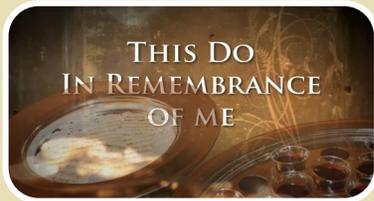


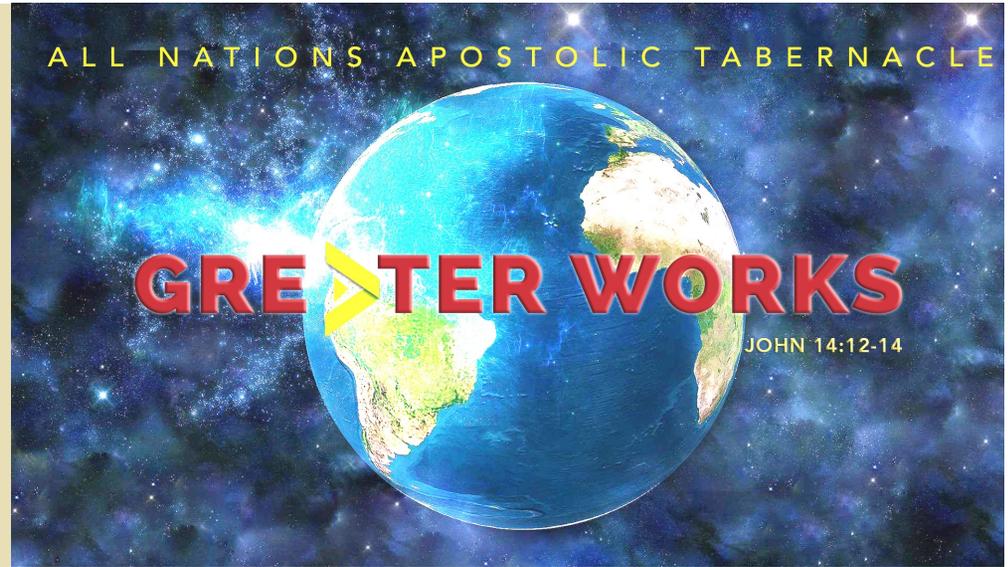
Prayer & Fasting Bible Readings

Matthew 6:5-15	Nehemiah 1:1-2:9
Exodus 32:9-14	Luke 22:39-46
Genesis 18:16-33	Ephesians 1:15-23; 3:14-21
Psalms 51	Acts 13:1-4
1 Chronicles 29:9-20	Daniel 10:1-3; Joel 2:1-13
2 Kings 19:14-19; 20:1-7	Esther 4:1-16; Jonah 3:19
Daniel 9:1-19	Isaiah 58:1-7; Matthew 6:16-18



Communion Bible Readings

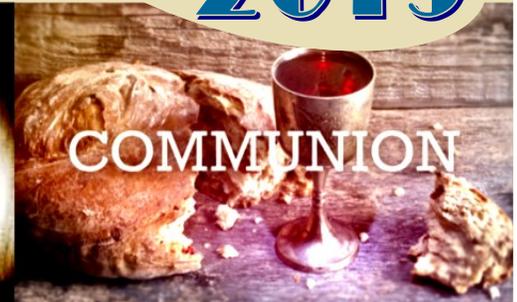
1 Corinthians 11:23-34	Hebrews 10:1-24
Ephesians 2:1-22	Hebrews 9:1-17
1 Peter 1:18-25	Matthew 26:26-30



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Pastor's Message

Scripture calls us to prayer and fasting. "When you pray..." "When you fast..." are words of expectation spoken by Jesus (Matthew 6:5; Mark 11:24-25; Matthew 6:16). He expects us to pray and to fast. Indeed, He is the perfect example in both. To triumph, we must follow in His steps.

If we are too busy to do both, we are just too busy. The truth of the matter is this, we can do no more than pray until we have prayed. The path to power with God is not bound up in cutting-edge programs and well carved out organizational structures. The path to power with God has everything to do with sustained prevailing prayer and fasting.

These are challenging times. It is midnight in moral, social and spiritual order. The truth to be embraced is that our God is greater than the times. Empowered by Him, we can do exploits especially in these challenging times.

I invite every member of ANAT to join me in making the best of this special call to praying and fasting. I call upon our parents to take responsibility for mobilizing into action all your family members.

Come, let us pray and fast. S.D. Gordon said, *"Prayer strikes the winning blow; service is simply picking up the pieces."*

Devon D. Dawson



Covenant

Communion service is a reminder of our obligations God-ward and man-ward. Therefore, we are making it an occasion for re-consecration and the renewal of our vows. In so doing, saints/members of All Nations Apostolic Tabernacle will answer to this renewal at the given time, this statement: *"We so pledge and consecrate."*

Pastor: We pledge ourselves to strive for the advancement of the Church of Jesus Christ in knowledge and holiness; to promote its spirituality; to sustain its worship, discipline, and doctrines.

Saints/Members: *"We so pledge and consecrate."*

Pastor: As stewards of what God has entrusted unto us, we vow to give our tithing and offering cheerfully and regularly to support the work of the ministry here and around the world.

Saints/Members: *"We so pledge and consecrate."*

Pastor: In relation to our home and loved ones, we engage ourselves to maintain family and private prayer, to bring up our children in the nurture and admonition of the Lord; and to seek the salvation of our loved ones and acquaintances.

Saints/Members: *"We so pledge and consecrate."*

Pastor: Because of our calling as Christians and for the sake of the unsaved for whom Jesus died, we pledge ourselves to walk circumspectly before the world, avoiding that which is sinful or questionable; to be just in our dealings, faithful to our engagements and exemplary in our conduct; to avoid tattling, backbiting, and sinful anger; and to be zealous in our efforts to advance the Kingdom of our Lord and Savior.

Saints/Members: *"We so pledge and consecrate."*

Pastor: Since one is our Master and we are brothers and sisters, we engage ourselves to watch over one another in brotherly love; to remember each other in prayer; to aid each other in sickness and distress; to cultivate sympathy in feeling and courtesy in speech; to be slow to take offense; and always ready for reconciliation according to the teachings of our Master.

Saints/Members: *"We so pledge and consecrate."*

Pastor: Humbly confessing past sins and failures, let us pray for grace and strength to keep these holy vows out of our love for God and for the cause of Jesus Christ our Savior.

Saints/Members: *"We so pledge and consecrate."*



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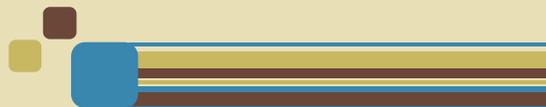
Schedule

DATE	TYPE
MAY 26	Emblems only
JULY 21	Emblems & Feet-washing
SEPTEMBER 15	Emblems & Feet-washing
NOVEMBER 24	Emblems only



Special Instructions

1. Organize yourself effectively to enable you to attend each service.
2. Rehearse the Communion Covenant, and seek to comply.
3. Prepare yourself in a timely and effective manner through prayer, confession and reading the Word for a clear understanding of the value of this sacrament.



*"If you don't sacrifice for what you want,
what you want will be your sacrifice."*



prayer & fasting

Minister Mardio Leard
Prayer Coordinator

Schedule

DATE	TYPE	MINISTRY
APRIL 15 - 17	Chain	ALL
MAY 20 - 24	Chain	Evangelism, Guest Relations, Music, Youth & Special Ministries
JUNE 19 - 21	Chain	Ladies & Men's
JULY 17 - 19	Chain	All Board Members & Next Generation Leaders (NGLs)
SEPTEMBER 11 - 13	1/24	ALL
OCTOBER 9 - 10	1/24	Youth

Special Instructions

- ◆ May 24 ends with a solemn assembly.
- ◆ September's Fast concludes with Section III Prayer Conference to be hosted at All Nations.
- ◆ October's Youth Fast precedes Youth Conference.

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Testimony

Having a child who is academically driven and always striving for excellence is a blessing. Xzandre was such a child. At the age of eight years, he declared that his dream was to attend Yale University. At 10, he was offered a spot in the Citywide Gifted and Talented Program by the NYC Department of Education to attend Talented and Gifted School for Young Scholars (TAG) in East Harlem. A daunting task but we decided to pray and fast and trust God through the process.

Xzandre was bullied at TAG and we wondered if this was the right decision we had made, and if the 4-hour daily commute was worth the experience. BUT GOD stepped in and a few months later he was nominated to Prep for Prep which created a life changing experience. Prayer and fasting worked!!

Fourteen months later, Xzandre was awarded a scholarship to Columbia

Grammar and Preparatory School (CGPS) from grades 7 to 12.

CGPS was a new social and academic environment. Xzandre thrived, despite the vast socioeconomic differences experienced. Like any other teenager, Xzandre had his share of struggles and poor decisions, but we cried out to God in prayer and fasting for his deliverance.

In January 2019, Xzandre started feeling sick. With several trips to the emergency room and doctor's visits, we struggled to find out what was wrong. But God never fails to make a way! With some special favors, we found a team of doctors who diagnosed him with Crohn's Disease. We felt a new low, but this too is a part of the process. There is no doubt about it, great success always comes with a struggle and God must always get His glory. Again, prayer worked. He has responded to the treatment and is now feeling fine. We are believing God for complete healing.

Testimony (cont'd.)

His prayers for college were answered and with extra blessing as two Ivy Leagues accepted him, University of Pennsylvania as a possible Benjamin Franklin Scholar and Yale University, with a full scholarship from both.

Seven other highly competitive colleges accepted him as well. His childhood dream is accomplished.

We celebrate, but **“TO GOD BE THE GLORY, FOR ALL THE THINGS HE HAS DONE.”** This process was not easy but, through prayer and fasting, we are able to share this testimony with you all to the glory of God.

- Bro. Raymond & Sis. Andrea Smith

Prayer Requests

CHURCH-PLANTING AREAS	
Amityville	Great Neck
Bayshore	Flushing
Brooklyn	Freeport

- Sick and Shut-ins.
- A greater harvest of souls.
- Manifestation of the gifts compliant with Scripture.
- Bearing the fruit of the Spirit.
- Growth of NYMD.
- Greater interdependence and integration.
- Greater involvement of members in ministries.
- Ministry leaders and Board members of ANAT.
- Property disposition and purchase.
- All churches of like precious faith.
- Elected servants of the NYMD.
- Successful fund-raising re Green Lake Resort.