

## Sunday worship

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## WELCOME

We warmly welcome you, if you are worshipping with us for the first time. We believe you've become a member of our church family by God's grace.

Please ensure you speak to the Pastor or one of today's facilitators before you leave.

May God bless you richly (Amen).

## VERSE(S) OF THE DAY

Thus says the Lord: "Stand in the ways and see, and ask for the old paths, where the good way is, and walk in it; Then you will find rest for your souls. But they said, 'We will not walk in it.'

**Jeremiah 6:16 (NKJV)**

## THEME FOR THE YEAR

### Build and consolidate

### Nehemiah 2:12

*I slipped out during the night, taking only a few others with me. I had not told anyone about the plans God had put in my heart for Jerusalem. We took no pack animals with us except the donkey I was riding.*

## DID YOU KNOW?

**Every Sunday**, we worship together at **Unit 26, Skylines Village**. When unable to attend, do visit our website or YouTube channel for recorded sessions.



Sunday 22 March 2026

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*Redeemed Christian Church of God*

# Bethel

## WEEKLY SERVICES & MEETINGS

### SUNDAY

Thanksgiving / Worship service  
From 10am

### FRIDAY

Prayer meeting / Bible study  
From 7pm

### RCCG Bethel Parish

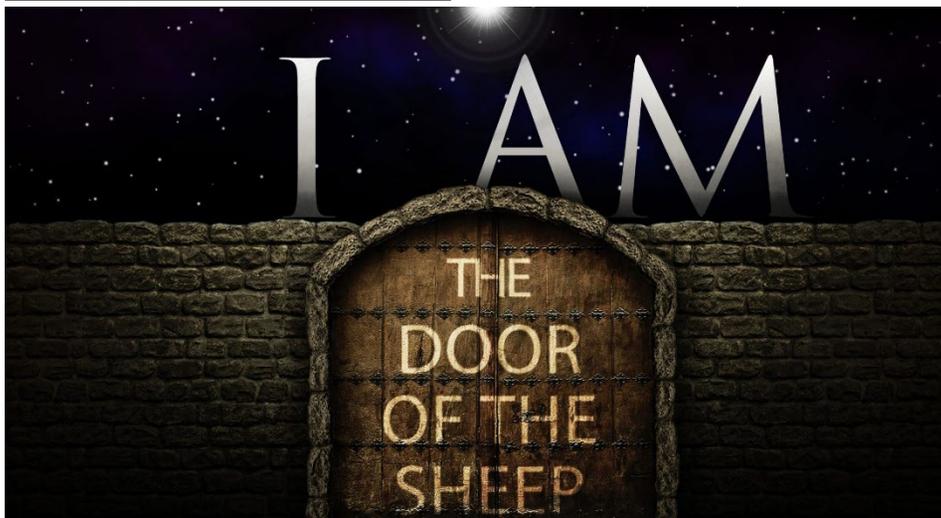
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Whoever enters through me will be saved, and will come in and go out and find pasture. JOHN 1:9

# Our 'must-visit' website



Our website is a treasure trove of information, and not only about our focus and mission. You could subscribe to our podcast or listen to past sermons too (<http://rccgbethel.church/sermons/>). This is particularly useful for when you are unable to attend services or for refreshing your recollection as an essential part of your private Bible study.

There's more! Details of events and outreach will almost certainly be available from relevant pages on our website and updated regularly, along with downloadable copies of our Sunday bulletins (<http://rccgbethel.church/category/bulletins/>).

So, why don't you set our homepage as one of your **startup page(s)** in your browser now? The following instructions for most of the common browsers may help.

## Google Chrome

1. Open the browser and the **Settings** menu (or the **three vertical dots** to the right of the menu bar).
2. Scroll down and click on **Advanced Settings**.
3. Select **Open a specific page or set of pages** under **On Startup**.
4. Select **Set pages** and enter or add <http://rccgbethel.church/>.

## Mozilla Firefox

1. Open Firefox. Press **Alt-T** on the keyboard and select **Options** from the drop-down menu or go to **Tools >> Options** from the main menu.
2. In the **Home** section, select **Homepage and new windows** and **Custom URLs...** from the field's drop down.
3. Enter or paste the URL: <http://rccgbethel.church/> or click **Use Current Page** if you are already on our website.

## Microsoft Edge

1. Click the **three horizontal dots** to the right of the top menu bar.
2. Select **Settings** and select **A Specific Page or Pages** from the **Open Microsoft Edge With** section drop down options.
3. Enter <http://rccgbethel.church/>. (Click the Plus sign to add more pages if required).
4. Click the **three horizontal dots** to the right of the top menu bar again to close **Settings** menu.

## FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

### *The Sheep Gate*

#### **Text: Nehemiah 3:1**

We'll be exploring five gates mentioned in Nehemiah. The Sheep gate is the gate of discipleship. The Fish Gate, the gate of provision. The City Gate may also be called the gate of the wicked place. The Valley Gate's the gate of tests or temptations. The Dung Gate's the gate of humility and the Fountain Gate's the gate of abundance.

Today, we'll be looking at the Sheep Gate. Why's the Sheep Gate the gate of discipleship. It's because Jesus is the gate and only those who come in through him will be saved (Jn 10:1-5; 6-11; 14-15). The concept of salvation's been confused over time, but it's found in no one else (Acts 4:12). We often talked about being saved after a confession. However, the whole essence of salvation is not about confessions or altar calls (Matt 28:18-20).

We're called to make disciples of all nations because being with Christ is what transforms us (Mk 3:13-14). Miracles happen, but the greatest of them is transformation; a life before and after Christ, revealed in total contrast, clear for all to see (2 Cor 5:17). If you haven't experienced a transformation, which gate have you come through (Matthew 7:13-14)? Examine yourself because you now have the opportunity.

Peter was transformed from a reed to a rock because you cannot build on a reed (Matt 16:17-18). Now, we're also the rock (1 Pet 2:5). Therefore, we must examine ourselves because we will give account (2 Cor 13:5; Rom 14:12) and it's not by obeying rules (Matt 19:20). Have you being with Jesus? Are you washed in the blood of the lamb? Is your garment spotless? Ensure you've come through the gate and received salvation.

#### **Bottom line:**

Ensure you're not deceived and living under false assurance. Seek to have a genuine salvation encounter and be crucified with Christ today (Gal 2:20; 2 Cor 3:18).

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