



ARC PICNIC '26

Bonded in Christ's Love for His glory



ARC@90: 2ND ANNIVERSARY LECTURE FROM MY LENSES

By Rami Baitie

The atmosphere at the Ridge Church on the evening of Wednesday, 15 July 2026, was very warm as all got seated, waiting for our august speaker.

The Vice President of the Republic of Ghana, HE Naana-Jane Opoku-Agyemang, our Guest Speaker walked into the sanctuary elegantly on time. The Police Band set us off with the national anthem of Ghana with the words projected on all the screens as if to invite the not too sure to join in singing.

I was a little surprised that this second lecture “Repositioning the Church for National Transformation: Faith, Education and Holistic Renewal in Ghana” was held in the sanctuary of the main church, and not in the air conditioned ARC Hall. Did it have something to do with security?

Very Rev. Dr. Abraham Boateng, the Youth Minister and the first speaker at the first Anniversary Lecture, was the de facto MC for the evening. He is a versatile public speaker, and is to be commended for his sterling performance that evening. Our own Canon Andrew Torgbor gave the opening prayer. The Ridge Church Choir then gave a rendition of “Lift Every Voice and Sing”, to set the tone for the evening.

Mr. Danny Mawuenyega, our Council Chair, was introduced by Very Rev. Dr. Boateng, and what a colourful introduction it was. Mr. Mawuenyega started his remarks by saying that, “Jesus Christ indeed works at other places, but He lives at the Ridge Church!” He spoke briefly about the church’s role in Ghana, and that we try to be involved in everything. He warmly welcomed the VP to our church, and then we sang A&M 360.

The Co-Chairperson of the ARC@90 Central Planning

Committee (CPC), COP Lydia Yaako Donkor, formally introduced the VP. She touched on the VP’s life work and how it made her perfectly suited to deliver a lecture with such a theme. She did not forget to add that the VP was a product of Wesley Girls High School (WGHS), her own alma mater as well.

The VP then rose to deliver on the main theme of the event of the evening. I must admit, it was the first time I had listened attentively to her. She has a very personable and engaging manner. She acknowledged our church very kindly indeed, and our 90th anniversary, thanking us for our faithfulness. She touched on the profound importance of the church in Ghana’s history. And she confessed that she was not a theologian, but spoke as a public servant, and a teacher.

She spoke on moral foundations, and how the church has always played its part in building the nation. The church is needed now more than ever, she said. Churches have always taken the lead in building schools and clinics, for example, sometimes even before the government.

The church works alongside statutory institutions on occasion, using its understanding of education very profitably. And therefore, “the church is needed in areas where the government needs support, the hardest places in fact: rural clinics, remote schools and prison ministry”. The VP had ideas about existing gaps and what the church can do to help government.

As the theme of the lecture suggested, she spoke about politics and the church, the Constitution of Ghana, and the principled engagement that would benefit the nation. She told us about her favourite passage in the Bible - when God walked with





It spoke to her about the position of authority that He spoke from, and how it was used to serve, concluding here that the church should always speak on principle, and not in a partisan fashion.

She compared 90 years ago when Ridge Church was born to now and remarked that the environment is vastly different now. She asked us to respond to the realities of our time, and that government would walk alongside in respectful partnership.

Drawing to her final conclusion, she asked the church choir to sing MH 413- "When All Thy Mercies O my God.....".

It was a good lecture, insightful, and congratulatory, without overdoing it. A non-political talk from a Vice President; great! It was perfectly timed too. Just about 32 minutes.

There was a silver collection after the lecture, and the Ridge Church Choir provided excellent music during the collection. The old girls of WGHS then sung their school anthem. We clapped for them and the Choir followed it up with another rendition.

The Council Chairman made some concluding remarks, thanking the VP. He said, "You have fed us, but we are not fed up, and we shall always ask for more." He then added, "Accra Ridge Church, we walk by faith, and not by budget."

A vote of thanks followed, from a beautiful old girl of WGHS, Mrs. Caroline Eleanor Berko, purely a coincidence, I was informed. There was then a message from our CPC Secretary, listing events for the quarter.

A special presentation of a portrait of the VP was jointly made by the Chairman of the CPC, Rev. Father Reginald Lawson and the Chairman of Council, Danny Mawuenyega. The VP was also made an honorary member of the Accra Ridge Church.

A limited number of group photographs were then posed at the front of the church, followed by a closing prayer by Rev. Frank Kissi, Presbyterian Minister.

The Vice President's late sister, Elaine Sam, was a member of the Tuesday and Friday Mass congregation. She is sorely missed. I think she would have enjoyed her sister's lecture.





EMMAUS DAY PICNIC

– By Vicky Wireko-Andoh

With Easter very much on our minds as a Bible-believing Church, a family picnic, named, “Emmaus Day”, was organised, putting into perspective one of the events on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ’s resurrection as recounted in Luke 24:13-31.

On that day, two men, one of them named Cleopas, were walking to a village called Emmaus, about seven miles from Jerusalem. Conversing about everything that had happened, Jesus came up and joined them. Surprisingly, they did not recognise Him until they got to their destination, Emmaus, where they urged Jesus to stay with them for the night.

At table that night, Jesus took bread, broke it and gave it to them. Their eyes opened then and the two recognised Him.

But perhaps another beauty of the Emmaus Day picnic was the fact that bringing families and friends together, it set out clearly for us the context of the 90th Anniversary theme: **“Bonded together in Christ’s love for His glory”** (Ps. 78:4; Col. 3:14).

So on April 6, at the Ridge Church School compound, the venue was beautifully set up as we bonded together, clad in either our 90th anniversary or church family t-shirts, we gathered as one big family for “a day of laughter, connections, games for all ages and warm fellowship”.

We definitely celebrated the resurrection with much joy and great vibes in our own Emmaus with the Lord Jesus Christ present in our midst!





SCENES FROM EMMAUS DAY PICNIC



WERE YOU THERE?









VICTORY CONCERT 2026

5TH APRIL
2026

ACCRA RIDGE
CHURCH, MANET

By George
Assiamah-Damti

Victory Concert: A milestone celebration of Christ's Victory through Praises.

The atmosphere at ARC Manet Branch, on Sunday, 5th April 2026, was one of joy, celebration, and deep reverence as the ARC Manet Youth Fellowship and One Accord hosted the fifth edition of the annual Easter musical concert dubbed, **"Victory Concert"**. What began in 2022 as a vision to celebrate the victory of Christ through music has now become one of the most anticipated events on the church's calendar - drawing worshippers together for an unforgettable encounter with God through songs, prayer, and the Word.

This year's milestone edition was marked by a beautifully prepared auditorium, vibrant stage design, and a warm atmosphere that reflected the spirit of excellence and worship behind the event. The church auditorium was filled to capacity as members and their families, as well as visitors, gathered in eager anticipation of an evening centered on the message of Christ's triumph over death and His enduring love for the Church.

The concert featured powerful ministrations from Henry Quist, Tokonila Helga Thomas (Teekay), the Youth Music Group of Accra Ridge Church, and guest performances from the Nations Hope Choir, Elvis Bentil, and Pastor Seth Acquah.

At the heart of the evening's offering of praise was a performance by the Victory Concert Choir — a contemporary ensemble made up of singers and instrumentalists from One Accord (ARC Manet), Virtue (Main Ridge), and the Youth Music Group (Main Ridge). Under the direction of Danny Grant, Music Director for Joyful Way Incorporated.

The choir delivered stirring medleys and worship sessions that led the congregation into moments of thanksgiving, reflection, and celebration. Songs such as "You Are God Alone", "Mercy", "Mercy Seat" and "Mercy Said No", reminded worshippers of God's sovereignty and grace, while beloved songs including "Anwanwado", "Enye Yesu Mogya" and "Barima Yesu", declared the saving power and unfailing love of Christ.

The worship experience was further enriched through heartfelt prayers and exhortations centered on the finished work of Christ on the cross, His victory over sin and death, and His sacrificial love for the Church. Worshippers were encouraged to live boldly in the confidence of Christ's triumph and to remain steadfast in faith and devotion to Him.

The evening reached a joyful climax during an energetic praise session led by Pastor Seth Acquah, where the entire congregation rose to their feet in dancing, singing, and celebration unto God.

It is worth noting that over the past five years, Victory Concert has grown beyond a musical event, into a platform for ministry and the nurturing of young musical talent within the church. Previous editions have featured notable gospel ministers including, Jennifer Kofi, Siisi Baidoo, Team Eternity, and Luigi Maclean.

As the ministry celebrates this important five-year milestone, we give thanks to God for His faithfulness and for the tremendous support from the Accra Ridge Church family. With each passing year, Victory Concert continues to grow in impact and excellence, serving as a testimony to the power of worship and the victory we have in Christ Jesus.



Scenes From Victory Concert

Thanks be to God
Who gives us victory







United in
one sound:

Jesus
Christ

is Lord.



Voices
lifted.

Hearts
surrendered.

Hands raised
in adoration.



A glimpse
of
heaven
on
earth.



Christ
proclaimed.

Hearts
transformed.

Sounds of
victory.







Women's Mini-Harvest In May

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP LED THE CHARGE

By Abigail Armah & Vicky Wireko-Andoh

Across all services at our branches, Sunday, May 17, 2026 was designated as Women's Mini-Harvest. The Women's Fellowship had the singular honour, by the grace of God, to lead the mini-harvest at Ridge, the second of its kind this anniversary year, to raise funds for the Anniversary Legacy project.

The leadership of the Fellowship at main Ridge, saw it as a special moment to gather as one family in Christ to lift our thanksgiving and sow generously into God's work. The opportunity consequently was used to call on all women of the Church to give cheerfully and abundantly, "as we honoured our Lord with our gifts of gratitude".

At the main Church, members of the Fellowship made it a point to attend all the three services (7.30am, 10am and 6pm) clad in their beautiful grey and blue attire and danced to give glory to God.

At the Tudu branch, it was a joyous occasion as reported by Nicholas Sarpong, a member of their Youth Group.

According to Nicholas, the Women's Fellowship took centre stage in the mini-harvest celebration at Tudu, leading a beautifully organised programme marked by joy, gratitude and a strong sense of unity as the congregation gathered to worship and support God's work. He summed it all up, saying, "The event highlighted the vital role of women in the life and growth of the Church".

The highlight of the mini harvest, according to Nicholas, was the 'Day Born' appeal for generous giving by members on the day they first entered the world, by God's grace. Congregants danced joyfully to gospel choruses as they proudly approached the offering bowls with their thank offerings.

Preaching the sermon, Brother John Ofori Amanfo Ankamah of the Tudu Church, emphasised the essence of unity in Christ's Church. He illustrated his point with a popular Akan proverb which says that, 'when broom sticks are tied together, it is difficult to break them up, whereas when one broom stick is taken out, it is easy to break'.

The preacher's message encouraged members to remain united and supportive of one another as they stayed committed to the beautiful theme of the ARC@90 anniversary theme, "Bonded together in Christ's love for His glory" (Ps. 78:4; Col 3:14).

To the glory and praise of God, all the mini-harvest offerings that day, across all the branches, yielded a bountiful sum of GH¢181,590.28. Members born on Thursday took first place by raising the highest sum of GH¢70,642.57. They were followed in second place by those born on Saturday who raised GH¢22,538.00 while Wednesday borns took third place with GH¢20,264.00.



Tudu Mini-Harvest In Photos





Women's Mini-Harvest At Manet

WOMEN'S FELLOWSHIP LED THE CHARGE

By Joyce Boeh-Ocansey

Under the auspices of the 90th Anniversary Harvest Committee, the Women's mini-harvest, hosted by the Women's Fellowship, received great enthusiasm and support from the entire congregation at Manet.

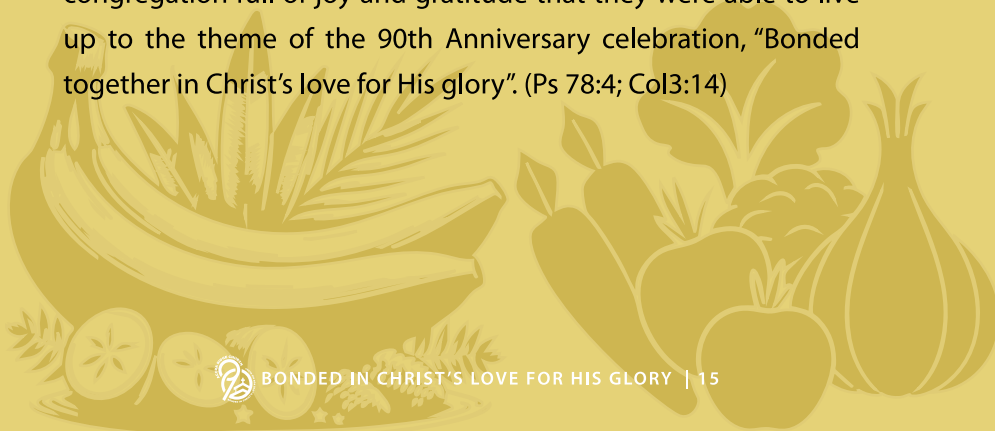
With the Fellowship's greeting: "In Christ, we live and move and have our being" (Acts 17:28), the tone was set with the hymn of praise from MHB 516 – "When we walk with the Lord".

May 17, 2026 was a day of bonding, thanksgiving and giving to the Glory of God!

We were blessed with the leadership of the Manet Management Committee led by Mr. Peter Illiasu and his very able team of co-chairs who steered the programme to a very successful end. The Minister present at the service was Rev. Fr. Reginald Lawson, Auxiliary Minister who prayed to bless the mini-harvest proceedings.

The mood of the mini-harvest was one of absolute joy and bonding by all members of the congregation as they danced forward joyfully in turns, per the day of the week they were born, to present their substance to the Lord Almighty.

The harvest was concluded beautifully with members of the congregation full of joy and gratitude that they were able to live up to the theme of the 90th Anniversary celebration, "Bonded together in Christ's love for His glory". (Ps 78:4; Col3:14)











By George Assiamah-Damti



The skies may have opened with rain, but the spirits of participants at the second edition of “A walk with Jesus” remained undimmed.

On the morning of Saturday, June 6 2026, members of the Accra Ridge Church congregation gathered at the church premises for what promised to be another memorable edition of the church's 90th anniversary health walk. While the early morning showers initially threatened to disrupt proceedings, they proved indeed that they were showers of blessings, ultimately becoming part of a day marked by resilience, creativity, fellowship, and joy.

By 7:00am the church's car park had begun to fill up. Some participants waited patiently in their vehicles as the rain fell steadily, while others sought shelter inside the ARC Hall, exchanging greetings and anticipating the start of the programme. It soon became evident that the weather would require a change of plans.

What followed was a testament to the adaptability and ingenuity of the organising team. Rather than allow the rain

to dampen spirits and ruin the day's activities, they transformed the ARC Hall itself into the venue for the walk, making full use of its spacious multi-level structure.

The turnout was remarkable; elderly members, young adults, children, and entire families came together, demonstrating the church's shared commitment to walking for improved health and community fellowship. There was a palpable sense of excitement in the air as participants prepared to begin the day's activities. We commenced with an energetic aerobics session accompanied by lively music and enthusiastic encouragement. Participants stretched, exercised, and warmed up together, quickly dispelling any lingering thoughts of the gloomy weather outside.

With the rain continuing, the walk took on a unique and memorable form. Led by the vibrant sounds of the All-Stars Brass Band, participants embarked on an indoor procession through the ARC Hall, moving from the basement to the second floor and back again.



The band filled the building with familiar tunes and infectious rhythms, turning corridors and stairways into pathways of celebration. Two complete circuits of the building were completed amid laughter, conversation, and spirited participation.

As participants returned to the auditorium for another round of aerobics, they found themselves at the center of media attention as crews from television stations including Joy News, GTV, and TV3 arrived to cover the event. Their presence underscored the growing recognition of initiatives that promote health, wellness, and community engagement within the church.

Soon, gospel music once again took centre stage. The brass band launched into some favourite gospel songs including "Asem Papa", "Mongyae me", and "God you're so good". These drew participants into an expansive dance circle. Young and old alike joined in, creating a joyful spectacle of movement, music, and fellowship. In that moment, the rain outside seemed almost irrelevant.

However, the day's most memorable chapter was yet to come. To the glory of God, despite the persistent showers, members collectively resolved to complete the final kilometer outdoors. What might have appeared to be an inconvenience became an opportunity for adventure and shared experience. Accompanied by the All-Stars Brass Band and supported by traffic police officers and medical personnel on standby, the group set off from the ARC Hall into the rain. The procession started with a walk through the church grounds and moved onto the

surrounding streets before returning triumphantly to the church premises. There was something uniquely liberating about the experience. The sight of members and guests walking, singing, and laughing together in the rain, with some shielding under umbrellas, evoked a childlike sense of freedom and joy.

It was a powerful reminder that fellowship often flourishes most beautifully when plans change and people choose to embrace the moment together. Back inside the hall, participants welcomed a well-earned opportunity to cool down and refresh themselves with water, fruit juice, and fresh coconuts while the celebratory mood continued as

friends and families reflected on the morning's experiences and shared in the satisfaction of having completed the much expected walk to the glory of God.

The 2nd corporate walk with Jesus was more than a health walk. It was a celebration of bonding together in Christ's love for His glory.

Members' desire to continue the walk, despite the rain, simply lived up to the event's theme, "Continue Strong". But beyond that, the exuberance proved that when faith, fellowship, and purpose come together, no obstacle is too great to overcome.

We truly re-lived the words of the popular Methodist Hymn: "When you walk with the Lord, in the light of His word, what a glory He sheds on our way.....". The extent of the varied positive media coverage we received after the walk bears testimony to a beautiful fellowship existing in Accra Ridge Church and for which we will always give all the glory to God.





THE CHURCH OF THE
FUTURE

A WALK WITH Jesus

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CONTINUE STRONG







Musical Evening

- By Joyce-Boeh Ocansey & Gifty Anterkyi

The second Musical Night held on June 12, 2026, at the ARC Hall main auditorium was a night to remember. The weather was great and the ambience superb. By 5.30 pm, the auditorium was partially full but soon filled.

Inspiring music by Instruments of Praise, one of ARC praise teams welcomed attendees with music that expressed gratitude to God for His mighty works. Congregants were clothed in the various ARC-themed apparels to compliment the event. The flashing lights, the cool interior, and the indefatigable MC, Very Rev. Dr. Abraham Boateng (Youth Minister), set the tone for the evening.

The publicity for the programme piqued curiosity and expectations, stating that the evening would feature all church groups, guest choirs, and a "surprise group." The audience was certainly ready for this.

The evening started with an opening prayer and purpose for the gathering by Rev. Father Reginald Lawson, Chairman of ARC@90 Central Planning Committee (CPC) and affectionately described by Very Rev. Dr. Boateng as "Sofo Baakope, Mokobi nuu Lawson", the man with a swag, Father One, Reggie-at-Law, and the 90th anniversary chairman.

Rev. Father Lawson certainly did not disappoint. Among other things, he noted that the gathering was, "to share and shoulder the love that Christ has given to us." He emphasized that the musical night offered the opportunity, "to sing once but pray twice, share fellowship, not to show perfection, but be just as we are, come before the Lord to offer praise, worship, adoration and bless someone."

The purpose of the gathering was tied in with his reflection during the Easter celebration on the anniversary theme, "Bonded together in Christ's Love for His glory," which called believers to prioritize unity over division, extend grace in moments of weakness, and commit to one another beyond convenience. He further noted that the true significance of Easter was not only that Christ rose, but that through His love we are brought together, made new, and sent forth to live for His glory.



That spirit was on display throughout the programme. The performers of the evening reflected the diversity of the church community, including Sunday School, Youth Fellowship, Mission 50+, ARC Choir, Women's Fellowship, Sidepersons, Men's Fellowship, Widows Fellowship, Instruments of Praise and Praise Team. The groups featured members of all ages who were an absolute delight to watch and hear. Each group sang a hymn and a local praise song to the absolute delight of the congregation who were on their feet all night dancing to the Glory of God.

We will not forget the amazing solo performers such as Rev. Dr. Joyce Aryee, Karen Asiamah, Kwabena Aseda Anterkyi and Winifred Tweneboah Koduah.

Rev. Dr. Joyce Aryee's rendition of, "Osabarima", in her beautiful "golden voice" was touching and inspiring as she was joyfully backed by a cross-section of the choir. She set the tone for the night wonderfully. The Sunday School followed suit with, "How Sweet the Name of Jesus Sounds," using empty water bottles as musical instruments and accompanied on drums by the evergreen, Miss Amerley Ollenu.

The Youth Group then led the congregation in two inspiring worship songs that had the entire auditorium joining in. The choristers and Christian Service Group also delighted the audience with their angelic voices.

The solo performances were exceptional and in a class of their own:

1. Karen Asiamah sang Laudate Dominum by W.A Mozart
2. Kwabena Aseda Anterkyi's piano recital was Canon in D by Johann Pachelbe
3. Winifred Tweneboah Koduah also sang Voiche Sapete by W.A Mozart and Wo so by Ato Goode

The icing on the cake was the surprise, "Kwan Pa", an indigenous band who delighted the congregation with beautiful local choruses. It was indeed a celebration of the words, "Let everything that has breath praise the Lord."

The evening featured an equally important highlight when the youth choir introduced the full version of the 90th Anniversary song, composed by our Music Director, Mr. James Opoku-Agyeman entitled, "Bonded in Christ's Love for His Glory".

For a church which in the 1990s, had some members consider the "singing of popular choruses, clapping, and dancing as unbecoming of respectable and responsible Christians", we have certainly come a long way.

"Fill every part of me with praise,
Let all my being speak of Thee and Thy love, O Lord—
Poor though I be and weak."
All glory to God. "

It was a beautiful spirit-filled night of bonding through praise and worship that came together joyfully and ended with all congregants being filled with the glory of God on that historic evening.



➤ *A glimpse into moments that made the 2nd 90th Anniversary Music Evening truly special.*









PENTECOST FIRE

3-DAY
REVIVAL

Dubbed

theme:

**Revived and Empowered by
the Spirit for the End Times**

Joel 2: 28-29 | Matthew 24: 13-14

By Abigail Armah

Pentecost is a Christian festival which falls 50 days after Easter. It comes from the Greek word, *pen-ti-kos-ti*, which literally means fiftieth and refers to the 50th day after Passover. It points to God's saving grace and provision (Leviticus 23 and Deuteronomy 16). Significantly, it marks Christians' celebration of the ascent of the Holy Spirit on the apostles and widely marks the birth of the Christian church.

Historically, Pentecost is associated with the Old Testament feast of weeks (*known in Hebrew as Shavuot*). It is also known as the feast of Harvest or Day for Firstfruits (Exodus 23:16, 22; 34:22; Numbers 28:26).

For this reason, many Christians worldwide celebrate Pentecost with special services and prayers to reflect on the gift of the Holy Spirit. Accra Ridge Church was no exception.

A 3-day revival meeting was held at both Ridge and Manet from 20th to 22nd May, 2026 to herald in Pentecost Sunday, on 24th May, 2026, a day which was marked with healing and anointing. The theme was, "*Revived and empowered by the Spirit for the End Time*" (Joel 2:28-29; Matthew 24:13-14).

At Ridge, the guest speaker, Rev. Christian Feter-Tsormana, an ordained minister of the Presbyterian Church of Ghana, Centre Director, Akuapem Presbytery Prayer and Retreat Centre, Koforidua and Minister in-Charge, Asomdwe Preaching point, Koforidua. The 3-day revival meetings were interspersed with music provided by a collaboration of Instruments of Praise and Virtue, the Youth Fellowship Music Group.

On day one, Rev. Christian focused on the main theme pointing to the prevalence of spiritual attacks and false teachings at the end time. He therefore admonished the congregation against complying with the 'dos and don'ts' theology (don't tithe, women should cover their heads, etc.), calling for church militancy over church dormancy. He called for us to be united in purpose and focus as did the apostles in Acts 1:14 to activate God's power.

On the second day, Rev. Feter-Tsormana focused on Jesus' high priestly prayer in John 17 specifically on:

🔥 Preservation, an essential requirement as a Christian;

🔥 Sanctification by the truth against the onslaught of deception;

🔥 Unity, knowing that division would weaken believers;

🔥 Holiness, relevant for revival else it becomes emotional religion;

🔥 Spiritual strength; and Protection of His disciples and future believers.

He concluded the day's teaching with Luke 22:31-32, where Jesus prayed for Peter's faith not to fail a necessity in the end time since we are surrounded by a great cloud of witnesses, unbeknown to us. The session ended with a prayer time and the demonstrable manifesting of the gift of prophecy, prayer for healing and a period of ministration.

Even though the heavens had poured down rain hours prior, day three began on an impressive note with the highest attendance. Rev. Christian spoke on the topic, "*Being revived and restored by the Holy Spirit in the end time*" (Hosea 6:2; John 11:38-44). He used Lazarus' story to demonstrate the interplay between God's role and man's role in His miracle work of revival. God is omnipotent and can do all things, but He will not do everything because we are here on earth as His ambassadors. God rested after creating man on the sixth day and left the rest of the work to man. Thus, God stepped aside and handed over to man. This was also revealed in Lazarus' story. Jesus had revived Lazarus, giving him life because only God can give life (1 Samuel 2:6). But his grave clothes impeded his movement preventing his restoration. Hence, Jesus commanded to "*loose him and let him go*" to restore him. By this statement, Jesus assigned the action of loosening him to a human agent to bring Lazarus to his original position. God and man work together in the ministry of revival and restoration.

Secondly, the Holy Spirit's power is needed to work for the Lord (Acts 19:1-6). Holy Spirit baptism guarantees a victorious Christian life.



The Holy Spirit's power is needed to work for the Lord



David, understanding the significance of the Holy Spirit, prayed for God not to take Him away from him (Psalm 51:11b). Jesus received empowerment after His water baptism when the heavens opened and the Holy Spirit came upon Him to prepare Him to be tempted and commence his ministry. In like-manner, we also are the devil's target because we bear God's DNA. However, it is the baptism of the Holy Spirit which empowers us to bring about change in the end time.

Day 3 was crowned with a powerful prayer session and anointing with oil. Members left the service feeling empowered and charged; ready to face challenges.

Dr. Ernest Obuobisa-Darko reports that Manet's resource person was Prophet Francis Ofori, an ordained minister of the Global Evangelical Church in Ashaiman. Prophet Ofori holds a master's degree from Trinity Theological Seminary. He passionately leads the Jesus Movement Outreach, an interdenominational prayer group in East Legon. Music for the revival was provided by One Accord, the Manet youth music group supported by one of Prophet Ofori's assisting ministers.

Day One : Wednesday, May 20, 2026

Prophet Ofori spoke on the theme, focusing on the fact that the Holy Spirit has authority because He is one of the Trinity. He equated the role of the Holy Spirit to that of a Governor of a state by borrowing the concept from Myles Munroe. He said the Holy Spirit represents God on earth and thus, has authority to implement any directive from God. He admonished congregants to daily yield to the Holy Spirit. There were intensive prayers by Prophet Ofori and his team of Ministers.





Day Two Thursday, May 21, 2026

Prophet Ofori spoke on the topic, 'The Holy Spirit as a Person'. He mentioned the following personality traits associated with the Holy Spirit: He speaks (Rev 2:7); He helps in our weaknesses (Rom 8:26); He has a choice (Acts 13:2); He has intellect (1 Cor 2:10) and He has a will (1 Cor 12:11). He advised congregants to allow the Holy Spirit to manifest His will in their lives. Prayers were said for the nation, the church, families and individuals present.

Day Three Friday, May 22, 2026

Despite an earlier heavy downpour, members showed up their numbers. Prophet Ofori focused on the symbol of the Holy Spirit as fire. He gave instances where God appeared like fire. For example, the Lord appeared to Moses in the burning bush (Ex 3:1-5) and as a cloud of fire which guided the Israelites on their exodus. In the New Testament the Holy Spirit descended on the Apostles like tongues of fire (Acts 2:2-3). He gave many uses of fire. For example, for purification, provision of light and power.

There was healing and deliverance. Apart from a few instances where Prophet Ofori prophesied about the whole congregation, the ministration was on individual basis. Some people fell under the anointing. Every participant was touched in one way or the other and members of the congregation were generally happy to have been part because even though the programme went deep into the night members stayed on till the end.











The Choir's mini harvest

The Choir led the charge









ARC MANET BRANCH

25TH ANNIVERSARY

In Grand Style

By Joyce Boeh-Ocansey

Sunday, 5 July 2026, was a day filled with joy, gratitude, laughter and celebration as the congregation of Accra Ridge Church, Manet Branch, gathered to officially launch its 25th anniversary celebrations.

In her launch remarks, Mrs. Joyce Boeh-Ocansey, Chairperson of the Anniversary Committee expressed heartfelt appreciation to members of the committee for their exceptional dedication, careful planning and commitment. She also thanked the entire congregation for its support and enthusiasm as the Chapel begins this exciting Silver Jubilee journey. The theme for the 25th anniversary celebrations is: **“Glowing in Grace, growing for God” based on 2 Peter 3:18 which reads “But grow in the grace and knowledge of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. To Him be the glory both now and forever! Amen”**

As part of the launch, the anniversary logo was jointly unveiled by Rev. Frank Kissi, Presbyterian Minister, Mr. Danny Mawuenyega, Chairman of ARC Council and Chairman of Manet Management Committee, Mr. Peter Illiasu.

The first of the anniversary activities which has been delightfully named, “Sips and Bites” will take place on 12th July. Members will enjoy a warm time of fellowship over tea and delicious pastries. As the congregation reflected on how far God has brought Manet Branch, it was acknowledged that the Branch has been a beacon of hope within the community. Over the past 25 years, lives have been transformed, families have been nurtured, faithful servants have been raised and countless prayers have been answered.

The launch concluded with joyful thanksgiving songs and prayer. Members of the various church groups gathered for photographs amid laughter, smiles and the sharing of treasured memories.

While celebrating the wonderful journey so far, the Branch is also looking forward with faith and excitement with to the opportunity to connect, share stories and celebrate together.

A variety of meaningful anniversary activities have been carefully planned around three main objectives: evangelism; fellowship and congregational growth; and thanksgiving and church development. The launch was joyfully ended with refreshments by the Youth Group as they mounted a sales table of tasty treats and refreshing drinks.

The launch joyfully ended with refreshments provided by the Youth Group with a display of tasty treats and refreshing drinks for sale. It promises to be a beautiful year-long silver jubilee anniversary celebration as Manet Branch celebrates 25 remarkable years amidst the 90th anniversary celebrations of main Ridge.

With gladness in our hearts, the congregation looks forward to a season of glowing in Grace and growth for God.



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ARC @ 90 9 FUNDRAISING Categories



1. GEM GIVERS (GHS 50,000+)

Scripture: Exodus 35:27- "The leaders brought onyx stones and other gems to be mounted for the ephod and for the breastpiece."

Visionary builders who give sacrificially to beautify and establish God's house.

2. CROWN BUILDERS (GHS 30,000 – 49,999)

Scripture: 2 Timothy 4:8 – "There is laid up for me a crown of righteousness, which the Lord, the righteous judge..."

They give with eternity in view - investing in what will bring lasting glory to Christ.

3. CORNERSTONE PARTNERS (GHS 20,000 – 29,999)

Scripture: Ephesians 2:20 – "...built on the foundation of the apostles and prophets, Christ Jesus himself being the cornerstone."

Strong supporters who help stabilize and anchor the vision.

4. ALTAR BUILDERS (GHS 10,000 – 19,999)

Scripture: Genesis 8:20 – "Then Noah built an altar to the Lord."

Worship-driven givers offering their substance as a sacrifice unto God.

5. HARVEST PARTNERS (GHS 5,000 – 9,999)

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 9:6 – "Whoever sows generously will also reap generously."

They understand the principle of sowing and reaping in God's Kingdom.

6. GRACE GIVERS (GHS 2,500 – 4,999)

Scripture: 2 Corinthians 8:7 – "Excel in this grace of giving."

Faithful contributors who give out of love, not pressure - reflecting the grace of Christ.

7. LIGHT BEARERS (GHS 1,000 – 2,999)

Scripture: Matthew 5:16 – "Let your light shine before others..."

They help shine the light of Christ through their consistent support.

8. FAITH BUILDERS (GHS 500 – 999)

Scripture: Hebrews 11:1 – "Now faith is the substance of things hoped for..."

They give in faith, trusting God to multiply what they offer.

9. LOVE CONTRIBUTORS (GHS 1 – 499)

Scripture: 1 Corinthians 16:14 – "Let all that you do be done in love."

Every gift matters - these givers embody unity and love that binds the church.



ALL SUNDAYS IN AUGUST

 **DRESS CODE** *Sundays*
@ ALL services across all branches

02
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ALL WHITE
with a touch of
gold or silver

09
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**DRESS DOWN
SUNDAY**

16
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**TRADITIONAL
SUNDAY**

23
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**SERVICE OF
COLOURS**

30
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**CHURCH
CLOTH**

This August, let's bring colour, culture, style and unity to
our Sunday celebrations as we mark
90 years of God's faithfulness!

Let's make every Sunday a wonderful celebration as we
continue our ARC@90 celebrations! 🎉👏



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90TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

2026 CALENDAR OF ACTIVITIES: THIRD QUARTER

“Bonded in Christ’s love for His glory”

JULY

**LAUNCH OF MANET CHAPEL'S
25TH ANNIVERSARY**

5th July, 2026

**SIP&BITE BONDING AND
FELLOWSHIP SESSION**

12th July, 2026

**2ND 90TH ANNIVERSARY
LECTURE**

15th July, 2026

AUGUST, 2026

**EVANGELISM &
STREET WALK**

1st August, 2026

CHURCH WIDE SEMINAR

8th August, 2026

YOUTH OUTREACH

15th August, 2026

FAMILY DAY OUT

29th August, 2026

SEPTEMBER, 2026

FUNDRAISING GALA

12th September, 2026

Manet Branch 25th Anniversary Activities

GAMES DAY

19th September, 2026

FILM SHOW

25th September, 2026

SPECIAL WORSHIP EVENT

26th September, 2026

CELEBRATING 90 YEARS OF FAITH, FELLOWSHIP AND GOD’S FAITHFULNESS



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