



# Africa Needs U, Inc.



## Praise the LORD, all nations! Extol him, all peoples! - Psalms 117:1 Praise Report on Africa Prays for Haiti!!!

Saturday February 13th (re 6th), 2010

To God be all the glory for yet another wonderful time unto our Lord for Africa this month. Due to the blessed snow of the past few weeks, February's Africa Prays took place last Saturday, thanks be unto God for grace provided as we stood in gap for Africa and **Haiti** at Hope Christian Church in Beltsville, Maryland. Rev. Paul Taiwo, ANU's Executive Director, gladly welcomed those present and called on Evangelist Lewis Mcllwain, who led the opening prayer and welcomed the Holy Spirit into our midst, praying for God's grace and mercy upon **Haiti** and upon all present.

Again, Rev Taiwo, reminded all about the earthquake in Haiti, saying '**Africa is Haiti, and Haiti is Africa, we share a common bond in heritage**'. He then referenced our Lord's answer when told about the Galileans whose blood Pilate had mixed with their sacrifices or the eighteen who died when the tower in Siloam fell on them in [Luke 13: 1-6](#), where Jesus charged us all to repent of our sins to be saved. He further admonished us to remember Apostle Paul's charge in [Phil 4:6-7](#), that we should not be weary but be bold and strong in the Lord and that God's peace which transcends all understanding will guard our hearts and mind in Christ Jesus. A great time of Worship followed, led by Sister Dola Ashamu with Praise songs to scent the air.

Rev. Clement Bamgbade, the General Overseer of Christian Pilgrims Church in London, England, admonished all present that like Nehemiah, Africans in the Diaspora are some of those who will return back to rebuild the land of Africa. He encouraged all present to start something worthwhile that will have great impact on the people in Africa, **Haiti** and other areas of the world [Neh 1:1-4](#). Like Prophet Nehemiah, we should think and pray about what could be done to lift our countries up to a place of glory in God when we get the feedbacks from the respective areas. Rev. Clement also reminded us all about [Matt 6:33](#), that in all we do we should put God first and that all other things will fall in place. He encouraged Rev. Taiwo to be strong and not distracted, that ANU's vision is a noble one that will surely come to past.

Thanksgiving prayers were offered up by Sister Nozizwe Ndebele, who started by thanking God for continued grace and mercy upon **Haiti** and rounded up with prayers for Tata Nelson Mandela's life for good health and for the 20 years anniversary celebration of his release from Prison. Sister Seun Holmes then facilitated the February prayer points some of which are listed below;

1. Let us thank God and pray for countries celebrating independence day in **February: Gambia** (18); that Jehovah God will surely perfect the works He has started in each country.
2. Let us thank God and pray for success in planning, development and implementation of policies, programs and events geared towards the spiritual & physical development of Africa.
  - 14th AU Executive Summit, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia. Jan 28 -Feb 2nd. \*\*Africa Energy Indaba Expo, Sandton, South Africa. Feb 24-26.
  - Govt. n Developmental Orgs. to increase resources towards programs benefiting those in dire need and an increased desire for mission work especially among Africans in the Diaspora..
3. For breakthrough in development of qualitative education and health care delivery across the continent and increased generation of energy (power) and water across Africa to drive an explosion in economic development .
4. Thank God for continue destruction of idolatry and spiritual wickedness esp. in the land of Africa, and increased explosion of the spirit of love and peace across the land and globally.
  - **Haiti**: Better coordination of relief efforts especially food and water to get to most needy and for God to be glorified amidst all the interesting distractions.
  - Nigeria's President Umaru Yar Ardua, speedy recovery from ailment in Saudi Arabia and safe return back home.
  - Africa – Sudan-Darfur; Somalia; CAR; Chad; **Guinea & Guinea Bissua**; Madagascar.
  - World – **Haiti**; Afghanistan; Iraq; Pakistan; Israel-Palestine; Indonesia. \*\*\*The Peace of **Jerusalem**.
5. Thank God for Africa Needs U (ANU) and provision of resources for day-to-day operations and the planning and implementation of the [Africa Ask](#) project in the coming months. Thank God for all co-laborers as we implement all Africa Ask Projects across Africa and utterance and favor concerning [The Redeemer Man Plan - MIDA](#) project.

Please continue to help lift up these prayers and join us next month with family and friends, Saturday March 6th @ HCC, 4-6 pm.

After prayers, Brother Mathurin Lokpo, the Ivorian Guitarist, rendered two beautiful thanksgiving Praise songs for Africa/Haiti, **Alleluia Hosanna n You Are Magnificent Lord Jesus** both in French and English . A clip showing all faiths worshipping God in Port-au-Prince, Haiti a month after the quake was shown and Rev. Taiwo, reminded all present to be generous in giving, and that faith without works is dead. He suggested Samaritan's Purse and the Red Cross as organizations helping in the relief efforts that ANU has supported financially via cell phone text thru the telethon and that others could likewise support. A clip of the celebration in the South African Parliament of the 20 years anniversary of **Nelson Mandela's** release from prison was also shown. Brother Deji Taiwo led closing prayers, giving God all the glory for ANU's vision and goals, followed by lite refreshments n fellowship.

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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**