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PURIFY MY HEART

(Promise Keepers)

PURIFY MY HEART,
LET ME BE AS GOLD
AND PRECIOUS SILVER.
PURIFY MY HEART,
LET ME BE AS GOLD, PURE GOLD.

(CHORUS)
REFINER'S FIRE,
MY HEART'S ONE DESIRE
IS TO BE....HOLY;
SET APART FOR YOU, LORD.
I CHOOSE TO BE....HOLY;
SET APART FOR YOU, MY MASTER,
READY TO DO YOUR WILL.

PURIFY MY HEART,
CLEANSE ME FROM WITHIN
AND MAKE ME HOLY.
PURIFY MY HEART,
CLEANSE ME FROM MY SIN, DEEP WITHIN.

WORD FROM SOMAYCO 2018 CO-ORDINATOR

There is this thought that the Youths today are just the leaders of tomorrow. This notion has regrettably created a general ideology that youths should wait until they are more mature, knowledgeable and skilled before considering the plans and purpose of God for their lives.

In Paul's admonition to Timothy (a Youth), he said; "let no man despise your youth but be thou an example of believers in word, in conversation, in charity, in spirit, in faith and in purity" 1 Timothy 4:12.

From this biblical injunction, youths are to be leaders today, who earnestly desire to honor and serve God in all their thoughts and actions. Young people are leaders who must lead by example, in Holiness and Godliness.

Looking at the trend of events today, I am terribly burdened for the youths of this generation who must strive to live exemplary lives. Youths are bombarded daily with evil and destructive television programs, commercials, music, billboards, movies and lots of internet products that give us impression that rebelling against the principles of God is 'COOL'. They teach us that righteousness and holiness are old fashioned and out of touch; and that premarital sex, lust and all forms of immorality are perfectly acceptable as long as one is honest and responsible. Youths are like prey in the hands of terrible hunters.

The adults who would have served as role models have not helped matters. The Political elites use us to achieve their selfish ends. Youths are raped and humiliated daily by those old enough to be their fathers. Youths are hired daily for assassination and kidnap by men that should show them the way of true life. Great institutions like National leadership, Families, Schools, and Religious organisations have crumbled because of wickedness and all forms of unrighteousness. Where do we go from here remains the cry of change agents like you that our Great God has brought to this conference.

I sincerely thank you for being part of this great conference, especially feeding on this year's theme: **"Manifestation in Holiness and Godliness"**. Like clay in the hands of the Potter we are here at the Potters house looking up to God to make the best out of us.

On behalf of our Chief Host, The Rt. Rev. A.E. Agbo, JP, Our Technical Partner & Advisor; BASE GROUPE (Uganda), and the great members of the SOMAYCO Steering, Working, Ministry & Service Teams, I welcome all of you to SOMAYCO 2018.

I remain your brother & servant,

Venerable Pharm. Dr. Emeka Ezea
COORDINATOR, SOMAYCO 2018 ☺
DIRECTOR OF YOUTH DIRECTORATE,
ANGLICAN DIOCESE OF NSUKKA.

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-  *Love The Lord Your God With All Your Heart, Mind, Soul, Strength & Body And Love Your Neighbour As You Love Yourself.*

**A WELCOME ADDRESS
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HOLDING AT
ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL, NSUKKA, ENUGU, NIGERIA
MONDAY, 02ND TO SATURDAY, 07TH APRIL, 2018**

By

**RT. REV. ALOYSIUS EZE AGBO, JP
*Bishop of Nsukka***

DURING THE OPENING CEREMONY ON TUESDAY, 03RD APRIL, 2018

PROTOCOL OBSERVATION.

In the name of God, I welcome all of you to SOMAYCO 2018. I am overwhelmed with joy for this great fellowship. We are grateful to God for safety in your travels and for all the provisions and support that made your presence here possible. May His Great Name be praised now and forever!

I welcome in a special way the Deputy President of the Senate, Federal Republic of Nigeria, His Excellency, Senator Ike Ekweremadu and his team to this year's SOMAYCO. You have shown us your love and commitment to the plight of the youths by attending this conference. We are grateful to you.

I welcome other dignitaries here present. I crave your indulgence to mention few persons, especially the Keynote Address presenter, the former Minister of Power, Ven. Prof. Chinedu Nebo. I am elated having you here to fellowship with these future leaders of our society. I also welcome our Technical Partners & Advisors, BASE GROUPE being represented by the present Bro. Billy and his wife Barr. Mrs. Birungi from Uganda. We gladly welcome you our resource persons: Prof. Victor Mbarika from USA, Rev. Eric Shu from Cameroon, Joshua Audu Gana the son Our own Prof. Jerry Gana, Ven. Justus Okoronkwo and Dr. Innocent Kasarachi all from Nigeria and a host of others. God bless you all for accepting our invitation.

During the first and second year of SOMAYCO, we gave details of what SOMAYCO is all about and we also produced a blue print for it. I do not therefore intend to repeat those details here. However, I will summarize this address by highlighting the contemporary challenges that formed the spring board that brought the vision of SOMAYCO.

Young people occupy a very unique place in the life of every society. They are the major “social capital” of every society concerned with positive changes for a better today and for the future. This explains why attention, resources and investments should be directed towards their education and socialization (Udofia, 2017).

Many youths in Africa are left to deal with unimaginable situations and extremely difficult daily lives which affect their dreams and aspirations for the future. Young people have been hit hard by the socio-economic crisis. For a large number of them, the transition from education to employment has become more difficult. Too many are at risk of poverty or exclusion. Many feel that their views are taken for granted and that, they can only be used as political togs. There is a serious risk that a large number will drift away from society as they experience trauma, discrimination, suffering and abuse.

I agree with Udofia (2017) that the contemporary reality of the huge population of unemployed youth draws attention to how they can be best harnessed. Besides coming up with ways to reach the youths, patient mentorships are critical in providing escape routes from their reality and giving them windows to dream about a future.

Particularly, Africa needs a model of mentorship that inspires young people to learn from problem-solving, exploration and imagination where youth repeatedly see and hear that they are valued and important and provide a foundation for critical thinking and a lifetime love for mentorship where the needs and opinions of youths are included. This is a challenge and a call to duty for our fathers and mothers.

Africa needs to empower her youths to increase their ability to personally influence what is happening in their lives and communities. Involve youths in government decision-making processes including: involving young people in the planning and delivery of services that interest and impact upon them, equipping young people with skills so they can increasingly contribute to decision making and instigate matters for government consideration thereby creating the opportunities for young people to become more involved in their communities (Umoh on Twitter: www.twitter.com/iAmMmantiUmoh).

Youths are valuable members of the African community and make significant contributions to community life. Government policies have a significant impact on young people's lives and, accordingly, young people are entitled to have their voice heard in public policy making. Youths' participation in decision-making provides opportunities for them to influence or have 'their say' on issues of importance to them. Getting involved also means young people will learn new skills along the way.

Engaging young people actively in the design and delivery of public policies, programs and services that impact on their lives is common sense and is critical to their success. Including youths in decision-making also contributes to a balanced, representative and democratic community that ultimately benefits all Africans. I therefore enjoin our fathers here to champion this cause.

If we must confront and surmount Africa's challenges, we need a generation of ground-breaking and adaptable youths to create their future. If we give the youths an opportunity, the future is going to look very different. Young people are not a problem to be helped or solved; they are the conduits of creativity and catalyst for change.

Youths are ambitious, creative and capable of rethinking the world and solving tomorrow's problems today. With Godly young people the world of work will change because young people are enterprising. Godly young people can lead social action with a social conscience that will let them build a better world in the process.

It is in connection to this that our SOMAYCO theme this year is **“Manifesting in Holiness and Godliness” (2 Peter 3:11-12)**. The only machine that can make us ground-breaking and adaptable for the creation of our future is holiness and godliness – this is what we call strong godly character. If we enter into the world of work and leadership and begin to participate in decision-making without strong godly character, we will worsen the condition of Africa and the rest of the world.

Therefore we have come here this week to develop under God the required lifestyle for the transformation of our society. Pay attention to the messages and make deliberate decision and resolution to be a change agent.

Africa needs an assertive, strong and godly generation that is able to contribute and lead change in the face of emerging global challenges, to build a better and stronger Africa. While most young Africans are optimistic about the future, those feeling very positive about the future have decreased greatly each year. I pray that you will not be a disappointment to your generation in Jesus name; Amen.

Dearly beloved, there is a need to develop creative ways to help youths explore, discover, harness their potentials and leverage available resources in their environment to their advantage. Understanding how youths process information, how they perceive, learn from, conceptualize and act upon what they see and hear will go a long way in ensuring that what they learn is effective and empowering. We believe that SOMAYCO is the right platform for the realisation of this goal.

SOMAYCO is a movement towards Africa's emancipation. It is a mentorship process for the youths of Africa and the rest of the world. It is a gift of God to our generation. I implore us to hold it and guide it jealously.

This is why the Anglican Diocese of Nsukka is solely committed to this conference where a new generation of leaders will be raised, not because the Diocese has what it

takes to fund SOMAYCO but *this is a journey of faith* and we will not faint.

The number of participants to this conference has been ranging from [10,000 to 13,000] every year and feeding this number of persons for six days and other logistics takes nothing below **30 million Naira**. This is a project that a Church like Nsukka Diocese cannot boast of handling without stress. But this is a divine mandate that we only need to obey wholeheartedly.

Therefore, I wish to commend our churches and individuals who have made great contributions to the hosting of this great conference annually. God will always reward your commitment to this great movement.

Once again I say welcome. And I pray for specific and personal encounter with the Lord on this mountain so that at the end, it will be obvious that we have been with Lord. The Almighty God will lead you safely to your homes when you will depart in Jesus name; Amen.

Now unto him that is able to keep you from falling, and to present you faultless before the presence of his glory with exceeding joy, To the only wise God our Saviour, be glory and majesty, dominion and power, both now and ever. Amen.

Thanks for your patience.

Rt. Rev. Aloysius E. Agbo, JP
Bishop of Nsukka

SOMAYCO 2018 PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

	05:30 TO 06:30	06:30 TO 07:30	07:30 TO 09:00	09:00 TO 10:45	10:45am TO 12:30pm	12:30 TO 02:30	02:30 TO 04:30	04:30 TO 06:30	06:30 TO 08:00	08:00 TO 10:00		
SUN 01ST	EASTER SUNDAY CELEBRATION....Working & Service Teams Arrival; Final Briefing & Systems Pre-Testing											
MON 02ND	Arrival; Checking In; Washing Up & Dinner								Orientation, Meet & Greet, Network & Share Experiences			
TUE 03RD	WASHING UP	MORNING GLORY & DEVOTIONS	BIBLE STUDY	WELCOME CEREMONY & OFFICIAL OPENING			BRUNCH	WORKSHOPS & TRACKS	RECREATION, SPORTS & GAMES	WASHING UP & DINNER	The Conquest Of The Mountain Of Government - Christian Youths In Politics & Leadership	
WED 04TH				Praise & Worship	THEME EXPOSITION: Manifestation In Holiness & Godliness	Praise & Worship					Sanctified & Satisfied	Cultural Performance & Talent Nite
THU 05TH											Never Ashamed	Ministry Of Healing & Deliverance
FRI 06TH											You Are The One	Thanksgiving & Worship Nite; Commissioning & Closing Ceremony
SAT 07TH				Checking Out & Departure								
WORKSHOPS & TRACKS												
WORKSHOP ONE: The Centrality Of The Practice Of Godliness				WORKSHOP TWO: The Conquest Of The Mountain Of Education			WORKSHOP THREE: The Call To Sharing The Gospel		WORKSHOP FOUR: The Challenge For Leaving A Legacy			

SOMAYCO 2018 SCHEDULE & SYNOPSIS OF SESSIONS

SESSION/WORKSHOP	OBJECTIVE & DERIVATIVE	SPEAKER/FACILITATOR
01. PLENARY SESSION: Grand Welcome & Opening Ceremony TUESDAY, 03 APRIL 2018 09:30AM – 12:30PM	Objective & Derivative: <i>Delivery Of A Key Note Address: “Securing The Future, Unlocking The Youth Potential”, Grand Welcome To The Nations Gathered, And Official Opening Of The Conference.</i> <i>The Age We Are Living In Has The Largest Young Generation In History - Nearly Half Of All People In The World Today Are Under The Age Of Twenty Five. In Nigeria, According To Gaskia (2014), Youths Of 35 Years And Under Are Estimated To Constitute 70% Of The Population Of The Country.</i> <i>This Young Generation Is Today’s Strength And Tomorrow’s Hope; And The Need To Unlock The Potential Of This Young Generation Is Urgent And Incessant.</i> <i>The Address Aims At A Deep Reflection On The State Of Affairs Of The Church And The Nations, And A Clarion Call For Securing The Future And Contention For The Destiny Of The Nations Through Unlocking The Potential Of The Young Generation As Emerging Leaders, Inspired Zealous Followers Of God, And Empowered Agents For Transformation Of Their Generation And Impacting Of The Nations.</i>	GRAND WELCOME ADDRESS: Right Reverend Aloysius Agbo (JP) <i>(Nsukka, Nigeria)</i> THE SOMAYCO 360-DEGREE VIEW: Billy Birungi <i>(Kampala, Uganda)</i> KEY NOTE SPEAKER: Venerable Professor Chinedu Nebo <i>(Abuja, Nigeria)</i> GUEST OF HONOUR: Sen. Ike Ekweremadu CFR <i>(Deputy Senate President, Federal Republic Of Nigeria)</i>
02. PANEL DISCUSSION: The Conquest Of The Mountain Of Government - Christian Youths In Politics & Leadership TUESDAY, 03 APRIL 2018 08:00PM – 10:00PM	Objective & Derivative: <i>God Gave Man Government To Establish Freedoms And Boundaries. “When The Righteous Are In Authority, The People Rejoice, But When A Wicked Man Rules, The People Groan” (Proverbs 29:2). The Discussion Is Aiming At Building And Raising A Generation Of Change Agents To Scale, Influence, Conquer And Impact The Mountain Of Government For God....A Generation That Will Reflect God’s Justice And Righteousness In The Governments....Inspiring & Challenging Christian Youths To Boldly Step Out And Aspire For Political Leadership Positions.</i>	SPEAKER: Joshua Audu Gana <i>(Abuja, Nigeria)</i> CHAIR & DISCUSSANT: Dr. Orji Nwachukwu <i>(Awka, Nigeria)</i>

03.

THEME EXPOSITION:
Manifestation In
Holiness & Godliness
WED 04 – FRI 06,
APRIL 2018
09:00AM – 10:45AM

Objective & Derivative: *We Live At A Time In The World When Several Values Of Holiness And Virtues Of Godliness - From Forbearance To Kindness; From Goodness To Faithfulness; From Gentleness To Self-Control; From Morality To Ethics; From Integrity To Honesty - Are Under Rapid Erosion; There Is An Urgent Ardent Need To Breed And Build A Generation Of Change Agents That Withstands The Wave And Is Resilient To The Pressure To Succumb To The Norms Of Corruption, Decadence, Perversion And Wickedness.*

Peter Says:

“Seeing Then That All These Things Shall Be Dissolved, What Manner Of Persons Ought Ye To Be In All Holy Conversation And Godliness, Looking For And Hasting Unto The Coming Of The Day Of God, Wherein The Heavens Being On Fire Shall Be Dissolved, And The Elements Shall Melt With Fervent Heat?”

In Building On The Foundational And Principal Theme Of SOMAYCO: “Manifestation Of The Sons Of God”, The Theme Of SOMAYCO 2018 Is Drawn From The Portion Of Scripture In 2 Peter 3:11-12 (KJV), In The Statement “Manifestation In Holiness & Godliness”, Aiming At: ♦Building And Equipping A Generation Of Change Agents That Is Resistant To The Prevailing And Impending Wave Of Turning Away From God, A Generation That Is Resilient In These Perverted, Degenerated, Defiled And Wicked Times....Through Firm Determination For Living Holy And Godly Lives; ♦Developing, Raising, Building And Equipping A Generation Of Change Agents That Deeply Espouses The Values And Virtues Of Forbearance, Kindness, Goodness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, Self-Control, Morality And Integrity ♦Developing And Equipping A Generation Of Change Agents That Is Totally Sold Unto A Lifestyle Of Bearing Witness For Christ; ♦Raising And Equipping A Generation That Will Rise To The Challenge Of The Kind Of Leaders That Africa And The World Are Desperately Yearning And Looking Out For.

Venerable
Justus Okoronkwo
(Jos, Nigeria)

SENIOR PLENARY: AGE: ≥16
PLENARY SIZE: 12,000PAX

Reverend
Eric Shu
(Younde, Cameroon)

JUNIOR PLENARY: AGE: ≤15
WED 04 – FRI 06,
APRIL 2018
09:00AM – 10:45AM
PLENARY SIZE: 3,000PAX

04.	PLENARY SESSION: Sanctified & Satisfied WEDNESDAY, 04 APRIL 2018 10:45AM – 12:30PM	Objective & Derivative: <i>“I Will Satisfy The Priests With Abundance, And My People Will Be Filled With My Bounty,” Declares The Lord. Jeremiah 31:14</i> <i>To Be Sanctified Simply Means To Be Set Apart; To Be Declared Holy; To Be Freed From Sin; To Be Morally Upright. One Is Sanctified When They Live According To God's Design And Purpose. To Be Satisfied Simply Means To Be Contented; To Be Pleased. If God's Goodness Does Not Satisfy His Children, Nothing Will.....!!</i> <i>Raising And Building A Generation That Finds All Satisfaction In God's Goodness. Raising A Generation That Abhors Groaning, Which Is A Manifestation Of Wrong Desires Within.</i>	Dr. Hayford Innocent Kasarachi <i>(Port Harcourt, Nigeria)</i>
05.	PLENARY SESSION: Never Ashamed THURSDAY, 05 APRIL 2018 10:45AM – 12:30PM	Objective & Derivative: <i>“Therefore, The One Who Confesses And Acknowledges Me Before Men [As Lord And Savior, Affirming A State Of Oneness With Me], That One I Will Also Confess And Acknowledge Before My Father Who Is In Heaven” Matthew 10:32 (AMP).</i> <i>Imparting A Challenge For A Lifestyle That Bears Witness For Jesus. Building And Raising A Generation That Should Never Be Ashamed Of Jesus Nor Fear To Declare The Doctrine Of The Cross. Raising A Generation That Whatever Case May Be, Should Never Indulge In Cowardly Silence Or Allow Faint-Hearted Compromise; Imparting A Challenge For Significant Living By Building Lives Ready For The Day Of Judgment And Maintaining An Eternal Frame Of Reference.</i>	Reverend Eric Shu <i>(Younde, Cameroon)</i> SENIOR PLENARY: AGE: ≥16 PLENARY SIZE: 12,000PAX JUNIOR PLENARY: AGE: ≤15 FRIDAY, 06 APRIL 2018 10:45AM – 12:30PM PLENARY SIZE: 3,000PAX

06.

PLENARY SESSION:
Ministry of Healing
& Deliverance
THURSDAY,
05 APRIL 2018
08:00PM – 10:00PM

Objective & Derivative: *The Things Around Someone Affect Them Positively Or Negatively And Contribute To Their Character, Beliefs, Reactions And Way Of Life. If The Surrounding And Closest People And Circumstances In One's Life Are Harsh And Unfair, They Cause Them To Hurt Which Leads Them To Getting Wounds That Affect Their Character In A Negative Way, Leading To People Having Bondages, Addictions, And Ungodly Character And Way Of Life.*

However, After The Holy Spirit Sets In, He Takes Authority And Through Healing & Deliverance, One Begins To Live A Life Of Freedom In Jesus Christ, As He Leads And Directs Our Moment By Moment.

Imparting A Clearer Understanding Of And Equipping In The Ministry Of Healing (The Work Of The Holy Spirit In One's Life Through Which Repair To The Body, Soul And Spirit Is Done) & Deliverance (The Work Done By The Holy Spirit In One's Life Through Which The Works Of Sin, The Flesh, The World And The Devil Are Destroyed); As Well As A Time For Administering Healing & Deliverance.

Venerable
Dr. Ebuka Omeke
(Nsukka, Nigeria)

07.	PLENARY SESSION: You Are The One FRIDAY, 06 APRIL 2018 10:45AM – 12:30PM	Objective & Derivative: “So Jesse Sent Word And Brought Him In. Now He Had A Ruddy Complexion, With Beautiful Eyes And A Handsome Appearance. The Lord Said [To Samuel], “Arise, Anoint Him; For This Is He.” 1 Samuel 16:12 (AMP) <i>Raising And Equipping A Generation That Will Rise To The Challenge Of The Kind Of Leaders That Africa And The Nations Are Desperately Yearning And Looking Out For; Developing Confidence And Building Self-Esteem In The Lives Of Young People As Sons And Vessels Of God.</i>	Prof. Victor Mbarika (Louisiana, USA) SENIOR PLENARY: AGE: ≥16 PLENARY SIZE: 12,000PAX JUNIOR PLENARY: AGE: ≤15 THURSDAY, 05 APRIL 2018 10:45AM – 12:30PM PLENARY SIZE: 3,000PAX
08.	PLENARY SESSION: Thanksgiving & Worship Nite AND Commissioning & Closing Ceremony FRIDAY, 06 APRIL 2018 09:00PM – 03:00AM	Objective & Derivative: <i>A Special Time For Vibrant Live Worship, Giving Thanks And Praise To God, As Well As Sharing Testimonies From The Conference Week.</i> <i>Final Charging Of The Delegates To Go And Transform Communities, Impact Nations & Conquer Territories For God. Commissioning Charge And Prayer Over The Conference Delegates.</i>	Right Reverend Aloysius Agbo (JP) (Nsukka, Nigeria)

09.	WORKSHOP ONE: The Centrality Of The Practice Of Godliness TUE 03 – FRI 06, APRIL 2018 02:30PM – 04:30PM	Objective & Derivative: <i>"For Physical Training Is Of Some Value, But Godliness (Spiritual Training) Is Of Value In Everything And In Every Way, Since It Holds Promise For The Present Life And For The Life To Come" 1 Timothy 4:8 (AMP).</i> There Is No Higher Compliment That Can Be Paid To A Person (To You Or To Me) Than To Be Called Godly! The Aim Of The Workshop Is Deepening Understanding Of The Sons Of God's Privilege And Duty To Pursue Godliness; Posing A Challenge Unto Diligent Practice Of Godliness - Devotion To The Worship Of God And Devotion To The Service Of God....!	Ven. Justus Okoronkwo <i>(Jos, Nigeria)</i> (Lead Facilitator) Ven. Dr. Ebuka Omeke <i>(Nsukka, Nigeria)</i> (Co-Facilitator)
10.	WORKSHOP TWO: The Conquest Of The Mountain Of Education TUE 03 – FRI 06, APRIL 2018 02:30PM – 04:30PM	Objective & Derivative: In Order To Impact Any Nation For God, It Is Requisite To Affect The Seven Mountains/Spheres Of Society That Are The Pillars Of Any Society (Business, Government, Media, Education, Family, Worship And Arts & Entertainment), In What Is Now Commonly Referred To As: "The 7-Mountain Mandate". In Particular, The Mountain Of Education Should Reflect The Truth About God And Man And The Truth Sets Free. Wisdom Is The Goal Of Education And There Can Be No True Wisdom That Does Not Begin With A Proper Fear Of The Lord (Psalm 111:10; Proverbs 7:4; Proverbs 22:6; Exodus 31:3-5; Psalm 119:66). The Workshop Aims At Raising And Building A Generation Of Change Agents To Scale, Influence, Conquer And Impact The Mountain Of Education/Academia For God....Equipping And Building A Generation That Will Seek And Promote The True Meaning Of Life Through Education.	Dr. Hayford Innocent Kasarachi <i>(Port Harcourt, Nigeria)</i> & Prof. Victor Mbarika <i>(Louisiana, USA)</i> (Lead Facilitators) Rev'd Sam Onyeidu <i>(Nsukka, Nigeria)</i> (Co-Facilitator)
11.	WORKSHOP THREE: The Call To Sharing The Gospel TUE 03 – FRI 06, APRIL 2018 02:30PM – 04:30PM	Objective & Derivative: "....I Consider My Life Worth Nothing To Me, If Only I May Finish The Race And Complete The Task The Lord Jesus Has Given Me – The Task Of Testifying To The Gospel Of God's Grace" Acts 20:24 (NIV). God's Vision And Design Is Such That Every Generation Should Influence Its Own People With The Gospel. The Aim Of The Workshop Is Raising & Building A Generation That Is Grounded And Rooted In The Calling To Sharing The Gospel; Imparting Deeper Understanding And Full Appreciation Of The Urgency And Significance Of Sharing The Gospel.	Evang. Felix Eze <i>(Abuja, Nigeria)</i> (Lead Facilitator) Barr. Chinedu Ogbonna <i>(Port Harcourt, Nigeria)</i> (Co-Facilitator)
12.	WORKSHOP FOUR: The Challenge For Leaving A Legacy TUE 03 – FRI 06, APRIL 2018 02:30PM – 04:30PM	Objective & Derivative: Everyone Is Created By God For A Unique And Special Purpose. God Expects Everyone To Accomplish His Purpose For Their Life – That Unique And Special Purpose For Which He Created Them. The Goal Of The Workshop Is Imparting A Deeper Understanding Of Purpose & Legacy; And Posing A Challenge To The Young People To Strive To Accomplish The Purpose Of Their Lives, To Have An Impact, To Make A Mark And To Leave A Legacy Wherever God Has Placed Them.	Billy Birungi <i>(Kampala, Uganda)</i> (Lead Facilitator) Barr. Grace Birungi <i>(Kampala, Uganda)</i> (Co-Facilitator)

"MANIFESTATION IN HOLINESS AND GODLINESS"

General Introduction:

Globally, the human race has vehemently become averse to issues and demands of Holiness and Godliness as the beneficial and impactful lifestyle for both now and eternity to come. They rather prefer to live by their own self-made standards and so the acceptable standard from God becomes replaced by relativism of the world systems. Immorality and self-driven ambitions have taken over the entire human race save for very few exceptional believers. The situation is indeed bad and calls for urgent action!

God in His holy nature cannot accept such stand and this explains why impactful Christians are abysmally few in today's world. Undeniably, this has caused the kingdom of God great losses as Christians cannot make impactful manifestation in areas of influence. In all these end time challenges, the youth has become most affected and negatively influenced and hence has failed to manifest God's power and glory as expected (Romans 8:19b).

Alarmed by this worrisome and ugly situation in our contemporary society, it has become imperative to have consistent dedicated studies on a topic that has become virtually unpopular in most pulpits and Christian gatherings - **Manifestation in Holiness and Godliness**. This is the theme of SOMAYCO 2018. The contemporary Christian youth must earnestly manifest Christ as an express evidence of faith in God. Anything short of this will become ultimately disastrous both for now and later.

The following Bible Study topics are designed with the singular aim of reviving the contemporary youth and indeed all Christians towards manifesting in Holiness and Godliness. We trust that God will through His eternal Spirit and the blood of covenant grant great success and harvest of souls in the SOMAYCO 2018 and beyond.

Bible Study Session One (01) – TUESDAY, 03 APRIL 2018

TOPIC: Called Unto Holiness And Godliness

TEXTs: 1 Peter 1:14-19, 2 Peter 3:11-12

Aim(s):

- (i) To remind us that God's nature is Holiness
- (ii) To emphasize that God called us unto Holiness and Godliness
- (iii) To remind us that without Holiness and Godliness in our lives, God cannot accept our services

Introduction:

God is a Holy God – Holy Father, Holy Son and Holy Spirit. His very nature is holiness. In calling us to be His own, His desire is that we acquire His Holy nature and express it in our daily living. We shall see these in this study, and also see that we must be holy in order to receive God's ultimate approval and serve Him acceptably (Romans 12:1-2).

Study Questions:

1. What is the nature of God as revealed in the following passages by:
 - a) God Himself: Leviticus. 11:44,45
 - b) Heavenly beings: Isaiah 6:1-3, Revelation 4:8
 - c) The works of God: Psalm 145:17(KJV)
2. God is the God of purpose (Ephesians 1:11). What is the place of holiness and godliness in God's purpose as he calls us to Himself? See 1Peter 1:15, II Timothy 1:9, I Thessalonians 4:7; Hebrews 12:9,10
3. Discuss from the following passages, the reasons given in God's word why we ought to live holy and godly lives.
 - a) Leviticus 11:44,45; 1 Peter 1:15,16; I John 2:6
 - b) Hebrews 12:14; II Peter 3:11,12; Matthew 5:8, Romans 8:9
 - c) Isaiah 6:5-8, II Timothy 2:19-21

Conclusion:

From this study, we realize that we are called by a holy God, with a holy call, and God calls us in order to make us holy. In order to fulfill God's desire and expectations, serve God and make impact in our generation, in order to see God and be approved by Him at the end, we must be holy.

Memory Verse:

"Because it is written, Be ye holy; for I am holy" 1 Peter 1:16 (KJV).

Bible Study Session Two (02): WEDNESDAY, 04 APRIL 2018

TOPIC: Pathway Unto Holiness And Godliness

TEXT: 1Peter 1:14-19; Romans 12:1-2

Aim:

To help us learn the practice of living a Holy and Godly life

Introduction:

In the previous study, we saw that God is holy, He calls us unto holiness, and we must be holy in order to fulfill our God-ordained destinies. In this study, we shall consider the way God has designed for us to follow unto holiness and godliness. We shall also see the need for personal resolve and the means God has provided for us, which if well applied will aid us in holy and godly living.

Study Questions:

1. Discuss the following steps we must take in order to receive God nature of holiness
 - a) Acknowledgement of present unholiness and ungodliness by confession: Isaiah 6:5; Proverbs 28:13; Acts 19:18,19
 - b) Renouncing all unholiness and ungodliness by genuine repentance: Acts 2:37,38; 19:19, James 4:8-10
 - c) Believing in Jesus Christ for forgiveness and sanctification (i.e. to make you holy): 1 John 1:9, John 1:12, Ephesians 1:7, 2 Peter 1:3-4, Romans 10:13
2. Read Romans 12:1; 6:12, 13, 19; Leviticus 20:7; Daniel 1:8 and Genesis 39:6b-10. Highlight the importance of personal consecration (Consciously surrendering our lives, ambitions, wills, possession, etc to God) in the matter of holiness and godliness.
3. God has provided all that we need in order to maintain holy and godly living (2 Peter 1:3). Outline them from the following passages: John 15:1-7; 17:17-19; Acts 20:32, Ephesians 5:25-27; Hebrews 7:24-25; 1 John 1:6-7; 1 Timothy 2:1-2; Hebrews 4:14-16.
4. Manifesting in Holiness and Godliness cannot be hidden. In the light of the following bible passages discuss in practical terms the definite evidence of manifestation in Holiness and Godliness; Ephesians 1:4-7; 2 Corinthians 5:16-21; Hebrews 12:14; 1 Timothy 2:2; Psalm 122:6, Romans 14:19; 2 Peter 1:7; 2 Thessalonians 1:3; Micah 6:8; 1 Thessalonians 2:12; Galatians 5:16, 25; Romans 8:18-19; Matthew 5:14-16; Numbers 14:21; Acts 8:1-4; 5:40-42; 2 Timothy 3:10-12; Isaiah 41:13.

Conclusion:

We receive God's holy nature when we are born again – bore anew by the Spirit of God. But thereafter, we must be resolved in our hearts to be holy. We must decide not to be defiled either in our heart, minds or bodies. As we devote ourselves to God's word, prayer and the fellowship of believers, we will continue to be cleansed, renewed in holiness and receive grace to overcome defiling pressures.

Memory Verse:

"I beseech you therefore, brethren, by the mercies of God, that ye present your bodies a living sacrifice, holy, acceptable unto God, which is your reasonable service" Romans 12:1 (KJV).

Bible Study Session Three (03): THURSDAY, 05 APRIL 2018
TOPIC: Marks Of Holiness And Godliness
TEXT: *Matthew 5:14-16; Ephesians 4:24-32; 2 Peter 3:11; 2 Corinthians 5:17*

Aim:

To teach us that Holiness and Godliness should be manifested

Introduction:

The holy nature we receive from God must not be hidden; it must be expressed or manifested. God is eager to fellowship with us in holiness. He also deserves us to declare his holiness nature in the midst of a corrupted world by living holy lives and manifesting a healthy fear of God (reverence) in all our activities. We shall dwell upon these in this study.

Study Questions:

1. Read Isaiah 66:1,2; Exodus 28:36; Luke 1:74,75; Matthew 5:14-16, Exodus 39:8,9 and Daniel 1:8 and show that our holy and godly living must be manifested toward God, fellow men and within ourselves.
2. Mention some of the key guidelines expected of a holy and godly youth as revealed in these passages: ❖ Luke 4:1,14,17,18 ❖ Romans 8:5,13,14 ❖ 2 Peter 1:21 ❖ John 5:19,30 ❖ Isaiah 66:2, ❖ 2 Corinthians 5:11,14 ❖ John 14:30 ❖ Galatians 2:20 ❖ Philippians 3:7-10 ❖ Psalm 73:25,26 ❖ Mark 1:35 ❖ Luke 6:12 ❖ James 5:16-18 ❖ 1 Peter 2:3-8 ❖ Colossians 3:12-15 ❖ 1 Peter 2:21-23 ❖ James 3:2 ❖ Ephesians 4:25,29,31 ❖ Philippians 2:3-8 ❖ Colossians 3:12-15. Notice that Jesus exemplified these holy qualities while on earth as a youth.
3. Discuss with practical applications, the aspects of a youth's life in which God is requiring the manifestation in holiness and godliness: ❖ Business/Economy (Deuteronomy 25:13-16) ❖ Politics/Governance (Daniel 6:1-5,28) ❖ Academics/Education (Daniel 1:3-5,8,20) ❖ Family Life (Malachi 2:14-16; Hebrews 13:4) ❖ Ministry (1 Thessalonians 2:3-12) ❖ Service (Ephesians 6:5-8) ❖ Family (1 Timothy 3:2,4) ❖ Media (1 Corinthians 15:33; Isaiah 52:7; Psalm 68:11) ❖ Others

Conclusion

Holiness and godliness are essential for a life of ongoing fellowship with God, and so we must be holy unto God. However, the Lord also desires that the world around us experiences Him through us as we display the virtues of holiness and godliness in all our dealings in the world. This does not mean that we live our lives just to be seen by men, but that even when no one may be present with us, we uphold personal holiness and the reverential fear of the omnipresent God.

Memory Verse:

"Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness" 2 Peter 3:11 (KJV).

Bible Study Session Four (04): FRIDAY, 06 APRIL 2018

TOPIC: Benefits Of Holiness And Godliness

TEXT: Genesis 41:38-44; Daniel 1:18-21; 6:28; Matthew 19:17-19

Aims:

- (i) To remind us that there are earthly and eternal benefits associated with a life of Holiness and Godliness
- (ii) To also remind us that dangers and losses associated with not manifesting in Holiness and Godliness.

Introduction:

Manifesting in Holiness and Godliness is not a hollow and empty life. It is not a life of deprivation or loss. In this study, we shall consider the blessedness of living in holiness and godliness. The blessings are for both this life and the eternity to come. Alongside these blessings, adversity is inevitable as God permits. We shall also highlight this in this study.

Study Questions:

1. Is it possible to live holy and godly lives without encountering adversity? (John 15:18-20; 2 Timothy 3:12; Acts 14:22). What then should be our attitude if when striving for godliness, adversities befall us (I Pet.4:12; Hebrews 10:35,36, Genesis 50:15-21).
2. For what reasons may God permit adversities in our lives, even when we are seeking to be holy and godly? Heb.12:6,10; Dan.6:23,25-27; Ps.105:17-19
3.
 - a) Are there any benefit(s) in living holy and godly lives, in spite of attendant adversities? 1 Timothy 4:8,9
 - b) Identify some of the gains we obtain by manifesting holiness and godliness.
 - Heavenly and Spiritual: Matthew 19:17,18; Genesis 39:1,2,20,21; 2 Timothy 4:16-18; Daniel 5:9-12; Hebrews 12:14
 - Earthly and Material: Matthew 19:17,19; Genesis 39:3,4,22,23; Daniel 1:18-21; 6:28; Philippians 4:19
4. If we accept that there are benefits of manifesting in Holiness and Godliness, there must also be dangers and losses associated with unholy and ungodly living. Discuss this in the light of these bible passages: **(i)**Hebrews 12:14; Ephesians 2:12 **(ii)**Ephesians 4:29-32 **(iii)**Ephesians 5:5 **(iv)**Revelation 21:8

Conclusion:

Joseph and Daniel have been set before us as examples of youths manifesting in holiness and godliness. The adversities that accompany such a lifestyle are inescapable, but the blessings abound both in this life and the one to come. We must patiently hope in God and be confident in His Faithfulness as we cannot to manifesting in holiness and godliness in our generation.

Memory Verse:

“For bodily exercise profiteth little: but godliness is profitable unto all things, having promise of the life that now is, and of that which is to come” 1 Timothy 4:8 (KJV).

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