

AUGUST 7TH-9TH, 2026 | TORONTO, ON

EVENT GUIDE & LEGACY WORKBOOK

BLOOM

'26

Legacy Makers: Leave Your Mark Sis'



WELCOME NOTE FROM JESS

HEY SIS! WELCOME TO BLOOM 2026!

CAN I TELL YOU SOMETHING BEFORE WE BEGIN?

This workbook isn't about filling pages. It's about making room.

Room for God to speak. Room for honest reflection. Room for healing. Room to dream again. Room to notice the things you don't want to forget when life gets busy again.

My prayer is that years from now you'll pull this workbook off your bookshelf, flip through these pages, and remember exactly what God said to you while here.

We're becoming women whose obedience leaves a godly imprint on the generations around us.

And Legacy isn't built all at once. It's built every time we choose faith over fear. Every time we forgive.

Every time we serve.

Every time we say yes to Jesus.

So don't worry about filling every page perfectly. Instead...

Be present. And leave room for God move. I'm so grateful you're here.

WITH LOVE,

*Jessica
Robinson-Grant*

FOUNDER & VISIONARY , BLOOM SIS GATHERING





BEFORE WE BEGIN...

**Before you write.
Before you take notes.
Before you meet someone new.
Before worship begins...
Let's invite God into this weekend.**

a prayer

Abba,
Thank You for bringing me here.
Thank You that You know exactly what I need before I even ask.

Would You quiet every distraction?
Would You soften my heart?
Would You give me ears to hear Your voice and courage to respond
with obedience?

Help me not to leave this weekend with more information...
Help me leave more like You.

Reveal what needs healing.
Strengthen what You're building.
Show me what You want me to carry into the next season.
And let everything that happens this weekend point me back to You.

In Jesus' name, Amen.



YOUR BLOOM WEEKEND GUIDE

Friday August 9th 2026 - Legacy Through Community

Friday Evening | Doors open at 5:30 PM

Welcome Sis! Tonight is centred around warmth, worship, conversation, and connection. Take some time to settle in, explore the marketplace, enjoy light refreshments, and connect with the women around you. Throughout the evening, we will gather for worship, share in an interactive Girl Talk Circle, and experience a live Selah Moments podcast conversation with Jessica and Samantha.

Rooted in presence, sisterhood, and reflection, tonight sets the tone for a meaningful BLOOM weekend. We invite you to be present, open your heart, and receive all that God has for you in this space.

Saturday August 10th 2026 - From Generation to Generation

Full Day Experience | Doors open at 9:30 AM

Evening Experience begins at 6:30 PM

Today is a day of worship, teaching, activation, and connection across generations. You will experience intercession, a keynote message from Pastor Nicole O. Salmon, and activation labs focused on equipping with Pastor Sharon Witton, building with Pastor Natalie Willis, and deployment with Pastor Rohan Samuels.

Scheduled breaks will be provided, and a list of nearby restaurants can be found at the back of your workbook. In the evening, we will gather for worship and the Word with Jessica Robinson-Grant, our event host, followed by a time of prayer, ministry, and responding to what God is doing among us.

Keep your heart and mind open to all that God will continue to do throughout the day.

Programming and session times are subject to change as we remain sensitive to the leading of the Holy Spirit.

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Sunday August 11th 2026 - Mobilization Day

4:00pm - 7:30pm

Location: CEE Toronto - 75 Thermos Rd, Scarborough.

A Day of Black Joy, Faith, and Justice

The closing expression of BLOOM 2026 and the final movement of our conference mandate: Deploy.

After a weekend of being equipped and built, Sunday invites the women of Bloom and the wider community into a space of honest conversation, reflection, celebration, and collective responsibility. This gathering centers Black joy, faith, justice, and leadership, while creating room to engage the realities shaping our communities with both compassion and conviction.

Through a faith-centered lens, this experience will explore how women can live out their witness not only in private devotion, but also in public life through advocacy, community care, leadership, and courageous presence. It is a call to move beyond inspiration and into embodied impact.

Mobilization Day reminds us that legacy is not only what we build within our own lives, but also what we help shift in the world around us. As women of faith, we are called to carry wisdom, speak truth, pursue justice, and participate in the healing of our communities.

Together, we will celebrate Black life and resilience, honour lived experience, and consider what it means to be sent out with clarity, courage, and purpose.

Featured Voices:

Host: Nikita Bucknor

Dr. Joseph Smith

Cheryl Nembhard

Rohan Samuels

Jemilia Jackson

Jessica Robinson-Grant



WHAT IS *legacy*?



Legacy is often thought of as something we leave behind.
A name. A title. A business. A ministry. A family. Money.
But biblical legacy runs much deeper.

Legacy is passed on through faithfulness, obedience, sacrifice, quiet prayers, and everyday moments that reflect the heart of Jesus.
It is found in how we love, forgive, serve, and steward what God has entrusted to us.

This weekend is not simply asking, “What am I building?”
It is also asking, “Who am I becoming?”
Because becoming more like Jesus is the greatest legacy any of us will ever leave.

When you hear the word **legacy**, what comes to mind?
What kind of woman do you hope people remember?



WEEKEND *intentions*

**BEFORE THE WORSHIP BEGINS...
BEFORE THE CONVERSATIONS...
BEFORE THE NOTES...**

What do you need to lay down before this weekend begins?

- ☐ Fear
- ☐ Shame
- ☐ Expectations

- ☐ Perfectionism
- ☐ Busyness
- ☐ Other: _____

- ☐ Comparison
- ☐ Control

This weekend, I'm believing God for...

One person I'm praying for this weekend is...

One word I'm carrying into this weekend...

COME BACK TO THIS PAGE BEFORE YOU LEAVE ON SUNDAY.

**"REMAIN IN ME,
AND I WILL REMAIN IN YOU."**
JOHN 15:4



FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 2026

GIRL TALK CIRCLE

GIRL TALK CIRCLE + SISTER COMMUNITY TIME

This is your time to exhale in sisterhood. Through real conversations, shared testimonies, and joyful connection, we're creating a space where generations gather learning from one another, laughing together, and building meaningful relationships. From the vulnerability of Girl Talk Circle to the lighthearted moments of community time, expect to be seen, supported, and strengthened as you walk alongside other women who are blooming, just like you.

GIRL TALK CIRCLE REFLECTION

What part of tonight's conversation made you feel most seen or understood?

What relationship or community is God inviting you to nurture, restore, or step into?

Try & meet/connect with 3 new people! How was that experience for you?

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 THE BLOOM SIS *gathering*

LIVE PODCAST RECORDING

Selah Moments



Jess & Sam

FRIDAY, AUGUST 7TH
LEGACY THROUGH COMMUNITY

Legacy isn't built in isolation.
It's nurtured in community. Strengthened through shared stories.
And sustained by women who keep pointing each other back to Jesus.

SELAH MOMENT REFLECTION

How has community shaped the woman you are becoming?

What kind of legacy do you hope your relationships leave behind?

Who is God inviting you to intentionally walk alongside in this next season?

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Pastor Nicole O. Salmon

KEYNOTE SPEAKER



FRIDAY, AUGUST 7, 2026
PURPOSE. ALIGNMENT. COURAGE.

PURPOSE, ALIGNMENT & COURAGE REFLECTION

What truth about your calling challenged or encouraged you today?

Where is God inviting you to stop striving and start trusting Him?

What is one courageous step of obedience you believe God is asking you to take?

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legacy makers FAMILY MAP

NOTICING WHAT WAS PASSED DOWN

A family map, also called a **genogram**, helps you look at your family story in a simple visual way. It can help you notice the people, patterns, strengths, wounds, faith, and stories that have shaped you.

You do not need to know every detail. You do not need to draw it perfectly. This is simply an invitation to pause, reflect, and ask God what He may be showing you about your legacy.

This exercise is not about blame. It is about awareness, healing, honour, and hope.

how to use this page

THIS WORKSHEET IS A SIMPLE REFLECTION TOOL. YOU DO NOT NEED TO KNOW YOUR FULL FAMILY HISTORY, AND YOU DO NOT NEED TO HAVE ALL THE ANSWERS.

START WITH THE PEOPLE YOU KNOW. WRITE NAMES, INITIALS, OR RELATIONSHIP TITLES SUCH AS MOM, DAD, GRANDMOTHER, AUNTIE, CAREGIVER, SIBLING, CHILD, SPIRITUAL MOTHER, OR MENTOR.

AS YOU FILL IT OUT, NOTICE PATTERNS, STRENGTHS, WOUNDS, FAITH, RELATIONSHIPS, AND THINGS THAT MAY HAVE BEEN PASSED DOWN THROUGH YOUR FAMILY LINE.

THIS IS NOT ABOUT CREATING A PERFECT FAMILY TREE. THIS IS ABOUT PAYING ATTENTION TO YOUR STORY WITH GOD.

legacy makers FAMILY MAP

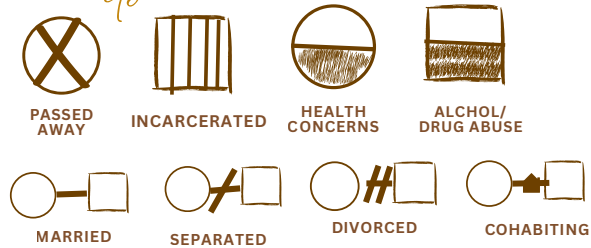
YOU CAN:

- USE NAMES, INITIALS, OR TITLES INCLUDE BIOLOGICAL FAMILY, CHOSEN FAMILY, CAREGIVERS, MENTORS, OR SPIRITUAL MOTHERS
- YOU CAN DRAW BOXES, CIRCLES, LINES, OR SIMPLY LIST NAMES. THERE IS NO WRONG WAY TO BEGIN.

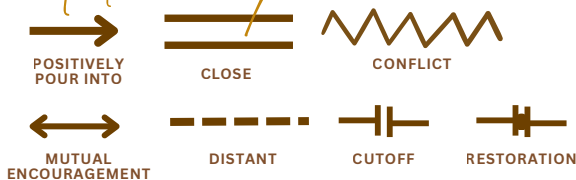
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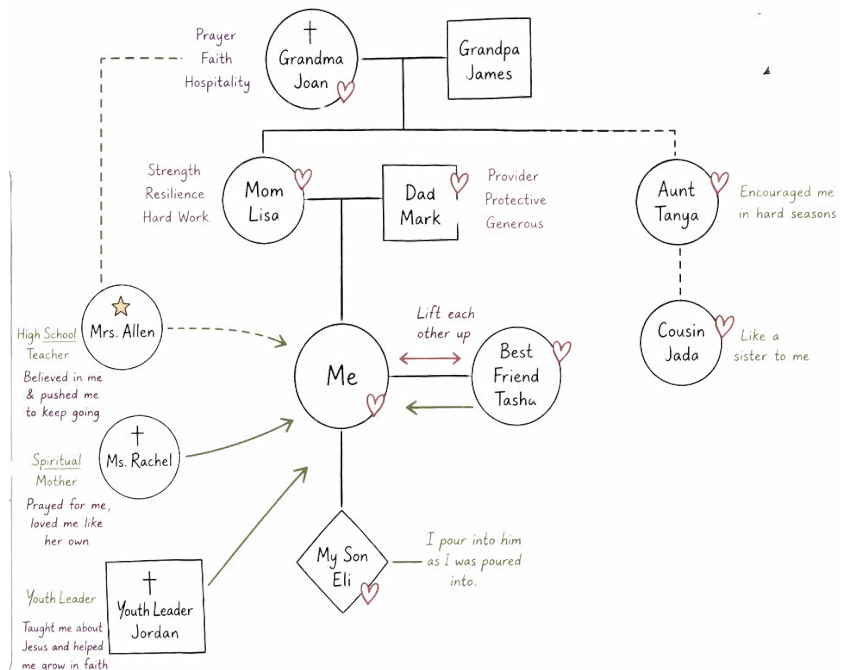


Gentle Note:

This exercise may bring up tender memories or emotions.

- Skip anything that feels too sensitive.
- Move slowly & take breaks if needed

example:



step one:

PAUSE & PRAY

**BEFORE YOU BEGIN,
TAKE A MOMENT TO INVITE GOD INTO THIS REFLECTION.**

a prayer

Lord, help me see my family story with grace, wisdom,
and truth. Show me what to honour, what to heal from,
and what You are inviting me to build.
In Jesus' name, Amen.

step two:

WRITE DOWN THE PEOPLE IN YOUR STORY

Start with what you know.

**You can include parents, caregivers, grandparents,
siblings, children, aunts, uncles, cousins, mentors,
spiritual mothers, or anyone who played a significant role
in your life.**

Only share what you feel comfortable sharing.
Keep your answers short
Come back to this later if you need more time



Parents/Caregivers

Grandparents / Elders:

Siblings / Cousins / Children / Significant Family Members:

Mentors / Spiritual Mothers / Chosen Family:

Note any significant events or milestones you want to include:



legacy makers **FAMILY MAP**

CREATE A LEGEND (THAT MAKES SENSE TO YOU)

You may draw names, circles, boxes, or simple lines. Keep it simple.

THEN DRAW YOUR FAMILY LEGACY MAP HERE.

step three:

NOTICE THE PATTERN

Look at your family map and answer the questions below. You do not need to answer every question. Start with what stands out most.

Only share what you feel comfortable sharing.
Keep your answers short
Come back to this later if you need more time

1. Who are some of the people who helped shape who you are?

2. What good things were passed down in your family?

Examples: faith, prayer, strength, hard work, generosity, humour, hospitality, creativity, perseverance, love for family, service, leadership.

3. What difficult things may have been passed down?

Examples: silence, fear, conflict, distance, grief, pressure, survival, anger, shame, broken trust, unhealthy coping, emotional avoidance.



4. What did your family teach you about God, faith, or church?

5. What did your family teach you about love, relationships, or community?

6. What did your family teach you about work, money, education, or responsibility?

7. What strengths do you see in your family line?



step four:

CHOOSE WHAT YOU WANT TO CARRY FORWARD

**As Legacy Makers,
we can honour what was good,
name what was painful, and invite God to help us build
something new.**

1. What is one thing from my family story that I want to honour?

2. What is one thing I want God to heal or redeem?

3. What is one pattern I do not want to continue?

4. What is one new pattern I want to build with God?

5. What do I want the next generation to receive from my life?



step five:

LEGACY REFLECTION

COMPLETE THE SENTENCES BELOW.

I am grateful for:

I am being honest about:

I sense God highlighting:

I want to build a legacy of:

One step of faithfulness I can take is:



step six:

MY LEGACY PRAYER

a prayer

Lord, thank You for my story.
Help me honour what was good, heal from what was painful,
and build what is pleasing to You.

I surrender:

I receive:

With Your help, I want to build a legacy of:

FINAL DECLARATION

My family story matters, but it does not have the final word.

With God, I can honour what was good, heal from what was
painful, and build something beautiful for the generations
coming after me.

I am a Legacy Maker





Jessica Robinson-Grant

FOUNDER & VISIONARY



SATURDAY, AUGUST 8, 2026
FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION

FROM GENERATION TO GENERATION REFLECTION

What has God entrusted to you that He is asking you to steward faithfully?

What part of today's message challenged the way you think about legacy?

Because of my obedience, I pray the next generation will...

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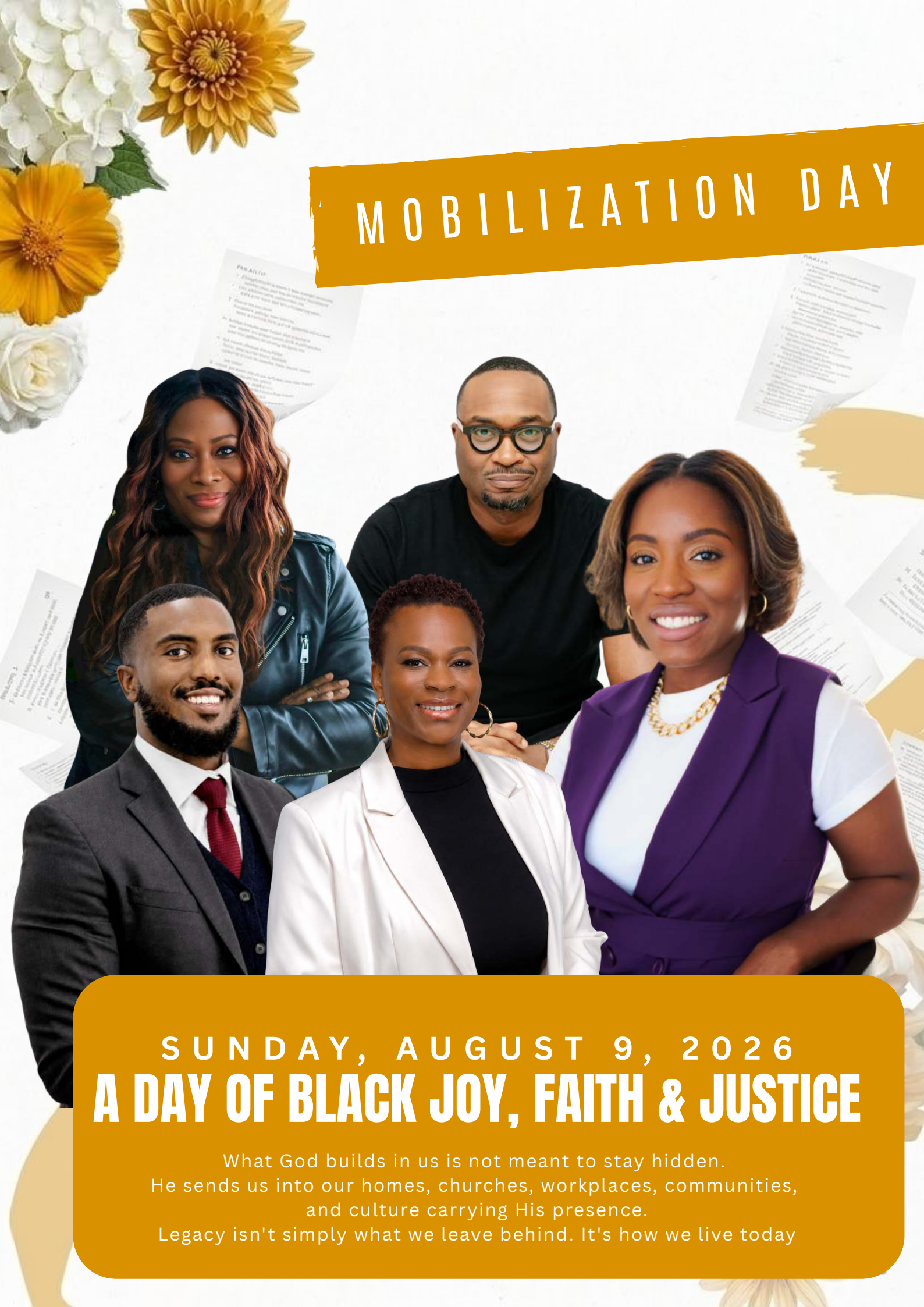
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MOBILIZATION DAY

SUNDAY, AUGUST 9, 2026
A DAY OF BLACK JOY, FAITH & JUSTICE

What God builds in us is not meant to stay hidden.
He sends us into our homes, churches, workplaces, communities,
and culture carrying His presence.
Legacy isn't simply what we leave behind. It's how we live today

MOBILIZATION DAY REFLECTION

What challenged the way you think about faith in action?

Where is God inviting you to become more courageous in your everyday life?

What does living as a Legacy Maker look like in your current season?

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letter to **FUTURE ME**



**WHEN LIFE GETS BUSY AGAIN...
WHEN THIS WEEKEND STARTS TO FEEL FAR AWAY...
WHEN YOU'RE TEMPTED TO FORGET WHAT GOD SPOKE...**

READ THIS LETTER.

Open this again on **February 7, 2027** (6 months from now).

Prefer a digital copy?

Head to <https://www.futureme.org> and write your letter there!

MY LEGACY *covenant*

Take some time to go back and read what you wrote before BLOOM began and reflect then prayerfully complete this.

From today, going forward, I am choosing:

- | | |
|---|---|
| ☐ Obedience over comfort | ☐ Healing over Hiding |
| ☐ Faith over Fear | ☐ Purpose over Performance |
| ☐ Community over Isolation | ☐ Surrender over Striving |
| ☐ Jesus over EVERYTHING! | |

One thing I got clarity and/or confirmation on this weekend is...
or My biggest takeaway from this weekend is...

One act of obedience I don't want to delay is...

One conversation I need to have...
or One person I'm committing to pray for...

My personal commitment to God is:

Signature

Date:



OK...IT'S TIME, SIS! YOU ARE A LEGACY MAKER!

What an honour it has been to spend this weekend together.

My prayer isn't simply that you leave encouraged.
It's that you leave transformed.

May you build with wisdom. Love with courage.
Lead with humility. Serve with compassion.
Remain rooted in Jesus.
And leave a legacy that points people back to Him.

The world doesn't need another perfect woman.
It needs women fully surrendered to God.
So go.

BLOOM.
BUILD.
DEPLOY.

Leave your mark, Sis

WITH LOVE,

Jess

JOIN THE BLOOM SIS
COMMUNITY



BLOOM

University

A School of Soul Care, Formation & Faith

WHAT IS Bloom University?

Bloom University is our year-round discipleship community for women who want to keep growing in their faith, deepen their relationship with Jesus, and continue building the lives God has called them to steward.

Inside Bloom University you'll receive:

- Weekly spiritual formation prompts & check-ins
- Monthly live teaching + prayer gatherings
- Faith-integrated workshops & leadership development
- Bible studies and courses released throughout the year
- A private sisterhood community & practical convo

we don't just want women to just experience a powerful weekend.

lasting legacy is built through faithful, everyday discipleship.

So, We want to walk with you as you continue becoming more like Jesus.

**ALL FOR ONLY
\$20/MTH**

JOIN TODAY!

