



# Africa Needs U, Inc.

Praise the LORD, all nations! Extol him, all peoples! - Psalms 117:1

## Year of Amazing Love Transformation - February Praise Report

Saturday February 4th, 2012

### AFRICAN LEADERS ENDORSE MAJOR CONTINENTAL INFRASTRUCTURAL PROG...PIDA!!!

**Africa Prays** thanksgiving praise this last Saturday at Hope Christian Church in Beltsville, MD was a powerful session. An excited Rev. O. Paul Taiwo, the Executive Director of Africa Needs U, Inc., gladly thanked all who came out to stand in the gap for Africa despite the threat of rain and snow, and revealed that the African Union - AU, African Leaders, endorsed a major Continental Programme called a **PIDA**, a Programme for Infrastructural Development in Africa ([pls read link](#)); a plan akin to ANU's third Project the **Redeemer Man Plan** and end-goal vision called the **MIDA**, the Massive Infrastructural Development of Africa. He encouraged all to continue to PUSH and believe in prayer, that prayer and failure don't co-mingle. He compared the act of all who support Africa Prays to the parable of the persistent widow **Luke 18**, in encouraging all to believe that Africa is changing and that we have not seen anything yet, and to continue to PUSH and hope in Jehovah Rapha's healing power on the land. He called upon Sister Paulette Mpouma, who did a wonderful job facilitating the evening. Sister Toyin Oguntolu, gave the opening prayer and this was followed by a powerful Praise time by the faithful praise team of Sister Dola Ashamu, Brother Ben Joseph and Brother Solomon Ekwukoma who ushered in the presence of the Lord as powerful worship songs rent the air.



Ms. Glenda Ward worshiped God in dance to 'Oh Lord You Are Beautiful' by Michael W. Smith. Sister Paulette encouraged all to do something worthwhile for Christ. She assigned thanksgiving prayers to all present. She gave thanks for Black History Month, for all who sacrificed for this time to commemorate; Tata Nelson Mandela's good health and 22nd anniversary of his release from SA prison; progress for all co-laborers' in ministry n missions and for Gods grace on ANU's second project **Africa Ask**. Prayers were also said for God's continuous perfection of the spirit of **LOVE, PEACE, KINDNESS, FORGIVENESS, COMPASSION, SACRIFICE, and subset of LEADERSHIP, HARMONY, HONESTY, INTEGRITY, CHARACTER, n UNITY**, to continue to permeate throughout the land of Africa. Also prayers for the peaceful resolution in Nigeria and for tranquility, development n peace instead of bombings; Libya and Egypt and the upcoming presidential elections in Senegal. Revelation prayers for a divine encounter with the Lord for our muslim brothers and sisters, and prayers for the **Peace of Jerusalem** rounded out the session. Last year, the Spring Revolution swept across North Africa, starting in Tunisia through Egypt, Algeria, Morocco & Libya. In 2012, the Year of Amazing Love & Transformation brings the beginning and establishment of a new dynamic order in Africa. **All were invited to a Marriage Transformation Seminar on Saturday Feb. 11 at New Wine Assembly Church, 1515 Kenilworth Avenue, NE DC., from 4 - 7pm.**

A passionate solo dance ministration by Ms Glenda, to "Wonderful Merciful Savior" by Selah, led to a Violin solo of "I love You Lord" by Nifemi Taiwo's and then an exhilarating & powerful time of praise & worship with a medley of songs as **Do Something New in Africa, U R God alone, U Are the Lord that holds my...**, rounded out the praise time.

February Praise Report, by Rev. Paul Taiwo, was to encourage us to believe that truly, Africa is changing. Change however, must come first from our positive utterances as we know we create what we speak, so if we tear down by our words the continent will continue to be torn down, whereas, if we build up and decree progress and development then such will occur in our land. We must endeavor to be optimistic, seeing that the Lord has brought quite a number of us out of Africa to the West to learn and see things for ourselves, how things can be done better so we can return to do greater works in Africa to the glory of God. He was blessed and encouraged to see African Leaders endorse a **PIDA** plan for the continent, and he reminded all that ANU's end-goal vision, the MIDA plan, which envisages and proposes that development should be from the **rural areas out**, to impact most of rural Africa and make it desirable for people to want to return to back to the villages. Once you develop basic infrastructure in core human need areas of health, education, water resources, roads and agriculture, it will serve as a catalyst to drive agricultural and industrial revolution on the Continent, which would reduce abject poverty as well as urban migration and springboard Africa to attain socio-economic stability. Speaking from **Matt 7:7**, he again asked all to partner with ANU's Africa Ask and donate online to any of the 14 projects ongoing across the Continent. Donations can be monthly or one time as convenient. He enjoined all to remember to lift up Africa in their quiet times, as so much is happening around us and we need to remain steadfast in **PUSH** and not get distracted. Closing prayers was given by Pastor Cee Chongo, who prayed for God's blessing upon all present and for favor and grace on the vision of ANU. An awesome time of fellowship ended a wonderful time of Praise to our Lord. Alleluia!



Please join us in a **Monthly three 3 day fast, Thursday-Friday-Saturday leading to ANU's next Africa Prays on March 3rd, 2012.**

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**Praise the LORD! O give thanks to the LORD, for He is good; for His steadfast love endures forever! - Psalms 106:1**