

A storm has been brewing in the American church for decades and it seems to have unleashed its full power on our nation.

So, if I think about this as the ancient Jews did, I can see the blessing. God knows. God sees. God causes the rain to fall on the just and the unjust. He will preserve the church without spot or blemish. This rain may just be the cleansing flow we need to see the true church emerge as His Bride.

So, we invite you to pray! Pray for rain! Abundant showers of blessing and mercy and strength and joy!

- Pray for persecuted believers among our international partners in Nepal, Nigeria, India, and Pakistan.
- Pray for provision for them during this time when it may be difficult for us to transfer money to them.
- Pray for the church in the U.S., that we will receive the cleansing waters of the Spirit and become the church that God intends for us to be.
- Pray for the 5 new churches we are planting in Nigeria this summer. (Rains literally fell in the service pictured here, under a grass roof. This church in Benue really needs a pavilion – only \$2500!)
- Pray for Youth Community Explosion as it begins again on June 4.
- Pray for our youth staff, including a summer intern from Russia, Karolina, that they will be filled with the Spirit.
- Pray for the completion of The Storehouse at Christian World Missions during this calendar year. We are ready to floor the north and south wings – now we need lumber to finish the east wing and get it floored. Pray for adequate funding for us to finish debt-free.



We have had some staff changes this spring, so let me remind you who we are:

Lee Ann Williamson – Executive Director

Lori Smith – Director of Operations

Amos Williamson – Manager and Marketing Director for The Storehouse rentals

Bob Coblentz & Albert Larry – construction crew

Peggy Wilson – office assistant and bookkeeper

Maggie Conner, Leah Winters, Blake Adams – youth staff

Sir J.K. Udeze – director of CWM Nigeria

Dr. Ghuna Kumar – director of Gospel Friends, India

Rev. Ganesh Poudel – Director of Dhankuta Ecumenical Fellowship and pastor at Pakhribas, Nepal

Rev. Asif Mubark – Director of Catch the Holy Fire Ministry, Pakistan

Call our names out before the Father. Pray that we will be bold, winsome, and faithful.

We pray for you, our partners in the work of the Kingdom. We're praying for a deluge of God's Spirit!

Standing in pouring rain,

Lee Ann Williamson

