## IN CHRIST ALONE

- 1. 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.
- 2. In Christ alone! who took on flesh Fullness of God in helpless babe!
  This gift of love and righteousness
  Scorned by the ones he came to save:
  Till on that cross as Jesus died,
  The wrath of God was satisfied For every sin on Him was laid;
  Here in the death of Christ I live.
- There in the ground His body lay
  Light of the world by darkness slain:
  Then bursting forth in glorious Day
  Up from the grave he rose again!
  And as He stands in victory
  Sin's curse has lost its grip on me,
  For I am His and He is mine -Bought with the precious blood of Christ.
- 4 No guilt in life, no fear in death,
  This is the power of Christ in me;
  From life's first cry to final breath.
  Jesus commands my destiny.
  No power of hell, no scheme of man,
  Can ever pluck me from His hand;
  Till He returns or calls me home,
  Here in the power of Christ I'll stand.

I AM THINE O LORD

 I am Thine, O Lord, I have heard Thy voice, And it told Thy love to me;
 But I long to rise in the arms of faith And be closer drawn to Thee.

#### Refrain:

Draw me nearer, nearer blessed Lord, To the cross where Thou hast died; Draw me nearer, nearer, nearer blessed Lord, To Thy precious, bleeding side.

- Consecrate me now to Thy service, Lord, By the pow'r of grace divine; Let my soul look up with a steadfast hope, And my will be lost in Thine.
- 3. Oh, the pure delight of a single hour
  That before Thy throne I spend,
  When I kneel in prayer, and with Thee, my God
  I commune as friend with friend!
- 4. There are depths of love that I cannot know Till I cross the narrow sea;
  There are heights of joy that I may not reach Till I rest in peace with Thee.

## DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST

(Anglican Communion)



## ARCHBISHOP VINING MEMORIAL CHURCH CATHEDRAL, GRA, IKEJA

#### DATE:

FRIDAY, 19<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2019



## 12.00NOON

3 HOURS WITH CHRIST

# SEVEN WORDS ON THE CROSS

BUT HE WAS WOUNDED FOR OUR TRANSGRESSIONS, HE WAS BRUISED FOR OUR INIQUITIES; THE CHASTISEMENT OF OUR PEACE WAS UPON HIM; AND WITH HIS STRIPES WE ARE HEALED ISAIAH 53:5

THE RT. REV. DR. JAMES OLUSOLA ODEDEJI DIOCESAN BISHOP

#### ORDER OF SERVICE

### Cantor: The Dean

- 1. Procession in Silence
- 2. Collect for the Day
- 3. Penitential Hymn: VSH 20 (All Kneeling)
- 4. Introductory Address (*The Dean*)
  A. i. Hymn: CH 508
  ii. First Word: *Luke 23:33-34*

Layreader G. Odukomaiya

- iii. Address: Father forgive them they do not know The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere
- iv. Prayer
- B. i. Hymn: CH 366
  - ii. Second Word: Luke 23:39-43

Miss Bunmi Egunsola

- iii. Address: Truly today, you will be with me in Paradise *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*
- iv. Prayer:
- C. i. Hymn: CH 266
  - ii. Third Word: John 19:26-27

Mrs. Peace Chukwudum

iii. Address: Mother there is your son

The Ven. Ahubele

- iv. Prayer
- D. i Hvmn: VSH 25
  - ii. Fourth Word: Matthew 27:46

Opemipo Olaleye

iii. Address: My God why has thou forsaken me

The Rev. Samuel Opaaje

- iv. Prayer
- v. VSH 175: Rescue the Perishing

Good Friday Offerings

- E. i. Hymn: VSH 164
  - ii. Fifth Word: John 19:28

Barr. Okey Ogbu

iii. Address: I am thirsty

The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola

- iv. Prayer
- F. i. Hymn: In Christ Alone

ii. Sixth Word: John 19:30

Layreader Remi Onabolu

iii. Address: It is Finished

Sis Bimbo Ayomidele

- iv. Praver
- G. i. Hymn: CH CS 51 'Safe in the Hand ...'
  - ii. Seventh Word: Luke 23:46

Mr. Israel Onoriode - Altar Server

iii. Address: Father into your hand...

The Ven. Festus Olowosile

- iv. Prayer
- 5. Hymn: **Old Rugged Cross** (See Page 3)
- 6. Litany / Prayer The Rev. Canon Benson Odude
- 7. Hymn: 'I am Thine O Lord...'

(Collection of Self Denial Envelopes)

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- 8. Concluding Prayers and Benediction
- 9. **Notices**
- 10. Recessional: Organ Recital

#### LOVING SAVIOUR, HEAR MY CRY

1. **LOVING** Saviour, hear my cry, Hear my cry, hear my cry; Trembling to Thine arms I fly: Oh save me at the Cross! I have sinned, but Thou hast died, Thou hast died, Thou hast died, In Thy mercy let me hide: Oh save me at the Cross!

#### Chorus

Lord Jesus, receive me, No more would I grieve Thee, Now, blessed Redeemer, Oh save me at the Cross!

- 2. Though I perish, I will pray, I will pray, I will pray; Thou of life the Living Way: O save me at the Cross! Thou hast said Thy grace is free, Grace is free, grace is free: Have compassion, Lord on me: Oh save me at the Cross!
- 3. **WASH** me in Thy cleansing blood, Cleansing blood, cleansing blood; Plunge me now beneath the flood: Oh save me at the Cross! Only faith will pardon bring, Pardon bring, pardon bring: In that faith to Thee I cling: Oh save me at the Cross!

## ON A HILL FAR AWAY STOOD AN OLD RUGGED...

On a hill far away stood an old rugged cross,
 The emblem of suffering and shame;
 And I love that old cross where the dearest and best
 For a world of lost sinners was slain.

#### Refrain:

So I'll cherish the old rugged cross, Till my trophies at last I lay down; I will cling to the old rugged cross, And exchange it some day for a crown.

- Oh that old rugged cross, so despised by the world, Has a wondrous attraction for me; For the dear Lamb of God left his glory above To bear it to dark Calvary.
- In that old rugged cross, stained with blood so divine, A wondrous beauty I see, For 'twas on that old cross Jesus suffered and died, To pardon and sanctify me.
- 4. To that old rugged cross I will ever be true, Its shame and reproach gladly bear; Then he'll call me some day to my home far away, Where his glory forever I'll share.