



We are a people who are hungry for new experiences with our God. We don't believe in conserving the experiences of the past. Our vocation is not religion but a deeper relationship to our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. If you are ready to join us in our pursuit of God, you are most welcome here at GO Centre. It is our prayer, that you may be able to know Jesus and know Him as our crucified redeemer. We are glad you came! Allow Jesus to meet you and experience His presence which will change your life. Be blessed!

Pastor Helmut Reutter

## Your Scripture for the Day

**Monday: Romans 2:7** To those who by persistence in doing good seek glory, honor and immortality, he will give eternal life. **8** But for those who are self-seeking and who reject the truth and follow evil, there will be wrath and anger. **9** There will be trouble and distress for every human being who does evil: first for the Jew, then for the Gentile; **10** but glory, honor and peace for everyone who does good: first for the Jew, then for the Gentile. **11** For God does not show favoritism. - (NIV84)

**Tuesday: Matthew 20:20** Then the mother of Zebedee's sons came to Jesus with her sons and, kneeling down, asked a favor of him. **21** "What is it you want?" he asked. She said, "Grant that one of these two sons of mine may sit at your right and the other at your left in your kingdom." **22** "You don't know what you are asking," Jesus said to them. "Can you drink the cup I am going to drink?" "We can," they answered. **23** Jesus said to them, "You will indeed drink from my cup, but to sit at my right or left is not for me to grant. These places belong to those for whom they have been prepared by my Father." - (NIV84)

**Wednesday: James 2:1** My brothers, as believers in our glorious Lord Jesus Christ, don't show favoritism. **2** Suppose a man comes into your meeting wearing a gold ring and fine clothes, and a poor man in shabby clothes also comes in. **3** If you show special attention to the man wearing fine clothes and say, "Here's a good seat for you," but say to the poor man, "You stand there" or "Sit on the floor by my feet," **4** have you not discriminated among yourselves and become judges with evil thoughts? **5** Listen, my dear brothers: Has not God chosen those who are poor in the eyes of the world to be rich in faith and to inherit the kingdom he promised those who love him? **6** But you have insulted the poor. Is it not the rich who are exploiting you? Are they not the ones who are dragging you into court? **7** Are they not the ones who are slandering the noble name of him to whom you belong? **8** If you really keep the royal law found in Scripture, "Love your neighbor as yourself," you are doing right. **9** But if you show favoritism, you sin and are convicted by the law as lawbreakers. **10** For whoever keeps the whole law and yet stumbles at just one point is guilty of breaking all of it. **11** For he who said, "Do not commit adultery," also said, "Do not murder." If you do not commit adultery but do commit murder, you have become a lawbreaker. **12** Speak and act as those who are going to be judged by the law that gives freedom, **13** because judgment without mercy will be shown to anyone who has not been merciful. Mercy triumphs over judgment! - (NIV84)

**Thursday: Ephesians 1:4** For he chose us in him before the creation of the world to be holy and blameless in his sight. In love **5** he predestined us to be adopted as his sons through Jesus Christ, in accordance with his pleasure and will— **6** to the praise of his glorious grace, which he has freely given us in the One he loves. **7** In him we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, in accordance with the riches of God's grace **8** that he lavished on us with all wisdom and understanding. - (NIV84)

**Friday: 2 Corinthians 8:13** Our desire is not that others might be relieved while you are hard pressed, but that there might be equality. **14** At the present time your plenty will supply what they need, so that in turn their plenty will supply what you need. Then there will be equality, **15** as it is written: "He who gathered much did not have too much, and he who gathered little did not have too little." - (NIV84)

**Saturday: Psalms 102:12** But you, O Lord, sit enthroned forever; your renown endures through all generations. **13** You will arise and have compassion on Zion, for it is time to show favor to her; the appointed time has come. **14** For her stones are dear to your servants; her very dust moves them to pity. **15** The nations will fear the name of the Lord, all the kings of the earth will revere your glory. **16** For the Lord will rebuild Zion and appear in his glory. - (NIV84)

### The Father gave us Christ the Son, full of grace and truth

The word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth. John testifies concerning him. He cries out, saying, "This was he of whom I said, 'He who comes after me has surpassed me because he was before me.'" From the fullness of his grace we have all received one blessing after another.

John 1:14-16 (NIV)

**Sunday 19 April 2015**  
**Service Moderator: Deacon Jonas Chongo**  
**Preacher: Pastor Helmut Reutter**

**Acts 10:34** Then Peter began to speak: "I now realize how true it is that God does not show favoritism **35** but accepts men from every nation who fear him and do what is right. **36** You know the message God sent to the people of Israel, telling the good news of peace through Jesus Christ, who is Lord of all. **37** You know what has happened throughout Judea, beginning in Galilee after the baptism that John preached— **38** how God anointed Jesus of Nazareth with the Holy Spirit and power, and how he went around doing good and healing all who were under the power of the devil, because God was with him. - (NIV84)

**Luke 2:13** Suddenly a great company of the heavenly host appeared with the angel, praising God and saying, **14** "Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to men on whom his favor rests." - (NIV84)

#### No favouritism but favour!

1. God does not show favouritism towards man
2. Peace to men on whom his favour rests
3. God has shown favour to all of mankind
4. We all are served by a host of grace carriers
5. Understanding the principle of equality

### ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Today:** Second Service: Snapshot in the Book of Esther (dramatised) 11:00 hrs  
**22 April** Wednesday Bible Study: Listen To Him - Experience the Word of God! 18:00 hrs  
**7-9 May** Leadership Consultation - Meeting of the Sons of the House  
**10 May** Mother's Special Fellowship: A special surprise for our mothers!  
 VISIT the Senior Pastor on [www.helmutreutter.com](http://www.helmutreutter.com) - Insights into the Word of God!

### Regular Meetings

**WEDNESDAY** 18:00 hrs Listen To Him: Our weekly Bible Study  
**THURSDAY** 17:30 hrs Home Fellowship Meetings in various locations  
**SATURDAY** 14:00 hrs Choir Practice  
 14:00 hrs Genesis New Breed  
**SUNDAY** 08:30 & 11:30 hrs Sunday Service  
 15:00 hrs Youth Meeting  
 Other activities will be announced.

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