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WIDOWS IN VALENTINE WITH JESUS

On 14th February – which is usually Valentine’s Day. We have a program for widows to mark that day considering the fact that they will not have somebody to share with. We tagged it: “WIDOWS VALENTINE WITH JESUS”. In the last two we have held, we had the privilege of ministering to about hundred (100) widows in attendance from different denominations. There were sessions of prayers and the preaching of God of the word of God. Eld. George Yakzum and Sylvia Nwantu J. and Rev. John Audu are Members of the Board of trustee that have featured in the program so far. Rev John Audu shared in the maiden edition from Ruth 1:20-21 on the Topic: “I WENT FULL BUT CAME BACK EMPTY” while Sunday Daleng the President of PENIEL

took his text from the book of Exodus 22:22-23. The message was centered on “WHEN LAST DID YOU CRY TO GOD YOUR HUSBAND?” There was eating and drinking. The Widows went home with foodstuff and wrappers (clothes); all widows went home with something and they were glad that they celebrated val-

entine and not just it but with Jesus Agape Love

Testimony

“I was invited to join other widows at Peniel. We received God’s word, and we were told that many of us have presented our needs to other people but have not presented it to God who is the husband to the widow; we were asked to go anywhere within the penile ground and pray over the issues bothering us. My request was for a nagging headache that has been with me for a long time to be healed, this the Lord did for me as the headache disappeared immediately. We were not only fed spiritually but physically as well. We were all given gifts of Wrappers, rice, Maggi, salt and soap. Since my husband died, I have not received such a gift. I thank God for that day. I thank God for Peniel. To God be the glory” Mrs Laraba Luka-United Methodist Church.



UP-COMING EVENTS

- **Peniel Experience:** 1st Saturday of the Month.
- **Peniel Retreat/Mega Praise:** 1st—3rd July 2016
- **Discipleship Meeting:** Every Wednesday - 4pm
- **School Outreach Mangu:** May 2016
- **Singles Outreach:**
- **The Godman Movie Outreach:** Every week
- **Widows Encounter:**
- **Pastors Retreat:**

COUPLES RETREAT

Peniel Outreach Ministry International has a passion for the families. It had an opportunity



to facilitate a couples retreat Organized by COCIN Bukuru Gyel. It was an exciting time of restoration and refreshment.

We give glory to God. Couples had time to reflect and discuss deep issues of life. There were sessions of Question & Answers and prayers, intercessions on behalf of other Christian families were offered.



Peniel Board Inauguration



Board of Trustees inauguration



Couples in session

PENIEL EXPERIENCE

The monthly peniel experience, which is one of the major activities of the ministry has always been a moment of healing and restoration. Attendance has been very encouraging. There has been various testimonies arising from our monthly meeting as a result of how God has been visiting us through His word from his servants and the prayers offered. There has also been positive response in people coming for counseling

and discipleship on weekly basis. There were other special programs like the new year prayer and fasting which comes up every first week of January. Retreat seeking the face God helped us to plan and efficiently implement.



A moment of reflection at peniel experience

PEACE BUILDING ADVOCACY

There was a partnership between peniel and SUBEB Plateau State to facilitate peace

Building Initiative for Christian Religious Knowledge (CRK) and Islamic Religious Knowledge (IRK) in Primary Schools across Plateau State. it was held in the three Senatorial Districts in the State.

they have the privilege to teach in their various communities.



This process was an eye-opener for all the participants and the conveners.



The participants were asked to integrate and facilitate peace as a basic way of life between them as colleagues, the children



“ It was a deep reflection between Christian and Muslims on how to facilitate peace in their communities”

TESTIMONIES

-I am bless by the gift of the Bible through Peniel.
 -The ways you preach, teach is really from the Bible and I learn a lot from it.
 -"My wife and I were so blessed with the discussions on marital issues and Christian home. Our home will never remain the same again".
 Tafawa Balewa

EASTER GOSPEL CAMPAIGN



Photo speaks-Gospel campaign in Bokkos



THE GODMAN MOVIE (TGM)

Through the partnership with OneHope International, Peniel has a complete unit for TGM; that means, we have complete equipment to show film and do film outreach and evangelistic campaigns. Pastor Jephthah Damwush and his team have reached out to about 27,280 people in 24 shows at different locations including part-

nership outreach programs by some churches, with 17,508 decisions recorded. Pray for the Churches that God will help them to disciple these fruits for the Kingdom



Viewing Godman film

PASTORS & WIVES SEMINAR

The Leadership development program have been held in four different locations within the period under review. Namely, Sabon Garin Mado, Ampang west, Bwai, igwaghwap and Tafawa Balewa in Bauchi state. while in Tafawa Balewa, the R.C.C Chairman in the person of Rev. Moses Gonam welcomed the peniel team. Pst. Sunday Daleng brought the opening charged taking his text from Isaiah 6:1-8. Titled, Is God advertising your position? This

charge leads to a corporate prayer where everybody prayed and re-examine his or her life again. This is a regular feature in all the centers.

Mr Victor Kuchili the second speaker spoke on "the TOPIC: "THE POWER OF THE WORD" sharing from 2Timothy 4:2-5. He pointed that Apostle Paul was admonishing his son Timothy to preach the word in season and out of season he also read other scriptures

Genesis 6, about Noah and 2Samuel 21:1 about David enquiring the cause of the famine and 2Kings 8:18. There was also another session tagged. "BREAKING THE BARRIERS" where husbands and wives.

Resource persons for Peniel leadership development includes, Rev John Audu, Rev. Dr Sylvester Dachomo, Sunday Daleng, Viktor kuchili, Wuleng Joshua, Innocent Usar.

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PASTORS & WIVES SEMINAR JESUS *CONTINUE*

"LIFE OF LEGACY" is also another topic that we focus on. This is a very critical issue "WHAT LEGACY ARE YOU LEAVING FOR THE NEXT GENERATION" Nothing has a meaning but the meaning you attached to it whether positive or negative. Another session that took place was EVALUATION OF SELF. Participants were divided into groups four; two Men's

group and two women's group. The point of discussion was LOVE. Aside showing love to each other, they were also advised to create time for rest so as to reduce stress and work load on themselves by delegating responsibilities to the Elders, Members and Up coming young people or the Youth.



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HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

The Peniel International Ministry started in 1987 but it was not known as Peniel then. It started with few individuals who had passion for the total man — holistic ministry.

In 2006, after deep and sober reflection, God impressed the name **Peniel Outreach Ministry International** in our minds, based on the fact that, the ministry is pointing people to the source of permanent positive change for life.

Our message is not just to save people for heaven but save them through lifes' struggles and challenges without regrets.

Most of our programs are done in collaboration with other ministries and churches, depending on the particular program.

BRINGING OUT THE ISRAEL IN YOU

CURRENT CHALLENGES

Inadequate Partnerships & Support from relevant groups, government agencies and communities
Overwhelming demand for services including counselling, sponsorship, trainings by our target beneficiaries
Development of materials to meet up with stakeholders' expectations
Continuity, sustenance and completion of programs and projects

THEMATIC AREAS

Institutional Strengthening:

Peniel builds the capacity of leaders and other opinion leaders for holistic development of our institutions and in the community through workshops, interactive sessions, etc

Peer Education: The Ministry aims beyond information sharing or knowledge acquisition but facilitates Life skills Education among young people; skills for productivity, living in harmony with others, and how to become useful to themselves and others in our complex society.

Family Focus: Peniel empowers families to live the values that place us in a strategic position to experience the life of a holistic man. Role

modelling in the families is the hub on which Christian living revolves. Hence, the need to build and live with this consciousness

Church Mobilization: Peniel has discovered that the Church is like the silver lining in a dark cloud (unseen benefit) if explored, it can be the best agent/tool for positive change in the society. But the body of Christ seems to be blindfolded with so many things that are less important, hence the Peniel initiative.

Children at Risk/OVC: Peniel doesn't see Orphans and Vulnerable Children as less human but

with love and compassion, she embraces them and equips them for better living today and tomorrow as well as sponsors their education and develops their skills.