



The 2nd All Africa Youth Congress

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Nairobi – Kenya

MORNING DEVOTION LITURGIES

Theme: Celebrating and Enhancing Active Citizenship and Pan-Africanism among the African Youth

Text: "But you are a chosen generation, a royal priesthood, a holy nation. His own special people, that you may proclaim the praises of Him who called you out of darkness into His marvelous light." - 1 Peter 2:9 (NKJV).

Leader: Karin Youssef, Egypt

Preacher: Olivier Lwebaze, CAR

1. Opening Remarks

Leader: Welcome, beloved youth of Africa! Today we gather as a chosen generation called not only to worship but to rise as active citizens of our continent. We are a royal priesthood, a holy nation, united in purpose and praise. Let this devotion awaken our calling to build a just, united, and vibrant Africa.

2. Opening Hymn

Let us joyfully begin our morning devotion by lifting our voices in praise with the powerful song "**Baba Yetu**," a modern arrangement of the Lord's Prayer in Swahili. As we sing, we remember that God is our Father, Provider, and Guide, uniting us as one people in faith, hope, and love.

Song: Baba yetu by Christopher Tina replace with: Baba yetu by essence of worship

Link: https://youtu.be/UteTq2HTtYs?si=ztMdPEmRzSBdD_B8

Lyrics

*Baba yetu, Wa Mbinguni
Jina lako, litukuzwe (xn)*

*Ufalme wako uje
Mapenzi yako Baba yatimizwe
Hapa duniani
Kama huko mbinguni*

*Kwa kuwa wewe Yesu ulipendeza
Utamilifu wote ukae
Milele na milele
wewe Yesu ulipendeza
Utamilifu wote ukae
Milele na milele*

*Malaika wakusifu
Duniani twakusifu
Hakuna Kama wewe Bwana
Hakuna Kama we Bwana (xn)*

*Bride: Tunaina, Tunainuka
(Twalisifu jina lako Bwana)
Hakuna Kama wewe Bwana
Hakuna Kama we Bwana (xn)*

*Baba yetu, Wa Mbinguni
Jina lako, litukuzwe (xn)*

*(litukuzwe) Litukuzwe
(litukuzwe) Litukuzwe
(Jina lako) Jina lako
Eee Yesu (xn)*

3. Scripture Reading: 1 Peter 2: 4-10 (NIV)

⁴ As you come to him, the living Stone, rejected by humans but chosen by God and precious to him, ⁵ you also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. ⁶ For in Scripture it says: "See, I lay a stone in Zion, a chosen and precious cornerstone, and the one who trusts in him will never be put to shame." ⁷ Now to you who believe, this stone is precious. But to those who do not believe, "The stone the builders rejected has become the cornerstone," ⁸ and, "A stone that causes people to stumble and a rock that makes them fall." They stumble because they disobey the message, which is also what they were destined for. ⁹ But you are a chosen people, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's special possession, that you may declare the praises of him who called you out of darkness into his wonderful light. ¹⁰ Once you were not a people, but now you are the people of God; once you had not received mercy, but now you have received mercy.

4. Biblical Reflection

5. Intercession Prayers

Leader: Lets pray!

God of justice, awaken in us the courage to lead, to speak truth, and to serve our communities. May African youth be bold in shaping policy, peace, and progress.

All: Hear our cry, O Lord. AMEN

Leader: As we gather for this second All Africa Youth Congress, we pray, dear Spirit of God, that you bind us together across nations. Heal tribal wounds, dismantle colonial divisions, and raise a generation that walks in love and solidarity.

All: Make us one, Lord. AMEN

Leader: Holy Spirit, breathe life into our churches and institutions. May a revival for Pan-Africanism rooted in truth, justice, and compassion sweep across Africa.

All: Come, Holy Spirit, come. AMEN

6. The Lord's Prayer

Leader: As one body, one Africa, one people under Christ, let us now say together the words our Lord taught us in our different national languages:

All Together: Our Father, who art in heaven...
(recite full prayer ecumenically and in unity)

7. Closing Hymn

As we conclude this sacred time of reflection and fellowship, let us lift our voices in a joyful celebration of Christ's saving power. "Tukutendereza Yesu" a beloved Ugandan Revival song unites us across nations and cultures, proclaiming with joy and gratitude that Jesus is Lord. In its timeless melody, we join a pan-African chorus of believers, testifying to His grace and victory.

Song: Tukutendereza Yesu (Ugandan Revival Song)

Link: https://youtu.be/v_K22rCtb-c?si=-dkvldye7Tv4TPRp

Lyrics:

*Tukutendereza, Yesu
Yesu Oli Mwana gw'endiga;
Omusayi gwo gunnaazizza
Nebaza, OMulokozi*

*1. Yesu Mulokozi wange
Leero nze wuwo wekka
Omusayi gwo gunnaazizza
Neebaza, OMulokozi (CHORUS)*

*2. Edda nafuba bufubi
Okufuna emirembe;
Leero mmaliridde ddala
Okweyabisa Yesu (CHORUS)*

*3. Nnaababuuliranga abantu
Obulokozi bwonna
Obutali bwa chitundu
Obulamba obw'obuwa (CHORUS)*

*4. nZe' Nnaategeezanga ebya Yesu
N'obuvumu ne sitya;
Eyanzigya mu busibe
N'okuwonya yamponya (CHORUS)*

*5. Neebaza eyannunula nze;
Eyamponya wa ch'isa! – ch'ingi
Yesu ankuuma ansanyusa era
Bulijjo y'ebazibwe (CHORUS)*

*6. Glory Halleluya
Glory to the Lamb
All the Blood, has cleansed me
Glory to the Lamb of God*

*7. Glory Glory Halleluya
Glory Glory to the Lamb
All the Blood, has cleansed me
Glory to the Lamb of God
Amen! Aameen! Ameen*

8. Benediction & Dismissal

Leader: Go forth, chosen generation! Shine your light, proclaim the Lord's praises, and build the Africa God we want! Amen.

All Together: Amen!

**Theme: Accelerating Sustainable Development in Africa Through
Fostering Ethical Leadership and Eco-Stewardship**

Text: “Do nothing out of Selfish Ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in Humility value others above yourselves, not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others.” Philippians: 2:3-4 (NIV).

Leader: Adrianally Sarobidy, Madagascar; Linda Stalonne, Gabon

Preacher: Reginald Robertson, Ghana

1. Opening Remarks

Leader: Welcome, dear friends and fellow stewards of God’s creation! Today we gather with hearts open to the call of servant leadership and faithful care for our environment. The Apostle Paul reminds us in Philippians 2:3-4 that our leadership must be grounded in humility, valuing others above ourselves and seeking the good of all. As we reflect on ethical leadership and eco-stewardship, let us remember that Africa’s sustainable future depends on leaders who serve with integrity and communities that protect the treasures God has entrusted to us, our people, our land, and our shared home. May this devotion inspire us to lead with righteousness and to care for creation as an act of worship.

2. Opening Hymn

Let us joyfully begin our worship with the song “**God Will Work It Out**” by Naomi Raine and Israel Houghton. This heartfelt anthem reminds us that even in times of uncertainty, God is still moving, still making a way, and still faithful to His promises. As we worship, may every heart be encouraged to trust that God is working behind the scenes, turning challenges into testimonies, doubts into faith, and pain into purpose.

Song: God Will Work It Out (feat. Naomi Raine & Israel Houghton)

Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch=URuIdVKk9U&list=RDURuIdVKk9U&start_radio=1

Lyrics

*Before I knew my name, before I drew a
breath*

He was making ways for me

*Now and every day, in each and every
step*

He is making ways for me

[Pre-Chorus: Naomi Raine]

When my heart is full of doubt

Feels like faith is running out

I've come too far to turn around

I know

God will work it out

One thing I know

One thing I've found, no, I know

God will work it out, oh

God will work it out

God will work it out

One thing I know

One thing I've found, oh

God will work it out

[[Chorus: Naomi Raine]

*God will work it out
God will work it out
One thing I know
One thing I've found
God will work it out, woah
Oh, yes, He will
Oh, things are coming together*

[Verse 2: Israel Houghton]

*Pushing past the fear, fighting to believe
He is making ways for me
And He won't let me down, never ever
leave
He's still making ways for me
When my heart is full of doubt
It feels like faith is running out
I've come too far to turn back 'round
I know (I know)*

[Chorus: Naomi Raine & Israel Houghton]

God will work it out

*[Chorus: Naomi Raine & Israel Houghton,
Israel Houghton]*

*God will work it out, oh, I know
God will work it out
One thing I know
One thing I've found, oh, that
God will work it out, oh, I know
God will work it out (Yeah)
God will work it out
One thing I know
One thing I've found, oh, my
God will work it out, oh, my
God will work it out (Oh, yes, He will, yes, He will)
God will work it out (One thing)
One thing I know (One thing)
One thing I've found (One thing I know)
One thing I know (One thing I've found)
One thing I've found (I can testify that)
One thing I know
One thing I've found (One thing I know)
One thing I know (One thing I've found)
One thing I've found (One thing I know)
One thing I know*

[Interlude: Naomi Raine]

*Oh
Be encouraged
Be encouraged
Be encouraged, oh*

*[Bridge: Naomi Raine & **Israel Houghton**,
Naomi Raine, Israel Houghton]*

*Be still my soul
Be still and know
Lean in, take hold
In God alone
Be still my soul
Be still and know
Lean in, take hold
In God alone (**Ooh**)
Be still my soul
Be still and know
Lean in, take hold
In God alone (Be still)
Be still (Oh, my soul) my soul (Be still)
Be still and know
Lean in, take hold
In God alone*

*He's working right now
He's working right now
He's working right now
He's working right now
He's working right now
I know it, I know it
He's working right now
I believe His work*

*[Chorus: Naomi Raine & Israel Houghton,
Naomi Raine, Israel Houghton]*

*God is working now
God is working now
One thing I know
One thing I've found, oh
God is working now (Come on, just sing it
one more time, sing it out)
God is working now (**Yes, He is, yes, He is**)
God is working now
One thing I know
One thing I've found, my*

One thing I've found, oh, my
God will work it out, yes, my
God will work it out (Oh, yes, He will), oh
God will work it out
[Interlude: Naomi Raine]
He's working right now

God is working now
One thing I know
One thing I've found
God is working now

3. Scripture Reading: Philippians 2: 1-11 (NIV)

¹Therefore if you have any encouragement from being united with Christ, if any comfort from his love, if any common sharing in the Spirit, if any tenderness and compassion, ² then make my joy complete by being like-minded, having the same love, being one in spirit and of one mind. ³ Do nothing out of selfish ambition or vain conceit. Rather, in humility value others above yourselves, ⁴ not looking to your own interests but each of you to the interests of the others. ⁵ In your relationships with one another, have the same mindset as Christ Jesus: ⁶ Who, being in very nature God, did not consider equality with God something to be used to his own advantage; ⁷ rather, he made himself nothing by taking the very nature of a servant, being made in human likeness. ⁸ And being found in appearance as a man, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to death, even death on a cross! ⁹ Therefore God exalted him to the highest place and gave him the name that is above every name, ¹⁰ that at the name of Jesus every knee should bow, in heaven and on earth and under the earth, ¹¹ and every tongue acknowledge that Jesus Christ is Lord, to the glory of God the Father.

4. Introductory Hymn

Let us lift our voices in faith with the song **"Nina Siri"** by Israel Mbonyi, a heartfelt declaration of our intimate walk with Jesus. This song reminds us that in peace or in trials, Christ gives us courage and joy. As we sing, may we celebrate the secret strength we find in Him, a strength that makes us stand firm, rejoice, and shout Hosanna, Amen!

Song: Nina Siri – Israel Mbonyi

Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=v5nfmtFzvvk&list=RDv5nfmtFzvvk&start_radio=1

Nina siri naye Yesu
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
Kwa amani nayo dhiki
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
Yaniburudisha, nikirukaruka
Hosana, amen
Yaniburudisha, nikirukaruka
Nikiimba hosana, amen
Nina siiri

(Hosana) Hosana, amen
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Nikiimba hosana, Amen

Nina siri naye Yesu
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
Kwa amani nayo dhiki
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
Yaniburudisha, nikirukaruka
Hosana, amen
Yaniburudisha, nikirukaruka
Nikiimba hosana, amen
Nina siiri

Nina siri naye Yesu
(Yanifanya) Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Kwa amani) Kwa amani nayo dhiki
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Hosana, amen
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka
Nikiimba hosana, amen

(Nina siri na) Nina siri naye Yesu
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Kwa amani) Kwa amani nayo dhiki
(Yanifanya) Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka

Waonjeni neema yake na rehema yake
Mwokozi
Watafunguliwa, watawekwa huru
Hosana, amen
Watafunguliwa, watawekwa huru
Hosana, amen

Waambie wanaolia, wakiteswa na
malimwengu
Waonjeni neema yake na rehema yake
Mwokozi
Watafunguliwa, watawekwa huru
Hosana, amen
Watafunguliwa, watawekwa huru
Wataimba hosana, amen
Nina siiri

(Nina siri na Yesu) Nina siri naye Yesu
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Kwa amani) Kwa amani nayo dhiki
(Yanifanya) Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha,
(nikiruka)nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Hosana, amen
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Hosana, amen

(Nina siri na Yesu) Nina siri naye Yesu
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Kwa amani) Kwa amani nayo dhiki
(Yanifanya) Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Hosana, Amen
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka

(Hosana) Nikiimba hosana, amen
Waambie wanaolia, wakiteswa na
malimwengu

nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Nikiimba hosana, amen
(Nina siri na Yesu) Nina siri naye Yesu
(Mwokozi wangu)
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Kwa amani) Kwa amani (nayo shida)
nayo dhiki
(Yanifanya) Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka

(Hosana) Hosana, amen
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Nikiimba hosana, amen
(Nina siri na Yesu)
Nina siri naye Yesu (hallelujah)
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Kwa amani) Kwa amani (nayo shida)
nayo dhiki

*Nina siri naye Yesu
Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Kwa amani) Kwa amani (nayo shida)
nayo dhiki
(Yanifanya) Yanifanya niwe jasiri*

*(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Hosana, amen
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)*

*(Yanifanya) Yanifanya niwe jasiri
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Hosana, amen
(Yaniburudisha) Yaniburudisha, (nikiruka)
nikirukaruka
(Hosana) Nikiimba hosana, amen*

5. Biblical Reflection

6. Intercession Prayers

1. Prayer for ethical leadership

Eternal Father, we bring before you, our continent's leadership. May you equip every leader with your divine wisdom, and the mind of Christ so they serve your people wisely and respond to the people's interests, and not their own. We also pray that you May touch our leaders , pour down your wisdom upon them, so that they make decisions with understanding and humility. We pray in belief that as you didn't before, you won't forsake us now. Amen.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

2. Prayer for Youths involvement on decision-making spaces

Gracious Father, who enables, we humbly lift up the African youth to stand strong on what they believe in, to build opportunities for themselves, to partake in important spaces on decision-making. Grant them the knowledge, expertise and humility to stand in such places and decide for themselves, their generation and the generations to come. May their voices be heard, and their aspirations of a blessed, welcoming, free, fair and just Africa come to pass. Amen.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

3. Prayer for Youth Eco-Stewardship

Loving God, creator of all things, we thank you for the beautiful, and wonderful creation. As African youth, we ask for forgiveness, for all the times we have been careless with your wonders, for the pollution we have caused, and the damages we have done to the world. Guide us to be the stewards of the Earth, protect our resources with wisdom, and act against any damages against your creation. Grant us wisdom to develop sustainable practices for us, for the further generations of our rich and beautiful continent, Africa. Amen.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

4. Prayer for social justice in Africa

Merciful God, we lift up our home and future, the continent of Africa to you, a land rich in resources and potential, yet burdened by injustice and suffering. We pray for divine restoration, for a season of awakening to sweep across all the nations from Cape to Cairo. Bless our land. Amen.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

5. Prayer for Youth Christian positive influence in SDGs and The African Union, Agenda 2063 implementation

Loving God, we bow our heads before you, we pray for the African Youth, that we may be able to positively implement the SDGs and our continent's Agenda 2063, to build the Africa we want. We seek wisdom from you. We trust you the development Africa, our home, and future. We pray believing that you hear and will answer our prayers. Amen.

All: Lord, hear our prayer.

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All: Lord, hear our prayer.

7. The Lord's Prayer

Leader: As one body, one Africa, one people under Christ, let us now say together the words our Lord taught us in our different national languages:

All Together: Our Father, who art in heaven...
(*recite full prayer ecumenically and in unity*)

8. Closing Hymn

As we close, let us lift our hearts in surrender with the song "**I Give Myself Away**" by William McDowell. This moving worship reminds us that our lives belong to God, every dream, every plan, every breath. As we sing, may we renew our commitment to be vessels of His will, allowing Him to use us for His glory and the transformation of our world.

Song: I give myself away by William McDowell

Link: https://youtu.be/v_K22rCtb-c?si=-dkvldye7Tv4TPRp

Lyrics:

[Chorus x2:]

*I give myself away
I give myself away
So You can use me
I give myself away
I give myself away
So You can use me*

[Verse 1:]

*Here I am
Here I stand
Lord, my life is in your hands
Lord, I'm longing to see
Your desires revealed in me*

[Chorus:]

*I give myself away
I give myself away
So You can use me
I give myself away*

*I give myself away
So You can use me*

[Verse 2:]

*Take my heart
Take my life
As a living sacrifice
All my dreams all my plans
Lord I place them in your hands*

[Chorus x2:]

*I give myself away
I give myself away
So You can use me
I give myself away
I give myself away
So You can use me*

[Bridge x7:]

*My life is not my own
To you I belong
I give myself, I give myself to you*

9. Benediction & Dismissal

Leader:

Brothers and Sisters, may the Grace of our Lord Jesus Christ and the love of God and the fellowship of the holy spirit be with us now and forever more.

All Together: *Amina! Amen! Let it be so!*

Theme: Transforming Injustices that Undermine Human Dignity

Text: “But let justice roll on like a river, righteousness like a never-failing stream!” – Amos 5:24 (NIV)

Leader: Jediael Ingabire, Burundi

Preacher: Joyce Khayiyi, Uganda.

1. Opening Remarks

Leader: Karibuni sana, young voices of Africa! Today we stand together in the presence of our Creator, crying out for justice and dignity for every human soul across our continent. In a land overflowing with hope and heritage, injustice must not have the final word. May justice roll like a mighty African river today, and always.

All: Amen

2. Opening Hymn

As we begin our time of worship, let us lift our hearts with the song “**Chanzo**” by Rehema Simfukwe. This powerful hymn reminds us that in every season, in abundance or in need, in light or in darkness, God remains our source and sustainer. As we sing, may we declare with faith that He alone is the “**Chanzo cha uhai wetu**”, the Source of our life, strength, and hope.

Song: Chanzo by Rehema Simfukwe

Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch=URulldVKk9U&list=RDURulldVKk9U&start_radio=1

Lyrics

*Nimejifunza kudhiliwa na kufanikiwa
Katika yote wewe bado Mungu
Ninajua kushiba na kuona njaa
Katika yote wewe bado Mungu*

*Hata upepo nao uvume
Mimi nitakuabudu wewe
Chanzo cha uhai wangu nakuabudu*

*Hata giza nalo litande
Mimi nitakuabudu wewe
Chanzo cha uhai wangu nakuabudu*

*Nimejifunza kudhiliwa na kufanikiwa
Katika yote wewe bado Mungu
Ninajua kushiba na kuona njaa
Katika yote wewe bado Mungu*

*Ninajua udhaifu na kuwa na afya
Katika yote wewe Bado Mungu*

*Hata upepo nao uvume
Mimi nitakuabudu wewe
Ooh Yesu Yesu*

Chanzo cha uhai wangu nakuabudu
Hata giza nalo litande
Mimi nitakuabudu wewe
Chanzo cha uhai wangu nakuabudu

Nakuabudu Nakuabudu
Wewe ni chanzo cha uhai wangu
Nakuabudu Nakuabudu
Wewe ni chanzo cha uhai wangu
Nakuinua Nakuinua
Wewe ni chanzo cha uhai wangu

3. Scripture Reading: Amos 5:21–24 (NIV)

²¹ “I hate, I despise your religious festivals; your assemblies are a stench to me. ²² Even though you bring me burnt offerings and grain offerings, I will not accept them. Though you bring choice fellowship offerings, I will have no regard for them. ²³ Away with the noise of your songs! I will not listen to the music of your harps. ²⁴ But let justice roll on like a river, righteousness like a never-failing stream!”

4. Biblical Reflection

5. Intercession Prayers

Three youth leaders from different countries lead intercessions from diverse traditions (e.g., Anglican, Pentecostal, Catholic, African Independent Church).

1. Prayer for Justice & Integrity in Leadership

Lord of all creation, we cry out against corruption and injustice in our lands. Raise leaders who serve with truth, compassion, and courage. May our justice systems be reformed and protected from manipulation. Let truth prevail in Africa’s courts, classrooms, and communities.

All: Let justice roll like a river! AMEN

2. Prayer for Restoration of Human Dignity

God of mercy, you see the broken. We pray for every child denied education, every girl silenced, every refugee displaced, and every worker exploited. Heal our systems. Restore the dignity of the oppressed.

All: Let justice roll like a river! AMEN

3. Prayer for the Church to be a Voice for the Voiceless

Holy Spirit, awaken the church in Africa to walk in prophetic courage. May our pulpits speak justice. May our altars welcome the hurting. Make us ambassadors of Your justice, not just performers of religion.

All: Let justice roll like a river! AMEN

6. The Lord's Prayer

Leader: As one body, one Africa, one people under Christ, let us now say together the words our Lord taught us in our different national languages:

All Together: Our Father, who art in heaven...
(recite full prayer ecumenically and in unity)

7. Closing Hymn

As we close this sacred time of reflection and devotion, let us worship with this powerful anthem, that reminds us of God's sovereignty and love. **"Only You"** declares that Christ is our foundation and our refuge, the source of all true justice and dignity

Song: "Only You Jesus" by Ada Ehi

Link: https://youtu.be/v_K22rCtb-c?si=-dkvldye7Tv4TPRp

Lyrics:

<i>Ay ay..., Only You, Only You Jesus</i>	<i>(You are doing the same today)</i>
<i>Only You can do what no man can do</i>	<i>You are doing the same today</i>
<i>Only You can say what no man can say</i>	<i>(You are doing the same today)</i>
<i>Only You can change any situation at all</i>	
<i>Only You are able, Daddy so so You are capable Jehovah</i>	<i>Ha oh God my Promoter (You are doing the same today)</i>
<i>Only You can do, what no man can do</i>	<i>Jesus my Promoter, opening every doors</i>
<i>Only You can say, what no man can say..., ay...</i>	<i>(You are doing the same today)</i>
<i>Only You can do, what no man can do</i>	<i>Fighting all my battles, healing the broken-hearted (You are doing the same today)</i>
<i>Only You can change any situation at all</i>	
<i>Only You can do what no man can do</i>	<i>Only You can do, what no man can do</i>
<i>Only You are able, Daddy, only You are capable Jehovah me</i>	
<i>Only You can do what no man can do (Jehovah me)</i>	<i>Only You are able, ha Only You are capable, capable, say You are able (Only You can do, what no man can do)</i>
<i>Jehovah oh...</i>	<i>Only You can change, any situation at all</i>
<i>Only You, Only You</i>	<i>Only You can do, what no man can do</i>
<i>It's Only You ah (x3)</i>	<i>Unfailing, Unchanging, Unfailing, Resurrected Jesus</i>
<i>Just like You walked the streets of Galilee (You are doing the same today)</i>	<i>Only You can do, what no man can do</i>
<i>And like You healed the sick and You raised the dead (You are doing the same today)</i>	<i>Jesus, Jesus, eehhh...,aa ha</i>
	<i>Aaaaaaaah</i>
	<i>The Son of God (ah ah ah ah)</i>
	<i>The Word of Life (ah ah ah ah)</i>
	<i>The Same Today (ah ah ah ah)</i>

<i>Like You said Lazarus, come forth, come</i>	<i>Jesus only You can (Jesus)</i>
<i>forth (You are doing the same today)</i>	<i>Make the lame to walk again (Jesus)</i>
<i>You are doing the same today (x4)</i>	<i>Jesus only You can (Jesus)</i>
	<i>Make the dead to rise (Jesus)</i>
<i>He's capable (Jesus)</i>	<i>Jesus my Promoter (Jesus)</i>
<i>The Resurrection (Jesus)</i>	<i>Jesus</i>
<i>And the Life (Jesus)</i>	
<i>Jesus (x7)</i>	<i>Call His name (x3)</i>
	<i>He's capable</i>
<i>The Son of God (ah ah ah ah)</i>	
<i>The Word of God (ah ah ah ah)</i>	
<i>Jesus only You can (Jesus)</i>	
<i>Make the blind to see (Jesus)</i>	

8. Benediction & Dismissal

Leader:

As we rise from this moment, may you carry the fire of justice in your bones, the peace of Christ in your heart, and the courage of the prophets in your voice.

Go now, transform injustices, speak life, walk in dignity, and let justice roll on wherever your feet may tread.

All Together: *Amina! Amen! Let it be so!*

Theme: Peace and Security

Text: Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. Matthew 5:9 (NIV)

Leader: Gloria Quive, Mozambique

Preacher: Luoma Bernad, Zambia

1. Opening Remarks

Leader: Beloved brothers and sisters, we gather on this fourth day of the Congress to reflect on a calling that is crucial for our continent, the call to be peacemakers. Africa has known seasons of conflict, division, and insecurity, but in Christ, we are called to be agents of reconciliation, instruments of peace, and defenders of justice. Today, let us open our hearts to the Prince of Peace, that His shalom may fill our lives and overflow into our communities and nations.

All: Amen

2. Opening Hymn

As we open this sacred gathering, let us lift our hearts in worship with the song “**Uinuliwe**” by Epafrodito Kechegwa. This powerful Swahili worship anthem exalts Jesus as the One who is worthy of all praise, mighty in holiness, awesome in glory, and victorious over every storm. As we sing, may our spirits rise in adoration and our faith be renewed in the God who still works wonders among His people.

Song: Uinuliwe – EPAFRODITO KECHEGWA

Link: https://www.youtube.com/watch=URuIdVKk9U&list=RDURuIdVKk9U&start_radio=1

Lyrics

*Uinuliwe Yesu wewe mwema
Uabudiwe Yesu wewe mwema
Utukuzwe Yesu wewe mwema*

*Ee BWANA katika miungu yote,
ni nani aliye kama wewe,
mtukufu katika utakatifu,
mwenye kuogopwa katika sifa,
uliye vuma kwa upepo wako bahari
ikafunikiza adui,*

*wakazama kama risasi,
risasi ndani ya maji makuu*

*Uinuliwe Yesu wewe mwema
Uabudiwe Yesu wewe mwema
Utukuzwe Yesu wewe mwema
Wowowowo
Wowowowo
Wowowowo
Wowowowo*

3. Scripture Reading: Matthew 5: 1-12 (NIV)

: ¹Now when Jesus saw the crowds, he went up on a mountainside and sat down. His disciples came to him, ²and he began to teach them. He said: ³"Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. ⁴Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted. ⁵Blessed are the meek, for they will inherit the earth. ⁶Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they will be filled. ⁷Blessed are the merciful, for they will be shown mercy. ⁸Blessed are the pure in heart, for they will see God. ⁹Blessed are the peacemakers, for they will be called children of God. ¹⁰Blessed are those who are persecuted because of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.¹¹ Blessed are you when people insult you, persecute you and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of me. ¹²Rejoice and be glad, because great is your reward in heaven, for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you."

4. Biblical Reflection

5. Intercession Prayers

1. Prayer for peace and healing

Lord of all nations, bring lasting peace to every troubled region of Africa. Heal the deep wounds of war, restore trust among peoples, and make reconciliation our shared song.

All: Lord, hear our prayer. AMEN

2. Prayer for Justice

Heavenly Father, raise up leaders of integrity, wisdom, and courage, men and women who will uphold justice, defend the weak, and serve the common good above personal gain.

All: Lord, hear our prayer. AMEN

3. Prayer for Unity and Reconciliation

Almighty God, stir the hearts of Africa's youth with a burning desire for unity, reconciliation, and truth. Empower them to be bold witnesses for peace in every place of division.

All: Lord, hear our prayer. AMEN

6. The Lord's Prayer

Leader: As one body, one Africa, one people under Christ, let us now say together the words our Lord taught us in our different national languages:

All Together: Our Father, who art in heaven...
(recite full prayer ecumenically and in unity)

7. Closing Hymn

As we draw our gathering to a close, let us lift our voices in thanksgiving with the song **“Ebenezer”** by Noel Nderitu. This beautiful anthem reminds us that the same God who has carried us through yesterday’s trials continues to walk beside us today. As we sing, may our hearts overflow with gratitude and trust in the Lord, our Rock, our Help, and our Ever-Faithful Guide. Truly, **“Ebenezer – thus far the Lord has brought us.”**

Song: Ebenezer by Noel Nderitu

Link: https://youtu.be/v_K22rCtb-c?si=-dkvldye7Tv4TPRp

Lyrics:

<i>Wewe jiwe na nguzo, kila siku (You are our rock and pillar forever)</i>	<i>Bridge:</i>
<i>Jana leo na kesho, Mwaminifu (Forever you are faithful)</i>	<i>Wastahili utukufu (You deserve the glory)</i>
<i>Mfalme kaniokoa mimi (The King of kings has saved me)</i>	<i>Wastahili sifa zote (You deserve all praise)</i>
<i>mimi mwenye dhambi (A wretched sinner like me)</i>	<i>Umetenda mema Baba (You have done great things)</i>
<i>Msaada wangu ni wewe, Mwenye nguvu! (My help comes from You, All powerful One)</i>	<i>Asante! (Thank You!)</i>
<i>Chorus:</i>	<i>Chorus:</i>
<i>Ebenezer, umenitoa mbali (Ebenezer, you have been faithful to me)</i>	<i>Ebenezer, umenitoa mbali (Ebenezer, you have been faithful to me)</i>
<i>Ebenezer, bado watembea nami (Ebenezer, you are still guiding me)</i>	<i>Ebenezer, bado watembea nami (Ebenezer, you are still guiding me)</i>
<i>Ebenezer, umenitoa mbali (Ebenezer, you have been faithful to me)</i>	<i>Ebenezer, umenitoa mbali (Ebenezer, you have been faithful to me)</i>
<i>Milele Bwana, nitakuamini (I will trust/believe in You forever)</i>	<i>Milele Bwana, nitakuamini (I will trust/believe in You forever)</i>

8. Benediction & Dismissal

Leader:

May the peace of God, which surpasses all understanding, guard your hearts and minds in Christ Jesus. Go and be peacemakers, that Africa may shine as a continent of unity and hope.

All Together: **Amina! Amen! Let it be so!**



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