



NTCG
Northampton

College Street, Northampton, NN1 2QP

Senior Pastor: Bishop Donovan Allen

5 September 2021

Watch God Provide Knowledge



**Scripture: John 17:3 &
Colossians 1:1-10**

Speaker: Bishop Donovan Allen

Saturday Morning "Prayer Watch" - 7.00 am to 8.00 am

Church & Pastor's Marie Aransevia, Martin Cole, Ronald Hundah, Wilbur Jeffers
Council Members: & Vivienne Welsh, Paulette Wright (CPC Secretary/Treasurer)
Local Ministers: Rev Phyllis Brown, Rev Dennis Hines, Bishop Rudolph Parkinson,
Rev Virginia Thomas, Rev Phyllis Thompson

Tel. 01604 630 007

Join us for Communion Service
Sunday 5th September 2021



Led by Bishop Donovan Allen

A EULOGY OF

Life



REV DR JOEL EDWARDS, CBE

You are warmly invited to join us in celebrating Joel's life and ministry. All welcome.

Please see www.joeledwards.muchloved.com to contribute to the memorial book and for donations.

RSVP: vikki2015@gmail.com

FRIDAY 24 SEPTEMBER 2021

ST JOHN @ HACKNEY, Lower Clapton Rd, E5 OPD

DOORS OPEN 5.30PM; SERVICE 6.00PM

LIGHT REFRESHMENT 7.30PM

THE ENGINE ROOM 2021

JOIN US ON
zoom

JOIN US AT
10:30am
to
12:30pm

zoom

Meeting ID
909 523 7099
Passcode
445566

DIAL IN
0208 080 6591
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Engine Room September 2021

📅 8th September @ 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

NTCG Zoom online



**Tenpin Bowling at Sixfields Northampton
Friday 24th September 2021 @ 7.00pm**

£10.00 per person for 2 games and a meal.

To reserve your place can we please have your name as soon as possible.

If you would like your son or daughter to attend, we are again appealing for support from parents to transport our young people to this activity.

**If you have any questions please leave a message on
07510 255128 and we will get back to you.**

**Sis Linnette James-Sow
Youth Director**

**Sis Murna Braham-Stewart
Youth Board Member**





**Would you like someone to pray with
you?**

GET IN TOUCH

01604 436394

during our live service

11:00 am -1:00 pm TODAY

 **NTCG**
Northampton



**Members
Conference
with
Bishop Joel Haye**

**Tuesday
14 September 2021
at 7.00 pm via Zoom**

Zoom Details

Meeting ID: 857 5415 4970

Passcode: 316904

Dial In Details

To ensure a prompt start to the meeting please start logging on from 6.50 pm, Thank you

This is my Testimony

Sis Joy Hamilton



I became a committed Christian fifteen years ago, but my Christian journey started many years before then. My mum was not a Christian but she sent me to Sunday School. So from an early age, I knew something about

the Christian faith and the Christian discipleship.

The Lord was always calling me especially after I had a life and death experience whilst I was in Jamaica before I came to England. I was very sick and had an operation and 'died' on the operation table but the Lord restored me. I had an 'out of body' experience! I could see the doctors at work on my body and I found myself in hell and saw some awful things.

I pondered over this for many days without sharing it with anyone because I thought people might have thought I had gone mad. But one day when I went to see my doctor, I told her that I could remember when my heart stopped. I told her what I saw. I told her how many medics were working on me and what I saw them doing. The doctor was mystified by my story. She called another doctor

and asked me to tell them again and they said all that I told them was true. They were amazed.

I realised that God was with me but I was still not committed to Christianity. Fifteen years ago, I was convicted by the word of God when I heard the preacher calling people to make a decision about whether they wanted to go to hell or heaven. I said to myself, 'I don't want to go to hell again' and made a decision there and then to become a Christian and serve God.

In 2005, a friend introduced me to College Street NTCG. I enjoyed the worship and the 'togetherness' also the singing and worship and was drawn to the church. These are still aspects that I like most about our Church. I enjoy being involved in the prayer ministry of the Church also the privilege to clean the building. These elements of church life are important for me when I think what Church is about.

I believe that prayer is vital for every Christian. I know from experience how important this is in our relationship with God. God always answers prayers. Our prayers may not be answered in the way we expect and wish but in the end, we always realise that God's answers are always in our best interest.

Covid-19 has been a real challenge for me as it has been for everyone. I wasn't able to log in to any of the College Street Zoom/online services but I was able to sit with people who could and watched the live streams which I found very beneficial to my spiritual wellbeing. I would say, I coped very well during 'lockdown' because I had quality time with the Lord in prayer and I felt much closer than any other time. I would say that my faith and love for the Lord increased as a result of the time I spent in prayer during this time. I learnt to lean on God and trust in him completely. I learnt to stand on his Word and not fear any sickness or trials that might have come my way.

One of my favourite Scriptures which ministered to me especially during lockdown is Judges 6:36-40. I like the way Gideon communicated with God and the faith and boldness he displayed. The story inspires me to communicate boldly in faith with God: my Lord and father, in the confidence that he is not partial and what he did for Gideon he will do for me and anyone else who choose to take his word seriously.

I would like to encourage the family of God to walk by faith and not by sight and to love one another the way Jesus did when he walked amongst people on earth. When we see others worse off than ourselves, we should

see them through the eyes of Jesus and show them compassion and love the way Jesus did. We should always ask ourselves, What would Jesus do? I find that this works for me. It can be very challenging but it is very rewarding. With this in mind, we become 'givers' rather than 'takers' and we give ourselves the opportunity to receive the blessings as promised in Acts 20:35 (ESV) '....we must help the weak and remember the words of the Lord Jesus, how he himself said, 'It is more blessed to give than to receive.'

I thank God for Jesus and the Holy Spirit in my life and the privilege to be a part of the College St NTCCG. I love to clean the church. I like to keep God's sanctuary clean and make it comfortable for everyone. The Lord gives all of us something to do and I do this gladly as a service to him. It is a blessing to serve the lord in this way. I would like to see more fresh flowers on display in our church again. They are pleasant to see and smell. I think they add beauty to the building and our worship. I am off sick at the moment but looking forward to returning to this area of Christian service when I am better.

If you have a story/testimony to share, please let Rev Phyllis Thompson know by emailing her on: phyllis.thompson@ntccg.org.uk

Join us for

BIBLE *Study*



 Explains Bible

Wednesday 8th September @ 7.00 pm

Theme: Acts of the Apostles

Scripture: Acts 20:13-38

Facilitator: Alicia Hyder

Zoom Meeting Details

Meeting ID: 898 0174 9043

Passcode: 216602

PRAYER LINE



MONDAY 7.30 pm to 8.30 pm
TUESDAY 6.00 am to 7.00 am
THURSDAY 6.00 am to 7.00 am
SATURDAY 7.00 am to 8.00 am

ACCESS DETAILS

DIAL TELEPHONE NUMBER:

0333 011 2308

ROOM PASSWORD:

488 52205#

PIN NUMBER: 1053#



Lifebuilders Hour

Thursday 9 & 23 September 2021

with Bro Wilbur Jeffers

7.00 pm to 8.30 pm via Zoom

For log in details please contact

secretary@ntcgnorthampton.org.uk

or 07510 255128 after 4.00pm

the Storehouse

Its time to replenish our Storehouse as we continue to support those in need in our community.

We would appreciate donations of non-perishable food items.

You can also make a monetary contribution to purchase food items by donating online using the details :

NTCG Northampton

Account: 83826793

Sort Code: 60-15-55

Ref: Storehouse



Elise Welds will organise the collection and distribution of your donations.

Thank you for your continued support and generosity for this Ministry.

Seniors Prayer Hour
every Wednesday
from 11:00 am to 12:00 pm



Dialling number: 0333 0112 308
Password: 48852205#
Pin: 1053#

If you need assistance with dialling into the Prayer line **Sis Annie Dzwaka** is available to help and guide you, Give her a call on **07933 149107**

Join us for a  NTCG

National Day of Prayer

Saturday 18th September 2021
10.30am to 1.30pm



Hosted by Donald Bolt

Administrative Bishop, New Testament Church of God, England & Wales

With pastor Winifred Taylor (NTCG, Sheffield)

& pastor Peter Reynolds (NTCG, Gillingham)



zoom

Meeting ID: 839 9241 1564

Passcode: 128150

Key Prayer Points

the **International World** in general

...natural disasters, climate change and political unrest...

the **Challenges of living** in the **UK**

...including spiritual, social and political issues...

the **Issues** being faced by the **church**

*...the future of our youth, the 'new normal' in our churches
and the election of a new Administrative Bishop in March 2022...*

NORTHAMPTON HALF MARATHON



The Guildhall, Northampton

The Guildhall, Northampton NN1 1DE, UK



Sun 26th September 2021

Starting at 09:30

It means that the following roads will be shut over a period of up to three hours from around 8.00 am to 10.30 am

- *Single lane south bound closed on A508 from Adelaide Street to Lady's Lane*
- *No Access to Campbell Street*
- *No Access to Lady's Lane*
- *No North Access to York Road*
- *South Access only to York Road from Wellingborough Road*
- *North Access to Lower Mounts closed*
- *North Access to Wellingborough Road/Kettering Road Closed*
- *A5123 Victoria Promenade closed between Derngate and Swan Street*

Please plan your journey to avoid delays on the day.

Thank you

Ways of Giving

We are ever so grateful for the generosity of those who have been supporting us financially. Please note the following details:

Bank: NatWest

Name: NTCG Northampton

Sort code: 60-15-55

Account: 83826793

Reference: *Initial Last Name – Type*
e.g. J Bloggs - T

Payment Type: T =Tithes / O = Offering / G = Gift /
B = Benevolence

Details to **donate online** can be found on our webpage
<https://ntcgnorthampton.org.uk/how-to-donate/>

Or, contact our Church Treasurer **Paulette Wright** on
07510 255128 to take your tithes and offerings using
the Card Payment System.

If you need any help please contact
secretary@ntcgnorthampton.org.uk

Special thanks to for your continued support of Tithes,
Offerings, Benevolence and Gifts.

God bless you all
Bishop Allen & Leadership Team



Birthday Greetings to all who are celebrating a birthday in SEPTEMBER and would like us to appreciate your special day

**5th Philip Edwards
10th Maria Aransevia
11th Lydia Noble-Lawson
12th Norma Moss
15th Rev Phyllis Thompson
15th Chiko Dzwaka
30th Chardonaye Williams
Joy Garner**

If it's your birthday this month, please let the Comms Team know

Please contact a member of the Comms Team or email news@ntcgnorthampton.org.uk and we will include your news in the weekly notice sheet - all items to be submitted by 5.00 pm on Wednesday

NTCG College Street Mission Statement

The Mission of NTCG College Street is to Train and Develop all members to Communicate the Full Gospel of Jesus Christ (**Matthew 28:19, 20**) in the Spirit and Power of Pentecost (**Acts 2:1-4, 6, 13-18**)

Together we will fulfil the Great Commission (**Matthew 28:19-20**) by helping people to become fully functioning followers of Christ.

We aim to help every believer to discover the gifts and talents God gave them (**Ephesians 4:11-16**).



Charity No. 250306

Community Prayer Line

If you are feeling anxious, worried or concerned, our Volunteers are available to listen and pray with you. Simply talking to someone can help you to make sense of your situation.

Call us for free
01604 436 394
Tuesdays 6pm-8pm

New Testament Church of God
College Street, Northampton, NN 1 2QP
secretary@ntcgnorthampton.org.uk
www.ntcgnorthampton.org.uk

WEEKLY NOTICES

Make full use of the Notice Sheet by sending your Testimonies, words of encouragement and articles. Please submit any items by **5pm on Wednesday** for inclusion in the Notice Sheet

Email all items to news@ntcgnorthampton.org.uk

If it is a paper item such as a leaflet then please hand it to one of the Team (Sandra Heath, Viv Welsh & Paulette Wright) by the deadline.

Items received after the deadline will be included in the following issue at the discretion of the Comms Team

This means that any items given on a Sunday morning for display will not be used as it will not be consistent with the published Notices.

Are you making a donation, paying Tithes or Offering by Debit Card? <https://ntcgnorthampton.org.uk/how-to-donate/>

Notice Sheet also available at www.ntcgnorthampton.org.uk/about-us/news