*From the Pastor’s desk:*

**The Christian Father Full of God’s Power**

A Christian father is called not merely to provide, but to lead his family in the strength and wisdom of God. When he is full of God’s power, his role in the home becomes a divine assignment rather than a mere responsibility.

**Spiritual Leader**

The Christian father leads his family in faith. He mirrors Christ’s love and sacrifices for the church **(Ephe 5:25).** He sets the tone for spiritual growth, initiating prayer, Bible study, and godly conversation. Like Joshua, he declares, “As for me and my house, we will serve the Lord” **(Josh 24:15).**

**Protector and Provider**

Being full of God’s power, the father stands as a shield over his household. He not only works to provide materially **(1 Tim 5:8),** but also safeguards his family emotionally and spiritually, alert to the enemy’s attempts to sow discord or fear.

**Teacher and Discipler**

A godly father takes seriously the command of **Proverbs 22:6:** “Train up a child in the way he should go…” He teaches by example and word, correcting in love, and guiding his children toward Christ. His life reflects the fruit of the Spirit **(Gal 5:22-23),** forming a living lesson in godliness.

**Loving Husband**

His relationship with his wife sets the standard of love and respect in the home. **Ephesians 5:28** urges husbands to love their wives as their own bodies. His love, patience, and humility lay a strong foundation of unity.

**Man of Prayer and Power**

A Christian father filled with God’s Spirit is a man of prayer **(James 5:16).** His strength is not his own, but from the Lord **(Eph 6:10).** His dependence on God empowers him to lead with grace, conviction, and courage.

In all things, the Christian father reflects the Father heart of God—guiding, protecting, and nurturing his family in love and truth. When filled with God’s power, he becomes a living testimony of Christ’s presence in the home.

**HAPPY FATHER’S DAY**  *- By Bro. Chidi*