Jennifer Porter Cox



Guest Teacher:
Rev Dr Grace Bally-Balogun



Guest Psalmist:
Helen Yousaf

REGISTRATION PRICES AND EARLY BIRD TICKETS

	EARLY BIRD WEEKEND Up to 31st August 2022	EARLY BIRD DAY Up to 31st August 2022	STANDARD WEEKEND 1st September 2022 onwards	STANDARD DAY 1st September 2022 onwards
CHILDREN (0-11)	FREE	FREE	FREE	FREE
YOUTH (12-14)	£7.00	£5.00	£10.00	£8.00
YOUTH (15-17)	£12.00	£10.00	£15.00	£13.00
ADULTS (18+)	£25.00	£15.00	£30.00	£20.00

**PURCHASE YOUR
TICKETS AT
eventbrite**

<https://ntcg-wec-2022.eventbrite.co.uk/>

Venue:

Bethel Convention Centre,
Kelvin Way, West Bromwich,
B70 7JW



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Website : www.ntcg.org.uk/wdm | Email: wdm@ntcg.org.uk | Tel: 01604 824 222

Happy Birthday to You!

Birthday Greetings to all who are celebrating a birthday in SEPTEMBER and would like us to appreciate your special day

**5th Philip Edwards
10th Marie Aransevia
11th Lydia Noble-Lawson
12th Norma Moss
15th Rev Phyllis Thompson
15th Chiko Dzwaka
21st Joy Hamilton
30th Chardonaye Williams
Joy Garner**

If it's your birthday this month, please let the Comms Team know

Please contact a member of the Comms Team or email news@ntcgnorthampton.org.uk and we will include your news in the weekly notice sheet - all items to be submitted by 5.00 pm on Wednesday

Ways of Giving

We are ever so grateful for the generosity of those who have been supporting us financially. Please note the following details:

Bank: NatWest

Name: New Testament Church of God

Sort code: 60-15-55

Account: 83826793

Reference: *Initial Last Name – Type*
e.g. J Bloggs - T

Payment Type: T =Tithes / O = Offering / G = Gift /
B = Benevolence / WDM = Women's /
Y=Youth

Details to **donate online** can be found on our webpage
<https://ntcgnorthampton.org.uk/how-to-donate/>

Or, contact our Church Treasurer **Paulette Wright** on
07510 255128 to take your tithes and offerings using
the Card Payment System.

If you need any help please contact
secretary@ntcgnorthampton.org.uk

Special thanks to for your continued support of Tithes,
Offerings, Benevolence and Gifts.

God bless you all
Bishop Allen & Leadership Team

NTCG Northampton

2022 Church Theme: *Jesus the Life Changer*



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Mission Statement

We exist to share the gospel of Jesus Christ with everyone so that they can know God and be transformed by the good news

Vision Statement

We are followers of Jesus Christ who give hope, share love and respect

We are a community that is inclusive, welcoming and accepting of all

We are a Christ Centre Church that serve the community of Northampton

We create an environment where all can grow in our relationship with Jesus Christ embracing each other

We are a central hub for the community where everyone is valued

Core Values

Jesus is always at the Centre

(Hebrews 12:2, 1 Corinthians 11:1-2, Philippians 1:20-21)

We believe in empowering others to discover their giftings, ministries and callings

(1 Thessalonians 9:11, Romans 12:4-8, 1 Corinthians 12:4-11, Ephesians 4:11-13)

We believe that Christ's followers should manifest authenticity and yearn for continuous growth

(Ephesians 4:25-25, 32, Hebrews 12:1, Philippians 1:6)

We believe that every individual should be valued

(Ephesians 4:29-32)

We believe in connecting with the life of our community

(1 Corinthians 9:19-23)

We believe a church should operate as a unified community of servants, with men and women stewarding their spiritual gifts

(1 Corinthians 1:12 & 14, Romans 12, Ephesians 4, Psalm 133:1)

We believe loving relationships and fellowship with one another are key aspects for a flourishing church life

(1 John 1:7, Acts 2:42, Acts 2:44-47)

We believe every believer should be disciplined so they can share the



Charity No. 250306

Community Prayer Line

If you are feeling anxious, worried or concerned, our Volunteers are available to listen and pray with you. Simply talking to someone can help you to make sense of your situation.

Call us for free
01604 436 394
Tuesdays 6pm-8pm

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WEEKLY NOTICES

Make full use of the Notice Sheet by sending your Testimonies, words of encouragement and articles. Please submit any items by **5pm on Wednesday** for inclusion in the Notice Sheet

Email all items to news@ntcgnorthampton.org.uk

If it is a paper item such as a leaflet then please hand it to one of the Team (Sandra Heath, Viv Welsh & Paulette Wright) by the deadline.

Items received after the deadline will be included in the following issue at the discretion of the Comms Team

This means that any items given on a Sunday morning for display will not be used as it will not be consistent with the published Notices.

Are you making a donation, paying Tithes or Offering by Debit Card? <https://ntcgnorthampton.org.uk/how-to-donate/>

Notice Sheet also available at www.ntcgnorthampton.org.uk/about-us/news