

## Lifeline Snippets

**1st Time Visitors:** We welcome specially, all those worshipping with us for the first time today. Please, join us at all our meetings and programmes and God will bless you.

**Bible Study:** Please, join us every Tuesday this month as Pastor Ade Adejobi teaches on **PRAYER PLUS**. Be there!

**Prayer Meeting:** Please, join us at our Prayer Meeting this Thursday as Pastor Ade Adejobi leads us to pray on the theme: **CONSECRATION**. Please, don't miss it! God bless.

**Commitment:** Don't be a bench-warmer in Church this Year. Be committed! Join a Team of your choice and the House Fellowship nearest your house. It pays to serve Jesus!

**Building Project Offerings & Pledges:** Please, give generously towards the Church Building Project and be faithful in redeeming your pledge. God is faithful and will bless you.

**Birthdays:** This month's birthday celebrants should remember their commitment of sponsorship to the Children's Church. May the Lord reward, enrich and bless you abundantly.

**Online Sermons:** You can listen to Pastor Adejobi's Sermons online at the church website: [www.lifelinebiblechurch.com](http://www.lifelinebiblechurch.com)

**Tracts:** Gospel tracts & handbills for evangelism & church publicity are available. Collect as many as you can faithfully use.

**Notice Board:** Check the Notice Board for more information.

## Through The Bible In A Year

Monday, January 2 ----- Genesis 3-5  
Tuesday, January 3 ----- Genesis 6-9  
Wednesday, January 4 ----- Genesis 10-11  
Thursday, January 5 ----- Genesis 12-15  
Friday, January 6 ----- Genesis 16-19  
Saturday, January 7 ----- Genesis 20-22  
Sunday, January 8 ----- Genesis 23-26

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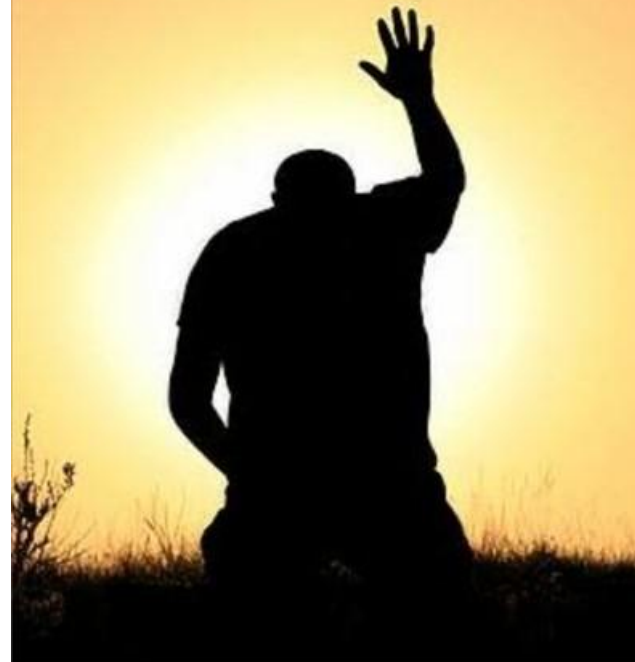
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## Life Reflection



## Back to Bethel



**Gather, Grow, Give & Go with Us**

# Lifeline

A Newsletter of Lifeline Bible Church, Lagos

## Another Chance



*Jesus is our Lifeline*



**MOTTO:**

*"Looking unto Jesus the  
Author and Finisher of our  
faith..." Hebrews 12: 2.*

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## THREE SECRETS OF GREAT LEADERS

### 1. Great Leaders Have A Clear Sense of PURPOSE.

Most organizations know what they do. A few can articulate how they do it. But very few know WHY they do what they do. Simon Sinek said, "Before you build a list of action steps or hire people or do anything at all - you need to come to grips with the purpose behind it all."

There's a good chance you inherited your purpose - either from the leader before you or from cultural expectations. Inherited purposes are weak. Before you do anything, you need to know WHY you're doing it. Uncovering the true driving force will provide a lot of clarity on any decision. If you can take the time to clarify the WHY, the WHAT will become much more clear. What really is your mission statement?

### 2. Great Leaders Surround Themselves With Quality PEOPLE.

In addition to a clear purpose, you need people around you. You might be able to accomplish more than the average person, but without a great team around you, you will never be able to do all you were meant to do. *"Give a great idea to a mediocre team and they will mess it up. But give a mediocre idea to a great team, and they will pull it off or make it better"* - Ed Catmull.

Nearly every great accomplishment happened through a team. Take the light bulb, for example. Everyone credits Thomas Edison for that invention, but he had a whole team of people working on that project. Whenever you see someone win a prize, know there is probably a team equally deserving of praise. One of your most important jobs as a leader is to build a team of people that is smarter than you. Do you have great people around you?

### 3. Great Leaders Don't Just Set Goals... They Make PLANS.

Not long ago, we huddle as a family to talk about our schedule. We realized it was crazy running between tests, chorus, baseball, tennis and birthday parties, the week looked pretty full. Honestly, we were stressed before the week even started. Every family has weeks like this from time to time, but this was becoming normal in our house. That day, we realized our schedule was driving our plans, not the other way around. We need to let OUR plan as parents dictate the kids schedule, not just accept everything and go with the flow. There's nothing wrong with activities, but if those activities don't help our family fulfil our purpose, they are distractions. Often, we just accept things, refusing to understand we're really in control. This is why I think goals are overrated. Anybody can set goals. It's the hard work and the everyday step you take that sets you apart.

***Jesus is Lord!***

## Hymn 1

### PRAISE, MY SOUL, THE KING

1. Praise, my soul, the King of heaven;  
To His feet thy tribute bring  
Ransomed, healed, restored, forgiven,  
Who like me His praise should sing?  
Praise Him! Praise Him!  
Praise the everlasting King

2. Praise Him for His grace and favor  
To our fathers in distress;  
Praise Him still the same forever,  
Slow to chide and swift to bless,  
Praise Him! Praise Him!  
Glorious in His faithfulness

3. Father-like, He tends and spares us;  
Well our feeble frame He knows;  
In His hands He gently bears us,  
Rescues us from all our foes  
Praise Him! Praise Him!  
Widely as His mercy flows

4. Angels, help us to adore Him;  
Ye behold Him face to face;  
Sun and moon, bow down before Him,  
Dwellers all in time and space  
Praise Him! Praise Him!  
Praise with us the God of grace

## Life Pasture

"Then said He unto the dresser of His vineyard, Behold, these three years I come seeking fruit on this fig tree, and find none: cut it down; why cumbereth it the ground? And he answering said unto Him, Lord, let it alone this year also, till I shall dig about it, and dung it: And if it bear fruit, well: and if not, then after that Thou shalt cut it down." - Luke 13: 7-9

***Happy New Year!***

## Hymn 2

### NOW THANK WE ALL OUR GOD

1. Now thank we all our God  
With hearts and hands and voices,  
Who wondrous things have done,  
In whom His world rejoices  
Who from our mothers' arms  
Hath blessed us on our way  
With countless gifts of love,  
And still is ours today

2. O may this bounteous God  
Through all our life be near us,  
With ever joyful hearts  
And blessed peace to cheer us;  
And keep us in His grace,  
And guide us when perplexed,  
And free us from all ills  
In this world and the next

3. All praise and thanks to God  
The Father now be given,  
The Son, who rose and lives,  
And sits in highest heaven,  
Our God, eternal is  
Whom earth and heaven adore;  
Now we by grace are His  
And shall be evermore

## Church Programmes

**SUNDAY:      Worship Service - 9: 00am**

**TUESDAY:        Bible Study - 6: 30pm**

**THURSDAY:      Prayer Meeting - 6: 30pm**

**1<sup>ST</sup> FRIDAY:      Prayer Vigil - 10: 30pm**

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