



Dear Ruach City Church Family,

We hope you are well and trusting and rejoicing in our Lord Jesus Christ, even in the midst of the historic times we are experiencing as our nation and the world responds to the Covid-19 Coronavirus pandemic. We continue to look for God for Divine Clarity in this season.

Well-being of Our People is Important

The well-being and health & safety of our partners and friends is vitally important to us and so we have taken the decision that all Ruach City Church Services and activities will be postponed/cancelled until further notice, as we adhere to and follow the guidelines from the Government and Public Health Authority. The focus is to reduce and stop the spread of the virus by encouraging people not to travel unless it is essentially needed and limiting social contact.

Ruach Online Services

We have moved our services online and we invite you, family and friends to join us for our weekly **Sunday Service at 12.30pm (GMT)**, and our **Wednesday Evening ACCESS Life Application Bible Study at 8pm (GMT)**. You can access our services on our website www.ruachcitychurch.org, YouTube and Facebook. More information can be found on the covid-19 (coronavirus) page: <https://ruachcitychurch.org/about/covid-19-guidance/> . We look forward to you joining us and participating in our worship to our God!

Love One Another

We and our Leadership Team will continue to be doing all we can do to keep in touch with one another and care for each other as a church.

- **Prayer**

Our leadership team and Intercessors will be praying earnestly on your behalf, as well as for the community and the world. If you are unwell or have a need requiring prayer, please email your request: admin@uachcitychurch.org or telephone 020 8678 6888 – option 1, Monday to Friday, 9am – 5pm.

- Telephone Pastoral Appointments

If you are a Ruach Partner and require a pastoral appointment to speak to an Elder on the phone, please email: admin@uachcitychurch.org or telephone 020 8678 6888 – option 1, Monday to Friday, 9am – 5pm.

We encourage everyone to look out for one another as our brother/sister and to check in on those who may be more vulnerable. Please utilise WhatsApp, texts as well as phone calls. We do not want anyone to be left on their own.

As Christians we are not to be fearful nor panic but we are to pray to our Sovereign Lord Jesus Christ. Use this opportunity to read and study God's Word, remember God's promises, help those who are needy, and trust in God who is Almighty, our Protector and Covering.

Thank you for your help, understanding and continual support to Ruach City Church. These are not easy times but ones that we can get through together and come out as gold. Let's live wisely being careful, and at the same time, let's rest in the hands of God Almighty, who is working all things together for the good of those who love Him.

Communication

One of the most important things we can do is continue to communicate with one another. Official church communication will take place by updates on the Ruach website, social media and by email/text. You can download the "Ruach City Church" app from the App Store or Google Play.

Keep safe and well.

**"The LORD bless you and keep you;
The LORD make His face shine upon you,
And be gracious to you;
The LORD lift up His countenance upon you,
And give you peace"
Numbers 6:24-26 (NKJV)**

Many blessings to you and your family,

Bishop John & Co-Pastor Penny Francis

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