

Welcome to Mt. Zion's 21-Days/24 Hours of Consecrated Fasting and Praying

Thank you for joining us at Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church to pray for families, children, health, strength, guidance, mission/vision, and more! Join us as we strengthen our walk with Jesus Christ!

You are welcome to volunteer to pray and fast with us for the next 21-Days (January 12 – February 1, 2014) around the clock!

Directions: Use the attached time chart to choose a certain time of each day to pray with us. For example, each day you may choose to pray for 15 minutes, for example, if you are a late owl, you may choose to pray from 12:00 AM – 12:15 AM. Or, if you are an early riser, you may choose to pray from 5:00 AM -5:15 AM for the next 21-days. Just choose a time that works best for you for the next 21-days.

The prayers and scripture versus are already written. So, feel free to go boldly to the throne of grace!

WHAT: Mt. Zion's 21-Days of Prayer

WHEN: Sunday, Jan. 12 – Feb. 1, 2014

WHERE: DO I PRAY?

- Your choice (your home, in your car, walking, wherever you choose)

HOW: Attached is a list of scriptures and prayers to assist you.

- Remember, you may volunteer to pray on an honor code. The time and place in which you choose to pray are up to you. Feel free to choose your particular time and location where you would like to pray consistently for 21-days. Example at 12 Midnight, I will commit to pray each day, but I may have a different location where I pray (in my family room or my bathroom or my car) – the location is up to you!)

HOW DO I FAST? If you choose to do a food fast, please consult your physician. Remember this is on a voluntary basis. Some people may choose to fast by cutting out 30-min. of T.V., or giving up their favorite soda, or giving up talking on the telephone for a particular period, or giving up their favorite ice cream, etc., for 21-days.

Optional:

- **DIAL-IN:** Each morning, beginning Sunday (1/12/14) at 6:00 AM, you may choose to call (805) 399-1000, Access Code: 910772, to listen in on prayer.



Mt. Zion's 21 days/24 hours of Consecrated Prayer

Have a routine TIME to really praise God and Meditate on His Word in Prayer!!

Sunday, 1/12/14 to Saturday, 2/1/14

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Sunday, 1/12/14 to Saturday, 1/18/14		
WEEK 1	Focus: The WORD from KJV	Day
1. Prayer	Philippians 4:6 King James Version (KJV) ⁶ Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.	Day 1
2. Devotion	Joshua 1:8 (KJV) ⁸ This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.	Day 2
3. Obedience	2 Corinthians 10:5, 6 King James Version (KJV) ⁵ Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ; ⁶ And having in a readiness to revenge all disobedience, when your obedience is fulfilled.	Day 3
4. Mission/Vision	Proverbs 29:18 King James Version (KJV) ¹⁸ Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, happy is he.	Day 4
5. Tongue	Proverbs 18:21 King James Version (KJV) ²¹ Death and life are in the power of the tongue: and they that love it shall eat the fruit thereof.	Day 5
6. Study	2 Timothy 2:15 King James Version (KJV) ¹⁵ Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.	Day 6
7. Power	Hebrews 4:12 King James Version (KJV) ¹² For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discernor of the thoughts and intents of the heart.	Day 7

Sunday, 1/19/14 to Saturday, 1/25/14		
WEEK 2	Focus: WORSHIP from KJV	Days
1. Teaching	Psalm 25:5 King James Version (KJV) ⁵ Lead me in thy truth, and teach me: for thou art the God of my salvation; on thee do I wait all the day.	Day 8
2. Preaching	2 Timothy 4:2 King James Version (KJV) ² Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all long suffering and doctrine.	Day 9
3. Service (Ministries)	1 Corinthians 15:58 King James Version (KJV) ⁵⁸ Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.	Day 10
4. Anointing	Isaiah 10:27 King James Version (KJV) ²⁷ And it shall come to pass in that day, that his burden shall be taken away from off thy shoulder, and his yoke from off thy neck, and the yoke shall be destroyed because of the anointing.	Day 11
5. Giving	Luke 6:38 King James Version (KJV) ³⁸ Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.	Day 12
6. Deliverance: Breaking Down Strongholds	Psalm 34:7 King James Version (KJV) ⁷ The angel of the LORD encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them. Ephesians 6:10-16 King James Version (KJV) ¹⁰ Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might. ¹¹ Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. ¹² For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places. ¹³ Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand. ¹⁴ Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness; ¹⁵ And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace; ¹⁶ Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.	Day 13
7. Praise	Psalm 100 King James Version (KJV) ¹ Make a joyful noise unto the LORD, all ye lands. ² Serve the LORD with gladness: come before his presence with singing. ³ Know ye that the LORD he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. ⁴ Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name. ⁵ For the LORD is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations.	Day 14

Sunday, 1/26/14 to Saturday, 2/1/14		
WEEK 3	Focus: WALK from KJV	Days
1. Spiritual Maturity	1 Peter 2:2 King James Version (KJV) ² As newborn babes, desire the sincere milk of the word, that ye may grow thereby:	Day 15
2. Forgiving	Matthew 6:14 King James Version (KJV) ¹⁴ For if ye forgive men their trespasses, your heavenly Father will also forgive you:	Day 16
3. Witnessing	Mark 16:15-16 King James Version (KJV) ¹⁵ And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. ¹⁶ He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned.	Day 17
4. Discipleship	John 8:31-32 King James Version (KJV) ³¹ Then said Jesus to those Jews which believed on him, If ye continue in my word, then are ye my disciples indeed; ³² And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free.	Day 18
5. Repentance	Mark 1:14-15 King James Version (KJV) ¹⁴ Now after that John was put in prison, Jesus came into Galilee, preaching the gospel of the kingdom of God, ¹⁵ And saying, The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand: repent ye, and believe the gospel.	Day 19
6. Sanctification	2 Thessalonians 2:13-15 King James Version (KJV) ¹³ But we are bound to give thanks alway to God for you, brethren beloved of the Lord, because God hath from the beginning chosen you to salvation through sanctification of the Spirit and belief of the truth: ¹⁴ Whereunto he called you by our gospel, to the obtaining of the glory of our Lord Jesus Christ. ¹⁵ Therefore, brethren, stand fast, and hold the traditions which ye have been taught, whether by word, or our epistle.	Day 20
7. Love	1 John 4:7 King James Version (KJV) ⁷ Beloved, let us love one another: for love is of God; and every one that loveth is born of God, and knoweth God. 1 Corinthians 13 King James Version (KJV) ¹ Though I speak with the tongues of men and of angels, and have not charity, I am become as sounding brass, or a tinkling cymbal. ² And though I have the gift of prophecy, and understand all mysteries, and all knowledge; and though I have all faith, so that I could remove mountains, and have not charity, I am nothing.	Day 21

	<p>³ And though I bestow all my goods to feed the poor, and though I give my body to be burned, and have not charity, it profiteth me nothing.</p> <p>⁴ Charity suffereth long, and is kind; charity envieth not; charity vaunteth not itself, is not puffed up,</p> <p>⁵ Doth not behave itself unseemly, seeketh not her own, is not easily provoked, thinketh no evil;</p> <p>⁶ Rejoiceth not in iniquity, but rejoiceth in the truth;</p> <p>⁷ Beareth all things, believeth all things, hopeth all things, endureth all things.</p> <p>⁸ Charity never faileth: but whether there be prophecies, they shall fail; whether there be tongues, they shall cease; whether there be knowledge, it shall vanish away.</p> <p>⁹ For we know in part, and we prophesy in part.</p> <p>¹⁰ But when that which is perfect is come, then that which is in part shall be done away.</p> <p>¹¹ When I was a child, I spake as a child, I understood as a child, I thought as a child: but when I became a man, I put away childish things.</p> <p>¹² For now we see through a glass, darkly; but then face to face: now I know in part; but then shall I know even as also I am known.</p> <p>¹³ And now abideth faith, hope, charity, these three; but the greatest of these is charity.</p>	
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Day 1: Sunday, January 12th, 2014

WEEK 1	Focus: The WORD from KJV	Days
1. Prayer	<p>Philippians 4:6 King James Version (KJV) ⁶ Be careful for nothing; but in every thing by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known unto God.</p> <p>Mark 11:24-25 ²⁴ Therefore I say unto you, What things soever ye desire, when ye pray, believe that ye receive them, and ye shall have them.</p> <p>²⁵ And when ye stand praying, forgive, if ye have ought against any: that your Father also which is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses.</p>	Day 1

FOCUS: God tells us to pray without ceasing. (1 Thessalonians 5:17)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- Now when Daniel knew that the writing was signed, he went into his house; and his windows being open in his chamber toward Jerusalem, he kneeled upon his knees three times a day, and prayed, and gave thanks before his God, as he did aforetime. (Daniel 6:10)
- Confess your faults one to another, and pray one for another, that ye may be healed. The effectual fervent prayer of a righteous man availeth much. (James 5:16)

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you.

(ref. Hebrews 12:1)

Father, in the name of Jesus, I pray that Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church family will be one body, and one Spirit, even as ye are called in one hope of your calling; that we will fulfil your joy to be likeminded, having the same love of Jesus, being on one accord and of one mind, which was also in Christ Jesus. I pray that God will continue to strengthen our Pastor, Rev. Louis M. Murphy, Sr. – God's under-shepherd – to feed the flock of God to come in the unity of the faith, and of the knowledge of the Son of God. I pray and believe that _____ (insert your name) will be a follower of God's Word and walk circumspectly while giving thanks always for all things unto God and the Father in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ I pray, AMEN. (Reference - Ephesians 4:4, 1 Peter 5:2, Ephesians 4:13, 5:15-20)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father, for allowing us to come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in the time of need. We thank you for the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for edifying of the body of Christ as we walk in the unity of faith. (Hebrews 4:16, Ephesians 4:11-13).

Quote:

Prayer does not equip you for greater works. Prayer is the greater work. – Oswald Chambers

My Personal Prayer/Reflection



Day 2: Monday, January 13, 2014

WEEK 1	Focus: The <u>WORD</u> from KJV	Day
2. Devotion	Joshua 1:8 (KJV) ⁸ This book of the law shall not depart out of thy mouth; but thou shalt meditate therein day and night, that thou mayest observe to do according to all that is written therein: for then thou shalt make thy way prosperous, and then thou shalt have good success.	Day 2

FOCUS: Meditate day and night. (Psalms 1:2)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- Notwithstanding no devoted thing, that a man shall devote unto the LORD of all that he hath, both of man and beast, and of the field of his possession, shall be sold or redeemed: every devoted thing is most holy unto the LORD. (Leviticus 27:28)
- Blessed is the man that walketh not in the counsel of the ungodly, nor standeth in the way of sinners, nor sitteth in the seat of the scornful. (Psalms 1:1)
- But his delight is in the law of the LORD; and in his law doth he meditate day and night. (Psalms 1:2)

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (*Ref. Hebrews 12:1*)

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that my family _____ (fill in names) and Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church family will dwell in the secret place of the most High and abide under the shadow of the Almighty. That I will say of the Lord, He is my refuge and my fortress: my God; in Him will I trust. Father, help us to walk in a way to surrender ourselves to you. We pray that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, of things in heaven, and things in earth, and things under the earth; And that every tongue should confess that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father. In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. (*Reference – Psalm 91:1-2, Philippians 2:10-11*)

PRAISE:

- Thank You, Father, for your glory, patience, and strength. We thank you for giving your angels to take charge over us and keeping us in all your ways. We praise you for allowing Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church to be like a tree planted by the rivers of water, that bringeth forth fruit in due season; that we shall not wither; and whatsoever we do in the name of Jesus shall prosper. (Psalm 91:11; Psalms 1:3)

QUOTE:

The time you spend alone with God will transform your character and increase your devotion. Then your integrity and godly behavior in an unbelieving world will make others long to know the Lord. – Charles Stanley

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

	Day 3: Tuesday, January 14, 2014	
WEEK 1	Focus: The <u>WORD</u> from KJV	Day
3. Obedience	2 Corinthians 10:5, 6 King James Version (KJV) ⁵ Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ; ⁶ And having in a readiness to revenge all disobedience, when your obedience is fulfilled.	Day 3

FOCUS: If ye love me, keep my commandments. (John 14:15)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- For Ezra had prepared his heart to seek the law of the LORD, and to do it, and to teach in Israel statutes and judgments. (Ezra 7:10)
- No man can serve two masters: for either he will hate the one, and love the other; or else he will hold to the one, and despise the other. Ye cannot serve God and mammon. (Matthew 6:24)
- But be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only, deceiving your own selves. (James 1:22)

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (*Ref. Hebrews 12:1*)

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that you will create within me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me. I pray that we at Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church will study to show ourselves approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed rightly dividing the word of truth. I pray that you will give me strength to obey your word and to honor my family _____ (insert names). For they that trust in the Lord shall be as mount Zion, which cannot be removed, but abideth for ever. But upon mount Zion shall be deliverance, and there shall be holiness; Father, I pray that you will cast down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bring into captivity my every thought to the obedience of Christ. In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. (*Reference – Psalm 51:10, 2 Timothy 2:15, Psalm 125:1, Obadiah 1:17a, 2 Corinthians 10:5*)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father, for your divine wisdom and guidance. I praise your Holy Name. Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path. For your word says that if any lack wisdom, let him ask of God, that giveth to all men liberally, and upbraideth not; and it shall be given him. Father, thank you for giving me and my family favour and good understanding in the sight of God and man. We will trust in the LORD with all our heart; and lean not unto our own understanding. In all our ways we will acknowledge Him, and He shall direct our paths. (Psalm 119:105, James 1:5, Proverbs 3:4-6)

QUOTE:

I can never experience the next realm of glory until I crucify myself. – T.D. Jakes

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

	Day 4: Wednesday, January 15, 2014	
WEEK 1	Focus: The <u>WORD</u> from KJV	Day
4. Mission/Vision	Proverbs 29:18 King James Version (KJV) ¹⁸ Where there is no vision, the people perish: but he that keepeth the law, happy is he.	Day 4

FOCUS: And the LORD answered me, and said, Write the vision, and make it plain upon tables, that he may run that readeth it. (Habakkuk 2:2)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- After these things the word of the LORD came unto Abram in a vision, saying, Fear not, Abram: I am thy shield, and thy exceeding great reward. (Genesis 15:1)
- And he said, Hear now my words: If there be a prophet among you, I the LORD will make myself known unto him in a vision, and will speak unto him in a dream. (Numbers 12:6)
- Then spake the Lord to Paul in the night by a vision, Be not afraid, but speak, and hold not thy peace: For I am with thee, and no man shall set on thee to hurt thee: for I have much people in this city. (Acts 18:9-10)

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (*Ref. Hebrews 12:1*)

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that you would bring our children _____ (insert names) before you and give us the prudence and humility to train up our child(ren) in the way they should go; and when they are old, they will not depart from your word and your instruction. For your word says, "Before I formed thee in the belly I knew thee; and before thou camest forth out of the womb I sanctified thee, and I ordained thee a prophet unto the nations." For I know the thoughts that I think toward you, saith the LORD, thoughts of peace, and not of evil, to give you an expected end. Father, we pray that the mission and vision of Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church will be realized with expediency for we know that you will build your church and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it. In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. (*Reference – Proverbs 22:6; Jeremiah 1:5, 29:11; Matthew 16:18*)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father for your omnipotence and your omnipresence. I thank you for Pastor Murphy, Sr., and his family. I thank you for the leaders and members of Mt. Zion and for the health and welfare of my family. We thank you, Jehovah-Nissi (The Lord our Banner) for bringing forth the Mission and Vision of Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church. For we know that All power is given unto you in heaven and in earth. Father, we thank you for our Mission and Vision: "To impact the world by equipping believers to reach the lost with the Gospel of Jesus Christ (*Our Mission*). "To bring about effective change within the two-mile radius of the church" (*Our Vision*). I affirm that I am committed to your word and helping to bring forth the Mission and Vision of Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church. Father, Thank you! (Psalm 119:105, Matthew 28:18-20)

QUOTE:

Where there is no vision, there is no hope. – George Washington Carver

My Personal Prayer/Reflection



	Day 5: Thursday, January 16, 2014	
WEEK 1	Focus: The WORD from KJV	Day
5. Tongue	Proverbs 18:21 King James Version (KJV) ²¹ Death and life are in the power of the tongue: and they that love it shall eat the fruit thereof.	Day 5

FOCUS: Do all things without murmurings and disputings: (Philippians 2:14)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- A soft answer turneth away wrath: but grievous words stir up anger. (Proverbs 15: 1)
- The tongue of the wise useth knowledge aright: but the mouth of fools poureth out foolishness. (Proverbs 15:2)

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (Ref. Hebrews 12:1)

Father, I pray that there will be no corrupt communication that proceed out of my mouth, but that which is good to the use of edifying, that it may minister grace unto the hearers. For I know that God is faithful, who will not suffer me to be tempted above that I am able; I pray that you will pull down strongholds from Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church. Father, I pray that we will all be filled with the Holy Ghost, and the love of God is shed abroad in our hearts by the Holy Ghost which is given unto us. In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. (Reference – Ephesians 4:29; 1 Corinthians 10:13, 2 Corinthians 10:4, Acts 2:4, Romans 5:5)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father for the blood of Jesus that gives us power to speak blessings. Father thank you for giving us a time to rend, and a time to sew; a time to keep silence, and a time to speak; The Lord God hath given me the tongue of the learned, that I should know how to speak a word in season to him that is weary: he wakeneth morning by morning, he wakeneth mine ear to hear as the learned. (Ecclesiastes 3:7; Isaiah 50:4)

QUOTE:

Remember that the tongue speaks only what is in the heart. – Theodore Epp

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

	Day 6: Friday, January 17, 2014	
WEEK 1	Focus: The <u>WORD</u> from KJV	Day
6. Study	2 Timothy 2:15 King James Version (KJV) ¹⁵ Study to shew thyself approved unto God, a workman that needeth not to be ashamed, rightly dividing the word of truth.	Day 6

FOCUS: For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discernor of the thoughts and intents of the heart. (Hebrews 4:12)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- All scripture is given by inspiration of God, and is profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: (2 Timothy 3:16)
- That the man of God may be perfect, thoroughly furnished unto all good works. (2 Timothy 3:17)

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (*Ref. Hebrews 12:1*)

Father, help me to study thy word. For your word is a lamp unto my feet and a light unto my path. I pray that you will open my eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out of your word. Father in the name of Jesus, I pray that you will help me to praise your word. In God I will praise your word, in God I have put my trust; I will not fear what flesh can do unto me. For my thoughts [are] not your thoughts, neither [are] your ways my ways, saith the LORD. Father, we pray for every visitor that come to Mt. Zion, for whosoever shall call upon the name of the Lord shall be saved. In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. (*Reference – Psalms 119:18, 105; Psalms 56:4, Isaiah 55:8, Romans 10:13*)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father for helping us to communicate Your Word and spread Your Gospel. We praise You because we know that Your Word shall not return unto us void; I have faith in Your Word because You said that Your Word "shall accomplish that which I please, and it shall prosper in the thing whereto I sent it." Oh that men would praise the LORD for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men! Father, thank You for sending Your Word, and healing us and delivering us from all of our destructions. (Isaiah 55:11, Psalm 107:8, 20)

QUOTE:

Truth is powerful and it prevails. – Sojourner Truth

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

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	Day 7: Saturday, January 18, 2014	
WEEK 1	Focus: The <u>WORD</u> from KJV	Day
7. Power	Hebrews 4:12 King James Version (KJV) ¹² For the word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any twoedged sword, piercing even to the dividing asunder of soul and spirit, and of the joints and marrow, and is a discerner of the thoughts and intents of the heart.	Day 7

FOCUS: Behold, I give unto you power to tread on serpents and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy: and nothing shall by any means hurt you. (Luke 10:19)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- But ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judaea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. (Acts 1:8)
- That I may know him, and the power of his resurrection, and the fellowship of his sufferings, being made conformable unto his death; (Philippians 3:10)

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (Ref. Hebrews 12:1)

Father, I am your child who desire to have Power in Your Word. I come to You humbly in faith because I know that without faith it is impossible to please You; I understand that for me to have Power in You, I must believe that God is, and that You are a rewarder of them that diligently seek You. Father I pray for your miraculous works for Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church family and that you would lay a special blessing upon Pastor Murphy, Sr. and his family and all families associated with Mt. Zion. I pray that Marriages will be healed; that those who suffer from any sickness will be healed. Father, I know that you were wounded for our transgressions, bruised for our iniquities: and the chastisement of our peace was upon You; and with Your stripes we are healed. Father, I plead the blood of Jesus on our children ____ (fill in names). Let every soul be subject unto Your higher powers. For there is no power but of God: the powers that be are ordained of God. In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. -- (Reference Hebrews 11:6, Isaiah 53:5, Romans 13:1)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father for forgiving me of all of my sins. I pray repentance for my sins and I believe the Gospel of Jesus Christ. Father, I thank you that I can walk in Your counsel, and I know that if I confess with thy mouth the Lord Jesus, and believe in my heart that God hath raised Jesus from the dead, that I shall be saved. (Mark 1:15, Romans 10:9)

QUOTE:

If there is no struggle, there is no progress. – Frederick Douglass

My Personal Prayer/Reflection



Sunday, 1/19/14		
WEEK 2	Focus: WORSHIP from KJV	Days
1. Teaching	<p>Psalm 25:5 King James Version (KJV) Lead me in thy truth, and teach me: for thou art the God of my salvation; on thee do I wait all the day. (Psalm 25:5) Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost: (Matthew 28:19)</p>	Day 8

FOCUS: So then faith [cometh] by hearing, and hearing by the word of God. (Romans 10:17)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- All scripture [is] given by inspiration of God, and [is] profitable for doctrine, for reproof, for correction, for instruction in righteousness: (2 Timothy 3:16)
- But the Comforter, [which is] the Holy Ghost, whom the Father will send in my name, he shall teach you all things, and bring all things to your remembrance, whatsoever I have said unto you. (John 14:16)

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (Ref. Hebrews 12:1)

Father, I believe and have faith in Your Word, and I believe that You are able to do exceeding abundantly above all that we ask or think, according to the power that worketh in us. It is Your Spirit that quickeneth; the flesh profiteth nothing: the Words that You speak unto us, they are Spirit, and they are life. I believe that you will empower our Pastor, Ministers, Deacons, Deaconesses, Heads of Ministries, and all ministries to be the head, and not the tail; and be above only, and not be beneath. Father, give us the wisdom to hear the commandments of the LORD thy God, to observe and to do them. Father, I pray that you will raise up powerful teachers in Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church. For you have given some, apostles; and some, prophets; and some, evangelists; and some, pastors and teachers; For the perfecting of the saints, for the work of the ministry, for the edifying of the body of Christ: In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. -- (Reference Ephesians 3:20, John 6:63, Deuteronomy 28:13, 2 Timothy 2:15, Ephesians 4:11-12)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father, for the gift that you have given me. Thank you for being the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God. (Hebrews 12:2)

QUOTE:

Hold fast to dreams, for if dreams die, life is a broken winged bird that cannot fly. – Langston Hughes

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

Monday, 1/20/14		
WEEK 2	Focus: WORSHIP from KJV	Days
2. Preaching	2 Timothy 4:2 King James Version (KJV) ² Preach the word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all long suffering and doctrine.	Day 9

FOCUS: And he said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. (Mark 16:15)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- For Christ sent me not to baptize, but to preach the gospel: not with wisdom of words, lest the cross of Christ should be made of none effect. (1 Corinthians 1:17)
- And straightway he preached Christ in the synagogues, that he is the Son of God. (Acts 9:20)
- The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; he hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised, (Luke 4:18)

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (Ref. Hebrews 12:1)

Father, we pray for our Pastor, Rev. Louis M. Murphy, Sr., that you will strengthen him as he preaches Your Word. I pray that we will hold up our Pastor's hands when they are heavy – just like Aaron and Hur did when Moses hands were heavy. "Moses hands were heavy; and they took a stone, and put it under him, and he sat thereon; and Aaron and Hur stayed up his hands, the one on the one side, and the other on the other side; and his hands were steady until the going down of the sun." I pray Father, that You will put on us the whole armour of God, that we may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil. For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places. I pray Father that you will give Pastor and every member of Mt. Zion the whole armour of God, that we may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand boldly in Your Name. In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. -- (Reference Exodus 17:12, Ephesians 6: 10-13)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father, for armoring us with Your truth and helping us to put on the breastplate of righteousness. Thank you, Father for giving us the Gospel of peace. Father, we thank You for our Pastor! We pray that he will continue to preach the Word; be instant in season, out of season; reprove, rebuke, exhort with all long suffering and doctrine. (2 Timothy 4:2)

QUOTE:

Each person must live their life as a model for others. – Rosa Parks

My Personal Prayer/Reflection



Tuesday, 1/21/14		
WEEK 2	Focus: WORSHIP from KJV	Days
3. Service (Ministries)	1 Corinthians 15:58 King James Version (KJV) ⁵⁸ Therefore, my beloved brethren, be ye stedfast, unmoveable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, forasmuch as ye know that your labour is not in vain in the Lord.	Day 10

FOCUS: If any man speak, let him speak as the oracles of God; if any man minister, let him do it as of the ability which God giveth: that God in all things may be glorified through Jesus Christ, to whom be praise and dominion for ever and ever. Amen. (1 Peter 4:11)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

Matthew 20:26-28

²⁶ But it shall not be so among you: but whosoever will be great among you, let him be your minister;

²⁷ And whosoever will be chief among you, let him be your servant:

²⁸ Even as the Son of man came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, and to give his life a ransom for many.

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (Ref. Hebrews 12:1)

Father, I pray that I will work dutifully in Your Kingdom. Dear Father, help me! I have faith that my God will meet all our needs and the needs of Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church members according to the riches and glory in Christ Jesus. Father Your Word does not go out void. I have faith in Your Word that You will not let the righteous go forsaken nor our seed begging bread. I pray for the Community surrounding Mt. Zion. I pray that lives will be saved, and that we will prosper in Your Word and in our daily lives. In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. -- (Reference Philippians 4:19, Psalm 37:25)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father, for helping us to walk worthy of the Lord unto all pleasing, being fruitful in every good work, and increasing in the knowledge of God; (Colossians 1:10)

QUOTE:

Love makes your soul crawl out from its hiding place. – Zora Neale Hurston

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

Wednesday, 1/22/14		
WEEK 2	Focus: WORSHIP from KJV	Days
4. Anointing	Isaiah 10:27 King James Version (KJV) ²⁷ And it shall come to pass in that day, that his burden shall be taken away from off thy shoulder, and his yoke from off thy neck, and the yoke shall be destroyed because of the anointing.	Day 11

FOCUS: But the anointing which ye have received of him abideth in you, and ye need not that any man teach you: but as the same anointing teacheth you of all things, and is truth, and is no lie, and even as it hath taught you, ye shall abide in him. (1 John 2:27)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

Isaiah 61:1

- The Spirit of the Lord GOD is upon me; because the LORD hath anointed me to preach good tidings unto the meek; he hath sent me to bind up the brokenhearted, to proclaim liberty to the captives, and the opening of the prison to them that are bound;

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (*Ref. Hebrews 12:1*)

Father, the Spirit of the Lord [is] upon me, because He hath anointed me to preach the gospel to the poor; He hath sent me to heal the brokenhearted, to preach deliverance to the captives, and recovering of sight to the blind, to set at liberty them that are bruised. Father, praise be to You for taking Your anointing oil, to anoint the Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church, and all that [is] therein, and consecrating it and all its furnishings, and it will be holy. Now He which stablisheth us with you in Christ, and hath anointed us, [is] God; In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. -- (*Reference* Luke 4:18, Exodus 40:9 , 2 Corinthians 1:21)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father, for casting out many devils, and anointing with oil many that were sick, and healing them. (**Mark 6:13**)

QUOTE:

Just don't give up what you're trying to do. Where there is Love and inspiration, I don't think you can go wrong.
-Ella Fitzgerald

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

Thursday, 1/23/14		
WEEK 2	Focus: WORSHIP from KJV	Days
5. Giving	Luke 6:38 King James Version (KJV) ³⁸ Give, and it shall be given unto you; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, shall men give into your bosom. For with the same measure that ye mete withal it shall be measured to you again.	Day 12

FOCUS

- Bring ye all the tithes into the storehouse, that there may be meat in mine house, and prove me now herewith, saith the LORD of hosts, if I will not open you the windows of heaven, and pour you out a blessing, that [there shall] not [be room] enough [to receive it]. (Malachi 3:10)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

Psalm 37: 21-26

- ²¹ The wicked borroweth, and payeth not again: but the righteous sheweth mercy, and giveth.
²² For such as be blessed of him shall inherit the earth; and they that be cursed of him shall be cut off.
²³ The steps of a good man are ordered by the LORD: and he delighteth in his way.
²⁴ Though he fall, he shall not be utterly cast down: for the LORD upholdeth him with his hand.
²⁵ I have been young, and now am old; yet have I not seen the righteous forsaken, nor his seed begging bread.
²⁶ He is ever merciful, and lendeth; and his seed is blessed.

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (Ref. Hebrews 12:1)

Father, I pray that I will be a cheerful giver in the Name of Jesus. I pray that I will honor God by giving of my tithes and offerings unto God. I will Honor the LORD with my substance, and with the firstfruits of all my increase. I pray Father, that every member of Mt. Zion will give according to Your blessings upon them. Father, I have faith that if we give, You will give unto us; good measure, pressed down, and shaken together, and running over, . . . For with the same measure that we give to You; You will give to us more abundantly than we could ever ask or think. In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. -- (Reference Proverbs 3:9, Luke 6:38, Ephesians 3:20)

PRAISE:

Thank You, Father for supplying our every need according to Your riches and glory by Christ Jesus. (Philippians 4:19)

QUOTE:

Just don't give up what you're trying to do. Where there is Love and inspiration, I don't think you can go wrong.
 -Ella Fitzgerald

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

Friday, 1/24/14		
WEEK 2	Focus: WORSHIP from KJV	Days
6. Deliverance: Breaking Down Strongholds	<p>Psalm 34:7 King James Version (KJV)</p> <p>⁷ The angel of the LORD encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them.</p> <p>Ephesians 6:10-16 King James Version (KJV)</p> <p>¹⁰ Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of his might.</p> <p>¹¹ Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil.</p> <p>¹² For we wrestle not against flesh and blood, but against principalities, against powers, against the rulers of the darkness of this world, against spiritual wickedness in high places.</p> <p>¹³ Wherefore take unto you the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to withstand in the evil day, and having done all, to stand.</p> <p>¹⁴ Stand therefore, having your loins girt about with truth, and having on the breastplate of righteousness;</p> <p>¹⁵ And your feet shod with the preparation of the gospel of peace;</p> <p>¹⁶ Above all, taking the shield of faith, wherewith ye shall be able to quench all the fiery darts of the wicked.</p>	Day 13

FOCUS Beloved, believe not every spirit, but try the spirits whether they are of God: because many false prophets are gone out into the world. **(1 John 4:1)**

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

- There hath no temptation taken you but such as is common to man: but God [is] faithful, who will not suffer you to be tempted above that ye are able; but will with the temptation also make a way to escape, that ye may be able to bear [it]. **(1 Corinthians 10:13)**

PRAYER:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. *(Ref. Hebrews 12:1)*

Father, I pray that we will not conform to this world: but be transformed by the renewing of our minds, that You, Father, may prove what [is] that good, and acceptable, and perfect, will of God. God is omnipresent, and He is omniscient. Father, You are our spiritual authority. Because of You, I will not be afraid nor dismayed by reason of this great multitude; for the battle is not ours, but God's. Father, for the weapons of our warfare at Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church and in our daily lives [are] not fleshly, but powerful to God for pulling down all strongholds. Casting down imaginations, and every high thing that exalteth itself against the knowledge of God, and bringing into captivity every thought to the obedience of Christ; In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. -- *(Reference Romans 12:2, 2 Chronicles 20:15, 2 Corinthians 2:4, 10:3-6)*

PRAISE: Thank You, Father, for destroying arguments and every lofty opinion raised against the knowledge of God, and taking every thought captive to obey Christ **(2 Corinthians 10:5)**

QUOTE: "I believe in prayer. It's the best way we have to draw strength from heaven" Josephine Baker

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

	Day 14: Saturday, January 25, 2014	
WEEK 2	Focus: The <u>WORSHIP</u> from KJV	Day
7. Praise	Psalm 100 King James Version (KJV) ¹ Make a joyful noise unto the LORD, all ye lands. ² Serve the LORD with gladness: come before his presence with singing. ³ Know ye that the LORD he is God: it is he that hath made us, and not we ourselves; we are his people, and the sheep of his pasture. ⁴ Enter into his gates with thanksgiving, and into his courts with praise: be thankful unto him, and bless his name. ⁵ For the LORD is good; his mercy is everlasting; and his truth endureth to all generations.	Day 14

FOCUS: By him therefore let us offer the sacrifice of praise to God continually, that is, the fruit of [our] lips giving thanks to his name. (Hebrews 13:15)

SCRIPTURAL REFERENCES

1 Corinthians 15:57 - But thanks [be] to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ.

Psalms 109:30 - I will greatly praise the LORD with my mouth; yea, I will praise him among the multitude.

Psalms 106:1 - Praise ye the LORD. O give thanks unto the LORD; for [he is] good: for his mercy [endureth] for ever.

PRAYER & PRAISE:

Father, in the mighty name of Jesus, I pray that I will lay aside every weight and clear my thoughts to focus on you. (*Ref. Hebrews 12:1*)

Father, I praise You with [my] whole heart, in the assembly of the upright, and [in] the congregation. Is any among you afflicted? Let him pray. For God is our **Jehovah Rapha** (Our Healer). Is any merry? Let him sing psalms. For God is our **Jehovah Shalom** (The Lord of Peace). Unto Him [be] glory in the church by Christ Jesus throughout all ages, world without end. Father, we praise you for meeting the needs of Mt. Zion Progressive Missionary Baptist Church! We praise you for your under-shepherd, Pastor Louis M. Murphy, Sr., the leaders and the members and visitors of Mt. Zion! We praise you for anyone who steps foot on the grounds of Mt. Zion that they will come to know you and walk in your ways and be blessed! Father, We give You thanks, O Lord God Almighty (**El Shaddai**), which art, and wast, and art to come; because You are Our **El Shaddai** (God Almighty), our Great power, and hast reigned. Father, we praise you! Your Word says, "Whoever dwells in the shelter of the Most High will rest in the shadow of the Almighty. I will say of the LORD, "He is my refuge and my fortress, my God, in whom I trust." We Praise You Father – You are the Great "I AM!" You are Alpha and Omega, the beginning and the end! In the name of Jesus I pray, AMEN. -- (*Reference Psalms 111:1, James 5:13, Ephesians 3:21, Revelation 11:17, Psalms 91:1-2, Exodus 3:14, Revelation 1:8*)

QUOTE:

If I were to say, "God, why me?" about the bad things, then I should have said, "God, why me?" about the good things that happened in my life. – Arthur Ashe

My Personal Prayer/Reflection

