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## (South Sudan) "Don't Be Alarmed": South Sudan Easter Bible Conference

“Don’t be alarmed,” he said. “You are looking for Jesus the Nazarene, who was crucified. He has risen! He is not here. See the place where they laid him.”

Thanks and praise be to God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for blessing the 2026 UBF South Sudan Easter Bible Conference in so many ways. There were an average of 60 participants attending the conference over the three days. The South Sudan UBF Bible House hosted the daytime sessions because there was not enough space to accommodate everyone overnight. The conference was held from April 3rd to 5th, 2026, running from morning until evening. We prepared for the conference through prayer and fasting every Saturday for four weeks prior to the event. During this period, we received four messages of encouragement based on the following passages: Matthew 10:21, Isaiah 40:31, Matthew 11:28, and Joshua 24:15. These messages were delivered by Sh. George Mario, Sh. Stephen Dak, and Shs. Kimo Pilip, respectively.

Before the conference, we were concerned about possible power outages due to the city’s electricity schedule. However, throughout the three days, the power supply remained stable.

On the first day, Sh. Padiet Deng delivered the opening message based on Isaiah 42:16, emphasizing that God will never leave us. This was followed by the first main message delivered by Sh. Sabino Akol. He stepped in to deliver the message despite having been unable to do so for a long time due to health challenges. His message was based on Mark 15:16–32 and was titled “Jesus’ Crucifixion.”

The second main message was delivered by Regina Michael, who is actively involved in the ministry’s Mothers of Prayer. Her message, based on Mark 15:33–47, focused on the “Death and Burial of Jesus.” She emphasized how the death of Jesus transformed lives, including those of the Roman centurion and Joseph of Arimathea, who declared their faith and hope in Jesus, the Son of God.

The third main message was delivered by Sh. Philip Angelo, based on Mark 16:1–20, titled

“He Has Risen,” which was also the main theme of the conference. He emphasized that Jesus’ resurrection brought courage, power, and victory to those who had been living in fear, despair, and sorrow. We learned that we must put into practice the message and command of Jesus by sharing the good news of His death and resurrection. As ambassadors, it is our responsibility to preach the gospel to all people and all creation. We celebrated Easter by cutting cakes on Easter Sunday after worship.

Miyen Monjtwej Alor shared his life testimony, expressing his dedication to the UBF ministry through Daily Bread, weekly Bible study, and Sunday worship. Despite experiencing many failures and moments of despair, he testified that God was with him and guided his life through all circumstances until he graduated this year. He expressed deep gratitude for what God has done in his life.

During the conference, we held six group Bible studies led by Dr. Oyor Moses, Sh. Johns Deng, Sh. Philip Angelo, Shs. Kimo Philip, Sh. Taban Moses, Sh. Elia Peter, and Sh. Padiet Deng. Participants also had time for writing reflections, sharing messages, and giving Bible testimonies in groups. Many attendees confessed their sins, recognizing that their sins led to Jesus’ suffering and death. They believed that the death of Jesus brings transformation, forgiveness, and free salvation.

Four new students from Rumbek University attended the conference after traveling for 24 hours. Rumbek University was recently pioneered by Pastor Oyor Moses. We pray that leaders will soon visit and officially inaugurate Sunday worship services at Rumbek University. We also pray that Miyen Moses, Peter Miyen, Treasa Iteng, and Mary Ajak may grow as people of Abrahamic faith for the ministry at Rumbek University.

In total, about thirteen new students joined the conference. We pray that they will continue studying the Bible with our shepherds. Our Children’s Bible Fellowship (CBF) also participated through Bible quizzes and scripture memorization. Finally, we realized that the main hall is becoming too small as more new students join Bible study and Sunday worship, especially during major gatherings.

#### Prayer Topics

1. May the death and resurrection of Jesus transform our lives so that we may become His witnesses in our daily lives, leading South Sudan to become a kingdom of priests and a holy nation.
2. Completion of the pioneering work at Rumbek University and raising the four young students as people of Abrahamic faith.
3. Expansion of the Bible Centre to accommodate the growing number of members, including CBF.
4. That UBF South Sudan may continue raising new and young leaders as the future generation.



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