



THE SCRIBE

OUR VISION

To See the Nations Discipled.

OUR MISSION

To bring people to Christ and membership of His family, develop them to Christ-like maturity, and equip them for their ministry and life mission in the world.

FOCUS 2026: “DO BUSINESS TILL I COME” - LUKE 19:13

FOCUS JULY: “BUILDING DISCIPLES”

BUILDING PEOPLE IN CHRIST

By Mr. Emmanuel Ononge

Perhaps yesterday you woke up early in the morning and had your personal devotion before your family joined you. You dropped your children off at school and blessed them. You later dropped your spouse off at her workplace and blessed her as well.

After that, you drove to the office, where you said a short prayer on arrival, another at lunchtime, and one more when you left to pick up your spouse and children before heading home. You had a family altar before supper and then went to bed.

Perhaps this was your routine yesterday, is your routine today, and may remain so for years. Yet you are still exposed to the greatest threat to Christianity. Single or married, no Christian is exempt.

1. How have you used all the authority in Jesus' last recorded words, which should be your first command? Have you made disciples of all nations?
2. Why are you still here and not in heaven? Isn't heaven ready, and your house there too?
3. Are you just a believer or a disciple?

These are the questions and food for thought from the sermon by Deacon Paul Wabwire Wafula.

Jesus is the Word of God in the flesh. You cannot have a relationship with Jesus without reading the Word of God, because "Man shall not live by bread alone, but by every word that proceeds from the mouth of God" (Matthew 4:4).

"The Bible says, 'You have magnified Your word above all Your name' (Psalm 138:2). Jesus also said, 'Heaven and earth will pass away, but My words will by no means pass away' (Matthew 24:35). Believers, are you abiding in God's Word? Are you reading it daily?"



If you're not feeding your spirit, then you're not growing. God has given us everything we need for life and godliness. We fail to live as kings and priests when we remain children, behave like children, and do childish things. Hear God's Word. It will renew your mind, and then you will live like a man or woman of God. We must go to all nations!

After that, we must lead people of these nations to make the decision to be baptized. Baptism is about acquiring the identity of Jesus Christ when believers place their faith in Him.

It's no longer about becoming a disciple of a rabbi by identifying with him and seeking his approval, but about identifying with and acquiring the identity of Christ.

Like the disciples, we are mandated to teach God's Word. For the three and a half years they walked with Jesus, they did not carry notebooks but used their ears.

The Bible says our ears "taste" words the way our palate tastes bread. Take heed to what you hear, for with the measure you hear, it will be measured back to you, and from the one who has little, even what he has will be taken away (Mark 4).

Grow in faith by hearing the Word of God, because it discerns your thoughts and the intentions of your heart. It will speak into your own context, as long as you are good soil that receives and accepts God's Word, and then you will bear fruit.

"The greatest threat to Christianity is Christians wanting to sneak into heaven without ever sharing their faith."

Is that you? Are you the greatest threat?

We are ambassadors of Christ with the privilege and authority to invite others to be reconciled with God. Witnessing is therefore one of the most important factors in growing as a Christian. Speed up your growth today by feeding your spirit, and also by:

- Being available (Romans 12:1–2). Like Paul, choose to make your career one for the gospel. Remain a Christian even in non-Christian environments.
- Being prayerful, and you will receive direction.
- Being filled with the Holy Spirit for empowerment.
- Testifying. What was your life before Christ? How did you come to know Christ? What is your life like after receiving Christ?
- Starting from where you are, in your immediate surroundings (Acts 1).

The strategy is to win people to Christ, build people in Christ, and send people for Christ.

Let's get back to where we started...

As you go out this week, and for the rest of your life, everyone you cross paths with in the course of your normal routine is a candidate to win, build, and send.

Preach to the house manager as she prepares that omelet. Preach to the security guards as they open and close the gate for you. Preach to the people at your children's school, including the cleaners and caretakers; to your workmates; to the vendor at the market; or, like Paul, to the cab or Uber driver.

You do not need a pulpit to fulfil the Great Commission. Your ordinary life is already full of people.

We are full-time builders of people in Christ. There are no breaks for us. Wherever we go, whoever God places in our path, the mandate remains:

Win them. Build them. Send them.



ABOUT PAUL WAFULA

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By Emmanuel Ononge

Paul is a PK, a Pastor's Kid, and the second child of Pastor Nicholas and Betty Wafula. His brothers are Peter, Patrick, Phillip, and Patrobas. He is therefore a son of one of the founders of Deliverance Church. As we love to say, he was born, dedicated, and raised in church. However, he chose to know Christ for himself, and today he proudly preaches the good news of salvation wherever he is deployed.

My personal memories of him go back to when he led the Youth Ministry and introduced "lock-in" fellowships, where we enjoyed prayer and fellowship as young people. I also remember when he worked at Standard Chartered Bank and never spared words of wisdom whenever we met or talked by phone from the law firm across. Together with a team of young professionals, he helped bring different churches in the Central Business District together over a shared passion for ministry in the marketplace.

Paul is married to Diana, and together they have two lovely children, Alexis and Asher.

Paul currently serves as a Deacon in the Professionals Ministry at Deliverance Church Makerere Hill, the brainchild of P-Save and Inspire Synergy.

Paul is a career banker with over 28 years of banking experience. He holds an MBA from Hult International Business School, a Postgraduate Diploma in Project Planning and Management from Uganda Management Institute, and a Bachelor's degree in Statistics and Applied Economics from Makerere University, Kampala, Uganda.

He also holds an ACI Settlements Certificate from the Financial Markets Association, Paris, and is an alumnus of the Haggai International Leadership Institute in Hawaii.

He has previously worked in various roles within the Standard Chartered Bank Group PLC across different regions in Africa, the Middle East, and Asia, based out of the United Arab Emirates, Kenya, and Uganda. He has served as Regional Director, Risk & Policy Legal for Africa, Middle East, and Asia; Regional Operational Risk Officer for Global Markets, Africa; Senior Operational Risk Officer for Wholesale Banking in Kenya, East Africa, Zimbabwe, and Angola; and Head of Wholesale Banking Operations, Uganda, among many other significant positions.

Paul is also the President and Founder of Inspire Synergy, which started as a network of marketplace fellowships in Kampala and is now influencing leaders across Africa and the Diaspora. Its focus is raising a generation of effective, transformational leaders from Africa for the global marketplace. Inspire is also an institutional member of the Uganda Christian Lawyers Fellowship (UCLF).

Paul also serves on the Board of the Infectious Diseases Research Collaboration (IDRC).

In June 2023, he joined Equity Group Holdings as Group Director for Internal Controls and Compliance, where he oversees first-line risk management across the Banking, Insurance, and Technology Groups, as well as the Foundation.

Paul is passionate about the gospel of Jesus Christ and about raising a generation of effective leaders in the marketplace who will transform the continent of Africa. He is part of the Inuka Africa Apostolic Team, where he serves as Treasurer.

When he is not in the bank demystifying enterprise risk and controls, it is not uncommon to find Paul in a school or online, discipling and mentoring young people in both the ways of God and general life skills. He is also the Founder and Leader of a Weekly Cyber Fellowship, an online fellowship for professionals, where he leads Discipleship for Deployment to help them dominate the spheres of influence to which they have been called.

He is also a passionate Bible reader and Bible-reading advocate, having read through the Bible over 36 times in the past 15 years.

It was an honor to have him in Uganda to share the Word and his life's testimony. He encouraged all of us to share our life's testimony as we make disciples of all nations in the places God has sent us to. Catch the complete sermon on the Deliverance Church Makerere Hill YouTube channel.



TO THE PROFESSIONALS

By Pr. Nobert Tugume

The Lord is saying He's Emmanuel to you.
Do not fret, do not fear.

The enemy has targeted you to take you out
in the marketplace, but do not fear because
the Lord is fighting for you.

You don't have to see or hear the roar of the
lion to know that you're under attack.
Sometimes the enemy conceals himself like
ticks and fleas, but the Lord is destroying
demonic, covenantal, and ancestral ticks in
the name of Jesus.

PSALM 23

By Mrs. Olive Okiru

The Lord wants to be a Shepherd to our
lives. Wherever you go, may the Lord lead
you so that you may do that which He
wants you to do.

A CALL TO SEEK GOD

From the Congregation

Seek ye first the Kingdom of God and His
righteousness, and all these things will be
added unto you.

We get stressed out about things that will be
added unto us, but we need to purpose to
seek the Lord in all our endeavors.

A DREAM

By Deacon Godfrey Tumustime

I saw someone in bed with a very big tick on
his side. It appeared as if the person was
familiar with the situation and did not care.

I stepped on the tick, and it produced many
fleas. I battled the fleas one by one while
others were escaping. I wondered how a tick
could produce fleas.

One of us is familiar with such a situation,
where he/she has multiple enemies,
demons, or problems. In retrospect, I
wished I had burnt the tick and trampled
upon it.

Let's check ourselves. Do not compromise.

CAUTION FROM ELDER

Elder Paul Luguza

Let's not ignore the play on words.

Tick: Ticket

You've allowed an entry of the enemy to
drink and draw from you.

Flea: Flee

You always stand and enter situations
where your enemy causes you to flee.

That means that there's a legal right for the
enemy to suck away life, graces,
opportunities, etc., from you. But there's
authority to tear that out, to deal with every
spirit that causes scattering, even the one
that scatters men from their altars!

THE CALL TO RISE UP!

By Elder Paul Luguza

When your enemy rises up and there is an anointing on the inside of you, like David, you're not going to think of yourself like a grasshopper. You're going to realize that your enemy is under your feet. For greater is He that is in you than he that is in the world.

When your enemy rises up and there is fire on the inside of you, you realize that you were made for a time such as this. This is not a time to cower down, but a time to rise up.

There was a prophet called Balaam, and he was told to curse Israel.

Numbers 23:16–22 NKJV

16 Then the LORD met Balaam, and put a word in his mouth, and said, "Go back to Balak, and thus you shall speak."

17 So he came to him, and there he was, standing by his burnt offering, and the princes of Moab were with him. And Balak said to him, "What has the LORD spoken?"

18 Then he took up his oracle and said:

"Rise up, Balak, and hear!
Listen to me, son of Zippor!

19 "God is not a man, that He should lie,
Nor a son of man, that He should repent.
Has He said, and will He not do?
Or has He spoken, and will He not make it good?

20 Behold, I have received a command to bless;
He has blessed, and I cannot reverse it.

21 "He has not observed iniquity in Jacob,
Nor has He seen wickedness in Israel.
The LORD his God is with him,
And the shout of a King is among them.

22 God brings them out of Egypt;
He has strength like a wild ox.

23 "For there is no sorcery against Jacob,
Nor any divination against Israel.
It now must be said of Jacob
And of Israel, 'Oh, what God has done!'

24 Look, a people rises like a lioness,
And lifts itself up like a lion;
It shall not lie down until it devours the prey,
And drinks the blood of the slain."

25 Then Balak said to Balaam, "Neither curse them at all, nor bless them at all!"

26 So Balaam answered and said to Balak, "Did I not tell you, saying, 'All that the LORD speaks, that I must do'?"

27 Then Balak said to Balaam, "Please come, I will take you to another place; perhaps it will please God that you may curse them for me from there."

28 So Balak took Balaam to the top of Peor, that overlooks the wasteland.

29 Then Balaam said to Balak, "Build for me here seven altars, and prepare for me here seven bulls and seven rams."

The shout of Yahweh! The heavens are watching altars today, and this is one of the altars being watched. An angelic host comes down and watches for faith, consistency, and those who will rise up.

As we rise up, we are making a decree over the nation: that every altar trying to raise itself in strength through innocent blood will not have a voice in this nation.

There's a shout in this place, and it's the shout of the King! No divination, no tongue that is raised up in judgment will prevail over us!

FRESH SPRINGS FROM THE ALTAR

By Pastor Nobert Tugume

There are fresh springs flowing from the Church altar. Tap into them.

Fresh springs represent battles ceasing, and a move of God you have not experienced before — one that is not easily contaminated. They come by revelation.

Living water must flow from each one of us to bring His healing — revelatory, mindset, spiritual, and physical healing. Ask the Lord to flow through you, that gifting and creativity may flow.

If you have given up on yourself, know this: there are fresh springs flowing. Springs usually break forth from underneath, out of rocks and difficult situations. Connect with the fresh move of the Holy Spirit. Decree it over you, your family, your work, and the nation.

GOD IS BRINGING A SHAKING!

By Mr. Levi Sabila

I hear in my spirit: *"In a situation where everything looks normal in My church — where thieves come and go the same, and witch doctors sit in the background — what do I do?"*

The Lord answered: *"I am bringing a shaking to the Church. There will be such a shaking that those who live by the Word of God shall stand. It shall be true that man shall not live on bread alone. Not by power nor by might, but by My Spirit. I will shake the Church until My revelation is known. Until My Church knows who I am. Until they wake up from the ordinary. I display My glory in the supernatural. If there are no supernatural works, then it is not My Church. I am a supernatural God!"*

"I am bringing a shaking," says God.

WREATHS TO GARLANDS

By Pastor Stephen Ochola

I sense that there are people dealing with death. These deaths may be physical, or they may be the death of missions, visions, relationships, projects, transactions, friendships, etc.

I have been battling with the image of a pile of wreaths, flowers arranged in a circle. I feel many people have come today to lay wreaths on things.

But the Lord says that it is only His goodness that will turn wreaths into garlands.

A garland is the same circle of flowers as a wreath, but this time, it is a symbol of celebration, placed around your neck.

Only God can say, "My goodness is here to meet your wreath and change it into a garland of flowers."

The Lord is going to celebrate you out of your death situation, and you must not miss the moment.

Your death situation is going to become a situation of celebration, life, restoration, and being first and not last.

Death has no place in your life!

By Elder Paul Luguza

I am here to confirm the song that says, "Glory, honor, and power belong to God."

Glory was found in Jesus even in the grave, when He went to hell. Glory is not something you pick up in the streets. It is hidden in your shame, your pain, the mountain and the giant before it, and in that dead situation. The Lord is uncovering it to release a testimony and to place on you a crown that says:

"I came from brokenness, but I have broken through. From my shame, poverty, pain, and failed attempts, I have a testimony of glory."

This glory is the crown you lay down at His feet and say, "All glory, honor, and praise belong to our God!"

There is a revival coming to this nation. There are people whose personal struggle represents the struggle of this nation. They are being hit with real bullets, not the fake ones you see in movies. When they overcome those bullets, they will testify that the Lord reigns.

The revival in this nation will come out of the war against the deepest altars in the land, the South. The Lord is stirring up the wells of the East African Revival again.

After Years of Addiction, David Is Rebuilding His Life Piece by Piece

As told to Mr. Dismas Nuwaine

My name is Kwesiga David. I am 30 years old. I come from Rukungiri District. I am Muhororo by tribe.

I am a double orphan.

For 14 to 15 years, addiction was my life. Alcohol in the morning to start the day. Cigarettes to kill hunger. Weed to forget. And “jet fuel,” the chemical that burns your nose and steals your mind, to keep myself from worrying.

Because of drugs, I left school. I ran away from home. The streets of Kampala became my home. I slept in verandas, in markets, anywhere with a roof. I ate what I could find. I lost friends. I lost years. I thought the streets would be my grave.



David Kwesiga with Christine Walubo, ED Pendeza Uganda

The Breaking Point

The lowest day was when I looked in a broken mirror and didn't recognize myself. My clothes were torn. My eyes were red. My family was gone. My future was gone.

I said to myself, “David, if you continue like this, you will die here.”

But I had no strength to stop alone. I needed help.

The Hand of God

But God was not done with me.

I thank God for Deliverance Church Makerere Hill. That's where I met Uncle Fred. He didn't see a “drug addict.” He saw David. He told me, “Son, everything is possible. Even at 30, you can go back to school.”

While we were planning, God sent Auntie Christine. A mother with a big heart. I sat with her and told her everything. How addiction had stolen my life. She didn't shout. She didn't judge. She picked up her phone and called Doctor Biraba at Butabika Hospital. He said, “Bring him.”

The Healing

I spent one week at Butabika. It was hard. But it was the first time in years that I slept without drugs.

After one week, the doctors told Auntie Christine and Uncle Fred, “He needs Christian rehab.”

So they took me to Teen Challenge Uganda in Kiwatule.

One full year. One year of prayer, Bible, work, counseling, and learning discipline.

In Teen Challenge, I learned two things:

That I am not my past.

That God can restore anything.

I cried many nights. I also laughed again. I got my mind back.

The Comeback

When I finished rehab, God opened doors.

Today, by His grace, I am back in school. I study at Makerere Day and Evening Classes for Adults. I have finished my first semester, and I am now in my second semester.

I also have a house to sleep in. A bed that is mine.

My new dream is big: I want to become a specialist in computer technology. From “jet fuel” to “Java code.” From the streets to the keyboard.

I will never forget the people God used: Deliverance Church Makerere Hill, Pastor Norbert, the Munanukye family, Pendeza Uganda with Auntie Christine, Uncle Fred, Afande Barnabas, and Uncle Robert.

The Challenge

I am in need of tuition and rent. If anyone is willing to help, please pass through Uncle Fred’s office or Pendeza Uganda.

This is my story.

I fell on the streets of Kampala, but God picked me up.

And the best chapters are still ahead.

More Than 7,000 Students Give Their Lives to Christ During the DC Mission in Sebei.

By Mr. Dismas Nuwaine

More than 7,000 students made decisions to follow Christ during a four-day evangelistic mission across the Sebei sub-region, where a team of ministers from Deliverance Church Makerere Hill Evangelistic team reached over 10,000 learners in 13 schools.

The mission team ministered in the districts of Bukwo, Kween and Kapchorwa. They visited three schools on Tuesday, five on Wednesday and another five on Thursday, before concluding the trip with a ministry visit to a family home on Friday.

The outreach was led by Elder Patrick Wandera and comprised several ministers, many of whom were visiting the eastern region of Uganda for the first time.

During their stay, the team was hosted by Pastor John Chemonges of DC Entebbe and his wife, Erina Chemonges, at their home in Kapchorwa.

As part of the visit, the team also toured the National High Altitude Training Facility in Kapchorwa, renowned for preparing many of Uganda's elite long-distance athletes for international competition.



Ready to Run Discipleship Training is Underway at DC Makerere Hill

By Mr. Dismas Nuwaine

Young people at Deliverance Church Makerere Hill have begun an intensive discipleship training aimed at raising a generation of believers who not only follow Jesus Christ but also make disciples of others.

Organised by the DC MakHill Youth Outreach Department in partnership with Evangelist Mark Kolo of ACTIVATE, Ready to Run is a weekly program that combines in-person teaching with daily online lessons to help participants grow in their faith and put biblical principles into practice.

Held every Wednesday, the two-hour session is led by Evangelist Mark Kolo and his team. Throughout the week, participants also complete YouTube lessons and submit reflections before moving to the next module.

Mark Kolo, the Team Lead of Global Activation, has dedicated his ministry to mobilising the Church and preparing young people for mission work, particularly among unreached communities across Nigeria, Kenya, Rwanda, and Ethiopia. Through the training, he is equipping participants with practical biblical knowledge and a passion to advance God's Kingdom.



The poster for the 'READY2RUN MISSIONS TRAINING PROGRAM' features the logos for ACTIVATE AFRICA and Deliverance Church MAKERERE HILL. The main title 'READY2RUN' is in large blue letters, with 'MISSIONS TRAINING PROGRAM' below it. A subtitle reads 'A 5-WEEK JOURNEY. EQUIP. GROW. GO.' Below this, a section titled 'YOU WILL...' lists four goals: 'LEARN THE BASICS' (with a book icon), 'MAKE DISCIPLES' (with a group of people icon), 'REACH THE NATIONS' (with a globe icon), and 'LIVE ON MISSION' (with a paper plane icon). A 'PROGRAM DETAILS' section specifies 'EVERY WEDNESDAY 8:00 PM STARTING 8TH JULY', 'WEEKLY 90 MINUTES', and 'VIRTUAL SESSIONS'. A contact box provides 'FOR MORE INFO CONTACT +256 784 246 555'. At the bottom, a photo shows a group of people outdoors, and the text 'STEP INTO GOD'S MISSION' is displayed with icons for 'EQUIP', 'ENVISION', and 'SEND'.



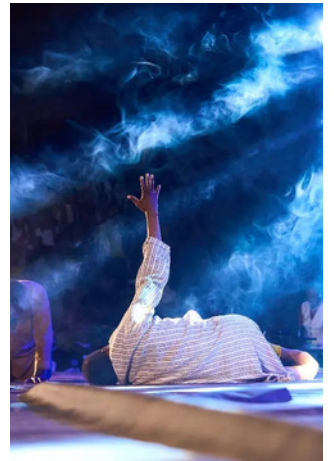
Levites Production Captivates Audiences with Powerful Message of Christ

The MTN Arena in Lugogo came alive over the weekend as the Levites, a creative ministry group with members from Deliverance Church Makerere Hill, delivered a powerful stage production that captivated the audience from start to finish.

Fresh from a successful showcase in Kenya, the team combined drama, dance, music, and storytelling to bring the Bible to life, culminating in one central message: Jesus Christ is the perfect and eternal High Priest.

The production's choreography was a standout feature, with dancers communicating profound biblical truths through movement alone.

The Levites' performance demonstrated the power of creative arts in communicating the Gospel, drawing the audience into Scripture through compelling visuals, worship, and drama.





ADiscovery Class

MARK YOUR CALENDER

- Daily Prayer Altars – 5:00am, 1:00pm, and 9:00pm
- Youth Fellowship – Every Thursday at 5:00pm
- Men's Breakfast – 1st August 2026 at 7:30am
- Child Dedication – Sunday, 9th August
- Pre-Marrieds Share Group – Every third Sunday at 2:00pm
- Luganda Discipleship Class – After the Third Service



One scene from the LEvite Production



Intentions to Wed - Carolvine Namale and Isaac O



A Time of Worship during the Service



The Church praying of MRs. Sarah Bongomin

LET'S HEAR YOUR STORY

If you are living out our theme, we would love to hear your testimony. Send submissions to: dismasnuwaine@gmail.com



Mrs. Sarah Bongomin leading worship

