

## Announcement Letter January 2015

Dear Brethren:

Special greetings to you all, in every place where God has preserved you around the globe in His revealed way of life. We are thankful for God's mercy and special favor to allow us to continue serving you in these critical last days. It is our honor and privilege to devote our attentions to your spiritual well-being through the work of this little remnant body. There is no work more rewarding because *this* work leads ultimately to the salvation of some of God's very chosen children. Unlike so many of our human activities which have only a temporary objective or result, the work of God's true church is one that produces eternal results. May we never forget that or begin to take any of you for granted. You deserve our ongoing respect and our unflinching commitment to your spiritual service.

Another major worldly holiday season is now past, which is a relief to many of God's people if it means we do not have to endure any more unwanted public Christmas celebrations or New Year's revelries. Although we know it is not truly the "new year," beginning this month usually reminds us that God's *true new year*, and the holy Passover season, is not that far away. We begin to think about, and to plan for, those truly holy occasions with great anticipation.

One day soon, the entire world will set aside its false religious traditions and learn to worship God appropriately in Spirit and in Truth. When Jesus Christ is ruling upon this earth, they will all learn what is truly holy, and what, by comparison, has always been profane. They will finally have the chance to participate in national celebrations with real value, and which provide real satisfaction to individuals and to families. In the meantime, the deceived peoples of this world seek solace and fulfillment in the concepts of their own making—which are not a blessing to them at all—and the called of God are burdened likewise with unwanted exposure to their idolatry.

We live in this world, but we are not of this world. Our hope is in a very different future than most people comprehend today. But it is a glorious future that is very much worth the sacrifices required of us now. And in the day of that great revelation, all of these nations will finally have a chance to qualify for their own part in that glorious Kingdom of God. If we do what we are supposed to do as examples, then the choices we are making right now to avoid all of these pagan traditions and to keep God's true Holy Days will be a light that will resonate with many once that veil of deception has been lifted from their eyes. That is a future which should give us all much hope and consolation. May God keep you in that revealed way and bless you for your continuity and your sincere reverence for those things which He has hallowed.

## **New Moon**

The new moon, Shebat (eleventh month), begins Tuesday, January 20. The new moon day is Wednesday, January 21.

## **Trip Schedule**

### **Mr. Jon Brisby**

February 21..... Cape Town, South Africa

February 28..... Suna-Migori, Kenya

## **Thank You**

Mrs. Nathalie Lecluse of Palaiseau, France, would like to thank you for your prayers concerning her husband's heart problem. He is doing much better now and will be able to resume work in about a month or so.

## Recorded Sermon Schedule

Sermon #	Mailed	Played	Title
WSE-RC 59-44	12-04-14	01-03-15	Despair or Glory, Which? #44 Habakkuk Chapter 3 #14
WSE-JB 159-1	12-24-14	01-10-15	Who Was First Begotten of the Spirit? #1
WSE-RC 59-45	12-24-14	01-17-15	Despair or Glory, Which? #45 Habakkuk Chapter 3 #15
WSE-JB 159-2	12-24-14	01-24-15	Who Was First Begotten of the Spirit? #2
WSE-RC 59-46	01-15-15	01-31-15	Despair or Glory, Which? #46 Habakkuk Chapter 3 #16
WSE-RC 59-47	01-15-15	02-07-15	Despair or Glory, Which? #47 Habakkuk Chapter 3 #17
WSE-JB 138-26	01-15-15	02-14-15	Family Handbook #26 Pregnancy and Childbirth #2

In Christ's service,



Jon W. Brisby