

**BULLETIN FOR SUNDAY FEBRUARY 25, 2024**  
**Motto: Reaching The Nations for Christ (Matt. 28:19)**

**2024: My Year of Divine Peace**  
**(Isaiah 26:3; Mark 4:39)**

**THE CHURCH IN BIBLE STUDY 9-10 A.M.**  
**THE CHURCH IN WORSHIP 10:05 A. M.**

**WORSHIP HIS MAJESTY**

- Call to Worship & Prayers      Tunde Faniyi
- Welcome Address                  Thomas Taiwo
- Hymn BH 482                         Martins Onifade
- Praises                                 Praise Team

**HERE WE ARE, SPEAK LORD**

- Choir Ministration
- Sermon                                 Gbemiga Ajibade

**WE EXPRESS OUR LOVE**

- Child Dedication                  Gbemiga Ajibade
- Tithes & Offering                  Susan Babatunde
- As We Get Informed              Bukkie Bassey
- Thanksgiving                      Bunmi Martins

**WE DEPART TO SERVE**

- Closing Hymn BH 119              Kemi Ajagbe
- Closing Prayer & Benediction    Thomas Taiwo

**WEEKLY PRAYER FOCUS**

- Thank you, Lord, for all You are and all You are doing in our lives.
- Let our heavens be opened for divine revelation and directions in Jesus name.
- Oh Lord, let your mercy prevail over judgment in our lives in Jesus name.
- Oh Lord, strengthen every believer that is facing fierce battle and is at the verge of giving up. Oh lord do not let them give up.
- Father Lord, strengthen your church against every attack and tactics of the enemy in Jesus name.
- Pray for the families of Ovie Ugboime & Idowu Oyewole.

**NOTICES**

**Last Week's Statistical Report**

Sunday School	81
Sunday Service	110
Male	26
Female	31
Children	53
Midweek Service	15

- Please note the following:**
- The following people are scheduled to go on evangelism next Sunday at 9 am.
    - Sis Sarah Awujoola
    - Sis Susan Babatunde
    - Bro & Sis EzeJisos
    - Sis Ifeoma Clement
  - We are all invited to the burial of Prince A. O. Ademola, Sister Adetayo Ojewande's late father on the 2nd of march, 2024.
  - There will be home fellowship in our various centres today at 5 pm.
  - Please drop your prayer requests in the request box on the altar. The Lord will hear our prayers, amen.
  - Sis Oby Ezejisos shall lead next week's Workers' Prayer Meeting.
  - Church Bank Account: GT Bank, Acc. No.: 0019026375. Name: The New Covenant Baptist Church, Ikola.

**CHURCH NEEDS**

- 4 Standing ACs for the church auditorium
- 4 Split ACs for Children's Department
- 100 KVA Generator
- Laptops & Foodstuffs
- Ministers Chairs (4)

**PASTOR'S CORNER**  
**THE DOCTRINE OF THE SECOND COMING OF CHRIST**  
 (Matthew 24:1-14)

**INTRODUCTION**  
 There are many misconceptions around the doctrine of eschatology ( the last things) as it relates to the second coming of Christ and final judgement. Many have formulated several theories around this teaching which has either solved a problem or contributed to it. Many have made failed predictions about the exact time of the coming events.

**THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF THE SECOND COMING**  
 Jesus likened it to a flash of lightning, It will be decisive coming, a sudden return. The son of man will appear at the hour you do not expect. For this reason, we must keep watching When Jesus comes, He will complete the work of redemption and resurrect the dead. Christ will also judge the living and the dead. He will deliver the Church from persecution by gathering all the elect from all ages.

- INDIVIDUAL AND CORPORATE RESPONSE TO THE TRUTH ABOUT CHRIST'S SECOND COMING**
1. The Church must preach and teach about the second coming.
  2. The Church must be heaven conscious.
  3. The Church must do the work of mission.
  4. We must be serious about the warnings.
  5. Everyone must be born again.
  6. Everyone must have a personal relationship with God.
  7. Everyone needs to belong to Church.

**CONCLUSION**  
 The Church must prepare for it by helping his members to know the truth about it and the necessary preparations for the event. Bible teaching about the second coming of our Lord Jesus Christ was considered "doomsday" preaching. But not anymore. It is the only ray of hope that shines as an ever-brightening beam in a darkening world "Billy Graham Maranatha! Come, Lord Jesus

**WORD FOR THE WEEK**

His lord said to him, 'Well done, good and faithful servant; you were faithful over a few things, I will make you ruler over many things. Enter into the joy of your lord.'  
 Matthew 25:21 (NKJV)