HOMECELL NOTES



UNLEASHING GOD'S POWER
PASTOR LOUIS HOLTZHAUSEN | 06 AUGUST 2025

ANNOUNCEMENTS - POTCHEFSTROOM

Dreamweek

- Early Bird Tickets
 - R280 per person (until 10 August, this Sunday)
 - At the church Info Desk
 - o Church office (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday: 08:00 to 16:00)
 - o Limited tickets.
 - Wristbands: Issued upon purchase. Please keep your wristband safe, as it is required for entry.
 - If you bought your tickets via Main, you will receive your wristband from Main.

Sunday Service

- 08:30 and 18:00, Dagbreek Estate (Next to Feather Hill)
- Every Sunday.
- Come expectant and with a friend!

ANNOUNCEMENTS - KLERKSDORP

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Sunday Service

- 10:00 and 18:00, Portugese Hall, Wilkoppies
- Every Sunday.
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WELCOME & CONNECT – ICE BREAKER

Welcome all members who are joining the Homecell.

PRAISE & WORSHIP

Sing at least 1 dynamic praise song and 2 intimate worship songs. As leaders, we set the pace for Praise & Worship, led by example and with confidence!

ENGAGE – THE WORD

This Sunday was an incredible one Pastor Louis opened by sharing, where we as a church are sowing financial seed to expand God's kingdom and see souls get saved. With that said let us discuss how we can make effective use of every opportunity given to us.

Ask the Members to:

- Share one thing that Pastor said that stood out for them.
- Share something they heard on Sunday that they are already putting into practice.

Read: 1 Corinthians 16:9

In this verse, Paul is explaining that a significant opportunity for ministry or spreading the gospel has presented itself to him, but it comes with challenges and opposition from adversaries.

Let us go through a few points we can take away from the scripture we just read:

- Opposition: Paul wrote 1 Corinthians 16:9 amidst significant resistance, reflecting his perseverance in sharing the gospel despite intense challenges.
- **Opportunity and Adversity:** The verse highlights that great doors of opportunity often come with substantial adversity, where the magnitude of the opportunity correlates with the level of opposition faced.
- **Embracing New Opportunities:** Paul encourages believers not to fear new doors of opportunity, trusting in God's provision and strength to navigate the challenges.



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- **Spiritual Battle:** The true adversary is Satan, who opposes God's work, but believers are empowered to overcome him, as he is depicted as defeated and under our feet, ready to be trampled through faith and authority in Christ.

Ask the members to share:

- When they had a great opportunity but there was huge opposition.
- How they dealt with the adversary they had to face.

Let us discuss more points, ask the members to share what they think of the following points made:

- Keys to Open Doors and Slay Giants: In 1 Corinthians 16:9, Paul speaks of a
 "great and effective door" opened for ministry, symbolizing opportunities
 that believers can unlock using the spiritual authority (keys) given by
 Christ to overcome obstacles ("giants") and advance God's work.
- Expect Fierce Resistance: As Paul faced "many adversaries" with the open door, every significant opportunity comes with challenges, requiring perseverance and spiritual warfare to push through opposition.
- Know Your Authority: Believers must recognize their God-given authority, as implied in Paul's confidence despite adversaries, to boldly seize opportunities and confront opposition with divine strength.
- Success is Critical for the Kingdom: The open door represents a divine assignment where failure is not an option, as the advancement of God's Kingdom depends on believers' faithfulness to fulfill their calling.
- **Fight from Victory:** Paul's resolve reflects a stance of fighting from a place of victory, assured through Christ's triumph over Satan, encouraging believers to stand firm and attack opposition with confidence, knowing they are not fighting for victory but from victory.

THE BATTLE IS ALREADY WON, FIGHT WITH GOD'S POWER!

WORKS & APPLICATION

The focus is now Christ's commission, to activate the Homecell Members in their places of influence. Find out from your Overseer or Zone Pastor what the works for this week are.

