FROM THE PASTORS DESK

Sermon preached by: Pst. Rose Nyakoa. On Sunday : 03rd February, 2019. Gen 5:21 -24 <u>WALK WITH THE LORD.</u>

The bible talks about how, in the old Testament , many people walked with God for many years and Enoch is among them. From the bible , Enoch walked with God for more than 300 years and had sons and daughters. It is not written what obstacles Enoch got in his way with the Lord, but since only a few men are listed as walking with the Lord then those who did not must have suffered obstacles. Your children could be the cause of your failure to walk with the Lord, your wife, your husband, your friends, your relative. Name them and the list is long.

How long can we walk with God, so that God can lift up our life? What is that which prevents you from this sweet walk?

There are four ways we as Christians can learn from the story of Enoch.

Be Humble

Enoch walked faithfully with God then he was no more because God took him away. Let us walk with God so that He can show us our ways . Let us have humility and humble ourselves before God ,so that he can lift us in all we are passing through. Consider humbleness as a tool to walking with God. Humble before all and God will write you in His book of life.

Repentance;

Let us be people who repent every now and then for it is sin that is separating us from walking with God; The Bible has told us again and again that "all have sinned and become short of the the Glory of God. Sin erupted from our forefather Adam and Enoch is a product of that sin Enoch However found favour in the eyes of God for he looked back at his human sin and chose Gods way. This action paved way for Enoch to walk with God for 300 years.

As Christians, lets us seek for repentance from our usual sins and seek Gods approval to walk with us within our earthly life.

Worship;

Worship forms the religious rites and ceremonies that we use to show our expressions to our almighty God. Worship is a desire, we cannot walk with God without worshiping Him. When the Bible says Enoch walked with God it did not mean that the two had a leg to leg walking. It simply means that while God is unseen Enoch wo0rshiped him tirelessly.

Let us worship him even if we are in times of trouble, let us worship him in anything we are best i.e. maybe we are not good in choir , we can worship him in other things.

<u>Faithful.</u>

Its not easy to believe or serve someone whom you don't know, but just put your faith to God for he will stand with you in anything you do or what you will encounter . Maybe you are passing through a situation that is difficult and you can't sleep at night- remember, there is only one person who can give you sleep and that is Jesus Christ but the sleep will come after you have put your faith in him. Let us have faith in serving God and seeking God's promises for everything will come at the right time

In conclusion, let us walk and have faith to God in anything we do for God's plan is the best.

Thank you for reading this sermon... God bless you all.