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bringing female medical doctors who are specialists in these fields and who provided free basic health tests like blood-pressure, weight and sugar level. Information on how to access free cancer screening was also disseminated.

A welcome and short message from the Bible was delivered by the women's ministry coordinator Augusta Obasa, titled "Wisdom." She enumerated the essence of having wisdom for women to live a life full of peace, health and prosperity.

The goal of the message was for the 110 women in attendance to make use of the knowledge to advance their lives and that of their families and society at large. The three speakers made beautiful presentation of causes, prevention and management of common diseases with a very interactive question and answer session afterward.

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HOPE worldwide — Friday, 23 October 2015

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- **DTHS Wedding: Mamoru & Caroline, Married November 2014**

Nadine Templer, Dubai, UAE — Thursday, 22 October 2015

Mamoru is Japanese but he was converted in the Seattle campus ministry. Caroline is Northeast Indian and was baptised in New Delhi. Mamoru travels a lot to South Asia for his work. When he visited Nepal last year,...

- **Upside Down 2016, Part 2: A Follow Up Interview With Steve and Sherwin**

Reach2016 Staff — Wednesday, 21 October 2015

We know that many of you have already made plans to see Upside Down when you are at Reach2016 next summer. Steve Johnson and Sherwin Mackintosh took a few minutes this week to do a follow-up interview...

- **2016 Summer Internship Opportunity: Anchorage, Alaska**

Nick Morrill, Anchorage, AK — Tuesday, 20 October 2015

The Great Land Christian Church of Anchorage, Alaska is looking for hard-working, motivated people who are interested in learning about ministry in an entirely new way. This internship teaches the heart...

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2015 Abuja Women's Day: Your Health, Your Wealth

Written by Adeyinka Adekeye -- Abuja, Nigeria

The increase and rapid rise of chronic diseases in developing countries and especially among women, who bear the brunt in most households, was the focus of the 2015 Women Forum of the

International Church of Christ (I.C.O.C.) Abuja on October 17, 2015 titled "Your Health, Your Wealth."

Bearing in mind that only a healthy woman could bring wealth to her family, the forum focused on non-communicable and communicable diseases such as cancer, hypertension, diabetes, hepatitis and HIV/AIDS. It's been observed that most of these diseases could be managed if detected early and with adequate information for a change of lifestyle and balanced life. However, the majority of women here do not see the need for proper screening to detect the chronic diseases early, which cut most in their productive and prime years, leaving behind orphans and vulnerable children.

The aim of the one-day forum was to educate and disseminate information to women of different age groups and backgrounds by

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- **Pure & Simple Conference**

Chicago, Illinois

November 6-8 2015

- **New Year's Conference/Party**

Marietta, Georgia USA

December 31 2015 - January 3, 2016

- **New Year's Eve**

- **Masquerade Weekend**

Dalla-Ft. Worth, Texas USA

December 31 2015 - January 2, 2016

- **Johannesburg Church**

- **30th Anniversary**

Johannesburg, South Africa

April 29-May 1, 2016

- **Asian Discipleship Summit**

Bali, Indonesia

June 16-19, 2016

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- **Discipleship Summit**

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