



Open Heaven 18 September 2026 Today Devotional & Commentary

Description

The Open Heaven 18 September 2026 devotional for today is PERMEATING ANOINTING.

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OPEN HEAVEN 18 SEPTEMBER 2026 TODAY DEVOTIONAL

TOPIC: PERMEATING ANOINTING

MEMORISE:

The LORD will perfect that which concerneth me: thy mercy, O LORD, endureth for ever: forsake not the works of thine own hands.

Psalm 138:8

READ: 2 Kings 13:21

21 And it came to pass, as they were burying a man, that, behold, they spied a band of men; and they cast the man into the sepulchre of Elisha: and when the man was let down, and touched the bones of Elisha, he revived, and stood up on his feet.

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In Mark 8:22-25, Jesus spat on the eyes of a blind man, laid His hand on him and asked if he could see. The blind man looked up and said that he saw

men as trees, walking. Someone else would have been content with this miracle â?? at least the blind man could now see. However, Jesus touched the man a second time, and he began to see properly.

That is a good example of how the anointing is meant to flow through the life of the anointed.

Elisha was another fellow whom the anointing permeated every part of his life, such that even his dried bones still raised the dead, long after he had died. I have seen some anointed individuals build thriving ministries, but upon closer inspection of their lives, you will discover that other aspects of their lives are not experiencing the same level of growth. This ought not to be so.

Beloved, if you get anointed by God in one area of your life, and you notice that another area of your life is not flourishing as it should, please ask God for an all-round anointing that will permeate every area of your life. Do not be satisfied with being anointed in just one area of your life; seek that Godâ??s anointing should permeate all areas of your life

Many years ago, a man invited me to his home in Houston, Texas. After I left, he sat in the chair I occupied during my visit and prayed. Within a few days, he received the miracle he asked God for when he prayed. He told his friends what happened, and they all began to come to his house to sit on the same chair and pray. When they all received the miracles they asked God for, news spread quickly, and many more people began to visit the manâ??s home. The man became frustrated by the crowd of people, so he took the chair into his bedroom and placed an identical chair in its place. He thought that people would stop coming when they pray and do not receive any miracles.

However, people continued to troop into his home, praying and receiving miracles. What the man didnâ??t know was that the anointing did not stop on the chair; it went right into the floor the chair was on.

Beloved, seek to be anointed by God and ask that the anointing should permeate every area of your life, in Jesusâ?? name.

PRAYER POINT

Father, please let the anointing permeate every area of my life, in Jesusâ?? name.

BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

Amos 1-4

[**Open Heavens HYMN 59: I WANT TO BE LIKE JESUS**](#)

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COMMENTARY

Have you ever walked into a room where someone was peeling an orange, and within seconds, the sweet scent filled every single corner of the space? That is exactly what *“permeating”* means—it is something that spreads, seeps, and completely saturates everything it touches.

Today's Open Heavens devotional delivers a life-shifting message about the nature of God's power.

Daddy teaches us that God does not want His power to be restricted to just one small compartment of our lives. Instead, He wants His Holy Spirit to soak through every single area—our health, our marriages, our finances, and our careers.

1. The Progressive Miracle (The Second Touch)

Pastor starts by taking us to the story of the blind man in Mark 8:22-25. When Jesus first laid hands on him, the man could only see *“men as trees, walking”*. Many of us would have packed up our bags, celebrated, and started a testimony sharing session right there—after all, partial sight is better than total blindness! But Jesus was not satisfied with a half-done job. He touched the man a second time, and his vision was fully and perfectly restored.

This shows us that God is a perfectionist. As the memorise verse in Psalm 138:8 promises: *“The LORD will perfect that which concerneth me”*. If there is any area of your life that is still *“blurry”* or half-restored, Jesus wants to touch it again.

2. The Elisha Standard: Anointing in the Bones

To show us how deep the anointing can go, Daddy reminds us of Elisha. In 2 Kings 13:21, years after Elisha had died and his body had decomposed, a dead man's body was hastily thrown into Elisha's tomb. The very moment the corpse touched Elisha's dry bones, the dead man sprang back to life!

The devotional points out that the anointing had so deeply permeated Elisha's physical body during his lifetime that even his dry, forgotten bones still carried resurrection power long after he was gone.

3. The Houston Floorboards: Saturated Foundations

To bring this home, Daddy shares a beautiful personal testimony. Many years ago, a man invited him to his home in Houston, Texas. After he left, the man sat in the chair Daddy had used and prayed for a miracle. Within days, his prayer was answered. Word spread, and friends began flocking to the house to sit on the same chair and pray, all receiving their miracles too.

Frustrated by the growing crowds, the homeowner hid the blessed chair in his bedroom and replaced it with an identical one, hoping the visits would stop. But the miracles kept happening! Why? Because, as Daddy explains, the anointing didn't just stop on the chair; it had seeped right through the legs and saturated the very floorboards beneath it.

Relating This to Your Everyday Life

It is easy to have a *“patchwork”* Christian life. You might look at your life today and notice a

striking imbalance:

- Perhaps you are highly anointed and successful in your career, but your physical health is failing.
- Maybe your ministry is thriving and people are blessed by your prayers, but your marriage is cold, or your children are distant.
- You might be deeply spiritual, yet struggling in debt and financial lack.

Pastor Adeboye warns us that this is not God's perfect will. God does not want us to have patchy blessings. He wants an all-round, permeating grace that flows into every single crack of our lives.

To help us understand this all-round work, let us look at two scriptures not mentioned in the devotional:

- **1 Thessalonians 5:23:** *Now may the God of peace Himself sanctify you completely; and may your whole spirit, soul, and body be preserved blameless!* • God's ultimate plan is complete, three-dimensional wholeness.
- **Acts 19:11-12:** We see that God worked unusual miracles through Paul, so that even aprons or handkerchiefs touched by him healed the sick. Just like Elisha's bones and Daddy's chair, God's power is highly contagious and loves to saturate physical objects to bless humanity.

A Life Example:

Imagine a dedicated church worker who spends hours serving God but leaves their business to run on dishonest shortcuts because "business is business, and church is church." That is a compartmentalised life. When we allow the anointing to permeate, the same integrity, love, and power we display on Sunday begins to saturate our business dealings on Monday, leading to divine favour and overflow.

Action Steps

1. **Identify the "Men as Trees":** **Areas:** Take an honest look at your life. What area is currently experiencing partial breakthrough or "blurry" sight? Is it your health, your temper, or your finances? Bring that specific area to Jesus for a second touch.
2. **Stop Compartmentalising God:** Do not leave your faith at the church doors. Consciously invite the Holy Spirit into your workplace, your budget planning, your parenting, and your difficult conversations.
3. **Keep Your Vessel Clean:** The anointing only permeates clean vessels. Daily repent of any hidden sins or compromises that might act as a barrier to the flow of God's power in your life.

Prayer Points

1. Father, I thank You for Your faithfulness, mercy, and promise to perfect everything that concerns my life.
2. Lord Jesus, I ask for a second touch today; please touch every area of my life that is currently experiencing partial breakthrough or limitation, and make me completely whole.
3. Father, let Your anointing permeate every single department of my life—my career, my marriage, my health, and my finances—let nothing be left dry, in Jesus' name.

4. Lord, deliver me from â??patchyâ?• blessings; do not let me succeed in public while privately suffering or failing behind closed doors, in Jesusâ?? name.
5. Father, let the anointing seep into the very foundations of my home and family, so that everyone who steps into my house encounters Your healing and deliverance, in Jesusâ?? name.
6. Lord, like Elisha, let the impact of Your grace upon my life outlive me; let my legacy, my prayers, and my labours continue to speak life to generations unborn, in Jesusâ?? name.
7. Father, I surrender my entire being to You today; let Your Holy Spirit saturate my spirit, soul, and body, and use me as a mighty channel of Your supernatural power, in Jesusâ?? name

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