

Current Bible study series at 9:30 AM on Sundays:

*Senior Adult Class (taught by Pastor Sam) titled “The Remarkable Journey Continues... The Gospel of Urgency” (a study of Mark 4-6).

*Ladies Class (taught by Anna Stockert) titled “Principles of Biblical Fasting.”

*Men’s Class (taught by Andy Stockert) titled “Jesus: Listening for His Voice.”
(a study of Mark 7-13)

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The Sunday Akinsola Foundation for Widows & Orphans ministry in Nigeria –

The teaching emphasis at both Kajola & Ogbomosho was from Mark 16:1-8 of the death & resurrection of Jesus. Mary Magdalene & two other women got to Jesus’ tomb & seeing an angel that said for them to go & tell others that He had risen. The Nigerian widows were encouraged that in thinking & talking have attitude in mind & heart to tell the world Jesus has risen. God will hear & answer prayer because we are serving a risen Jesus. We will tell the world He has risen because we carry Jesus everywhere we go.

The Kajola ladies had cookies & bottled water for refreshments & were each given an envelope with \$2.50.

In Ogbomosho they had an Easter picnic with their children included where they cooked Spanish rice with fish, & had sodas, bottled water, & played games. They were given a bag of onions to take home that are used in a lot of dishes.

Praise report for the glory of God regarding finishing the construction of the roof before rainy season of the Akinsola Foundation widows’ ministry chapel in Nigeria! We are grateful that with the combination of donations & church support that enough was received to get shingles and to finish that portion of the project. The next focus of the building once the shingles are installed will be purchasing & installing windows.

Prayer points from Abiodun:

**For completion of the 2-story Widows Chapel.*

**A bus needed that would hold about 20 people.*

**Two canopies each \$550 (in U.S. called tents) to have a crusade at each location (60 people).*

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Summer Inductive Bible Studies – The Purpose of Prayer: A Collection on Prayer, Volume One: As followers of Jesus, we know that prayer is essential to our daily walk with Him. But at times, the practice of prayer can begin to feel stagnant or obligatory—just another thing to check off the list. Jesus invites us to something much deeper—a flourishing prayer life that draws us closer to the heart of God. Dive into Volume One of Precept’s Prayer Collection and know God more deeply! Join us as we journey through Scripture to discover the true purpose of prayer and its ability to transform our hearts and lives and our relationship with our Heavenly Father.

Who: *Anyone who has a desire to experience the Bible's life-changing power and to personally engage with the Word through the inductive study method. (Coed)*

When: *Monday...7 pm – 9:15 pm EDT, June 2nd through July 7th*

Where: *In-person at Mount Olivet Baptist Church, 3500 Edwards Mill Road, Raleigh, NC 27612*

Registration/Order Workbook:

Monday evening – <https://www.precept.org/group/?id=G-007179>

OR

When: *Tuesday...10 am – 12:15 pm EDT, June 3rd through July 8th*

Where: *Meeting Online (Zoom details will be provided when you sign up)*

Registration/Order Workbook:

Tuesday morning - <https://www.precept.org/group/?id=G-007180>

If you have questions, please contact the church office, 919-787-1910 or email grtraleigh_precept@nc.rr.com

Save the Dates – The Promises of Prayer: A Collection on Prayer, Volume Two: Do you ever wonder if God hears your prayers or if He’ll truly answer? In The Promises of Prayer (Volume II), you’ll find the assurance you need in God's unshakable faithfulness. Explore His promises to hear and respond when we turn to Him in prayer—and discover truths to cling to when life is difficult, and your prayers feel wasted. As you grow in trust and intimacy with the Father, you’ll be encouraged to pray with confidence, knowing that His heart is for you. In this study, you’ll embark on a journey through Scripture to draw closer to our trustworthy God and experience communion with the Father who promises to draw near to you. Dates: Monday night – July 28th through August 25th or Tuesday morning – July 29th through August 26th.