

YOU NEED ANY HELP?

Contact the Cathedral Office for all necessary information and the Office will direct you to the appropriate persons to help. Below are the Contact Persons.

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- B. **For Social Welfare and Charity**
*The Dean; Ven. Azubike Ahubelem; Dr. (Mrs.) Irene Omogbehin
08033223803*
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The Dean; The Society Chaplains; Presidents & Secretaries of Societies
- D. **For The Elderly Ministry**
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- E. **For The Evangelical Ministry**
The Dean; The Canon Residentiary; Mr Raymond Agu - 08033003906
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The Dean; Mr Tunji Odeneye. - 08033163337
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- T. **For Chaplains to Societies**
The Dean; The Canon Residentiary
- U. **For The Choir**
The Dean; Mr Sunday Olawuwo - 08023030357
- V. **For Booking of the Halls & Guest House**
*The Dean, Mr Kyeshak Ardel – 0703-3343999, Mr Seye Ogunsanya -
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Our Vision:

“CHRIST FOR ALL NATIONS”

Our 2018 Mission:

“MY HELP COMES FROM THE LORD”
Psalm 121:2.

A GOOD INDICATOR OF YOUR SPIRITUAL TEMPERATURE IS YOUR EAGERNESS TO COME TO THE CHURCH (PS 122:1). NEVER ALLOW YOUR SEAT TO BE EMPTY FOR AN EMPTY SEAT IS AN EMPTY HEAD AND IN HIS PRESENCE ONLY ARE FULLNESS OF JOY AND PLEASURES.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday, 12th August - Saturday, 18th August, 2018

TRINITY 11

Theme: The Ministry of Reconciliation

Colour: GREEN

Mr. Adetunji Adekoya
Cathedral Warden

Mr. Charles Ojo
Cathedral Warden

The Ven. Adegoke O. Agara
The Dean of the Cathedral

The Rt. Rev. Dr. James O. Odedeji
The Bishop, Diocese of Lagos West

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Support God's Mission through the Covenant Seed
Be A Diocesan Covenant Seeder

1. SERVICES FOR SUNDAY – 12TH AUGUST

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: *The Rev. Oluwambe Toriola*
O.T. Reading: *Layreader F. Okey-Ogbu*
The Epistle: *Layreader Grace Odukomaiya*
The Gospel: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*
Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*
Intercession: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: VSH 70
 - ❖ Worship Songs
 - ❖ The Preparation to Penitence – Ven. F. Olowosile
 - ❖ O.T. Reading: Isaiah 49:1-6
 - ❖ Psalm: 19:113-128
 - ❖ The Epistle: II Cor. 5:14-6:1-2
 - ❖ Gradual Hymn: VSH 75
 - ❖ The Gospel: John 17:20-26
 - ❖ Sermon
 - ❖ Nicene Creed & Intercession
 - ❖ The Peace
 - ❖ The Offerings: Choruses
- (a) First Fruit (b) Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*
- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
 - ❖ The Administration: CH 447, 244, 559, VSH 63
 - ❖ The Ablution: CH 462
 - ❖ Post Communion Prayer

Thanksgiving

- i. Clergy Harvest: *The Rev & Mrs O. Toriola & Family*
- ii. Family Harvest: *(as indicated see page 22)*
- iii. Society Harvest *(as indicated see page 22)*
- iv. Mr & Mrs Lawrence Ndu thanking God for 10th birthday of their daughter Chisomebi Ndu and God's numerous blessings.

- ❖ Doxology & Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 471

WE WELCOME ALL OUR FIRST TIMERS IN JESUS NAME. WE REQUEST THAT YOU PLEASE MOVE TO THE LADY'S CHAPEL AFTER THE SERVICE WHERE OUR EVANGELICAL TEAM IS WAITING TO ATTEND TO YOU.

BREAST FEEDING SUITE

This opens at the back of the ALTAR from **6.30am to 2.00pm** on **SUNDAYS** to enable our nursing mothers remain **BABY FRIENDLY** within the confines of the Church during services.

WANTED: MALE SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS:

Male, well spirited and spiritually inclined members are needed to strengthen the workforce in the Sunday School department of AVMCC. Kindly contact **Mr Odeneye on 08033163337**.

I. 2018 INTER-SOCIETY BIBLE QUIZ

The above named **Quiz Competitions** among Societies in the Cathedral will be coming up on Sunday, **2nd September, 2018 by 3.00p.m** for the preliminary and the **final on Sunday 4th November, 2018 by 3.00p.m**. Book of Study – (A) ESTHER (B) NEHEMIAH (C) ANGLICANISM (D) CHURCH OF NIGERIA BIBLE STUDY OUTLINE (JUNE – AUGUST).

J. N100,000 BIBLE QUIZ OVERALL WINNERS ENDOWMENT FUND

An Endowment Fund in honour and memory of **LATE ENGR. R.S. OGUNDANA** is already instituted to the tune of **N100,000** by a parishioner as **Annual Prize** to the overall winner of Bible Quiz.

K. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

Avail yourself of this plan. Read the BIBLE in one year and be blessed – **Rev. 1:3**

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|----|-------------------------|-----------|---|--------------|
| 1. | August 12 th | Sunday | - | Isaiah 40-42 |
| 2. | August 13 th | Monday | - | Isaiah 43-45 |
| 3. | August 14 th | Tuesday | - | Isaiah 46-48 |
| 4. | August 15 th | Wednesday | - | Isaiah 49-51 |
| 5. | August 16 th | Thursday | - | Isaiah 52-54 |
| 6. | August 17 th | Friday | - | Isaiah 55-57 |
| 7. | August 18 th | Saturday | - | Isaiah 58-60 |

L. AVMCC BANK ACCOUNTS DETAILS

<u>BANK</u>	<u>ACCOUNT NUMBER</u>	<u>SORT CODE</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>
ACCESS	0017948337	044151245	Evangelical Fund
WEMA	0120970667	035150695	Offering & Thanksgiving
FIRST	2025018178	011151841	Harvest (kindly signify the purpose e.g. Family harvest, Youth Harvest etc.)
FIRST	2001350641	011151841	Project Support
STANBIC	9200212515	221150027	First Fruits
GTB	0007899440	058152120	Tithes
WEMA	0122245798	035150695	Endowment Fund

Please indicate your name in the payments.

M. AVMCC CHURCH NEEDS

Dear Parishioners,

Be encouraged to pick one or more of the items listed below to mark your birthday, wedding anniversary and other occasions of joy. Do endeavour to get in touch with the WARDENS for specifications or monetization.

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| 1. | Tables for the Halls | N 4,100 per one |
| 2. | Chairs for the Halls | N1,600 per one |
| 3. | APC Industrial Ups 10KVA | N2,400,000 |
| 4. | Hi Tech Surveillance System | N1,800,000 |
| 5. | Mercury Stabilizer 10 KVA | N 250,000 |
| 6. | 4 Channel Video Switcher | N1,200,000 |
| 7. | 4 pcs Flagons 48oz capacity | |
| 8. | 4pcs Chalice | |
| 9. | Advance Bass Combo | N200,000 |
| 10. | Pro. Bass Guitar 6 strings Cort 6 | N400,000 |
| 11. | Development of our landed properties | |
| 12. | Painting of the Church and our halls | |
| 13. | 3 Pcs Handsfree Table Microphones | |

50TH BIRTHDAY

ACKNOWLEDGMENT AND APPRECIATION

*Beloved in Christ, This is to express our profound gratitude first to God Almighty the owner of our souls, to our father and mother, our Diocesan, mentor and covenant helper, **The Rt. Rev. Dr James Olusola & Mrs Lydia Olukemi Odedeji** and indeed to the entire members of Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, young, old, male, female, Clergy workforce and Laity, Societies and groups for being there for us again at our 50th birthday thanksgiving service as you have always being there since June 1997.*

We appreciate your collaboration and constant assistance in keeping us in tune with the purpose of God for our life.

The Lord will replenish you abundantly and preserve you from all evil. Your joy, peace, prosperity breakthrough and blessing shall not be once upon a time in Jesus name.

We are indeed very grateful.

Sincerely Yours in His Service,

The Ven. & Mrs A.O. Agara

08/08/2018

PREFERMENT

*The Rev. Oluwambe Toriola is now to the glory of God a Canon in the Diocese of Lagos West courtesy of the episcopacy of **The Rt. Rev. Dr. James Olusola Odedeji**.*

CLERGY MOVEMENT

*By episcopal seal we announce the movement of Clergy as it affects the Cathedral Clergy workforce. **The Rev. Canon & Mrs Oluwambe Toriola** moving to Anglican Church of Redemption, Ibafo while the **Rev & Mrs Dayo Bamgbola** replaced them with effect from 16th August, 2018.*

D. HARVEST NEWS

A. Family Harvest for today - Sunday 12th August, 2018

7.00am: *Omooba (Arc). Muyiwa Adeyemi & Family, Mr Hope Osueke & Family, Princess Nancy Ogbonnaya & Family, Dr. (Mrs) Olawunmi Ashiru & Family, Mr Emeka Nwankwo & Family, Mr Lawrence Ndu & Family, Mr Uchenna Ukaegbu & Family, Phar. Gabriel Okoli & Family, Bro. Chukwuemeka Egwim & Family.*

10.00am: *Chief Olorunda Akinwande & Family, The Ven. Luyi Akinwande & Family, Evang. Eze Ebonugwu & Family, Prince Olusegun Adedaja & Family, Maxwell Enyioko & Family.*

B. Society Harvest for today – Sunday 12th August, 2018 Band of Faith, Band of Peace and Lord's Vessel's

C. Family Harvest for next - Sunday 19th August, 2018

7.00am: *Mr Gladstone Opara & Family, Mr Ossie Nwankwo & Family, Mrs Nancy Smith & Family.*

10.00am: *Mr Oluwale Agunloye & Family, Mr D.O. Akinsanmi & Family.*

B. 10.00am MATTINS

LORDS LABOURERS FELLOWSHIP ANNIVERSARY

Cantor: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*

O.T. Reading: *Lord's Labourers Fellowship*

N.T. Reading: *Lord's Labourers Fellowship*

Preacher: *The Rev. Canon O. Toriola*

Intercession: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 521
- ❖ Worship Songs
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Psalm 119:113-128
- ❖ O.T. Reading: Isaiah 49:1-6
- ❖ Te Deum (*Worship Book .page 53*)
- ❖ N.T. Reading: John 17:20-26
- ❖ Apostles Creed – Collects
- ❖ Hymn: VSH 174
- ❖ Sermon
- ❖ Praises, Intercessory - Grace
- ❖ The Offerings: Choruses
- (a) *First Fruit* (b) *Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*
- ❖ **The Anniversary:**
 - i. Lords Labourers Anthem
 - ii. Rededication of Members
 - iii. L.L. Fellowship, Patrons/Patronesses & the Church

Thanksgiving

- i. Clergy Harvest: *The Rev & Mrs O. Toriola & Family*
 - ii. Family Harvest: (*as indicated see page 22*)
 - iii. Society Harvest (*as indicated see page 22*)
 - iv. Birthday Thanksgiving of Chief Olorunda Akinwande & God's numerous blessings.
 - v. 60th Birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Helen Mojisola Oloniyi & God's numerous blessings.
 - vi. 70th birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Rachael Adenike Akinwande & God's numerous blessings.
 - vii. Evang. Eze Ebonugwu thanking God for safety of his wife, Mrs Uchechi Ebonugwu from road accident, successful surgery and God's numerous blessings.
- ❖ Doxology & Benediction
 - ❖ Notices
 - ❖ Diocesan Anthem
 - ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: All things are possible.. (*pg 9*)

C. EVENTS AHEAD

1. **Royal Gem and Royal Vessels – 18th August, 2018 at 9.00m at the Youth Chapel.**
2. **Hosting of 2018 Diocesan Women's Conference by AVMCC at the City of God, Ipaja from 23rd to 25th August., 2018.**
3. **Intersociety Bible Quiz – Sunday, 2nd September, 2018 at 3.00pm.**
4. **DLW Choral Competition – Sunday, 2nd September, 2018 at 4.00pm.**
5. **God in My Life – Sunday, 9th September, 2018 at 4.00pm. Speaker: The Most Revd. Dr. Olusegun Adeyemi**
6. **Intersociety Singing Festival – Sunday, 23rd September, 2018 at 4.00pm.**

D. EQUIPPING THE SAINTS IS ON BE A PARTAKER. IT IS SPIRITUALLY REWARDING. Classes hold every Saturday at 9.00am. Venue: 1st Floor, Vining Hall.

F. FIRST FRUITS – LEV. 23:10-11; DEUT. 26:1-10

1. Your first salary on a new job.
2. The first profit from a new line of business
3. For those already working, it is the first salary in the year.
4. When promoted to another level, the difference between your former salary and the new one.
5. To the aged with no pension, it is your first allowance from your children.
6. For Landlords and Landladies, the rent for the first month in the year is your first fruit.
7. For students, the poor, the jobless, it is your first gift in the year.
8. For those with multiple sources of income or salary, the best or the highest of all is ideal as first fruit.

TEST GOD WITH IT, TASTE AND SEE THAT THE LORD IS GOOD – Mal. 3:10, Ps. 34:8

Acct NO - STANBIC IBTC - 9200212515- First Fruits

G. AVMCC SPONSORSHIP OF 2018 EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES

1. Sunday August 12, 2018 - Ambassadors of Christ
2. Sunday August 19, 2018 – Band of Glory
3. Sunday August, 26, 2018 - Youth Harvest
4. Sunday Sept 2, 2018 - Bible Quiz Competition
6. Sunday Sept. 9, 2018 - Light of the World
7. Sunday Sept. 16, 2018 - Band of Mercy
8. Sunday Sept. 23, 2018 - Intersociety Singing
9. Sunday Sept. 30, 2018 - National Harvest
10. Sunday Oct. 7, 2018 - Choir Anniversary

G. 7.00a.m & 10.00a.m. YOUTH SERVICE

Cantor: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Theme: *The Ministry of Reconciliation*

❖ Processional Hymn: VSH 70

❖ Call to Worship

❖ Psalm 119:113-128

❖ O.T. Reading: Isaiah 49:1-6

❖ Praises

❖ N.T. Reading: John 17:20-26

❖ Creed to Collect

❖ Choir Ministration

❖ Bible Study / Sermon

❖ Intercession

❖ Offerings: Choruses

(a) *First Fruits* (b) *Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*

❖ Thanksgiving

❖ Benediction

❖ The Notices

❖ Withdrawal Hymn: All things are possible... (pg 9)

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- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Catherine Ihejieruwa Iheagwam (Mother of Mr Dennis Iheagwam of the Choir & YMCA) Burial arrangements are will be announced later.

C. ARCHBISHOP VINING MEMORIAL CHURCH CATHEDRAL

EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT INITIATIVE FOR INDIGENT YOUTHS IN AVMCC

Applications are invited for the AVMCC Annual Scholarship Awards.

1. CRITERIA FOR AWARDS:

- Applicant and/or any parent must have been on the registered list of members of the AVMCC for at least FIVE years prior to the application.
- Applicant must be indigent and must attach evidence through an attestation letter by the Dean or a Priest in the Cathedral
- Applicant and/or parent must be a member of a Church Society or Ministry.
- Applicant must be a registered student of a Tertiary Institution or professional Institute in Nigeria ONLY i.e. Universities, Polytechnics, Colleges of Education or accredited professional Institutes and certified by appropriate authority of the Institution.
- Applicants must have good academic performances with evidence through the statement of results signed by the Registrar/appropriate authority of the institution

2. How to Apply for AVMCC Scholarships

Each applicant shall submit a typed application letter, not more than two pages. addressed to "The Chairman, Educational Support Initiative, Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, Ikeja, Lagos" The letter must include the name of the candidate, course of study, year of study, state of origin, and why the candidate believes that he/she should be given the scholarship award. The application letter must be accompanied by:

- Evidence of AVMCC membership of applicant and / or parent
- Or a letter from the Dean of AVMCC certifying that candidate is a member indicating the Society or ministry he/she or the parent belongs
- Evidence of membership of the Cathedral Youth Vanguard
- Photocopies of SSCE/NECO results and JAMB admission letter
- A photocopy of the candidate's current school Identity card.
- A letter from the Registrar of the candidate's institution certifying that the candidate is a student of such institution.
- A letter from the candidate's current Head of Department, including correct information of the candidate's biodata, academic profile and CGPA for the last academic semester.
- Two (2) current passport photographs.

All applications are to be submitted to the Office of the Dean, AVMCC not later than Friday, 31st August, 2018.

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15. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1st Thursday of the Month. Venue: The AVMCC Auditorium. Time: 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- ii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers - Every 1st Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iii. Fasting & Prayer for Christian Mothers - Every last Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iv. **Adult Education Programme:** This course is for young and old every Monday & Wednesday by 3.30pm at the Vining Hall.

16. INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

A. ECONOMIC EMPOWERMENT NEWS TRACK

August 2018 Credit Facilities: Parishioners who need funds to start or grow their businesses are invited to pick up application forms from the EEP office. Deadline for receipt of applications is on August 22, 2018.

Jewelry & Bead Making Workshop For The Elderly: The EEP Vocation team will organized a special Jewelry and Bead Making Workshop for members of the AVMCC Elderly Ministry. This would hold on **Thursday, August 16th, 2018**. Participation fee is **N3,000**. Registration closes on **Sunday, August 12, 2018**. (Please note for only parishioners who are 60years and above).

AVMCC - EEP Bank Details - GTB. 010634434 (Please indicate your name and what payment is for).

B. Obituaries

- i. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Pa Zaccheaus Olaitan Olusodo (Father of Mr & Mrs Bola Olusodo of Christian Brothers Society). Aged: 93years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake Keep Service: On Friday, 17th August, 2018 at No 7, Oke-Ita Street, Odosenbora, Ilugun, Ijebu by 5.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Saturday, 18th August, 2018 at Christ Anglican Church, Odosenbora, Ilugun, Ijebu. Entertainment of Guest at the Church ground by 10.00am.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Chief (Mrs) Oladunni Ibadapo-Obe (Mother of Mr & Mrs Taiwo Ibadapo-Obe of Fountain of Hope). Aged: 92years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake Keep Service: On Friday, 24th August, 2018 at Ajobeku Lodge, Alejolowo Lane, Imo, Ilesha by 5.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Saturday, 25th August, 2018 at Cathedral Church of Holy Trinity, Omofe, Ilesha by 10.00am.
- iii. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Mr Darius Ekekwe Agwah Isaiah (Father of Mrs Chinwe Iwuji of LLF & Mothers Union). Aged: 90years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Funeral Service: On Friday, 31st August, 2018 at St. Peter's Anglican Church Field, Akokwa, Ideato North LGA. Imo State. by 10.00am.

H. 6.00 pm. FAMILY EVENING

Cantor: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*

Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Sponsor: *Ambassadors of Christ*

Organist: *Mr Dapo Okunmuyide*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 56
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Praise Worship
- ❖ Lesson: II Cor. 5:11-6:1-2 – **Ambassadors of Christ**
- ❖ Hymn: CH 500
- ❖ Short Exhortation & Prayer
- ❖ Offerings Choruses
(a) *First Fruit* (b) *Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*
- ❖ Thanksgiving
- ❖ Closing Prayer
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 58

2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY 10

Introductory Sentence

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, enlighten the eyes of our hearts, that we may know what is the hope of which He has called us. **Ephesians 1:17-18.**

Collect for the Week:

Almighty Father, Whose Son Jesus Christ has taught us that what we do for the least of our brethren we do also for Him; give us the will to be the servant of others as He was the Servant of all, who gave up His life and died for us; but is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever. **Amen.**

Post Communion Sentence

For God did not give us a Spirit of timidity, but a Spirit of power, of love and of self-discipline. **II Tim. 1:7.**

3. ANIMA CHRISTI

1. **Soul of my Saviour, Sanctify my breast
Body of Christ, be Thou my saving guest
Blood of my Saviour, Bathe me in Thy tide
Wash me with water flowing from Thy side.**
2. **Strength and protection may Thy passion be
O blessed Jesus, hear and answer me
Deep in Thy wounds, Lord, hide and shelter me
So shall I never, never part from Thee.**
3. **Guard and defend me from the foe malign
In death's dread moments, make me only Thine
Call me and bid me come to Thee on high
When I may praise Thee with Thy Saints for aye.
Amen
5.**

4. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY, 12TH AUGUST, 2018

A. Prayers for the Anglican Communion and for Christian Denominations and Organizations

- i. Pray for Nicholas our Primate, Olusina, Our Archbishop and Olusola our Bishop,
- ii. For the Rt. Rev. Amos Fagbamiye, his family and all members of the Diocese of Trinity.

B. Prayers for Nigeria & the World

- i. That Nigeria and the world be delivered from satanic rule.
- ii. That the people of Nigeria be genuinely converted and reconciled back to the Almighty God.
- iii. That the spirit of reconciliation be prevalent among our leaders.

C. Prayers for AVMCC Members

- i. That members be reconciled back to God.
- ii. That the spirit of malice die in this Cathedral.
- iii. That every power causing hatred and strife in church become impotent.
- iv. That the bond of love remain strong in this household of God.

D. Prayers for all our members who are having their Birthdays and/or other Anniversaries today:

- i. For Omooba Arc. Muyiwa Adeyemi, Imisioluwa Adeosun, Mr Amen Omoragbon, Mis Joyce Ogochukwu, Mrs Helen Oloninyi, Mrs Chinonso Igwe, Mr Ayodeji Tifase and others who are celebrating their birthdays today.
- ii. For those having their Wedding Anniversaries or any other positive Anniversaries today.

E. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

- i. Ekhomu Family, Eko Family, Ekine Family, Ekunwe Family, Ekwejunor Family, Ekwem Family, Ekwueme Family, Ekwugh Family, Ekwunife Family, Ekwuribe Family.

F. Prayers for the following people: The Rt. Rev. Dr. P. A. Adebisi, Engr. & Mrs. Odedairo, Mrs. Beatrice Akinola, Prof. Segun, Mrs. David-West, Mrs M.I. Ilori, Mrs Idowu Bajomo, Mr & Mrs R.A. Metu, Mr. B. Sorinmade, Mrs M.M. Aruofor, Mrs Esther Babalola, Mrs Roseline Anyadikwa, Mrs. Ronke Famuyide, Mrs Betty Bamgboye, Mr Samuel Chukwudum, Mr I.O. Anwo, Prof. Michael Bankole, Mrs Comfort Duru, Pa Isaiah Olajide Solaja, Pa Bisi Lawrence.

G. Prayers For: The barren, the pregnant, spinsters, bachelors, the jobless and the homeless among us that God will open a book of remembrance covering them all and help them speedily to the shame of the devil, removing their reproaches.

5. Tradition has it that Mathias was one of the seventy – Luke 10:1. Though the disciples prayed before his emergence, they appeared not to have fully trusted God for divine direction given their recourse to the superstitious practice of casting lots. No record of Mathias' evangelical exploit after his election, though tradition has it that he went to Ethiopia, laboured there and was martyred there.
6. The emergence of King Saul in Israel could also be described as based on sentiment, a desire to be like neighbouring nations thus neglecting and rejecting the Most High God. 1 Sam. 8:4-22.
7. Leaders must learn to see issues the way they really are for a wrong perception of an issue subject the issue to wrong diagnosis, wrong solution and wrong results.
8. The interference of our personal interest in any given situation amounts to being controlled by sentiment. A state of absolute disinterestedness is highly desirable to make headway in leadership.

B. DANGERS OF SENTIMENT IN LEADERSHIP DECISION.

1. Surrendering to emotion which sometimes beclouds reasoning because it distorts the reality.
2. Loss of the power of objectivity.
3. Perception of issues from a jaundiced view. Leadership organizational success has a lot to do with perspective, perspective speaks of outlook and the outlook determines the outcome.
4. Inability to take proper action.
5. Inability to reinforce and enforce what is RIGHT.
6. Inability to correct what is WRONG.
7. The leader is disrobe of sensibility.
8. Ineptitude sets in (Lack of skill or ability)
9. Inability to make serious and appreciable impact.
10. The personality and interest of leadership in decision making more often than not impact negatively, reason medical practitioners are not allowed to treat their relations.
11. Sentiments affect our judgement, beclouding it.
12. Sentiment poses a challenge to our professionalism.

C. TYPES OF SENTIMENT

FILIAL sentiment, Tribal sentiment, Village sentiment, Societies sentiment, Club sentiment, Gender sentiment, Professional or Vocational Sentiment etc.

D. NEED TO EXORCISE AND ESCHEW SENTIMENT

1. It enhances the taking of right decisions.
2. It ensures the taking of right actions.
3. It enables us to go for the best hands.
4. It affords the opportunity of looking and exploring the bigger picture.
5. It guides in keeping the vision in focus.
6. It allows for the accommodating of opposing views.
7. It culminate in GREATNESS. Greatness does not dance to the beat of sentiments. Those who aim for success must learn to be unsentimental.

CONCLUSION

To ensure that AVMCC remain great till the coming of the Lord the owner of the Church Himself, we must eschew all forms of sentiments starting from us as leaders of the people of God.

iii. Visitation:

Do you know any Parishioner who needs to be visited by the Church? Please send the name and address to the Evangelical Ministry for a follow-up.

E. Counseling Ministry

Please take advantage of the Cathedral Counselling Ministry. It involves every aspect of Human Endeavour, which includes but is not limited to Marriage, Business, and Career. We have a monthly Family Evening where we bring the current needs of Families into focus. If you wish to talk to somebody for Counselling, please call: **08037605902, available on 24 hour basis.**

F. Prisons & Hospital Ministry

(a) Hospital Visitation every 3rd and last Sunday of each month. (b) Prison visitation every 2nd Thursday of the month (c) Meeting comes up every 2nd Sunday of the month after 10.00a.m Service at the Church gallery. For more information, call **(08037136077 and 08036695837).**

G. Intercessory Ministry

This Group, meets for prayers every Tuesday from 5p.m to 6pm. They visit the sick and all those needing spiritual support and prayers etc after 7.00a.m Midweek Communion service every Wednesday. Please avail yourself of the services of this group as and when required.

H. Men & Women of Grace Fellowship

We invite all widows and widowers to a fellowship of God's grace, identifying with one another, serving God and others. We organise Workshops, Evangelical Outreach and Visitations. We meet on Thursdays at 11.00am at the Chapel. For more information please call: **0802-3014807.**

**LEADERSHIP AND SENTIMENT:
A CURSE OR A BLESSING**

A.

1. Sentiment is a thought which is influenced by emotion. Sentiment has to do also with an attitude or opinion. It is a feeling of love, sympathy, kindness etc. It is an attitude, thought or judgement prompted by feeling.
2. In our text, the replacement of Judas Iscariot was administratively expedient and prophetically desirable.
3. However there appeared to have been a little bit of sentiment in the emergence of a worthy replacement. (A) They chose two based on the condition stipulated by themselves not necessarily put in place by God. (B) They ask God to pick from between the two (C) They cast lot and Mathias emerged (Compare this with the commissioning of Saul and Barnabas in Acts 13:1-3)
4. A comparative analysis of the emergence of Apostle Paul and that of Mathias by way of inference might imply that God actually intended Paul to replace Judas among the 12 Apostle. Paul never satisfied the conditions put forward by Peter yet God chooses the despised and weak things of this world to shame the wise. 1 Cor. 1:26-28.

H. Pray that God will send HELP to us from ABOVE to facilitate the development of our lands that are fallow.

5. THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, 12TH AUGUST, 2018

THEME: THE MINISTRY OF RECONCILIATION

READINGS: Psalm 119:113-128; Isaiah 49:1-6;

II Corinthians 5:14-6:1-2; John 17:20-26

You are welcome to the presence of God, the Almighty Father, this day of the Lord in the great name of our Lord, Jesus Christ. The theme of today's meditation is **The Ministry of Reconciliation**, which shall be treated in a way that will allow readers to personalize its benefits.

Christian Theology defines reconciliation as an element of salvation that refers to the results of atonement. It is the end of the estrangement, caused by original sin, between God and humanity. It is the essence of Jesus' vicarious death on the Cross of Calvary, i.e. brokering peace between God and man. Apostle Paul admonished us in today's Epistle reading, 2 Cor.5:20 - we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God (KJV). This is God's simple demand of every person that is yet to have the full knowledge of, and accept Jesus as, his/her Lord and Saviour.

Fighting against sins in your life without the help Reconciliation is needed in a situation of separation. Sins separate man from God because God's eyes are too pure to see evil; He cannot tolerate wickedness (Habakkuk 1:13). God however made a provision that the sinful man should trace his way back to Him (His creator) through faith in Jesus Christ. Whatever the sinful habits that hold you bound and separate you from God, simple faith in God through Jesus Christ, THE WAY, will earn you forgiveness from God and a place in His kingdom. All that is required of you is total surrender to Jesus Christ. Surrender your life to Christ and be reconciled to God because sin will no longer have power over you.

This write-up does not aim at giving a talk on the ministry of reconciliation, but exploring the benefits of reconciliation, asking the question – what is in this reconciliation for me? To be reconciled is to be redeemed, and when you are redeemed, you can confidently declare as follows:

- I am accepted in Christ
- John 1:12 - I am God's child
- John 15:15 - I am Christ's friend
- Romans 5:1 - I have been justified
- 1 Corin 6:17 - I am united with the Lord and one with Him in spirit
- 1 Corin 6:20 - I have been bought with a price; I belong to God
- 1 Corin 12:27 - I am a member of Christ's Body

- Ephesians 1:1 - I am a saint
- Ephesians 1:5 - I have been adopted as God's child
- Ephesians 2:18 - I have direct access to God through the Holy Spirit
- Colossians 1:14 - I have been redeemed and forgiven of all my sins
- Colossians 2:10 - I am complete in Christ
- I am secure in Christ
- Romans 8:1,2 - I am free forever from condemnation
- Romans 8:28 - I am assured that all things work together for good
- Romans 8:33,34 - I am free from any condemning charges against me
- Romans 8:35 - I cannot be separated from the love of God
- 2 Corin 1:21 - I have been established, anointed and sealed by God
- Col 3: 3 - I am hidden with Christ in god
- Philip 1:6 - I am confident that the good work God has begun in me will be perfected
- 2 Timothy 1:7 - I have not been given a spirit of fear, but of power, love and a sound mind
- Hebrews 4:16 - I can find grace and mercy in time of need
- 1 John 5:18 - I am born of God and the evil one cannot touch me
- I am significant in Christ
- Matthew 5:13,14 - I am the salt and light of the earth
- John 15:1,5 - I am a branch of the true vine, a channel of His life
- John 15:16 - I have been chosen and appointed to bear fruit
- Acts 1:8 - I am a personal witness of Christ'
- 1 Corin 3:16 - I am God's temple
- 2 Corin 5:17-20 - I am a minister of reconciliation
- 2 Corin 6:1 - I am God's co-worker
- Ephesians 2:6 - I am seated with Christ in the heavenly realm
- Ephesians 2:10 - I am God's workmanship
- Ephesians 3:12 - I may approach God with freedom and confidence
- Philippians 4:13 - I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me

8.

I. Admission to Archbishop Dada Akinde Anglican Comp. Academy, Ikija, Abeokuta.

The forms for the above school are out at the rate of **N1,000**. Collect your own at the Cathedral Office and submit to the school or Cathedral Office. For enquiries call: 08144489140.

J. Admission to Anglican Girls' College, Ketu, Ijanikin

The forms for the above school are out at the rate of **N5,000**. Payment should be made into **Wema Bank Account NO: 0120980406**. Collect your own at the Cathedral Office and submit to the school or Women's Office, 3rd Floor, Adetiloye House.

14. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

A. Children's Ministry

Parents are requested to send their children to the Sunday School with Bibles, Note Books & Biro's. Please instruct your children to remain in the Sunday School and not wander about looking for things to buy. **Children are better and safer in the Sunday School. Release your children for learning and safe keep there.**

B. Cathedral Youth Chapel

Regular Weekly Programmes

- Strictly Feminine - Every 3rd Saturday of the month.
- Just 4 Guys - Every 1st Saturday of the month at 1.00p.m
- Youth Fellowship every Saturday by 3.00p.m.

Sunday: 7.00am. & 10.00am. Services

Venue: Youth Chapel (2nd Floor, Adetiloye House)

Strictly Feminine - Coordinator - Sister Chiemeka Anadu - 08094816786.

Just 4 Guys Co-ordinator - Bro. Ernest Elue - 08060866421.

C. Elderly Ministry

All Senior Citizens are welcome every Tuesday from 11.00 am to 3.00pm.

- Medical Check-up in the Clinic; Spiritual Talks; Games /Exercises and Handicrafts in the Vining Hall.
- Please send names of sick and shut-in Elders to the Coordinator Elderly Ministry or the Cathedral office for visitation.

iii. **2018 Bible Quiz Book - 1st Samuel.**

D. Evangelical Ministry

i. Monthly Meeting

(a) 1st & 3rd Monday of the Month at 1st Floor, Vining House by 6.00pm.

(b) 2nd Saturday has been shifted to 3rd Saturday.

ii. Home Fellowships:

All Parishioners and their friends are encouraged to attend a Home Fellowship of their Choice and convenience near their homes or work places. Please check the list of Home Fellowship Centres pasted on the Notice Board in front of the Church or contact: **08033100270**, or the Church Office.

17.

C. Vining Bookshop

Kindly patronize the Bookshop at Adetiloye House, which opens at 9.00am-5.00pm Tuesday to Friday, 10.00am-4.00pm on Saturdays and 9.30am-2.00pm on Sundays.

D. Hall Rental

- i. The Halls in the Vining House and Archbishop Adetiloye House are available for Conferences, Seminars, Receptions and Lectures. Please, make your bookings through the Cathedral Office or Call – **Mr Kyeshak Ardel on 07033343999**.
- ii. A decent hall for Conferences, Lectures, Seminars and reception with large parking space is available at Archdeacon Ogunbiyi Memorial Anglican Church, Ikeja. The facility is accessible via the Oshodi-Agege Express Road across the Railway tracks. For Enquiries: Contact **-08050644093**. Thank you.

E. AVMCC Guest House

Stay within a purely Christian environment at AVMCC Guest House. Visit the Office of Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, GRA, Ikeja, for more details and Booking. You will be happy to use the Facilities. For Enquiries call – **Mr Seye Ogunsanya on 07032649958**

F. Admission to Lagos Anglican Schools,

- Anglican Comprehensive High School, College Road, Ipaja,
- Anglican Girls Grammar School, 19, Akinhanmi Street, Surulere,
- CMS Grammar School, Bariga
- Bishop Howells Memorial Grammar School, St. Finbas College Road, Akoka, Yaba - Lagos.
- Igbobi College, Yaba

The forms for the above schools with the exception of IGBOBI COLLEGE are out at the rate of **₦10,000**. Pay into **Union Bank Acct No 0002516850**. Account Name: Lagos Anglican Schools Management Board, Collect the form at the Cathedral Office, and submit to the school of your choice. Examinations take place on Saturday, 26th July, 2018 in the school premises by 8.00am.

G. Admission to Ajayi Crowther University, Oyo

The Forms for the above University are out at the rate of N6,000. Payment should be made to any of the following banks: **Stanbic IBTC – Acct. 9202409902, Skye Bank PLC – 1770968562, Guaranty Trust Bank -0050684338, First Bank – 2013309767**. For more information visit their Website: www.acu.edu.ng or call: **08145920637, 08104408768**.

H. Admission to Lagos Anglican Bible College, Lagos.

The Interview for the admission to the Certificate Course in Biblical Studies of the College, The Diploma Certificate Course in Biblical Studies and the Advanced Course in Biblical Studies is still on at the College premises (LABICO), 17 Broad Street on Monday – Friday from 10.00am until further notice. For more details call – 08023014807 / 08033083851.

What are the acceptable responses to Jesus' ministry of reconciliation?

Those who have not been reconciled in the sense of accepting Jesus Christ as their personal Lord and Savior should surrender their lives to Him, while those who are already reconciled are enjoined to exercise their faith to explore the blessings and benefits of reconciliation as enumerated above.

WITHDRAWAL HYMN FOR 10.00A.M

ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE TO HIM

1. All things are possible to him
That can in Jesus name believe:
Lord, I no more thy truth blaspheme,
Thy truth I lovingly receive;
I can, I do believe in thee,
All things are possible to me.
2. The most impossible of all
Is, that I e'er from sin should cease;
Yet shall it be, I know it shall;
Jesus, look to thy faithfulness!
If nothing is too hard for thee,
All things are possible to me.
3. Though earth and hell the word gainsay,
The word of God can never fail;
The Lamb shall take my sins away,
'Tis certain, though impossible;
The thing impossible shall be,
All things are possible to me.
4. When thou the work of faith hast wrought,
I here shall in thine image shine,
Nor sin in deed, or word, or thought;
Let men exclaim, and fiends repine,
They cannot break the firm decree;
All things are possible to me.
5. Thy mouth, O Lord, hath spoke, hath sworn
That I shall serve thee without fear,
Shall find the pearl which others spurn,
Holy, and pure, and perfect here,
The servant as his Lord shall be;
All things are possible to me.
6. All things are possible to God,
To Christ, the power of God in man,
To me, when I am all renewed,
When I in Christ am formed again,
And witness, from all sin set free,
All things are possible to me.

9. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

August 5 – August 11

7.00 am Holy Communion	1,026
7.00 am Youth Service	176
7.00 am Sunday School	456
10.00 am Mattins	967
10.00 am Youth Service	151
10.00 am Sunday School	219
6.00 pm Service	20
Bible Study	126
Wednesday Holy Communion	175
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	256

10. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

- The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church after Service
- ✚ *Anglican Fellowship*
 - ✚ *Ambassadors of Christ Society*
 - ✚ *Apostle of Peace*
 - ✚ *Busy Bees Society*
 - ✚ *Band of Mercy Executive*
 - ✚ *Charity Band*
 - ✚ *Christian Family Society*
 - ✚ *Christian Household Society*
 - ✚ *Light of the World*
 - ✚ *Lords Labourers Fellowship*
 - ✚ *Y.M.C.A*
 - ✚ *Y.W.C.A.*
- Christian Morning Star meeting comes up today after Mattins at the church premises. Please attend and be blessed.
- Men & Women of Grace meeting comes up on **Thursday, 16th August, 2018** at the front of the Church by 11.00am.

11. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

- i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 12th August, 2018**
7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Pharm. Ifeanyi Uchefuna, Mrs Gina Okolo, Pharm. Ezenwaji Amaka.
10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. (Mrs) Frances Ajose, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Dr. Femi Olaleye, Mrs Bola Awobiyi, Mrs Chinelo Emenike.
- ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 19th August, 2018**
7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Pharm. Ifeanyi Uchefuna, Mrs Gina Okolo, Pharm. Ezenwaji Amaka.
10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. (Mrs) Irene Okwerekwu, Dr. Frances Ajose, Mrs Vivian Jerry-Amah, Pharm Adedeji Ranti.

B. Security & Traffic Control

- i. Sunday 12th August - Saturday, 18th August, 2018**
Nwaorgu Chinedu (**Captain**), Odanye Moji (Mrs) (**Assistant Captain**), Goke Uthman; Ogunleye Adeboboye, Adeyemi Muyiwa, Mbaekwe Augustine, Segun Adeniji, Dare Sigbeku, Chioma Obi, George A. Adeyemi, Juliet Chimezie, Omotola Onakoya, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Rita Osibodu.

10.

11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Trinity 12

August 19

Theme: The Security of the Believer

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*

O.T. Reading *Exodus 3:13-20*

Layreader Rhoda Komolafe

Psalm: *119:129-144*

Epistle: *Romans 8:26-30*

Layreader Edwin Eze

Gospel: *Matthew 10:16-22*

The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem

Address: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

THE YOUTH SERVICE:

Venue: *The Adetiloye House*

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

10.00am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

O.T. Reading *Exodus 3:13-20*

Layreader A.O. Akindeinde

Psalm: *119:129-144*

Epistle: *Romans 8:26-30*

Layreader Oluremi Onabolu

Gospel: *Matthew 10:16-22*

The Rev. Canon Benson Odude

Address: *The Ven. Festus Olowosile*

6.00 pm: EVENSONG

Cantor: *The Rev. Moyinoluwa Talabi*

Psalm: *22:1-10*

Lesson: *I Peter 4*

Preacher: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

12. BANNES OF MARRIAGE

We publish the Banns of Marriage between the persons under-listed: If anyone knows any just cause in law why the persons listed may not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, he should declare it immediately.

3RD NOTICE:

1. *Mr Chukwudi Osakwe & Miss Nancy Emengo*

2ND NOTICE:

1. *Mr Abiola Kashimawo Oshodi & Miss Idowu Afinowi*

1ST NOTICE:

1. *Mr Ugochukwu Ukegbu & Miss Chinenye Agbara*

13. NOTICES

A. Visitors and New Comers

We welcome Visitors and New Comers to Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, Ikeja. We pray that the joy of the Lord will be yours today and always. Visitors and New Comers are requested to please move to the Lady's Chapel where our Evangelical Team is waiting to attend to you.

B. Library:

The Cathedral Library opens daily:

Monday – Friday 9.00am to 6.00pm

Sundays 1.00pm to 3.00pm

We request everyone to make use of this opportunity.

15.

Friday, August 17, 2018 **Colour: Green**

7.00 am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*

Epistle: *Acts 7:17-29 - Lay. Gloria Okeke*

Gospel: *John 4:43-54*

Hymns: *CH 13, VSH 68, CH 577*

Preacher: *The Rev. Moyinoluwa Talabi*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. B.C. Akinpelu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Mainland.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Chiagozie Kenneth, Mr Bolarinwa Adeyoye, Mrs Ernestina Amusan, Barr. Chukwuemeka Egwim, Mr Babajide Ogunmoyero, Mrs Adebukunola Ogunmoyero, Mrs Chinonye Uduji, Miss Gloria Young, Mrs Gloria Elemo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Etabebe Family, Etuk Family, Etuka Family, Evezi Family, Ewenla Family, Ewurum Family, Eze Family, Ezeagabu Family, Ezeagu Family, Ezeagwu Family.

10.00 am - Funeral Service for Late Mrs Modupe Ledun

6.00pm **Healing and Deliverance –**

Topic: Pulling down the Altars – Judges 6:25

6.00pm **EFAC Meeting**

6.30pm **Choir Practice**

Saturday, August 18, 2018 **Colour: Green**

7.00 am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Epistle: *Acts 7:30-43 - Lay. C.F. Akinrotimi*

Gospel: *John 5:1-18*

Hymns: *CH 10, VSH 67, CH XVI*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Prayer Points

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Dr. James Olusola Odedeji, his family and all members of the Diocese of Lagos West.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Norma Jackson-Steele, Mrs Adejoke Adeosun, Mr Ejikeme Kanu, Mrs Margaret Mwantok, Mr Chukwuebuka Oruche, Mrs Maryann Osigwe, Mr Obinna Ilo, Miss Tejumola Ogunlela, Mr Chukwudi Kanu.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ezenmo Family, Ezennaka Family, Ezenwa Family, Ezenwankwo Family, Ezenwoko Family, Ezeobi Family, Ezeocha Family, Ezeoke Family, Ezeokoli Family, Ezeokonkwo Family.
- ❖ **For Mrs Norma Jackson-Steele on her 83rd birthday today**

11.30am **Wedding**

Mr Efe Urhobo Okpako & Miss Ebele Nwando Iwugo

4.00 pm **Youth Fellowship**

4.00pm **Boys' Brigade and Girls' Brigade**

4.00 pm **Baptism**

14.

ii. Sunday 19th August - Saturday, 25th August, 2018

Jemerigbe Helen I. (**Captain**), Adeyemi Muiyiwa

(**Assistant Captain**), Goke Uthman, Juliet Chimezie,

Helen Arhagba, Caroline Omowhara, Jones Bassey; Funso

Fagbuyiro, Kene Obimma, Chukwuemeka Osaka, Bolaji

Dania, Funmi Ladele, Ekwegh Lilian.

WHAT TO DO

HAPPY MOMENTS	–	Praise God
DIFFICULT MOMENTS	-	Seek God
QUIET MOMENTS	-	Worship God
PAINFUL MOMENTS	-	Trust God
EVERY MOMENT	-	Thank God

CHILDREN'S HARVEST ACKNOWLEDGEMENT AND APPRECIATION

While thanking God in same regard and returning all glory to Him, we sincerely register profound appreciation of the entire Church of God in AVMCC as touching the continuous magnanimous disposition of the sponsors of the Annual children's harvest. God will replenish and bless your endeavour. We equally encourage full or part sponsorship of all outstanding harvest programmes.

DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST, AVMCC DHU PROGRAMMES

- i. Every 3rd Friday of every month is Deliverance and Healing hour in the Church 6.00pm -8.00p.m
- ii. Every 3rd Thursday is individual Counselling and Prayer for members.
- iii. Every Tuesday & Wednesday evening Counselling and Prayers before and after Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.
- iv. Every Sunday after 7.00am & 10.00am – Counselling & Prayers.

For enquiries call: 0803- 7152811, 0802-3149601,
0803-3100270 & 0803-8171702.

G. FAITH INSPIRING TESTIMONIES OF THE WEEK

1. For promotion, protection, provision to pay outstanding house rent and many other pleasant surprises.
2. For admission into the university.
3. For miraculous provision of a job within two months of completion of NYSC and promotion thereafter.
4. For divine healing from various diseases/successful surgery.
5. For graduating within a first class honour degree in accounting finance from a U.K. University.
6. For God's goodness and unity in family.
7. For birthday, wedding and other anniversary celebration.

ALL TO THE GLORY OF GOD

10. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, August 13, 2018 Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Canon Oluwambe Toriola*

Epistle: *Acts 5:12-26- Lay. Dele Ajala*

Gospel: *John 3:1-21*

Hymns: *CH 3, CH 584, CH 516*

Preacher: *The Ven Gbenga Oniye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Praises Omole Ekun, his family and his ministry.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Festus O.O. Davies, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ogorimagongo.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Stella Rufus, Prof. Omotayo Adeolu, Mr Raphael Nwani, Mrs Grace Obah, Mrs Uche Oborogu, Mr Olayiwola Opayemi, Engr. Nathaniel Oporum, Miss Omotoyosi Soyinka, Miss Faith Usman, Engr. Femi Agbaniyaka.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Elegbe Family, Elekeokwuri Family, Elemo Family, Elezie Family, Elijah Family, Elue Family, Elugbaju Family, Eluwa Family, Emeasoba Family, Emechebe Family.

1.00 pm Social Welfare Ministry

5.30 pm Standing Committee Meeting

5.30 pm Family/Marriage Counselling Meeting

6.30 pm Choir Practise

Tuesday, August 14, 2018 Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Opeyemi Ibikunle*

Epistle: *Acts 5:27-42 - Lay. Oluremi Onabolu*

Gospel: *John 3:22-36*

Hymns: *CH 5, CH 453, CH 17*

Preacher: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Prof. Dapo Asaju, his family and his ministry.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Prof. Andrew Igenozza, his family and his ministry.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Olumuyiwa Amusan, Mr Olumide Shobayo, Mr Adesoji Adesanya, Engr. Sunday Osoba, Mr Olukayode Adegbuyi, Mrs Abosede Akinsanya.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Emeforo Family, Emeka-Ali Family, Emelogu Family, Emenaka Family, Emenalom Family, Emeni Family, Emenike Family, Emerenini Family, Emeruem Family, Emiade Family.

9.00 am – 11.00am Confirmation Class – Seminar Room

11.00 am – 3.00 pm - Senior Citizens Clinic & Fellowship

5.00pm – 6.00pm Intercessory Prayer

5.00pm – 6.00pm BIBLE STUDY PREVIEW

6.00 pm Bible Study - NEHEMIAH 10

12.

Wednesday, August 15, 2018 Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Epistle: *Acts 6:1-15 - Lay. Kike Akinyemi*

Gospel: *John 4:1-26*

Hymns: *CH 18, VSH 59, Anima Christi*

VSH 102, CH 578

Preacher: *The Ven. Festus Olowosile*

Prayer Points

- ❖ For the Most. Rev. Nicholas D. Okoh, The Primate his family and all members of the Diocese of Abuja.
- ❖ For the Most Rev. Michael Fape, his family and all members of the Diocese of Remo.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Rev. Canon David Olu Agboola, Mr Ndubisi Obiabaka, Mrs Janet Afolabi, Mr Chukwuebuka Azike, Mr Obi Azuru, Miss Chioma Agbasimalo, Mr Ikechukwu Chikezie, Miss Dabelu Obimma, Mrs Nkiru Okoli, Miss Oluwakemi Otun.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Emmanuel Family, Emokhai Family, Ene Family, Eneh Family, Enekwa Family, Enendu Family, Enetanya Family, Enoch Family, Enone Family, Enujioko Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

6.00pm PRAYER MEETING - CAUSE HEAVENS TO DECLARE YOUR GLORY IN MY LIFE O LORD – PSALM 19.

Thursday, August 16, 2018 Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Epistle: *Acts 6:15-7:1-16- Lay. Teju Akindolire*

Gospel: *John 4:27-42*

Hymns: *CH 10, CH 83, VSH 22*

Preacher: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Emmanuel Adekunle, his family and all members of the Diocese of Egba.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. E. Ayo Awosoga, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ijebu.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mazi Sam Oluabunwa, Miss Onyekachi Alozie-Nsirimobi, Mr Stanley Achonwa, Mr Joe Ugwumadu, Mrs Modupe Sigbeku, Mr Godfrey Mbaneme, Mr Gbenga Olajimbiti, Miss Chisom Osuagwu.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Enuka Family, Enuoyibo Family, Enwezor Family, Enyioko Family, Enyiokoro Family, Ephraim Family, Erinne Family, Eriobu Family, Erogbogbo Family, Esan Family.

9.00 am – 11.00am Confirmation Class – Seminar Room

11.00 am - Meeting of Men & Women of Grace

5.00 pm - Wake-Keep for Late Mrs Modupe Ledun

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