

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: Join us every Tuesday this month as we study together on the theme: **THE CHURCH OF CHRIST**. Be there!

Prayer Meeting: Please, join us at our Prayer Meeting this Thursday as Bro. Isaac Ajani leads us to pray on the theme: **NEW ORDER**. 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

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, June 26 ----- Joel 1-3
Tuesday, June 27 ----- 2Kings 14:21-25; Jonah 1-4
Wednesday, June 28 ----- 2Kings 14:26-29; Amos 1-3
Thursday, June 29 ----- Amos 4-6
Friday, June 30 ----- Amos 7-9
Saturday, July 1 ----- 2Kings 15-17
Sunday, July 2 ----- Hosea 1-4

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Life Reflection

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to everything

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Heaven

Jesus is our Lifeline



MOTTO:

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

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TREASURES IN HEAVEN - Brian Tabb

“Do not lay up for yourselves treasures on earth” doesn’t mean that Christians shouldn’t give gifts, use computers, drive cars, buy homes, or save for retirement. But his teaching raises the important question: Where is our treasure? What does how we spend our paychecks say about what we most deeply enjoy and esteem? Jesus teaches a great deal about money because he knows that the way we use it signals where our heart is—that is, what we worship. Christians and non-Christians go to the same grocery stores, shopping malls, and websites to buy what they need and want. They deposit their earnings at the same banks. Yet Jesus demands that his followers lay up treasures in heaven. We do this by using our money and possessions strategically and sacrificially to serve others in love and to advance God’s kingdom priorities.

In Matthew 13:44 Jesus tells a short parable to explain how people come to experience God’s kingdom: “The kingdom of heaven is like treasure hidden in a field, which a man found and covered up. Then in his joy he goes and sells all that he has and buys that field.” The point is God’s saving presence and sovereign rule are extra-ordinarily precious treasures, more valuable and more desirable than anything else. The man in the parable is not motivated by duty but delight—“in his joy he goes and sells all.” This is the nature of genuine conversion, when we are awakened to the stunning glory and satisfying fullness of King Jesus. We would gladly sell our baseball card collection, iPad, and Honda hatchback to gain the Hope Diamond—provided we recognize that it’s more than a glittery rock. How much more the kingdom of heaven?

Following Jesus with our finances means giving generously and sacrificially to the needs of others, especially the poor. When we experience the new birth, behold the glory and grace of God in Jesus Christ, and receive Him as our Saviour and Lord, we are like that man who discovers hidden treasure and sells his possessions to acquire that treasure, not out of guilt but out of gladness. Jesus satisfies our longings more than any treasure this world can offer. The kingdom of God is infinitely more valuable than everything we possess or could possess in this world. This is why we renounce it all with joy.

Jesus is Lord!

Hymn 1

THERE’S NOT A FRIEND

1. There’s not a friend like the lowly Jesus,
No, not one! No, not one!
None else could heal All our soul’s diseases,
No, not one! No, not one!

CHORUS:

*Jesus knows all about our struggles,
He will guide till the day is done;
There’s not a friend like the lowly Jesus,
No, not one! No, not one!*

2. No friend like Him is so high and holy,
No, not one! No not one!
And yet no friend is so meek and lowly,
No, not one! No, not one!

3. There’s not an hour that He is not near us,
No, not one! No, not one!
No night so dark But His love can cheer us,
No, not one! No, not one!

4. Did ever saint find this Friend forsake him?
No, not one! No, not one!
Or sinner find that He would not take him?
No, not one! No, not one!

5. Was ever gift like the Saviour given?
No, not one! No, not one!
Will He refuse us a home in heaven?
No, not one! No, not one!

Life Lessons

"Heaven is not far when you live close to God." - Anonymous
"If you are a Christian, you are not a citizen of this world trying to get to heaven; you are a citizen of heaven making your way through this world." - Vance Havner
"We talk about heaven being so far away. It is within speaking distance to those who belong there. Heaven is a prepared place for a prepared people." - Dwight L Moody
"It is not talking but walking that will bring us to heaven." - Matthew Henry

Jesus Is Our Lifeline

Hymn 2

JESUS LOVES ME, THIS I KNOW

1. Jesus loves me! This I know
For the Bible tells me so;
Little ones to Him belong
They are weak but He is strong

CHORUS:

*Yes, Jesus loves me (repeat)
The Bible tells me so*

2. Jesus loves me! He who died
Heaven’s gate to open wide;
He will wash away my sin,
Let His little child come in

3. Jesus loves me! He will stay
Close beside me all the way;
Thou hast bled and died for me,
I will henceforth live for Thee

Church Programmes

SUNDAY: Worship Service - 9: 00am

TUESDAY: Bible Study - 6: 30pm

THURSDAY: Prayer Meeting - 6: 30pm

1ST FRIDAY: Prayer Vigil - 10: 30pm

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