



Sunday 13 March 2016

DON'T GET LOST IN THE CROWD – JOIN A HOMECCELL



Ps Aidan – Arise and Shine

WELCOME

Welcome each member and make time to find out how it's going with each one. Give them some time to share their experience of Harvest 2016 and what stood out for them.

WORSHIP

Sing 2x praise and 2x worship songs and spend some time praying focused in tongues during the last worship song for people that are lost or who you still want to invite to church.

WORD

Arise and Shine

7 Years of glory - 7 million souls and 200 new churches

Read: Is. 60:1-5, 19-22

- The Lord is your everlasting light.
- God is calling His church and His children to - Arise and Shine so His glory can be seen all over the earth.
- Declare this passage over your life
- God gives glory when the church arise.
- We have to do what we can do and then God will do what we cannot do.

God wants you to:

- Rise up, accomplish, get up, stir up, strengthen, succeed
- God's will is for His bride His church to Arise and so too for His children to Arise in every area of your life.
- When you build God's house He will build yours.
- In the purpose for which His church was sent is the purpose for which you were created and sent.
- Not only did Isaiah prophesy it over his generation Jesus declared it over his generation.

Read: John 10:10b

Ask yourself: Is your life, your family, your business, your career, connected to the risen, bright shining abundant life Jesus came to give?

Abundant life is to:

- Super abundant (in quantity)
- Superior (in quality)
- Excessive
- Exceeding abundantly above

Read: Eph. 3:20-21

- It's not time to, despite any circumstance you might be facing, to accommodate thoughts of lying down, or sitting down or going back.
- It's God's will for you to Arise and Shine.
- The reason we celebrate Easter every year is because God's Spirit caused His son Jesus to Arise from the tomb and ascend into heaven

Read: Rom.8:11

- His risen spirit who causes Jesus to arise is in you.
1. Isaiah says God's glory will rise upon you
Paul said that God's glory is in you

Read: Col.1:27

2. Even though darkness will cover the earth and people

Read: 1 Pet.3:15

We have to take this glory to dark places so that light can shine in those places.

Do not get despondent in the darkness because you have the glory and home of Christ in you

Always be ready to explain why you are so positive – it is the Christ within you

3. Gentiles shall come to your light.

God is busy and is going to continue bringing the Gentiles (Lost) to the Arising church.

Insects are attracted to the brightness of light

Winners look for winners

People must see your good works and glorify your Father

Read: Matt 5:16, Matt 2:2, 9-10, 11b

People come to the light of the Gospel and they will be delighted

4. Lift up your eyes all around you and see.

Speak of hope, purpose, vision, expectation

Read: John 4:35, Ps 3:3, Ps 24:7, Ps. 63:4, Is. 59:19

We are serving a God that is glorious

5. Then you shall see and become radiant

A-Attitude

Attitude determines altitude

Attitude of faith.....

Let faith speak

R-Resilience

Ability to bounce back

The ability to recover.

If you've taken a step-back or gone through a setback is simply God preparing you for your come back

Read: Rom 8:37-39

Nothing can separate us....

I-Imagination

Think bigger, think abundance, think increase

Change your thinking

Read: Prov. 23:7

S-Stride

Walk by faith

Read: 2 Cor 5:7

E-Expectation

Read: Rom 8:19

Arise, shine; For Gods light has come! And His glory is risen upon you and is in you.

Read: 1 Pet 2:9

WORKS



- Encourage every member to arise and shine for Jesus and speak about what Jesus has done in your life and that He is the only true answer in a dying world. Keep on praying for the people on your lists and ask that the Lord will open there hearts when they are invited.