奈及利亞生命河靈糧堂 River of Life Christian Church in Nigeria

加入成為分堂: 2004年 5月 地點 Location: Abia, Nigeria (and other cities) National Director: Rev. Steve Martins 分堂: 共9間分堂 官方語言:英語



簡要介紹:

奈及利亞是一個多民族國家,居住著250多個族裔,其 中500多種不同的語言都可以認同多種文化,也是非 洲人口最多的國家,人口數排名全球第七,是一個宗 教多元化的社會,基督教和伊斯蘭教是公認的最廣泛 的宗教。生命河於2004年5月正式接受奈及利亞生命 福音堂 (Pentecostal Life Gospel Mission Church) 為分 堂。此分堂位於奈及利亞較偏遠的Abia省Aba市, 該省 歷史上的多任首長均是回教徒, 因此很多的政策都傾 向抵制或迫害基督徒。然而當地人民生活環境及生活 品質都極為艱苦, 治安也極差, 並且有很多的家庭都 在失業中。這個地方對福音和轉化有極大的需求, 求 神為他們開路。目前至2024年, 在Pastor Martins的帶 領下, 生命河目前已在奈及利亞境內建立了9間分堂, 並有多處固定的聚會地點, 同時也成立了非洲孩童之 家, 希望能照顧奈及利亞那些處於貧困、孤兒、被遺棄 或其他困境中的兒童。透過教導與關懷, 給予他們一 個安全、穩定和有希望的生活, 並且讓他們認識神。感 謝神使用奈及利亞分堂, 讓他們能觸及兒童與成人, 讓大家認識神!

Brief Introduction:

Nigeria is a multi-ethnic country inhabited by more than 250 ethnic groups, of which more than 500 different languages can be recognized in multiple cultures. It is also the most populous country in Africa, with the seventh largest population in the world. It is a religiously diverse society, Christian and Islam is the most widely recognized religion. Pentecostal Life Gospel Mission Church was officially accepted by ROLCC as a daughter church in May 2004. This branch is in Aba, Abia, the more remote part of Nigeria. Many of the province's historic heads of state are Muslims, and many policies tend to resist or persecute Christians. And the local people's living environment and quality of life are extremely difficult, law and order are also very poor, and many families are unemployed. There is a tremendous need for the gospel and transformation in this place, asking God to open the way for them. As of 2024, under the leadership of Pastor Martins, River of Life has established 9 branch churches in Nigeria and has multiple fixed gathering locations. It has also established an African Children's Home, hoping to take care of those in Nigeria who are in need. Children who are poor, orphaned, abandoned or otherwise in distress. Through teaching and care, give them a safe, stable and hopeful life, and let them know God. Thank God for using the Nigeria branch so that they can reach children and adults and let everyone know God!

代禱事項:

- 請為奈及利亞更多人尋求主來禱告。求神看顧這 個國家, 關懷其中的每一個人, 尤其是那些正在 尋找祢的人們。求祢賜給當地的基督徒智慧和勇 氣, 去分享愛和真理, 並以他們的生活作為見證。 幫助他們以慈愛和包容的態度來面對各種挑戰和 困難, 並在他們中間建立團結和和諧。
- 請持續奈及利亞傳福音的環境禱告,在奈及利亞 基督徒處境最艱難,仍然受到迫害,請繼續為整 個國家禱告,以至於教會能自由快速地增長。也 求國家內的基督徒,有愛心、有智慧地持續宣教, 讓上帝的憐憫、恩典及愛澆灌整個國家。
- 求神透過聖靈帶領所有分堂的弟兄姊妹跨越圍牆 ,找著那些已預備接受祂話語的心靈。求主打開 傳福音的大門,祈求弟兄姊妹有智慧的見證分享 ,今年能贏得更多人認識我們慈愛的主。

Prayer Items:

- 1. Please pray for more people in Nigeria to seek the Lord. Ask God to watch over this country and care for everyone in it, especially those who are looking for You. Please give local Christians the wisdom and courage to share love and truth, and to use their lives as witnesses. Help them face challenges and difficulties with a loving and inclusive attitude and build unity and harmony among them.
- 2. Please continue to pray for the environment of evangelism in Nigeria. Christians in Nigeria are in the most difficult situation and are still being persecuted. Please continue to pray for the entire country so that the church can grow freely and quickly. We also pray that Christians in the country will continue to preach with love and wisdom, so that God's mercy, grace and love can pour into the entire country.
- 3. Ask God to lead the brothers and sisters in all branches through the Holy Spirit to cross the walls and find those hearts that are ready to receive His words. Pray that the Lord will open the door to preach the gospel, and that brothers and sisters will share their wisdom with their testimonies, so that this year we can win more people to know our loving Lord.