# THE REDEEMED CHRISTIAN CHURCH OF GOD OPEN HEAVENS ASSEMBLY, JOHANNESBURG

### **DIGGING DEEP**

#### **LOOKING UNTO JESUS**

Text: Hebrews 12: 1-4

#### INTRODUCTION

Believers who will enjoy a position of Dominion must learn to look unto Jesus in their Christian walk with Him. They must be disciplined to follow Jesus in the Way. To succeed in this Christian race; the believer must look unto Jesus as author and finisher of his/ her faith. (Heb. 12:2). The race is very long and tasking. By strength shall no man prevail. Intellectual intelligence does not solve spiritual problems. Only God can give solutions to human problems/ challenges. There are many distractions to keep us from focusing: fear/ anxiety, comfort/ wealth, delayed blessings, frustration, disappointments from different sources etc.

We must have our spiritual eyes fixed on Christ for help, and that is why looking unto Jesus is a major necessity to obtaining Dominion. May God grant us understanding in Jesus name.

#### A. WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO LOOK UNTO JESUS?

- 1. Depending/waiting on Him. Psa 125:1-2, Isa. 40: 31
- 2. Being attentive to Him. Prov. 4:20-22
- 3. Expecting to receive from Him. Psa 34:5; Ps 123:2
- 4. Getting strength from Him. Isaiah 41:10

#### **B. HOW TO LOOK UNTO JESUS**

- 1. Study God's Word 2 Tim 2:15; Psa 119:105
- 2. Pray always. Eph 6:18; I Thess 5:17
- 3. Obedience to His commands and principles. Ex. 19:5
- 4. Trusting in His promises for our lives. Mk 9: 23
- 5. Praising Him even in the midst of a challenging situation. Rom 4:20-21
- 6. Step out in faith once you are sure of God's leading. Rom 8: 14
- 7. Persevere for your Dominion. Hebs 10: 35-39

## **CONCLUSION**

In conclusion, cast all your cares and worries upon the Lord. He cares for you. I Pet. 5:7; Jer. 31:3. Never allow the enemy to distract your gaze; focus on the Lord. The Lord does not forsake those who put their trust in Him. Your expectation shall not be cut off in Jesus name. You will dominate by His Grace. Prov 24: