

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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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, 19th August - Saturday, 25th August, 2018

TRINITY 12

Theme: The Security of the Believer

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 – 19TH AUGUST

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*
O.T. Reading: *Layreader Rhoda Komolafe*
The Epistle: *Layreader Edwin Eze*
The Gospel: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*
Preacher: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*
Intercession: *The Ven. Festus Olowosile*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 20
 - ❖ Worship Songs
 - ❖ The Preparation to Penitence – **Ven. J. Adekanye**
 - ❖ O.T. Reading: Exodus 3:13-20
 - ❖ Psalm: 119:129-144
 - ❖ The Epistle: Romans 8:26-30
 - ❖ Gradual Hymn: CH 648
 - ❖ The Gospel: Matthew 10:16-22
 - ❖ Sermon
 - ❖ Nicene Creed & Intercession
 - ❖ The Peace
 - ❖ The Offerings: Choruses
- (a)First Fruit (b) Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering**
- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
 - ❖ The Administration: Worship Songs
 - ❖ The Ablution: CH 577
 - ❖ Post Communion Prayer
 - ❖ **Bethesda Home for the Blind Presentation**

Thanksgiving

- i. Family Harvest: *(as indicated see page 22)*
 - ii. Society Harvest *(as indicated see page 22)*
 - iii. Mrs C.N. Ubosi thanking God for her guest Nneamaka Oguejio for her successful research programme in Nigeria, journey mercies and God's numerous blessings.
- ❖ Doxology & Benediction
 - ❖ Notices
 - ❖ Diocesan Anthem
 - ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: VSH 97 (*drumming*) (Pg 9)

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.**

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 19 th | Sunday | - | Isaiah 61-63 |
| 2. | August 20 th | Monday | - | Isaiah 64-66 |
| 3. | August 21 th | Tuesday | - | Jer. 1-3 |
| 4. | August 22 nd | Wednesday | - | Jer. 4-7 |
| 5. | August 23 rd | Thursday | - | Jer. 8-11 |
| 6. | August 24 th | Friday | - | Jer. 12 -16 |
| 7. | August 25 th | Saturday | - | Jer. 17-19 |

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		
IBTC		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 been 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

D. HARVEST NEWS

A. Family Harvest for today - Sunday 19th August, 2018

7.00am: **Mr Gladstone Opara & Family, Mr Ossie Nwankwu & Family, Mrs Nancy Smith & Family, Mrs C.N. Ubosi & Family, Mr Tayo Shopeju & Family.**

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

B. Society Harvest for today – Sunday 19th August, 2018

Band of Glory, Lords Labourers and Christian Brothers

C. Family Harvest for next - Sunday 26th August, 2018

7.00am: **Sir. Kenneth Ikwemesi & Family, Chief Tunji Olaniyan & Family, Pharm. Deji Osinoiki & Family, Mr Iyke Okoye & Family, Mr Festus Okiya & Family, Engr. Wunmi Adekoya & Family, Mr Olayinka Oduntan & Family, Mrs Ekundayo Erogbogbo & Family.**

10.00am: **Mr Dapo Oshati & Family, Chief Adebola Ogunsanya & Family, Mr Abolaji Ogunsanya & Family, Engr. George Olumoroti & Family, Mr Adekunle Faluyi & Family.**

D. Society Harvest for – Sunday 2nd Sept., 2018

Band of Grace, Daughters of Light and Apostle of Peace

YOUTH HARVEST: Next Sunday – 26th Aug.

Celebrating our Leaders of tomorrow. DRESS CODE: WINE.

ALL WOMEN HARVEST – 9TH SEPT.

1. All women expected to come to church with their favourite fruit item for blessing.
2. All female Presidents of AVMCC Societies are Ambassadors of their Societies and Special Guests.
3. Selected female members of Ministry are Special Guest and representatives of their ministry.
4. Men are enjoined to submit names of their women in their lives to be celebrated with a short message
5. **COLOUR OF THE DAY: YELLOW.**

22.

B. 10.00am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

O.T. Reading: *Layreader A.O. Akideinde*

The Epistle: *Layreader Oluremi Onabolu*

The Gospel: *The Rev. Canon B. Odude*

Preacher: *The Ven. Festus Olowosile*

Intercession: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

❖ Processional Hymn: CH 498

❖ Worship Songs

❖ The Preparation to Penitence - **The Ven. Gbenga Oniye**

❖ O.T. Reading: Exodus 3:13-20

❖ Psalm: 119:129-144

❖ The Epistle: Romans 8:26-30

❖ Gradual Hymn: CH 793

❖ The Gospel: Matthew 10:16-22

❖ Sermon

❖ Nicene Creed & Intercession

❖ The Peace

❖ The Offerings: Choruses

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

❖ The Eucharistic Prayers

❖ The Administration: Worship Songs

❖ The Ablution: VSH 157

❖ Post Communion Prayer

❖ Bethesda Home for the Blind Presentation

Thanksgiving

i. Family Harvest: *(as indicated see page 22)*

ii. Society Harvest *(as indicated see page 22)*

iii. 70th birthday thanksgiving of Mr David Oluwole Agunloye also Mr Olufemi Ogunleye and God's numerous blessings.

iv. 75th birthday thanksgiving of Chief Olukayode Oshofisan and God's numerous blessings.

v. Thanksgiving after the successful burial of Late Mrs Modupe Ledun and journey mercies.

vi. 2nd year remembrance thanksgiving of Late Mrs Comfort Rowaiye and God's numerous blessings on the family she left behind.

❖ Doxology & Benediction

❖ Notices

❖ Diocesan Anthem

❖ Withdrawal Hymn: VSH 97 (*drumming*).... (pg 9)

C. EVENTS AHEAD

1. **Hosting of 2018 Diocesan Women's Conference by AVMCC at the City of God, Ipaja from 23rd to 25th August, 2018.**
2. **Intersociety Bible Quiz – Sunday, 2nd September, 2018 at 3.00pm.**
3. **DLW Choral Competition – Sunday, 2nd September, 2018 at 4.00pm.**
4. **God in My Life – Sunday, 9th September, 2018 at 4.00pm. Speaker: The Most Revd. Dr. Olusegun Adeyemi**
5. **3 Cathedral Annual Choir Festival – Sunday, 16th Sept. 2018 at AVMCC by 5.00pm**
6. **Intersociety Singing Festival – Sunday, 23rd September, 2018 at 4.00pm.**
7. **Annual Choir Festival – Sunday, 14th October, 2018 at 7.00am, 10.00am & Evensong at 5.00pm.**

3.

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.

E. 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

F. AVMCC SPONSORSHIP OF 2018

EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES

1. Sunday August 19, 2018 – Band of Glory
2. Sunday August, 26, 2018 - Youth Harvest
3. Sunday Sept 2, 2018 - Bible Quiz Competition
4. Sunday Sept. 9, 2018 - Light of the World
5. Sunday Sept. 16, 2018 - Band of Mercy
6. Sunday Sept. 23, 2018 - Intersociety Singing
7. Sunday Sept. 30, 2018 - National Harvest
8. Sunday Oct. 7, 2018 - Good Samaritan
9. Sunday Oct. 14, 2018 - Choir Anniversary
10. Sunday Oct. 21, 2018 - YWCA

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

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Theme: *The Security of the Believer*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 498
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence
- ❖ The Epistle: Romans 8:26-30
- ❖ Worship Songs
- ❖ The Gospel: Matthew 10:16-22
- ❖ Choir Ministration
- ❖ Sermon
- ❖ Nicene Creed to Intercession
- ❖ The Peace
- ❖ The Offerings: Choruses
 - a. Offertory, b. First Fruits, c. Tithes, d. Building, Covenant Seed e. Sunday Offering
- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: Choir Ministrations
- ❖ The Ablution: Choir Ministration
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ Thanksgiving
- ❖ Anthem
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Prayer & Benediction
- ❖ The Withdrawal Hymn: VSH 97 (*drumming*) (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.

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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.

As a followup to the hugely successful *Make up and Gele Workshop 2.0* Zaron cosmetics is collaborating with AVMCC-EEP to offer parishioners tailored experience in looking good. The session would include but not limited to the following activities; *makeup demonstration, *beauty tips on decent clean Look, *product giveaways and lots more. This would hold on Friday, August 31, 2018 @ Adetiloye Hall, AVMCC premises at 10.00am. Admission is Free but strictly by registration. Class size is limited to 50 participants so registration is important and closes on August 26, 2018.

Retirement Planning Seminar - The seminar highlights how to manage finances, time and well being during retirement. This seminar holds on Saturday, September 22, 2018. Limited spaces. . Participation fee is N6,000 only. Registration closes on Monday, September 10, 2018. Discount for AVMCC Parishioners.

Tricycle For Sale: A good condition tricycle is available for sale. Interested buyer to contact EEP office for further details and inspection.

Enquiries: Kindly make on all the EEP programmes and activities by sending SMS to 08186134769 or E-mail eeep@avmcc.org.ng. Parishioners are advised to kindly pay a visit to the EEP office located on 2nd Floor, Adetiloye House for better interaction and deeper understanding of our rich offerings between Sundays to Fridays.

AVMCC - EEP Bank DETAILS: GTB. 0106344434

B. Obituaries

- i. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Pa Akam Chukwu (Father of Mr Nicholas Chukwu Friday of LLF). Burial arrangements will be announced later.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Chief (Mrs) Oladunni Ibidapo-Obe (Mother of Mr & Mrs Taiwo Ibidapo-Obe of Fountain of Hope). Aged: 92years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake Keep Service: On Friday, 24th August, 2018 at Ajobeku Lodge, Alejowlo 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.

20.

H. 6.00 pm. EVENSONG

Cantor: *The Rev. Moyinoluwa Talabi*

Preacher: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

Sponsor: *Band of Glory*

Organist: *Dr Chinedu Osinigwe*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 46
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Praise Worship
- ❖ Lesson: 1 Peter 4 – **Band of Glory**
- ❖ Hymn: VSH 19
- ❖ Short Exhortation & Prayer
- ❖ Offerings Choruses
(a) First Fruit (b Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering
- ❖ Thanksgiving
- ❖ Closing Prayer
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 52

2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY 12

Introductory Sentence

Let us love one another, because the source of love is God. Everyone who loves is a child of God and knows God. **1 John 4:7.**

Collect for the Week:

Mercifully receive, O Lord, the prayers of Your people, who call upon You; grant that they may know what they ought to do, and may have grace faithful to accomplish it, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Post Communion Sentence

Rejoice in so far as you share Christ's sufferings that you also may rejoice and be glad when His glory is revealed. **1 Peter 4:13.**

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, 19TH 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. Babatunde Adeyemi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Badagry.

B. Prayers for Nigeria & the World

- i. That God sovereign rule be established in Nigeria and the world.
- ii. That the Christians all over the world, particularly in Nigeria be defended against satanic attacks.
- iii. That the gate of hell shall never prevail over Nigeria.

C. Prayers for AVMCC Members

- i. That God preserve our lives and all our belongings against calamity.
- ii. That all members of AVMCC enjoy maximum divine security all the time.
- iii. That the spirit of untimely death will never visit any of our members.
- iv. That we end this week on the note of joy and thanksgiving.

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

- i. For Chief Kayode Oshofisan, Mrs Gbemisola Adedeji, Miss Olasubomi Adubi, Mrs Olamide Akintobi, Mr Adesoye Ademola, Mr Ezekiel Asiegbu, Mr Austine Okeke, Mrs Blessing Ifezue, Mr Gabriel Ogunmoyero, Mr Oluwafemi Tifase, Mr Ernest Iloanya 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. Ezeonyebuchi, Family, Ezeuduji Family, Ezeugwa Family, Ezike Family, Eziohuru Family, Ezirim Family, Ezomike Family, Ezue Family, Ezuma Family, Fabode 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 Bangboye, Mr Samuel Chukwudum, Mr I.O. Anwo, Prof. Michael Bankole, Mrs Comfort Duru, Pa Isaiah Olajide Solaja, Pa Bisi Lawrence, Justice S.O. Ilori.

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, 19TH AUGUST, 2018

THEME: THE SECURITY OF THE BELIEVER
READINGS: Psalm 119:129-144; Exodus 3:13-20;
Romans 8:26-30; Matthew 10:16-22.

You are warmly welcome to the presence of God this day of the Lord in the peerless name of our Lord, Jesus Christ. Our thematic focus for today's meditation is on the all-important issue of our security; not really so much about our physical safety (though included), but about our eternal security in Christ Jesus.

Security in the Christian parlance has to do with assurance; assurance that God exists (at least to be sure our religious beliefs and activities are not in vain), assurance that this existent God sustains, protects, preserve and provide. This is because life is sweet, precious and unfortunately irreplaceable. Satan knew this when he told God "Skin for skin, yea, all that a man hath will he give for his life." Job 2:4. And that explains why Moses did not hesitate to ask question when God chose to send him to redeem His chosen people, Israel, from the hands of the wicked King Pharaoh. He needed, like you and I would, to be sure he wasn't taking an unnecessary risk with his life. He wanted to be sure that this God that called himself I AM THAT I AM was truly so. He asked for signs and got it.

Dr. Arn of the Church Growth Movement was producing a film entitled "Circus". One youth of the cast pointed to the high trapeze and said, "Why don't you try it?" The other performers heard the challenge and joined the growing chorus. "Try it! Try it!" Eyeing the large safety net under the paraphernalia, Dr. Arn cautiously replied, "Well ... why not!" Very slowly he began to climb the small rope ladder. Twenty feet ..., thirty feet ..., forty feet ..., finally he crawled onto a miniscule platform, which seemed miles above the assembled crowd. He looked down. The once large safety net had shrunk to unbelievably small proportions. "Go ahead, you can do it!" the performers encouraged.

Taking the trapeze bar in his perspiring hands and steadying his shaking knees, he prepared to jump. Across from his platform a youth was ready to send

forth the empty trapeze. Mustering up all his courage, he cried, "Go!" and went swinging into space. Dr. Arn made the following observations: "Flying through the air, I made three important discoveries:

First, you can't hold on to one bar while grasping for the other. You must let go both hands and leap.

Second, it's frightening and threatening to let go of your security.

Third, you don't have forever to make up your mind. 'Jump ... Go ahead ... Jump!' On the third arc I did!

Flying through the air, I reached out and grasped the bar with my fingertips, went swinging to the other side, and was pulled safely to the platform. Amid the applause and cheers of the youths below, I had taken a leap in faith.

Security derives its relevance from the presence of threat. David in Ps.119:129-144 that is apportioned for today's service laments the life-threatening activities of his enemies but secured himself in God by recounting the testimonies of His past deeds; His righteousness that makes Him trustworthy. This trust in God made him to pray with assurance for his deliverance, protection and guidance. As believers, we have a lot to learn from David, that our security is in the Lord.

Apostle Paul's exhortation in Romans, chapter 8 is very apt for our discourse. Let us just pick some points of security, even of our earthly existence, from there:

V.26 - Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought: but the Spirit itself maketh intercession for us with groanings which cannot be uttered.

Learning Point – We are not capable of securing ourselves, we need God through His Spirit to work it out.

V. 28 - And we know that all things work together for good to them that love God, to them who are the called according to his purpose.

Learning Point: We have nothing to fear if we love God and walk in His will V. 30 - Moreover whom he did predestinate, them he also called: and whom he called, them he also justified: and whom he justified, them he also glorified.

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

- i. Strictly Feminine - Every 3rd Saturday of the month.
- ii. Just 4 Guys – Every 1st Saturday of the month at 1.00p.m
- iii. 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.

- i. Medical Check-up in the Clinic; Spiritual Talks; Games /Exercises and Handicrafts in the Vining Hall.
- ii. 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.

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.

Learning Point – It is God’s eternal purpose to justify and glorify those of us who have been called into this saving faith in Him.

Going by Dr. Arn’s three points, holding to one bar while grasping for the other (syncretism in Christian parlance, will not work. Again, you don’t have forever (all the time in the world) to make up your mind. This means that delay in making up your mind to rest your hope in God through Jesus Christ His Son, is dangerous. We live an era when persecution and threats loom daily over the Christians. Jesus foresaw this; he knew it would happen, and thus prepared us for the difficult time ahead. “And ye shall be hated of all men for my name’s sake: but he that endureth to the end shall be saved.”

*In Christ alone my hope is found
He is my light, my strength, my song
This Cornerstone, this solid ground
Firm through the fiercest drought and storm
What heights of love, what depths of peace
When fears are stilled, when strivings cease
My Comforter, my All in All
Here in the love of Christ I stand*

WITHDRAWAL HYMN FOR 7.00AM & 10.00AM SERVICES

Ho! my comrades, see the signal

1. Ho, my comrades! see the signal, waving in the sky!
Reinforcements now appearing, victory is nigh.
Refrain.
**“Hold the fort, for I am coming,” Jesus signals still;
Wave the answer back to Heaven, “By Thy grace we will.”**
2. See the mighty host advancing, Satan leading on;
Mighty ones around us falling, courage almost gone!
“Hold the fort, for I am coming,”
3. Fierce and long the battle rages, but our help is near;
Onward comes our great Commander, cheer, my comrades, cheer!
“Hold the fort, for I am coming,”

9. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

August 12 – August 18

7.00 am Holy Communion	1,209
7.00 am Youth Service	174
7.00 am Sunday School	458
10.00 am Mattins	808
10.00 am Youth Service	161
10.00 am Sunday School	207
6.00 pm Service	34
Bible Study	160
Wednesday Holy Communion	167
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	235

10. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

- The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church after Service
- ✚ *Band of Grace Society*
 - ✚ *Band of Glory Society*
 - ✚ *Band of Light Society*
 - ✚ *Band of Mercy Society*
 - ✚ *Band of Peace Society*
 - ✚ *Christian Unity Band Society*
 - ✚ *Fountain of Hope Society*
 - ✚ *Ladies Christian Circle*
 - ✚ *Ladies Progressive League*
 - ✚ *Lord Labourers Fellowship*
 - ✚ *The Lord Vessel Society*
 - ✚ *Torchbearers Society*
- AVMCC Special Marshal Unit 34 meeting today after 7.00a.m. Service at the usual venue.
- Good Shepherd meeting comes up today at MAN CENTRE, No 5, Eleruwa, Wemabod Estate, off Adeniyi Jones, Ikeja after 7.00am Service.
- Evangelical Ministry meeting comes up on Monday, 20th August 2018 at 1st Floor, Vining House by 6.00p.m.
- Men & Women of Grace meeting comes up on **Thursday, 23rd August, 2018** at the front of the Church by 11.00am.

11. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this 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.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 26th August, 2018

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Dr. Akinola Oliver, Pharm. Ifeanyi Uchefuna, Mrs Gina Okolo.

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. (Mrs) Frances Ajose, Dr. Femi Olaleye, Pharm Deji Osinoiki, Pharm. (Mrs) Yomi Osinoiki, Mrs Bola Awobiyi, Mrs Chinelo Emenike.

B. Security & Traffic Control

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

Jemerigbe Helen I. (**Captain**), Adeyemi Muyiwa (Assistant **Captain**), Goke Uthman, Juliet Chimezie, Helen Arhagba Caroline Omowhara, Jones Bassej; Funso Fagbuyiro, Kene Obimma, Chukwuemeka Osaka, Bolaji Dania, Funmi Ladele, Ekwegh Lilian.

10.

11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Trinity 13 August 26

Theme: Harvest of Divine Covenant

Sub-Theme: Bearing the Yoke of Christ and Living out His Covenant as a Youth

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

YOUTH HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Celebrant: *The Dean*

O.T. Reading *Genesis 17:1-10*

The Youth

Psalm: *89:19-37*

Epistle: *1 Timothy 4:1-16*

The Youth

Gospel: *Matthew 11:15-30*

The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Address: *The Rev. Lanre Obadaye*

10.30am: MATTINS

YOUTH HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Cantor: *The Youth*

O.T. Reading *Genesis 17:1-10*

The Youth

Psalm: *89:19-37*

N.T. Reading: *Matthew 11:15-30*

The Youth

Address: *The Rev. Lanre Obadaye*

12. BANNES OF MARRIAGE

We publish the Bannes 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 Idowu Afinowi & Miss Abiola Kashimawo Oshodi*

2ND NOTICE:

1. *Mr Ugochukwu Ukegbu & Miss Chinenye Agbara*

1ST NOTICE:

1. *Mr Oluwadurotimi Obideyi & Miss Olusola Omisanya*

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 24, 2018

Colour: Red

St. Bartholomew the Apostle

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Epistle: *Acts 5:12-16 - Lay. Oluremi Abimbola*

Gospel: *Luke 22:24-30*

Hymns: *CH 3, CH 664, CH XVII*

Preacher: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Collect: Almighty God, who gave Your Apostle Bartholomew grace truly to believe and to preach the word: grant that Your Church may love that word which he believed and may faithfully preach and receive the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Alexander C. Ibezim, his family and all members of the Diocese of Awka.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. G.I.N. Okpala, his family and all members of the Diocese of Nnewi.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Oluranti Adedeji, Chief Edward Asugha, Mrs Adeola Amisu, Mr Napoleon Onyebilam, Mrs Ihuoma Azuru, Mrs Ekundayo Erogbogbo, Mrs Stella Gharoro, Miss Ngozi Iwekuba, Miss Kosiso Iwugo, Mrs Jennifer Nzeh, Engr. Itua Ogbewe, Mr Abolaji Ogunsanya, Mr Korede Oluwatusin,
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Gafar Family, Gbadamosi Family, Gbenle Family, Gbolade Family, George Family, Gharoro Family, Gidado Family, Gift Okorie Family, Giwa-Osagie Family, Godson-Ikoro Family.

6.00pm EFAC Meeting

6.30pm Choir Practice

6.00pm Youth Week - Drama Night – Vining Hall

Saturday, August 25, 2018

Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Epistle: *Acts 7:30-43 - Lay. Nkiru Arah*

Gospel: *John 5:1-18*

Hymns: *VSH 20, VSH 143, CH 153*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Prayer Points

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Dr. Samuel C. Ezeofor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ogbaru.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Prof. Israel Kelue Okoye, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ihiala.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Ebere Onwuka, Miss Oluronke Ijogun, Miss Amina Dimka, Master Ayomitunde Solaru, Arc. Jonas Ewurum, Mr Taiwo Oshikoya, Mrs Ngozi Ibe, Mr Chukwueloka Okwuosa, Miss Chioma Ekelozie, Mrs Ruth Oluwatusin, Mr Olatunji Ashiru, Mrs Oluronke Seymour.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Godwin Family, Godwin Achodor Family, Gogo-Kurubo Family, Grillo Family, Gwatau Family, Hale Family, Hamed-Ajaari Family, Hamilton Family, Hammond Family, Hart Family.

1.00pm Wedding

Mr Chukwudi Osakwe & Miss Nancy Emengo

5.00 pm Youth Week – Worship Concert – Youth Chapel

4.00pm Boys' Brigade and Girls' Brigade

4.00 pm Baptism

14.

ii. Sunday 26th August - Saturday, 1st Sept. 2018

Segun Openiyi (**Captain**), Nwaorgu Chinedu (**Assistant Captain**), Odanye Moji (Mrs.), Ayo Tetede, Ogunleye Adeboboye, Mbaekwe Augustine, Dare Sigbeku, Jones Bassey, George A. Adeyemi, Juliet Chimezie, Omotola Onakoya, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Bolaji Dania. Rita Osibodu.

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 -8.00pm
- 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 a contract that transformed a company
2. For a new job with official car and a house.
3. For financial breakthrough this month.
4. For safety from fire disaster from the house.
5. For completion of a project of 17 years.
6. for miraculous healing of leg sickness of 21years.
7. For successful graduation from University.
8. For obtaining of VISA to United State.
9. For retrieving of job back after been sacked for 7 years.

ALL TO THE GLORY OF GOD

10. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, August 20, 2018 Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Opeyemi Ibikunle*
Epistle: *Acts 7:44-8-1a - Lay. F. Okey-Ogbu*
Gospel: *John 5:19-29*
Hymns: *CH 516, VSH 68, CH 373*
Preacher: *The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Solomon G. Kuponu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ijebu North.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Solomon Kuponu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ijebu-North.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Nnaemeka Ali, Miss Nkechi Echeozo, Mr Philip Ogunlade, Mr Matthew Nmezi, Mr Ossai Nwankwu.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Fadahunsi Family, Fadayiko Family, Fadayomi Family, Fadero Family, Fadola Family, Fadiya Family, Fagboyegun Family, Fagbuyiro Family, Fajebe Family, Falade Family.

5.30 pm Family/Marriage Counselling Meeting

6.00 pm - Youth Week – Discovery & Interactive Session with Dr. Uche Ogah at Youth Chapel

6.30 pm Choir Practise

Tuesday, August 21, 2018 Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*
Epistle: *Acts 8:1-13 - Lay. C.F. Akinrotimi*
Gospel: *John 5:30-47*
Hymns: *CH 5, VSH 60, CH 577*
Preacher: *The Rev. Moyinoluwa Talabi*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Nathaniel Oladejo Ogundipe, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ifo.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Dr. Samuel Oludele Ogundeji, his family and all members of the Diocese of Egba West.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Innocent Umez-Oparah, Mr Adedeji Adebajo, Mrs Ugoma Adegoke, Mr Ogbonna Ahunanya, Miss Uju Amanchukwu, Mr Oluwaseun Idris, Mr Salisu Mohammed, Engr. Frank Igboamalu, Mr Kingsley Okeke, Mrs Blessing Nwakanma, Mrs Oluyemisi Daramola, Mr Frank Ogunbiyi, Dr. Chukwudi Okoli, Mr Kanu Ekenedilichukwu.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Falako-James Family, Falayi Family, Faleye Family, Faloyin Family, Faluyi Family, Famade Family, Famodimu Family, Famutimi Family, Famuyide Family, Famuyiro 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 - YOUTH WEEK

12.

Wednesday, August 22, 2018 Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*
Epistle: *Acts 8:14-25 - Lay. Ndidi Uzo*
Gospel: *John 6:1-15*
Hymns: *CH 198, CH 453, Anima Christi VSH 57, CH XVI*

Preacher: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

Prayer Points

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Dr. J. Akin Atere his family and all members of the Diocese of Awori.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Babatunde Ogunbanwo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ijebu South West.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Ndidi Uzo, Dr. Omolola Okunromade, Mrs Cecilia Okonkwo, Capt. Olabisi Idris, Barr. Wilford Madueke, Mr Chinedu Obuekwe, Mrs Ngozi Ogbolu, Miss Somtochukwu Obimma, Mrs Chika Onyeharam.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Faniyi Family, Faola Family, Fapohunda Family, Farinu Family, Fasehun Family, Faseminikan Family, Fashina Family, Faseyiku Family, Fasokun Family, Fatoba Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

6.00pm PRAYER MEETING - YOUTH WEEK – STONES SPEAKING

Thursday, August 23, 2018 Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*
Epistle: *Acts 8:26-40 – Lay. Oluremi Abimbola*
Gospel: *John 6:16-27*
Hymns: *CH 369, CH 484, VSH 545*
Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Most Rev. Christian O. Efobi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Aguata.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Owen Chiedozie Nwokolo, his family and all members of the Diocese on the Niger.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Dr. Femi Olaleye, Arc. Biodun Jagunna, Engr. Godfrey Eze, Mr Okechukwu Mba, Miss Fikayomi Odukomaiya, Mr Chukwuenyem Nebedum, Chukwuemeka Nnaji, Mazi Chidiebere Ikeanyionwu, Mr Sidney Nzekwe, Mr Chidozie Nzekwe, Mr Chukwuebuka Nzekwe, Mr Chidozie Okezie, Mrs Taiwo Ibidapo Obe, Mr Oyeniyi Ibidapo-Obe, Mr Anthony Imo, Mrs Chinyere Nduh.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Fatogun Family, Fatunmbi Family, Fawehinmi Family, Fegbada Family, Fetuga Family, Finnih Family, Folowosele Family, Fowokan Family, Fuwa Family, Gabriel Family.

7.00 am – 4.00pm Youth Week – Outing & Excursion

9.00 am – 11.00am Confirmation Class – Seminar Room

11.00am - Meeting of Men & Women of Grace

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