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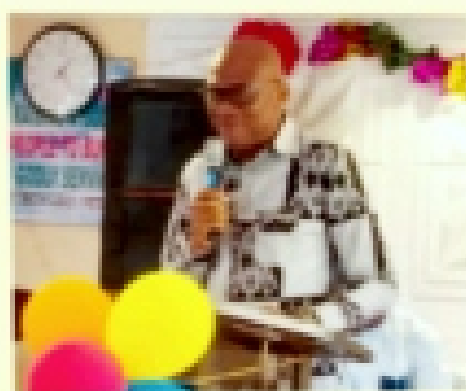
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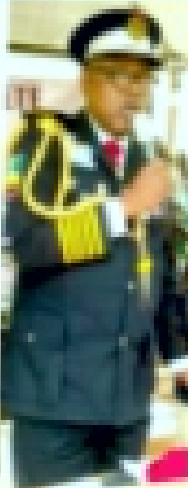
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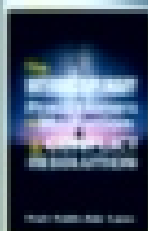
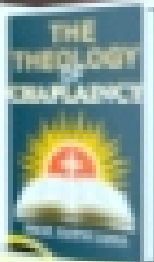
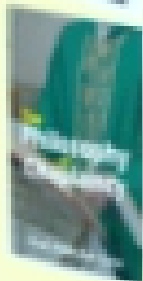
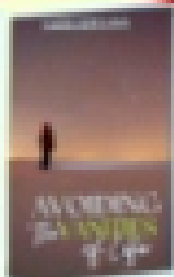
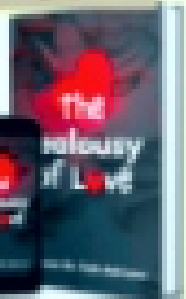
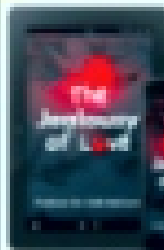
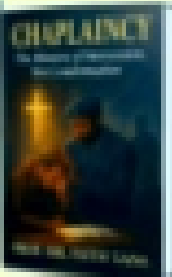
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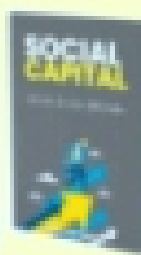
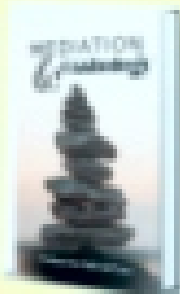
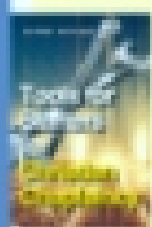
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Dear beloved readers,

We give God the glory for the wonderful testimonies that marked the close of 2020. Your prayers and support keep us on this path, and we thank you for standing with us.

Lagos State Police Command Thanksgiving – 5 Dec 2020

Police officers and the community gathered to lift praises to God. The fellowship reminded us that true peace and justice flow from hearts surrendered to Christ.

Retired Comptroller Harrison's Thanksgiving

His change to Customs officers was truly inspiring. Young officers saw a living example of climbing the ladder with integrity and retiring in victory. May his legacy spark many more to pursue godly excellence.

Western Marine Command Thanksgiving

The Command's Comptroller continues to champion God's work while driving physical development. His leadership shows that spiritual stewardship and operational excellence can walk hand-in-hand.

41-Year Anniversary of a Great Cherubim & Seraphim Church

Church leaders celebrated God's faithfulness, sharing powerful words on the Annual Cherubim and Seraphim gathering. Their prayers are for continued growth, deeper revival, and a harvest of souls.

We encourage every Christian to keep praying for our leaders—God uses them as instruments of His grace and order.

Stay blessed, stay vigilant, and keep watching the wonderful works of the Lord.

„In Christ,
Christian Events Watch Team,



Comptroller Patrick Ntadi:

The Midas-Touch Leader Who Turned NCCF Western Marine's 2025 Thanksgiving into a Landmark of Faith



Felix Mbata, Lagos State

The Nigeria Customs Christian Fellowship (NCCF) Western Marine Command Chapel closed 2025 with a thanksgiving service that drew an unprecedented cross-section of Lagos society—customs officers, market women, Imams, fellow Christian groups and civic leaders. While the fellowship has long been known for its annual gatherings, the 2025 celebration shone brighter than ever under the fresh, bold leadership of Comptroller Patrick Ntadi and Coordinator Pastor Israel Egwueme. Their cooperation has become the driving force behind the chapel's growth, turning vision into tangible blessings for officers, families, and the wider community.

The Explosive Gathering

- **Attendance beyond borders** – The chapel overflowed with uniformed officers, civilian workers, traders from the nearby markets, and representatives from other faith communities. The sheer diversity was a living testimony that the

Gospel transcends rank, tribe and creed.
Voices of Leadership Comptroller Patrick Ntadi

"I am glad about the attendance of my officers and non-customs guests. It is evidence that God dwells in you even in my absence. Because you believe that God oversees everything, I will do whatever is needed within my capacity to uplift the chapel's development. 2026 thanksgiving will be far better than what we celebrate today."

Beyond bricks – While Ntadi has overseen major physical upgrades at the Western Marine Command—new fencing, upgraded office spaces, and others—he repeatedly stressed that among his greatest investment is in the spiritual wellbeing of the men and women who serve.

A Midas mind for ministry – Colleague officers described Ntadi's "Midas touch" as the ability to turn limited resources into abundant blessings.

Pastor Ekwueme Israel Oliver

"We didn't come to this earth just to make money and raise children. God created us for a divine purpose, and Jesus restores that purpose. Answering this call puts us in positions to carry His mantle. With the Comptroller's support, we are

NCCF: WMC Thanksgiving 2025

raising men of pure heart who will preach the undiluted Word, even when it hurts.”

A Legacy in the Making

The cooperation between Ntadi and Ekwueme is already being hailed as a “righteous reign”—a phrase echoed by officers who say, “When the righteous sit in the throne, the people rejoice.” The comptroller’s promise that 2026 will be even greater has set the congregation on a high-spirited trajectory.

Members of NCCF and the broader Christian community are urged to pray continuously for Ntadi’s vision, for the completion of ongoing projects, and for the continued spread of the Gospel through the Western Marine Command.

Doing

The 2025 thanksgiving was more than a celebration; it was a landmark declaration that when godly leadership aligns with fervent faith, the result is explosive growth, tangible blessings, and a legacy that will echo through the corridors of the Nigeria Customs Service for years to come.

May God continue to bless Comptroller Patrick Ntadi, Pastor Ekwueme Israel Oliver, and every soul that answers the call of worship and service.



Pictures speak



Core section of Customs officers, others at the thanksgiving

Pictures speak



Agustin Eric Escamado



Workshop session, leaders, community members at the
office, Banting Hall at 2000 Bantingway



Guest speaker, speaking at the Bantingway event



“Nigeria Customs Christian Fellowship (NCCF) Western Marine Command Celebrates a Landmark Thanksgiving – A Conversation with Pastor Ekwueme Israel Oliver”

Felix Mbata, Lagos state

The Nigeria Customs Christian Fellowship (NCCF) Western Marine Command gathered for its 2025 annual thanksgiving service, held at the Command's chapel, drew officers, market women, other Christian groups and even Muslim friends. Christian Events Watch Magazine sat down with the fellowship's coordinator, Pastor Ekwueme Israel Oliver, to hear what drives him, his vision for NCCF, and the impact of the day's celebration.

Interview Excerpt
Christian Events Watch Magazine: “Congratulations on a remarkable thanksgiving service. Can we meet with you, sir?”

Pastor Ekwueme Israel Oliver: “Thank you. My name is Pastor Ekwueme Israel Oliver, coordinator of NCCF Western Marine Command. I am honored to speak with you.”

What inspired you to take the position of NCCF Western Marine coordinator and your vision for the fellowship?

“God created humanity for a purpose. The fall in Eden disrupted that purpose, but Jesus came to restore us to the original design. I felt called to answer that restoration work—to be a conduit of Jesus' love wherever I go. Taking this role puts me in a position to carry that mantle, not for personal gain, but to fulfill the divine purpose God placed in every man and woman.”

“My vision for NCCF Western Marine is simple: by God's grace, raise men and women of pure hearts who hear the undiluted Word of God, even when it is hard to receive. I want people to encounter the true truth, to understand why they must serve God genuinely and from a sincere heart.”

What does today's thanksgiving mean to you and who or what made it remarkable?

“This thanksgiving is especially meaningful because of the journey we have walked as a country. In 2014-2015, during the transition from President Goodluck Jonathan to President Buhari, many feared Nigeria would descend into chaos. Yet God kept us alive, and here we are at the end of 2025, still standing. We give thanks to the Almighty for His love and grace that have carried us this far. It is a privilege to

gather and praise Him for counting us worthy to see the end of 2025.”

We saw other Christian fellowships, Imams and market women in attendance. What attracted them?

“We invited them to come join us in appreciation to God Almighty who kept us all alive till date. To hear God's word and witness the fellowship, and afterwards pursue God's purpose for humanity. Their presence shows that the body of Christ can unite across denominations, alongside other faith based organisation / sects when we focus on God the Almighty Creator and His purpose for man.



Pastor Ekwueme Israel Oliver NCCF, WMC Coordinator

The Comptroller of Western Marine Command, Comptroller Patrick Ntadi, was present. How significant is his support to the chapel?

"This is my first time meeting Comptroller Ntadi, and I must say he has been a tremendous blessing. His support mirrors that of his predecessors, who also gave generously to the work of God. When he spoke, it was evident that he is a child of God, committed to advancing the Kingdom here. We pray that God continues to lift him and expand his capacity to serve humanity and divinity as ordained by the Creator."

We heard you are honouring former comptrollers with awards. What prompted that?

"Their legacy deserves recognition. Comptroller P.K. Bamiseye (retired) and ACG, AO Salefu (Rtd) including other leaders demonstrated humility, dedication and genuine love for the Christian work in this command. We felt it appropriate to honour them now, while praying that God rewards them eternally for their earthly and kingdom service."

What are your plans for collaboration with other Christian bodies moving into 2026?

"By God's grace, 2026 will be a year of greater outreach. We intend to invite other Christian groups to experience what God is doing at Western Marine, to pray together, and to partner in evangelism and community upliftment. Our goal is to spread the Word of God beyond our walls and to be a light in the maritime sector."

Conclusion

Pastor Ekwueme Israel Oliver's passion for restoring the original purpose of humanity shines through every word. The thanksgiving service not only celebrated God's faithfulness through turbulent times but also highlighted the power of unity—between officers, other faith communities, and supportive command leadership. As NCCF Western Marine Command looks ahead, its vision of raising hearts that proclaim the undiluted truth promises a brighter, more purpose-driven future for the Nigeria Customs service and the broader nation. May God continue to bless the work of NCCF and all who serve in His name.





MY SECRET IS BEING HUMBLE, FOCUSING ON GOD, ELDER HARRISON

By Stanley Ihedigbo, Lagos state

The atmosphere was filled with joy, gratitude, and heartfelt emotions as friends, colleagues, and well-wishers gathered to celebrate the retirement thanksgiving of Comptroller (Elder) Effiong John Harrison, the National Coordinator of the Nigerian Customs Christian Fellowship.

After 35 years of dedicated service to the Nigeria Customs Service, Comptroller Harrison bowed out gracefully, having risen to the rank of Comptroller of Customs and leaving behind a legacy of integrity, humility, and godly leadership.

The event, held at the United Evangelical Church, brought together both Christians and Muslims, senior officers and subordinates, all united by one purpose to honour a man whose light has touched many lives beyond religious or professional boundaries.

In this collection of interviews, colleagues, friends, and associates share their reflections, testimonies, and heartfelt messages about the man they fondly call a father, mentor, and servant of God. Comptroller Harrison also reflects on his years in service, his faith journey, and his message to the next generation of officers and Nigerian youths.

Chairman, Church Committee, United Evangelism Church and Comptroller, Nigerian Customs Service, Comptroller (Elder) Effiong John Harrison, speaks with the Christian Events Watch Magazine, on his retirement and the goodness of God in his life.

Excerpt

Question: Sir, how do you feel today, being celebrated? There have been many testimonies and words of encouragement. How do you feel?



Answer:

Well, all glory belongs to God — for what He has done for me, what He is doing for me, and what He is yet to do. He has promised never to leave me nor forsake me.

When I joined the Customs Service in 1990, I made a vow that God would be my guide. The message I received then was, "Be humble so that you don't stumble." I have adhered steadfastly to that instruction despite challenges and distractions, remaining focused on the things of the Lord.

By His grace, I was able to serve for 35 solid years and rise to the highest promotable rank in the Service. I retired peacefully, without any scandal or problem, as a Comptroller of Customs.

I feel deeply honoured and grateful. In line with what God instructed, I had to return to His sanctuary — that same altar where I knelt to pray — to thank Him for preserving me. That is what we are celebrating today: the greatness of God in my life. And as you can see from the audience, both Christians and Muslims are here, all giving glory to one God.

Question: What was your experience like in your 35 years of service?

Answer:

Well, I won't say I worked with a silver spoon in my mouth. We faced many challenges, especially in field stations. It wasn't only within the service; sometimes the communities posed challenges too — smugglers and businessmen who wanted



to cut corners with the government.

We faced all kinds of difficulties, but by the grace of God, we overcame — not because we were powerful or better than others, but because His grace was sufficient for us. That's the best way I

can describe it.

Question: What message do you have for the people who left their activities to come and celebrate with you today?

Answer:

I tell them to continue celebrating God in all aspects of their lives, so that celebration will never cease. Many people came today because they have tasted and seen the faithfulness of God. That is why you see both Muslims and Christians gathered together; everyone recognizes that there is one true God. So I urge them to remain steadfast in their relationship with Almighty God.

Question: What message do you have for the members of the Nigerian Customs Christian Fellowship, which you coordinated?

Answer:

Yes, my successor in office. She is the Assistant Comptroller General. She is the Commandant of the Customs Command and Staff College, Gwagwalada, Abuja. The National Outreach Secretary, the General Secretary, the National Financial Secretary, and Zonal Coordinators from three zones were also here. People traveled from



different chapters across the country to be part of this event.

There must be impartation — that the fire continues to burn. That's why we will be having another Thanksgiving service of NCCF at Customs Training College, Ikeja Chapel on Sunday 7th December, to ensure that the joy of the Lord remains strong in their spirit.

I pray they will continue with zeal and the might of the Holy Spirit, doing greater exploits for God. Where I stopped should be their starting point.

Question: What advice do you have for the person who took over from you, considering she is new in the position?

Answer:

Many people have counseled her and reminded her to maintain the landmarks and footprints that have been left. She must uphold the standard — not lower it, but raise it even higher.

We are praying that God will give her the grace and enablement to carry the flag upward and onward to the glory of God.

Question: What advice do you have for junior officers in the service, based on your experience?

Answer:

In one word, humility. Humility is the key. Don't take things personally, don't quarrel, don't fight, and don't engage in fraudulent activities.

If you want to succeed like those of us who gave 35 years of our prime to this job, you must be humble and allow the Holy Spirit to guide you. I also



advise them to know God personally and build a relationship with Him. Without God, everything else will fail. God forbid that any of them think they can succeed without Him.

Question: What message do you have for your boss, the Comptroller General?

Answer:

We continue to uphold him in prayer. The good things God has used him to accomplish could not have been achieved by human effort alone. God has raised young officers around him to help transform the Customs Service to greater heights. We appreciate his leadership and pray that God's grace will remain sufficient for him — to do more, to do better. His success is our success. That is my message for him.

Question: Finally, Daddy, as a father, what message do you have for Nigerian youths?

Answer:

All youths should draw closer to God. The Bible gives examples of young people like Joshua and David who achieved great exploits in their youth.

When you use your youthful energy to serve God, as you grow older, you become an elder who can give wise counsel and leadership. Many youths today want to reach the top quickly, without the solid experience or foundation needed.

I urge them to learn from the mistakes and failures of those who tried to rise without preparation. Learn from elders, listen to wise counsel, and stay focused on the path of righteousness — not just on getting to the top, but on being able to remain there honorably. Thank you, and God bless you.



Comments

He is a man of 100% perfection



Question: What is your name?

Answer:

My name is Glorian Onyema. I am an Assistant Comptroller of Customs, and I work in the Human Resources Office at the Headquarters in Abuja.

Question: What do

you have to say about the National Coordinator of the Nigerian Customs Christian Fellowship, Comptroller John Harrison, who is retiring from the service?

Answer:

I am very happy to attend his retirement thanksgiving because he has been such a good person to us. In fact, he is like a father to me, not just a boss. I have learned a lot from him, especially when it comes to administrative work. He gives his 100%, and I have learned so much from that. We are really going to miss him, but I know he is strong, has a godly heart, and truly loves God. We are expecting a lot of great things from him even in this new chapter, and we will continue to support him from behind. I pray that God will be with him, go before him, stand by his side, and lead and guide him. May he have more divine wisdom, knowledge, and understanding to navigate this next phase of life. Truly, this is his season of enjoyment.

Question: What qualities do you admire most in him?

Answer:

Yes, I admire him a lot—especially his sense of urgency. He doesn't take things for granted. When something is urgent, he attends to it immediately; he doesn't procrastinate. That's one thing I really admire about him. He also cares deeply for people. For example, if someone—whether a retired officer or a serving officer—has an issue, he makes sure the

person gets the right access and support to resolve it. He also believes strongly in feedback; he doesn't just assign tasks and forget about them. He always follows up to know what has been done. I learned that from him, because feedback really helps a lot.

Question: What message do you have for him in his retirement?

Answer:

My message for him is that retirement is not the end, but the beginning of a new and fulfilling phase of life. Sir, you have served faithfully and left a lasting legacy. May God bless you with good health, peace, and continued success in all your future endeavors. Enjoy this new season of rest and purpose—you truly deserve it.

Elder Harrison is a man of

God outside pulpit



From left: Samuel Sanusi,
Rev. Stanley

Question: Please, your name, Sir?

Answer:

My name is Samuel Sanusi, General Secretary and Chief Executive Officer of The Bible Society of Nigeria.

Question: What is your relationship with Comptroller Harrison?

Answer:

I'm here to celebrate a man of God. You know, in Nigeria, people often think a man of God is only someone who preaches from the pulpit, but Elder Harrison is a man of God outside the pulpit. He served in the Nigerian Customs Service for 35 years, and his retirement is truly something worth celebrating. Beyond his official duties, while he was still in service, he partnered with us at The Bible Society of Nigeria, ensuring that the fellowship and our work ran smoothly. Recently, through his leadership in the Nigerian Customs Christian Fellowship, we were able to produce thousands of copies of the Holy Bible, which were given to the

fellowship to help members grow closer to God.

Question: What qualities do you admire most in him?

Answer:

I believe the best legacy anyone can leave behind is the Word of God. That's exactly what he has done, and that's why we are here to celebrate him and wish him all the best.

Question: What message do you have for other paramilitary officers in Nigeria, considering what the Customs Christian Fellowship is doing?

Answer:

Yes, whatever anyone does, we should always remember that there is a day of reckoning. Like I said in my short message, wherever you are, you are not just serving yourself. Whatever calling you have received, know that you are serving God first and also serving your nation. Whatever you do, God is recording it, and human beings are also taking note. So everyone should work to leave behind a good name, because that name will live after us. Whatever we do, we must always remember that truth.

Question: What message do you have for Nigerians as a man of God, Sir?

Answer:

To Nigerians, I will say this: we should not give up on our country. There is hope if we do not lose faith. Let us keep trusting God and doing what He wants us to do, and I believe there will surely be light at the end of the tunnel.

Comptroller Harrison is a man of integrity, who doesn't associate with anything dubious



Question: Please, your name, ma'am.

Answer:

My name is Alice Timothy, Assistant Comptroller. I work with the Nigeria Customs Service at the Murtala

Muhammed Office.

Question: What message do you have for the man you are celebrating today?

Answer:

Ahhhh, the man we are celebrating today is like a father to me. My message for him is that God should continue to protect and bless him. He is a man of integrity and has a very good heart—that's why you see everyone coming together to celebrate him today.

The message I have is actually what he has already taught us: to keep being true to ourselves, to live with integrity, and to serve faithfully. I pray that God will continue to take him from strength to strength and from glory to glory. As he has gathered us here to celebrate and give thanks to God, I pray that God will reward him abundantly, in Jesus' name. Amen.

Question: Looking at his lifestyle, what message do you have for your colleagues in the office?

Answer:

They should emulate him because, as I said earlier, he is a man of integrity who doesn't associate with anything dubious. You can never involve him in anything that's not right or not done through the proper process—he simply won't be part of it.

As he retires in good health, I pray that we will all continue to emulate his example. Honestly, I didn't even know he was retiring—I thought he still had many more years to serve because he is still so strong and active. So, I would like to tell my colleagues to emulate his uprightness and dedication. I believe that's part of why he remains strong and fulfilled today.

He's a Light to Everyone, includes Muslim, Christian Officers



Question: Please, can we meet you, Sir?

Answer:

I am Mr. Habib Ibrahim, Custom Officer, attached to International Airport Command and as you can see,

I am a Muslim. But I came to church today to celebrate with Elder Harrison.

Question: What message do you have for this man of God, and what is your relationship with him?

Answer:

Mr. Harrison is like a light. You know, people have said a lot about his contributions to the church and the fellowship, but as you can see, I am a Muslim, and I am here to celebrate him.

When you shine your light, it reaches everyone — Christians, Muslims, and even unbelievers. It shows who you are. That's exactly how I would describe Mr. Harrison, a light that shines for all.

Question: What message do you have for others, especially when it comes to the Customs Christian Fellowship?

Answer:

They should learn from his leadership style. From the very beginning when he was posted to our office, there were many issues on the ground, problems in that particular area, but consciously and unconsciously, he solved them with wisdom.

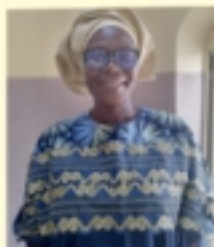
He once said, "Don't come to my office if it's not an official matter. And if you bring gossip against someone, I will call that person because I am a man of God. I always have my Bible with me, and you will have to repeat what you said in the person's presence."

That statement alone solved a lot of problems and brought peace to the office.

Question: Finally, Sir, what is your advice as a senior officer to the younger ones in the service?

Answer:

My advice to the younger officers is simple, serve without sentiment. Be sincere, be disciplined, and do your job with integrity.



Elder Harrison is a wonderful Leader

Your name, ma?

Answer

Assistant Comptroller General of Customs, ACG

Oluyomi Abolaji and I work with Command and Staff College Gwagwalada, Abuja.

What is your relationship with the man of God?

Answer

Elder Harrison was our National Coordinator, Nigeria Customs Fellowship and my boss. He is a wonderful leader, someone I have worked with for many years. We cannot part ways without celebrating such a special occasion together.

The gift I presented is from my heart, to help him thank and appreciate God for a day like this. I know many other gifts have been given, but mine is to show appreciation and recognize him on behalf of the Nigeria Customs Christian Fellowship.

On His Qualities

I see him as an elder who knows how to carry everyone along. He understands people's strengths and weaknesses and never judges anyone for their shortcomings. Instead, he focuses on their strengths and helps them grow. He's someone who identifies people's weaknesses with compassion and helps them improve.

Message to the Younger Ones

I would advise the younger ones to emulate him. If he had not been careful and coordinated, the fellowship might have fallen apart. He knows how to correct people with love and carry everyone along.

My advice is that young people should not just act based on youthful energy but rather remain calm, be led by the Spirit of God, and learn tolerance. They should learn to coordinate people with patience and love so the fellowship can continue to stand strong.

Message to the Fellowship

To the fellowship, I encourage everyone to remain united. When we are united, we can look back one day and be proud of the legacy we've left behind.

If there is disunity, it brings sorrow. But when we build something solid, we will always want to look back and ensure it continues to stand the test of time and pressure.

May the Lord help us to keep forging ahead and doing His good work so that when we look back, we will be happy knowing we have handed over a strong foundation for others to continue the work of God.

Lagos State Police Command

– End-of-Year Thanksgiving & Carol Service, 2025

Felix Mbata, Lagos State

The Nigeria Police Chaplaincy Service Command Headquarters in Ikeja, Lagos, hosted its annual thanksgiving and carol celebration on Friday, 5 December 2025. Held at Lord of Lord's Chapel, State Headquarters, Ikeja, the event's theme was **Jehovah Jireh** (Genesis 22:14).



his commitment to giving policing a fresh, faith-filled face. In his remarks, CP Jimoh expressed deep gratitude:

"This year has brought successes and challenges, but through your support, prayers, and dedication we have done well. We are truly blessed by God, and it is through your prayers that Lagos remains a safe and special place."

He thanked the officers, their families, and the community for their collaboration and prayers, and prayed that the command would continue to be a source of strength and encouragement to one another.



Some Senior Police officers at the thanksgiving service

Commissioner of Police CP Olohundare Moshood Jimoh, who led the command, was praised for his tireless efforts in making Lagos a safer place—so much so that residents can now "sleep with both eyes closed." DCP Dayo Akinbiseyin from Panty was the officer who formally presented CP Jimoh to the gathering, ensuring the service began smoothly.

CSP Ezekiel Ugbotor (Ven), Protestant Chaplain, highlighted the Commissioner's trust in God and

Bishop Nick Medo-Uwa, the guest speaker, reinforced the importance of thanksgiving as a Christian culture. He shared a personal testimony about a benefactor who sent him abroad to preach, and how a simple act of gratitude deepened that relationship. He also recalled the biblical story of the ten lepers, noting that only one returned to thank Jesus, underscoring that gratitude is a demand from God.

The evening was filled with uplifting carols, heartfelt prayers, and a collective commitment to keep serving God and the community. Participants left inspired, recognizing that a police force that walks with God is a beacon of hope for Lagos and beyond.



Pastor Nick Medo-Uwa praying for officers, others at the thanksgiving service



**"A Visionary Leader in Chaplaincy:
Celebrating Prof. Faith 'Lana's
Exceptional Contributions as
Chaplain General and Renowned
Publisher"**



**Prof. Faith 'Lana
Chaplain General
Chaplain Corps of Nigeria**

Felix Mbata, Lagos state

Prof. Faith 'Lana is a trailblazer in the field of chaplaincy, renowned for his unwavering commitment to spiritual guidance and mentorship. As the Commandant General of the Chaplain Corps of Nigeria and Vice Chancellor of the College of Chaplaincy and Social Sciences, Nigeria, he has demonstrated exceptional leadership qualities that have earned him respect and admiration across the globe. His passion for chaplaincy is evident in the impactful books he has authored, which have become must-reads for individuals seeking spiritual growth and guidance.

Exceptional Qualities of a Great Chaplain General

– Spiritual Guidance: Prof. Faith 'Lana's ability to

provide spiritual guidance and mentorship has been a source of inspiration to many.

– Leadership: His leadership roles in the Chaplain Corps of Nigeria and the College of Chaplaincy and Social Sciences have showcased his exceptional leadership qualities.

– Authorship: His books have made significant contributions to the field of chaplaincy, offering valuable insights and guidance to readers.

Investiture of Chaplain Professor Nathaniel Babatunde

The investiture of Chaplain Professor Nathaniel Babatunde as a chaplain officer is a testament to the Chaplaincy's commitment to recognizing and celebrating exceptional individuals. Prof. Faith 'Lana's leadership and vision have played a significant role in shaping the Chaplaincy's mission and values.

Prof. Faith 'Lana Chaplain General Chaplain Corps of Nigeria

Global Impact

The Chaplaincy's global presence, with branches in various countries, including the Republic of Benin, is a reflection of its commitment to serving people from all walks of life. Code of Conduct and Ethics: The Chaplaincy's code of conduct and ethics emphasizes the importance of integrity, compassion, and humility in the practice of chaplaincy.

Join the Chaplaincy Community

If you're passionate about chaplaincy and want to learn from exceptional leaders like Prof. Faith 'Lana, we invite you to join our community. Our chaplaincy training programs are designed to equip you with the knowledge and skills necessary to make a positive impact in the lives of others. Whether you're looking to deepen your spiritual understanding or develop your leadership skills, we have a program that's right for you.

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Chaplain (Pastor) Prophet Professor Godwin E. Akpan
President/General Overseer of Great Guidance Church Worldwide

Exclusive Interview: Chaplain (Pastor) Prophet Professor Godwin E. Akpan – President/General Overseer of Great Guidance Church Worldwide

In this feature with Christian Events Watch Magazine, Chaplain (Pastor) Prophet Professor Godwin E. Akpan opens up about his calling, the birth of Great Guidance Church inside Olosan Police Barracks, and his pivotal role in Lagos State Chaplaincy. The conversation covers his ministry journey, the spiritual support he offers, his relationship with police officers, and the challenges he faces—all wrapped in a candid, faith-filled narrative.

Sir, for the benefit of our readers, can you introduce yourself to Christian Events Watch Magazine?

I am Chaplain (Pastor) Prophet Professor Godwin E. Akpan, the President/General Overseer of Great Guidance Church Worldwide, located inside the Olosan Police Barracks, off Post Office Road, Mushin, Lagos. By the special grace of God, I am both a Prophet of God and a Chaplain, called to minister healing, hope, and divine direction to men and women — especially those serving in the Nigeria Police Force and the

surrounding community. My life's message can be summed up in Psalm 32:8: "I will instruct thee and teach thee in the way which thou shalt go: I will guide thee with mine eye." That scripture birthed the name Great Guidance, representing the divine mandate to guide people by the Spirit of God into His perfect will.

Can you share your journey into ministry and how you became involved in Lagos State Chaplaincy?

My journey into ministry began many years ago 3rd November 1999 with a deep hunger to know God beyond religion. Through encounters with the Holy Spirit, the Lord called me into the prophetic and teaching ministry. Over time, that calling expanded into the chaplaincy — a divine assignment to bring more light into structured institutions like the police. When I joined the chaplain Fellowship Of Nigeria Ubom Command Sector Badagry under the supervision of Arch Bishop Laurence Aflaka The Grand Commander and Visioner of Champlain Fellowship of Nigeria (CFN) where I became Asst. Grand Commander before joining the Police Protestant Chaplain (Lord of Lords Chapel) Lagos State Command and became a police Pastor. When I encountered the Lagos State Chaplaincy, I saw it as a powerful platform to express God's love in a disciplined and uniformed environment. The Lord

said to me clearly, "Go where others fear to go; take My Word to those who bear the sword of the nation." That is how I became actively involved, ministering both within and outside the police barracks.

What kind of spiritual guidance and support do you offer to individuals and the community at your current location?

At Great Guidance Church Worldwide, our ministry focuses on spiritual restoration, counseling, deliverance, and character building. We run regular prayer meetings, chaplain fellowship sessions, and counseling for officers, their families, and civilians around Mushin. We also extend help to widows, youths, and the less privileged — offering both spiritual and humanitarian support. Our goal is to embody James 2:17, which reminds us that "faith without works is dead." We believe that preaching the gospel is not only about words but also about tangible acts of love that point people to Christ.

As a chaplain and prophet in Olosan Police Barracks, close to the station, what is your relationship with the police officers at the station? Do you pray for them, and do they accept you?

By the grace of God, I have a very cordial relationship with the officers at Olosan Police Station. They see me not just as a preacher but as a father figure and intercessor. I regularly visit to pray with them before patrols, during emergencies, or whenever there's a need for divine intervention. Many officers have come to testify that prayer has preserved their lives and guided their decisions. It's written in 1 Timothy 2:1-2 that we should "pray for kings and for all that are in authority, that we may live a quiet and peaceable life." I see the police officers as people in authority who need divine covering to function effectively. Their acceptance of me and the church is a testimony that God is at work in Olosan Barracks.

How do you rate godliness among Nigerian Police Officers, and what is your advice to society?

Godliness within the Force is growing, but there is still room for improvement. Many officers desire to live upright lives, but the pressures of the job and the moral challenges in society can be overwhelming. That's why the Chaplaincy is essential — to nurture spiritual strength and moral conviction. To the society, I say this: let's pray for our police, and all the arm forces in Nigeria not just to criticize them. They are human beings with emotions, families, and spiritual needs. When we uphold them in prayer, God will uphold the nation. As 2 Chronicles 7:14 reminds us, "If my people, who are called by my name, will humble themselves and pray... I will heal their land." A praying society produces righteous officers.

What are some of the challenges you face in your ministry, and how have you overcome them?

One of the greatest challenges has been limited resources and societal misconceptions about chaplaincy work. Many do not yet understand that chaplaincy is not about religion but about service, love, and moral restoration. However, through faith, perseverance, and divine wisdom, we have seen God provide supernaturally. Whenever challenges arise, I stand on Philippians 4:13, "I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me." Every obstacle has turned into a testimony. Today, I can boldly say that what God calls, He empowers. The growth and acceptance of our ministry within the barracks is a testament to His grace.

CSP Ezekiel Ugbotor is the spiritual head of Protestant Chaplains in Lagos Police Command. With your long-standing relationship, how do you rate his performance and what is your advice?

CSP Ezekiel Ugbotor is a man of integrity, vision, and spiritual discipline. I have had the privilege of working closely with him, and I can testify that he is truly a servant-leader who carries the heart of Christ for the chaplaincy. His leadership has brought structure, accountability, and spiritual

revival among Protestant chaplains in the Lagos Command. My advice is that he continues to uphold Ephesians 6:10, "Be strong in the Lord and in the power of His might." The harvest is great, and I believe God will continue to enlarge his territory and strengthen his hands for greater exploits.

Final Word from Prophet Professor Godwin E. Akpan

I believe that the Church and the uniformed services must work hand in hand to raise a morally upright nation. The Gospel of Christ is not limited to the four walls of a church — it extends to the barracks, the streets, and every sector of our society. As we continue to serve faithfully, I declare that revival, righteousness,

and restoration will flow across our land. "Righteousness exalts a nation" (Proverbs 14:34), and through godly leadership and prophetic guidance, Nigeria will rise again in glory.

Conclusion:

Chaplain (Pastor) Prophet Professor Godwin E. Akpan's interview paints a vivid picture of a ministry that bridges faith and law enforcement, offering hope, healing, and practical support to those who serve the nation. His unwavering commitment to guiding officers and the community underscores the transformative power of gospel-driven chaplaincy. As Nigeria navigates its challenges, voices like his remind us that spiritual guidance and righteous leadership are indispensable pillars for lasting peace and revival.



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About the Author: DSP Olugbenga David Egunsola

DSP Olugbenga David Egunsola is a distinguished Christian police officer with a wealth of experience in law enforcement, ministry, and community development. As the National General Secretary of the Christian Police Fellowship of Nigeria, he plays a vital role in promoting Christian values and principles among police officers across the country.

Background and Education

DSP Olugbenga has a strong educational background, having studied Social Works and administration at Lagos State University and Security Operations and Management at the University of Lagos. He is currently pursuing his master's degree in Biblical counselling from New Covenant University, Kentucky, USA.

Career and Achievements

With a career spanning several decades, DSP Olugbenga has served in various capacities, including as O/C computer, Admin officer and senior instructor of communication training school, Ikeja. Also, CPC coordinator under UN mission in western Darfur. He has received numerous commendations and awards for his exceptional service, including the Commissioner of Police (CP) Commendation and Award, the Inspector General of



Police's (IGP) Commendation, and the United Nations' Medal/Award. Ministry and Community Development

DSP Olugbenga is a seasoned preacher and ordained Reverend who has been instrumental in establishing and leading several Christian fellowships and ministries. He is the Police College Ikeja pioneer Coordinator of CPFN and founding father of the Prince of Peace Chapel, (ASPC) Police College, Ikeja. He is the current Lagos State Deputy Coordinator of Christian Police Fellowship of Nigeria and Interim Deputy Coordinator Lagos state Paramilitary Christian Fellowship.

In addition to his law enforcement and ministry work, DSP Olugbenga is actively involved in community development. He has served as the two-term chairman of the Orelope Estate Community Development Association (CDA) in Sango-Ota, Ogun State.

Personal Life

DSP Olugbenga David Egunsola who hails from Iree in Boripe LGA of Osun State is married to Dorcas, and they are blessed with children: Goodluck, Goodness, Godswill, Glorious, and Gift. Despite his many responsibilities and accomplishments, he remains committed to his family and his faith, seeking to serve as a positive influence and role model in all aspects of his life.

"A DIVINE CALL TO EXCELLENCE: SENIOR APOSTOLIC MOTHER PROPHETESS VICTORIA OLUWATOYIN, ALIAS (JP) LEADS OGO OLUWA MAJEMU ANU C & S CHURCH TO GREATER HEIGHTS"

Felix Mbata, Lagos state

Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP) is a shining example of a called and gifted leader, possessing the qualities of a good General Overseer. Her visionary leadership, hard work, and team-working spirit have been instrumental in maintaining the legacies of her late mother, Captain Comfort O. Fatunwase (JP), the founder of Ogo Oluwa Majemu Anu C & S Church. One of her notable qualities is her spirit to gift irrespective of religion and Christian denomination, a trait she learnt from her mother. This quality has endeared her to the congregation and the community, and has fostered a sense of unity and love among them.

41st Anniversary Celebration

The church recently celebrated its 41st anniversary, marking a significant milestone in its history. The celebration featured a two-day revival night vigil, the appointment of new executive council members, and the conferment of awards on outgoing executives who served for 32 years. The General Overseer showed appreciation for their efforts, presenting them with bags of food items and clothing. She also gave bags of food items and cloths to congregants from different religions and Christian denominations who attended the event, demonstrating her commitment to unity and love.

Dissolving Old Executives and Appointing New Ones

The General Overseer dissolved the old executives and appointed new ones, citing the need for fresh ideas and perspectives to drive the church's growth and development. The new executives will serve for two years, with the possibility of continuation for another two years if they perform well.

Conferment of Awards

Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria

Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP) conferred awards on some church members who had served faithfully and demonstrated honesty and hard work. She explained that the awards were given to appreciate their efforts and to encourage others to serve God and the church with dedication and commitment.

Succeeding in Maintaining Her Mother's Legacies

The General Overseer credited her success in maintaining her mother's legacies to the grace of God and the support of the church members. She emphasized the importance of prayerfulness, commitment to God's work, and teamwork in achieving the church's mission and vision.

Future Activities

As the year 2025 comes to a close, Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP) has planned more night vigils and other activities to empower the church and its members. She emphasized the importance of prayer and seeking God's guidance in all aspects of life.

Supporting the Community

The church has been supporting the community in various ways, including spiritual support, empowerment, and financial assistance. The General Overseer highlighted the church's commitment to serving the community and meeting the needs of its members.

In conclusion, Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP) is a true leader, called and gifted to lead Ogo Oluwa Majemu Anu C & S Church to greater heights. Her visionary leadership, hard work, and commitment to God's work have made a significant impact on the church and the community.



“Love in Action: General Overseer's Heart of Giving Shines at Ogo Oluwa Majemu Anu C & S Church's 41st Anniversary and Benjamin's Dedication to the Church”

Felix Mbata, Lagos State

The 41st anniversary celebration of Ogo Oluwa Majemu Anu C & S Church

was a grand affair that showcased the church's commitment to spiritual growth, community service, and unity. At the helm of this vibrant community is Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP), a General Overseer known for her heart of love and generosity. Her commitment to the church's mission and her benevolence towards the congregation have been a source of inspiration to many. The event was attended by Superintendent Apostle Prophet Shoyemi Benjamin, Chairman of Lagos State Central Territorial Conference, who oversees churches under 'The Eternal Sacred Order of the Cherubim and Seraphim.

About the General Overseer

Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP) has demonstrated exceptional leadership qualities, evident in her visionary guidance and commitment to the church's mission. Her benevolence was on full display during the anniversary celebration, where she gave bags of food items and cloths to congregants, promoting unity and love among the



*Superintendent Apostle Prophet Shoyemi Benjamin,
Chairman of Lagos State Central Territorial Conference*

members.

Benjamin's Dedication to the Church

Superintendent Apostle Prophet Shoyemi Benjamin expressed his appreciation for the General Overseer's benevolence, saying that it was a gesture to make the congregants happy and to encourage them to attend church programs. He noted that the church had been giving gifts to its members and honoring distinguished personalities with awards to encourage them to do more.

Coverage Area

Benjamin's coverage area includes Mushin, Lawanson, Ebutte Meta, and down to Epe. He emphasized the importance of unity and progress among the churches under his jurisdiction.

Anniversary Celebration

The 41st anniversary celebration featured the installation of new executives, the conferment of awards on distinguished members, and the five-year remembrance of the church's founder, late Captain Comfort O. Fatunwase (JP). The event was a testament to the church's commitment to spiritual growth and community service. Clarification on C&S Beliefs

Benjamin clarified that The Eternal Sacred Order of the Cherubim and Seraphim, founded by St.

Moses Orimolade Tunolase, is a Christian church that follows the Bible and Christian doctrines. He emphasized that the church uses the Bible, has Sunday School, Bible Colleges, and trains its members in Theology schools before they preach.



Requirements for Membership

The chairman explained that anyone who wants to join the church should find a branch close to their home or office, express their interest in becoming a member, and be welcomed and blessed by the church. He noted that the only requirement is to believe in the Lord Jesus Christ.

Contributions to the Community

Benjamin highlighted the church's contribution to the development of the community, saying that Ogo Olowe Majemu Anu C & S Church has been making a positive impact on the community every year. He noted that the church supports widows, orphans, and youths, and continues to keep the legacies of its founder.

Words of Appreciation

Benjamin expressed his appreciation to the people who made the event remarkable and successful, saying that God will bless them, guard them, and give them everything they need in their lives.

Conclusion

In conclusion, the General Overseer's heart of giving and Benjamin's dedication to the church are a testament to the church's commitment to spiritual growth, unity, love, and service. The church's benevolence, commitment to Christian doctrines, and contribution to the community are all evidence of its dedication to serving God and humanity.



"A Legacy of Faith and Service: Senior Superintendent Apostle J. A. Adwuene (a.k.a Action) and General Overseer Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP) Yield Fruitful Efforts at Ogo Oluwa Majemu Anu C & S Church's 41st Anniversary

Felix Mbata, Lagos state

The 41st anniversary celebration of Ogo Oluwa Majemu Anu C & S Church was a grand affair that showcased the church's commitment to spiritual growth, community service, and unity. At the helm of this vibrant community is Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP), a General Overseer known for her heart of love and generosity. Her commitment to the church's mission and her benevolence towards the congregation have been a source of inspiration to many. Senior Superintendent Apostle J. A. Adwuene (a.k.a Action), a devoted member of the church, shared his insights on the occasion.

About the General Overseer

Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP) has demonstrated exceptional leadership qualities, evident in her visionary guidance and commitment to the church's mission. Her benevolence was on full display during the anniversary celebration, where she gave bags of food items and cloths to congregants, promoting unity and love among the members.

Celebration Highlights

The 41st anniversary celebration featured the installation of new executives, the conferment of awards on distinguished members, and the five-year remembrance of the church's founder, late Captain Comfort O. Fatunwase (JP). The event was attended by top leaders of C & S and other churches, who came to serve God and celebrate the church's growth.

New Executive Council

A new executive council was appointed to serve for two years, with the possibility of reappointment for another two years if they perform well. The council includes an auditor and financial secretary, and the General Overseer emphasized the importance of humility, courage, and commitment in their leadership roles.

Awards and Recognition

Deserving members were recognized and awarded for their service, including those who served for 32 years and were transitioning out of their roles. The General Overseer expressed her appreciation for their dedication and service to the church.



100 Years of Cherubim and Seraphim

The celebration coincided with the 100-year anniversary of the Cherubim and Seraphim movement, founded by St. Moses Orimolade Tunolase in 1925. Plans are underway for a grand celebration, including evangelism and outreach programs.

Conclusion

In conclusion, the 41st anniversary celebration of Ogo Oluwa Majemu Anu C & S Church was a testament to the church's commitment to spiritual growth, community service, and unity. The leadership of Senior Apostolic Mother Prophetess Victoria Oluwatoyin, Alias (JP) and the dedication of members like Senior Superintendent Apostle J. A. Adwuene (a.k.a Action) are a shining example of the church's mission and values.



Pictures of Ogo Oluwa Mijegun Anu C & S Church,
41st Anniversary Ceremony



