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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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- C. **For Cathedral Societies**
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- D. **For The Elderly Ministry**
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- E. **For The Evangelical Ministry**
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- R. **For Board of Directors for Economic Empowerment**
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Our Vision:

"CHRIST FOR ALL NATIONS"

Our 2019 Mission:

"GOD IS OUR REFUGE AND STRENGTH"

Psalm 46:1a.

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, 5th May - Saturday, 11th May, 2019

EASTER 2

Theme: The Marks of the Good Shepherd

Colour: White

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 – 5TH MAY

**A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION
GOOD SHEPHERD SOCIETY ANNIVERSARY**

- Celebrant:** *The Dean*
The Epistle: *Good Shepherd Society*
The Gospel: *The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola*
Preacher: *The Dean*
Intercessor: *The Ven. James Adekanye*
- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 371
 - ❖ Praise & Worship **10mins. (Judges 1:1-2, Ps 100vs 4, Ps 95 vs 2)**
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 - ❖ Epistle: Hebrews 13:1-21
 - ❖ Gradual Hymn: CH 202
 - ❖ The Gospel: John 10:7-17
 - ❖ Hymn before Sermon: Shepherd of my soul ...*(pg 11)*
 - ❖ Sermon
 - ❖ Nicene Creed & Intercession
 - ❖ The Peace **(Let there be peace – page 5)**
 - ❖ The Offerings: Choruses
 - (a) *First Fruit* (b) *Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*
 - ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
 - ❖ The Administration: CH 440, 441, 447, 470, CH CS 18
 - ❖ The Ablution: CH 356
 - ❖ Post Communion Prayer

The Anniversary:

- i. Good Shepherd Anthem:
- ii. Rededication of Members
- iii. Good Shepherd, Patrons/ Patronesses & The Church Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving:

- i. Monthly thanksgiving
- ii. Those born and / or married in April
- iii. The Churaching of Mrs Mobolaji Oluwole for the gift of a baby boy and God’s numerous blessings (Grandson of Chief Mrs Toyin Oluwole of Band of Peace)
- iv. The Churaching of Mrs Dalington Udunze for the gift of a baby girl and God’s numerous blessings (children of Mrs Achonye of DOL and Good Shepherd).
- v. Thanksgiving after the successful burial of Late Mrs Mary Okoye (mother of Mr & Mrs Chiedu Onukwube of Good Shepherd Society) and journey mercies.
- ❖ Doxology & Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 369

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.

AVMCC DEVELOPMENT FUND ACCOUNT

Account Name: AVMCC Development Fund
 Account Number: **1021733207**
 Sort Code: **033154512**
 Branch Address, UBA Plc, 51A Adeniyi Jones Street, Ikeja.

F. REVISITING AND RESUSCITATING HOME FELLOWSHIP CENTRES IN AVMCC

The Clergy workforce in conjunction with some well spirited members have perfected arrangements for the resuscitation of the Home Fellowship centres. With the centre at the Ikwuemesi’s being the only existing for now two new more are coming to make it three while encouraging many more of us to volunteer our homes for this worthy and Godly venture. It is like the ARK of Covenant in your home after the order of Obededom.

<u>Centre</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Time</u>
Ikwuemesi’s	Duplex 1E, Maryland Est Maryland	Thursdays @ 5.00pm
Okere’s	29, Fatai Irawo Str. Opp Green Point Hotel Ajao Estate.	Sundays @ 5.00pm
Osibajo’s	20, Esomo Close Off Toyin Street, Ikeja	Sundays @ 5.00pm

Meeting time and date is subject to changes based on the consensus of the participants.

SUNDAY SUNDAY SERVICE won’t suffice in this end time generation. Avail yourself of this opportunity as we are daily awaiting the second coming of Christ if only in the spirit of TRUE CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP. For further information contact: 08023270247; 08028335070 and 08033109378.

G. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

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

1. May 5 th	Sunday	-	Ezra 5-7
2. May 6 th	Monday	-	Ezra 8-10
3. May 7 th	Tuesday	-	Neh. 1-3
4. May 8 th	Wednesday	-	Neh. 4-6
5. May 9 th	Thursday	-	Neh. 7-9
6. May 10 th	Friday	-	Neh. 10-13
7. May 11 th	Saturday	-	Esther 1-3

H. 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
UBA	1021733207	033154512	New Cathedral Dev. Fund Please indicate your name in the payments.

C. HARVEST NEWS

All Societies should please send names of **TWO** representatives of their Societies to 2019 Harvest Committee (**Daughters of Light Society in Room 203 – Harvest Office**) Or text to Jide on **08152223222**.

2019 HARVEST PROGRAMMES

Parishioners are to please note the Harvest Calendar Activities. Please keep the days free in your diaries.

- (1) Inauguration of Harvest Committee – Sunday, 28th April
- (2) Harvest Retreat Saturday, May 4, 2019
- (3) Rogation Sunday Sunday, May, 26, 2019
- (4) Harvest Season Launching Sunday, 2nd June, 2019
- (5) Family Harvest Sunday, June – Nov. 2019
- (6) All Men's Harvest Sunday June 16, 2019
- (7) Young Leaders Harvest Sunday, July 7, 2019
- (8) Children's Harvest Sunday, July 28, 2019
- (9) Youth Harvest Sunday, August 25, 2019
- (10) Corporate/ Professional Sept. – Nov. 2019
- (11) All Women Harvest Sunday, Sept. 8, 2019
- (12) Community Hymn Singing Sunday, Sept 15, 2019
- (13) National Harvest Sunday, Sept. 29, 2019
- (14) Alma-Mater Harvest Sunday, Oct. 13, 2019
- (15) Adult Harvest Sunday, Oct. 27, 2019
- (16) Senior Citizen's Harvest Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019
- (17) Greater Chapter/Standing Comm. Sunday, Nov. 10, 2019
- (18) All Ministries Harvest Day Sunday, Nov. 17, 2019
- (19) The Diocesan's Harvest Sunday, Nov. 24, 2019
- (20) General Thanksgiving Sunday, Nov. 24, 2019
- (21) Societies' Harvest Sunday, May- Nov. 2019
- (22) Evangelical Programmes Sunday, April- Nov. 2019
- (23) New Month /Month End 1st & Last Sunday
- (24) Family Tree Weekly for Families

D. 2ND SESSION OF THE 7TH SYNOD OF DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST

The 2nd Session of the 7th Synod of the Diocese of Lagos West comes up as follows:

1. *Pre-Synod Vigil – Friday, 10th May, 2019 at 10.00pm.*
2. *Opening Service – Thursday, 16th May, 2019 at 4.00pm.*
3. *Meeting Sessions – Friday 17th – 18th Saturday May, 2019*
4. *Presidential Address – Friday, 17th May, 2019 at 11.00am*
5. *Thanksgiving – Sunday, 19th May, 2019 at 10.00a.m.*

E. WHAT TO DO

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

B. 10.00am HOLY COMMUNION AMBASSDORS OF CHRIST ANNIVERSARY

- Celebrant:** *The Dean*
The Epistle *Ambassadors of Christ*
The Gospel : *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*
Preacher: *The Ven. Festus Olowosile*
Intercessor *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*
- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 374
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 - (a) **First Fruit (b) Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering**
 - ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
 - ❖ The Administration: CH 441, VSH 129, 131, 25
 - ❖ The Ablution: CH 202
 - ❖ Post Communion Prayer

The Anniversary:

- i. Ambassadors of Christ Anthem:
- ii. Rededication of Members
- iii. Ambassadors of Christ, Patrons/ Patronesses & The Church Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving:

- i. Monthly Thanksgiving
 - ii. Those born and / or married in April
 - iii. Miss Motunrayo Yusuff thanking God for her birthday, successful graduation and God's numerous blessings.
 - iv. Thanksgiving after the successful wedding of Mr & Mrs Dare Odunlami & God's numerous blessings.
 - v. 40th wedding anniversary of Engr. & Mrs Adekola Adedeji, for God's grace and God's numerous blessings.
 - vi. 60th birthday thanksgiving of Mrs C.O. Evezi, God's faithfulness, protection and numerous blessings.
 - vii. All Cathedral Workers Shower thanksgiving organised by Band of Faith Society and God's numerous blessings.
 - viii. 1st year remembrance for Late Mrs Hope Omolara Dalumo and God's numerous blessings on the family she left behind.
- ❖ Doxology & Benediction
 - ❖ Notices
 - ❖ Diocesan Anthem
 - ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: Down in the valley..... (pg 9)

C. THIS WEEK

1. **Christian Mothers Bible Study– Monday, 6th May, 2019 at 5.00pm – Lady Chapel.**
 2. **Pre-Synod Vigil – Friday, 10th May, 2019 at 10.00pm.**
- ### EVENTS AHEAD
1. **Synod 16th May – 19th May, 2019**
 2. **Rogation Sunday – 26th May, 2019**
 3. **Pentecost Sunday & Confirmation Service –**

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 FRUIT – 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 2019 EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES

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| 1. Sunday May 5, 2019 | Ladies Christian League |
| 2. Sunday May 12, 2019 | Christian Family |
| 3. Sunday May 19, 2019 | Synod Thanksgiving |
| 4. Sunday May 26, 2019 | Rogation/Harvest Comm. |
| 5. Sunday June 2, 2019 | Band of Faith |
| 6. Sunday June 9, 2019 | Busy Bees |
| 7. Sunday June 16, 2019 | Ladies Prog. League |
| 8. Sunday June 23, 2019 | Christian Unity Band |
| 9. Sunday June 30, 2019 | Ladies Christian Circle |

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

Cantor: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Theme: The Marks of the Good Shepherd

- ❖ Opening Hymn: CH 371
- ❖ The Preparation to Penitence
- ❖ The Epistle: Hebrews 13:1-21
- ❖ Praise Worship
- ❖ The Gospel: John 10:7-16
- ❖ Sermon
- ❖ Nicene Creed to Intercession
- ❖ The Peace
- ❖ Offertory: Choruses

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

- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: Worship Choruses
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ New Month Thanksgiving
- ❖ Youth Anthem
- ❖ Notices - Secretariat
- ❖ Prayer & Benediction
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 369

v. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Engr. Adedoyin Olowu of YMCA. Aged: 83years.

Burial arrangements are as follows:

Service of Songs: On Wednesday, 22nd May, 2019 at Vining Hall by 4.00pm.

Commendation Service: On Thursday, 23rd May, 2019 at AVMCC by 8.30am.

Christian Wake-Keep Service: On Friday, 24th May, 2019 at Isonyin, via Ijebu-Ode by 5.00pm.

Funeral Service: On Saturday, 25th May, 2019 at Emmanuel Anglican Church, Isonyin, via Ijebu-Ode by 10.00am.

vi. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Florence Oyeyemi Adedoja of Christian Morning Star. Aged: 78years. (wife of Engr. J. Olu Adedoja of Torchbearers Society). Burial arrangements will be announced later.

B. VACANCIES

i. **Account/Admin Assistant:** The Cathedral Fund Raising Committee urgently requires the services of an **Accounts/Admin Assistant**. Candidate must possess minimum of OND in Accounts or Business Admin, be computer literate, able to use Excel and basic Accounting applications and with personable character. Good communication skills (oral and written) will be an added advantage. Candidate must have ability to organise an office and work with minimal supervision and willing to work extended hours if required. Applications should be sent via email to: avmccfundraising@gmail.com

C. 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.

Mercury Stabilizer 10 KVA N250,000

Development of our landed properties

Painting of the Church and our halls

1 Pc Handsfree Table Microphones N130,000

Hitech Digital Camera

KINDLY TIE YOUR DONATIONS TO THE NEW CATHEDRAL BUILDING.

KEEP AVMCC CLEAN AND IN ORDER

IF YOU DROP IT, PICK IT UP

IF YOU SPILL IT, MOP IT UP

IF IT FALLS, HANG IT UP

IF YOU PUT IT ON, PUT IT OFF

IF YOU SWITCH IT ON, SWITCH IT OFF

IF YOU OPEN IT, CLOSE IT

15. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. Christian Mothers Bible Study comes up on Monday, 6th May, 2019 at 5.00pm. **Topic: The Law of Influence.**
Speaker: Christian Morning Star.
- ii. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1st Thursday of the Month. **Venue:** The AVMCC Auditorium.
Time: 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- iii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers - Every 1st Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iv. Fasting & Prayer for Christian Mothers - Every last Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- v. **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. Obituaries

- i. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Mr John Ekehinde Ohonyon. Aged: 88years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Service of Songs: On Wednesday, 8th May, 2019 at No 24, Adekitan Street, off Palm Avenue, Mushin by 4.00pm.
Commendation Service: On Wednesday, 15th May, 2019 at AVMCC, Ikeja by 8.30am.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 17th May, 2019 at St. Michael Anglican Church, Uzzeba, Edo State by 10.00am.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Prince Kehinde Adedeji Adeniyi. Aged: 72 years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Christian Wake Keep: On Thursday, 9th May, 2019 at his residence No 55 Dr. Fasehun Avenue, off Ago Palace Way, Okota, Isolo, Lagos 5.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 10th May, 2019 at AVMCC by 9.00am.
- iii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Chief (Mrs) Esther Olawumi Adeyanju (Mother of Mr Tola & Mrs Chika Adeyanju of YMCA and the Choir). Aged:105 years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Christian Wake Keep: On Thursday, 9th May, 2019 at her residence, Ado Ekiti at 5.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 10th May, 2019 at Cathedral Church of Emmanuel, Ado-Ekiti by 11.00am.
- iv. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Mr Ben Ibekwe Ekwem. Aged: 67years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Funeral Service: On Thursday, 9th May, 2019 at St. Matthew's Ang. Church, Amaokpara, Nkwere, Imo State by 10.00am

H. 6.00 pm. EUCHARIST WITH ANOINTING

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*
Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*
Sponsor: *Ladies Christian League*
Organist: *Mr Sina Oyeneye*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 46
- ❖ Preparation to Collect
- ❖ Psalm 23
- ❖ The Epistle: Heb. 13:1-21 – **Ladies Christian League**
- ❖ The Gospel: John 10:7-16
- ❖ Sermon
- ❖ Nicene Creed, Intercession to Peace
- ❖ Offerings CH 202
- (a) *First Fruits* (b) *Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*
- ❖ Eucharistic Prayer
- ❖ Communion: CH 447
- ❖ Ablution Hymn: Anima Christi
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ Prayer & Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 52

2. SENTENCES FOR EASTER 2

Introductory Sentence

I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. **John 10:11.**

Collects for the Week:

God of peace, Who brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great Shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, make us perfect in every good work to do Your will, and work in us that which is well-pleasing in Your sight, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Post Communion Sentence

Jesus said, I have come so that they may have life and have it more abundantly. Alleluia!. **John 10:10.**

TOWARDS THE NEW CATHEDRAL

THE COLLECT:

Heavenly Father we acknowledge the fact that without You, we can do nothing, for except You build, those who are building are doing it in vain. Empower us to build to Your glory and honour O Lord. Provide for us unto overflowing and over abundance. Make way where there seems to be none, silence every spirit of Sanballat and Tobiah and fill us with the anointing of Zerubbabel unto a glorious timely and speedy completion for with You there is no abandoned project. All of these and many more mercies and grace we ask for in the mighty name of Jesus Christ our Lord and Saviour. **Amen.**

3. LET THERE BE PEACE (ADAPTED)

Let there be PEACE shared among us
Let there be Peace in our hearts
May NOW your Peace sweep this church
Cause us O Lord to Arise
Give us a fresh understanding
Of Brotherly Peace that is Real
Let there be Peace shared among us
Let there be Peace.

4. 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. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY, 5TH MAY 2019

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, for grace and strength in their
shepherding work.
- ii. For the Rt. Rev. Edward C.D. Osuegbu, his family and all
members of the Diocese of Okigwe.

B. Prayer for Nigeria & the World

- i. Pray that kidnapping and killings shall be a thing of the
past in Nigeria.
- ii. Pray that God shall expose monsters behind the
wickedness going on in the world.
- iii. Pray for peace of all Nations of the world.

C. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. Pray for spirit of humility among our members
- ii. Pray that we shall not lack help as we continue our journey
in May.
- iii. Pray for grace to constantly hear the voice of God as the
sheep of His pasture.

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

- i. For Mr Moses Agbo, Mrs Joy Nwadiugwu, Mr Obinna
Amaechi, Mr Moses Anyanwu, Miss Chiazokam Echeta,
Miss Glory Koiku, Mr Reginald Awuzie, Ms Adaobi
Obialo-Molokwu, Mr Chinedu Ibeachus, Mrs Tejumade
Jakpa, Miss Regina Ochogu, Mr Robinson Olugbue, Mrs
Emmanuella Opara, Miss Olulanu Osinaike, Mr
Oluwaseun Osonuga, Mr Olanrewaju Oyedapo, Barr. Faith
Nwachukwu, Miss Oreoluwa Ogunmoyero, Mr Sylvester
Samson, Mr Friday Chukwu, Mr Clement Fatunmbi, Mr
Chinedu Nwosu, Miss Motunrayo Yusuff, Mrs Omotayo
Olagbade 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

Omokhodion Family, Omokwale Family, Omole Family,
Omoniyi Family, Omooba Family, Omopariola Family,
Omoragbon Family, Omoregie Family, Omoruyi Family,
Omotoso Family.

FUND RAISING COMMITTEE INFORMATION

RELEASE

The Cathedral Development Fund (CADEF)

What is CADEF? It is a 5-Year Development Fund (2019-2024) for the purpose of developing/financing supporting various Capital Projects of the Cathedral, commencing in Year 2019 with THE REFURBISHMENT/UPGRADING OF THE INFRASTRUCTURE AND SERVICES WITHIN THE CATHEDRAL BUILDING. It will also ensure a continuous inflow of resources to make the Cathedral's fallow assets productive for future sustenance.

WHO SHOULD PARTICIPATE? All Parishioners (Adults/The Youth/The Sunday School Children), each according to ability, means and conviction, it is not a levy, but being rich toward God (Luke 12:21)

HOW MUCH IS REQUIRED OF A PARTICIPANT? From each according to ability; God looks at the size of the Heart, not the size of the gift! (The Widow's Offering – Luke 21:2)

HOW DO I PARTICIPATE?

- Collect a Subscription Form from the Wardens; Fund Raising Committee Members; the Church Office; the Fund Office at Room 202A, Second Floor, Vining House or any of the Sextons/Stewards.
- Complete the Form and submit to the Wardens/Committee members or at the Fund/Church office
- Make payments by Cheques drawn in favour of the AVMCC Development Fund or
- Electronic Transfers to: AVMCC Development Fund, Account No. 1021733207, UBA
- An account will be opened in your name at the Fund Office where you may get your balances or at your request by e mail. You will also be prompted when any instalment is due from you.

THE CHARGE: Today we are reaping what was sown in March 1964 by some people, we must equally sow and labour for the coming generations. This is in line with the mandate of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

John 4:37-38 “ Thus the saying 'One sows and another reaps' is true. 38 I sent you to reap what you have not worked for. Others have done the hard work, and you have reaped the benefits of their labor.”

FAITH INSPIRING TESTIMONIES OF THE WEEK

1. For recovery from fainting situation while traveling to Onitsha.
2. For God's provision and increment of salary.
3. For journey mercies and successful activities.
4. For successful performance in a recent jamb examinations.
5. For divine healing and answered prayers on businesses.
6. For miraculous healing of a daughter from crisis that affected her leg.

RAISING N5 BILLION CATHEDRAL DEVELOPMENT FUND

With the estimated 2,000 worshippers regularly seeking, serving and worshipping the Lord in AVMCC, coupled with the spheres of influence and the tentacles of each and everyone of us, given our friends, well wishers, colleagues, family members, neighbours, business associates etc it will take the following analysis to raise the sum of 5 billion Naira for developmental fund from which the refurbishment of the Cathedral shall be done while also focusing on the development of the various fallow lands owned by the Cathedral situated at Isheri North, Baruwa Ipaja, Oregun, Oba Akran etc spread over Lagos State.

1	person giving 5 billion	= 5 billion
2	persons giving 2.5 billion	= 5 billion
5	people giving 1 billion each	= 5 billion
10	people giving 500 million each	= 5 billion
20	people giving 250 million each	= 5 billion
50	people giving 200 million each	= 5 billion
100	people giving 50 million each	= 5 billion
200	people giving 25 million each	= 5 billion
250	people giving 20 million each	= 5 billion
334	people giving 15 million each	= 5 billion
500	people giving 10 million each	= 5 billion
1000	people giving 5 million each	= 5 billion
2000	people giving 2.5 million each	= 5 billion
2500	people giving 2 million each	= 5 billion
5000	people giving 1 million each	= 5 billion
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200,000	people giving 25,000 each	= 5 billion
250,000	people giving 20,000 each	= 5 billion
500,000	people giving 10,000 each	= 5 billion
1,000,000	people giving 5,000 each	= 5 billion
5,000,000	people giving 1,000 each	= 5 billion
10,000,000	people giving 500 each	= 5 billion

With each and everyone of us as fund ambassadors going out to appeal for fund in the realization of this lofty venture, all we need to do is to know someone who knows someone, who knows someone and who no one else for God is still in the habit of using human vessels to accomplish His purposes.

Nehemiah got letters from the King appealing for donors in kind, cash and materials to build. **Neh. 2:7-8.**

WHERE THERE IS A WILL THERE WILL ALWAYS BE A WAY.

F. Prayers for the following people: The Rt. Rev. Dr. P. A. Adebisi, Engr. & Mrs. Odedairo, Mrs. Beatrice Akinola, Mrs. David-West, Justice S.O. Ilori, Mrs M.I. Ilori, Mrs Lydia Metu, Mr. B. Sorinmade, Mrs M.M. Aruofor, Mrs Esther Babalola, Mrs Roseline Anyadikwa, Mrs. Ronke Famuyide, Mr Samuel Chukwudum, Mrs Modupe Dawodu.

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.

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, 5TH MAY, 2019

THEME: THE MARKS OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

READINGS: EZEKIEL 34:1-10; PSALM 23;

HEBREWS 13:1-21; JOHN 10:7-16

Our theme for meditation this week is Marks of the Good Shepherd”

“Shepherd the flock of God which is among you, serving as overseers, not by compulsion but willingly, not for dishonest gain but eagerly; 3 nor as being lords over those entrusted to you, but being examples to the flock; 4 and when the Chief Shepherd appears, you will receive the crown of glory that does not fade away.” (1 Pet. 5: 2-4)

This was the same command that Jesus gave to Peter in John 21:16. To shepherd means to "to tend," and besides feeding this includes caring, leading, guiding, and protecting. Generally it refers to all duties and responsibilities a shepherd has for his flock and the flock as it is used here are individuals who have repented and renounced sinful living and are now converted to the way of God so much so that they have become like little children before God (Matt. 18: 3).

In other words Priests as under-shepherds under the Lord Jesus Christ who is the Chief Shepherd are entrusted with the responsibility to:

1. Feed the flock of God – with the true, untainted and undiluted word of God.
2. Care for the flock of God
3. Lead the flock of God – away from the path of spiritual danger, away from devilish path (Prov. 7: 7-10) and along the godly path.

4. Guide the flock of God – to make right decisions and to live in a manner that is right and pleasing to the Lord.
5. Protect the flock of God – from hirelings (false teachers, false doctrines, those who make merchandise of the word and the grace of God)
6. Seek the lost sheep and restore them back to the fold – through evangelism, follow-up and discipleship (Matt. 18: 12-13).

It is not just important that Priest must carry out these responsibilities, the attitude with which they carry it out is also very important:

1. They must not serve out of compulsion, but willingly and enthusiastically
2. They must not serve with the aim of dishonest gain in mind or with the intention to make merchandise of their service lest they become hireling themselves.
3. They must not be dictatorial, they must be gentle in the way they handle the flock lest they lose them. The man of God therefore must serve with a servant attitude.
4. They must be positive examples to the flock lest they become like the scribes and Pharisees (Matt. 23: 1-4). They must practice what they preach by being a living proof of godly living.
5. They must not be stumbling block or tool in the hands of the devil to make the flock to fall into sin (Matt. 18: 6)

The flock in return has the responsibility to:

1. Humble himself or herself before the Lord and His servants so that they will be able to properly appreciate and correctly respond to the godly efforts of the under-shepherd (Matt. 18: 4; 1 Pet. 5: 5-6)
2. Develop trust and confidence in the Lord (1 Pet. 5: 7)
3. Be sober, be watchful and be vigilant – Because the enemy is on the prowl seeking to lead astray and to destroy (1 Pet. 5:8-9).

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 – Co-ord – Chiemeka Anadu - 08094816786.
Just 4 Guys Co-ord. – Chijioke Udemezue - 08038178065

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. **2019 Bible Quiz Book – 2nd 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.

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 Sundays of the 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 **(08033136370 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, Visitations, We meet on Thursdays at 11.00am at the Chapel. For more information please call: **0802-3014807.**

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. 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**

E. Admission to Lagos Anglican Schools,

- Anglican Comp. 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.
- Lagos Anglican Nursery and Primary School, Bariga (CMS Compound).

The forms for the above schools are out at the rate of **₦10,000**. Payment should be made into **Union Bank Acct No 0002516850**. Account Name: Lagos Anglican Schools Management Board and Collect the form at the Cathedral Office and submit to the school of your choice. Examinations dates are Saturday, 6th April, Saturday, 4th May and 20th July, 2019 in the school premises by 8.00am.

F. Admission to Igbobi College, Yaba

The form for the above school is out at the rate of **₦10,000**. Payment should be made into **Union Bank Acct No 0004513499**. Account Name: Igbobi College. Applicant can thereafter download the form from the college website www.igbobicollegeyaba.com or visit the College Admission Officer in school.

G. Babington Macaulay Junior Seminary, Ikorodu

The forms for the above school are out at the rate of **₦10,000**. Payment should be made into **Zenith Bank Plc: Babington Macaulay Junior Seminary Account No 1015133015**. Collect your own at the Cathedral Office and submit at the school. Examination Date: Saturday, 1st June, 2019 and interview on Saturday 8th June, 2019 at 8.00am.

H. Lagos Anglican Dioceses Bible College, Lagos.

Interview continues for admission into the Certificates, the Diploma and the Advanced Course in Biblical Studies at the College premises (LABICO), 17 Broad Street, Lagos. For more details call – 08023014807 / 08033083851.

14. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

A. Children's Ministry

Parents are requested to send their children to the Sunday School with Bibles, Note Books & Biros. 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.**

When the servant of God and the flock faithfully carry out their responsibilities, they will be perfected, established and strengthened in God's purpose and will eventually receive the unfading crown of glory at the appearance of the Chief Shepherd.

For the under-shepherd and the flock, may the Lord give you the grace to stay committed and faithful to Him till eternity.

Have a blessed week.

WITHDRAWAL HYMN FOR 10.00AM SERVICE DOWN IN THE VALLEY WITH MY SAVIOUR I WOULD GO

1. Down in the valley with my Savior I would go,
Where the flowers are blooming and the sweet waters flow;
Everywhere He leads me I will follow, follow on,
Walking in His footsteps till the crown be won.
Chorus:
Follow! follow! I will follow Jesus!
Anywhere, everywhere, I will follow on!
Follow! follow! I will follow Jesus!
Everywhere He leads me I will follow on!

2. Down in the valley with my Savior I would go,
Where the storms are sweeping and the dark waters flow;
With His hand to lead me I will never, never fear,
Danger cannot fright me if my Lord is near.
(Chorus)

3. Down in the valley or upon the mountain steep,
Close beside my Savior would my soul ever keep;
He will lead me safely in the path that He has trod,
Up to where they gather on the hills of God.
(Chorus)

10. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

April 28 – May 4

7.00 am Holy Communion	1,215
10.00 am Youth Service	187
7.00 am Sunday School	367
10.00 am Mattins	928
10.00 am Youth Service	147
10.00 am Sunday School	234
6.00 pm Service	42
Tuesday Bible Study	
Wednesday Holy Communion	
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	

11. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

- The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church after Service

- ✚ *Ascension Fellowship*
- ✚ *Christian Brothers Society*
- ✚ *Ambassadors of Christ Executive*
- ✚ *Y.W.C.A. Executive*
- ✚ *Agape Christian Sisters*
- ✚ *Sons & Daughters of Egbaland*
- ✚ *Band of Light Executive*
- ✚ *Lords Labourers Fellowship*

- Band of Grace Executive meeting comes up today after 10.00am service

12. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 5th May, 2019

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

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. (Mrs) Irene Okwerekwu, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Mrs Adenike Adefila, Dr. Femi Olaleye.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 12th May, 2019

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

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. (Mrs) Frances Ajose, Dr. Tunji Areo, Pharm. Ranti Adedeji, Mrs Kate Igunma, Mrs Chinelo Emenike.

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 5th May. - Saturday, 11th May, 2019

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

ii. Sunday 12th May - Saturday, 18th May., 2019

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.

11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Easter 3

May 12

Theme: Trusting God in Every Situation

Colour: White

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

O.T. Reading *1 Kings 17:17-24*

Layreader G.A. Olawoyin

Psalm *49*

Epistle: *1 Corinthians 15:1-11*

Layreader Iyabo Ogundiran

Gospel: *John 11:17-27*

The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

Address: *The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola*

THE YOUTH SERVICE:

Venue: *The Adetiloye House*

Cantor *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

10.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

BAND OF LIGHT ANNIVERSARY

Cantor: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

O.T. Reading *1 Kings 17:17-24*

Band of Light Society

Psalm *49*

N.T. Reading: *John 11:17-27*

Band of Light Society

Address: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*

6.00 pm: FAMILY EVENING

Cantor: *The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola*

Psalm: *63:1-8*

Lesson: *Matthew 7:15-29*

Preacher: *Layreader Oluremi Abimbola*

12. BANNS 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.

2ND NOTICE:

1. Mr Ayodele Ayowole & Miss Omolola Ajayi

2. Mr Benjamin Emodi & Miss Henrietta Emelionwu

1ST NOTICE:

1. Mr Olayiwola Ogundolapo & Miss Adetolani Dosumu

2. Mr Babatunde Odeseye & Miss Chinenye Nwosu

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. You are requested to please move to the Lady's Chapel after the service 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

Friday, May 10, 2019 **Colour: White**

7.00am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Epistle: *11 John 1-13 - Lay. Funmi Tetede*

Gospel: *Luke 5:12-26*

Hymns: *CH 516, VSH 63, VSH 99*

Preacher: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Efafe Emamezi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Western Izon.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Jolly Ehigiator Oyekpen, his family and all members of the Diocese of Akoko Edo.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Ademola Adenle, Mrs Ozioma Odita-Sunday, Mr Abubakar Ahmadu, Mrs Mercy Aruofor, Miss Chiagoziwom Kanu, Mr Lucas Samuel, Mrs Ogooma Mozie, Mr Maxwell Odigie, Engr. Samson Okerulu, Omoba Olusegun Onadeko, Mr Babatunde Sotuminu, Mrs Ozioma Odita-Sunday, Mrs Favour Inyang, Mr Daniel Ekele, Miss Florence Okeke, Mr Adewale Salami, Miss Nwamaka Ajagu, Mrs Vivian Obiwulu, Mr Chiagozie Kanu.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Onwubalili Family, Onwuchuruba Family, Onwuegbusi-Adeleye Family, Onwuemeli Family, Onwughai Family, Onwuha Family, Onwuka Family, Onwukanjo Family, Onwukwe Family, Onwurike Family.

9.00am **Funeral Service for
Late Prince Kehinde Adeniyi**

6.00pm **EFAC Meeting**

6.30pm **Choir Practice**

10.00am: **Pre-Diocesan Synod Vigil**

Saturday, May 11, 2019 **Colour: White**

7.00am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola*

Epistle: *111 John 1-15- Lay. E. Osibajo*

Gospel: *Luke 5:27-39*

Hymns: *CH 306, VSH 5, CH XVII*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Jacob Olajide Bada, his family and all members of Diocese of Etsako.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. David F.A. Obiosa, his family and all members of Diocese of Ndokwa.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Victoria Abidoeye, Dr. (Mrs) Frances Ajose, Mr Babajide Balogun, Mr Olusola George, Mrs Helen Jemerigbe, Mr Samuel Nwosu, Mr Nnamdi Okafor, Prof. Olufemi Peters.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Onwusika Family, Onwusirike Family, Onwuzurike Family, Onyeagbagha Family, Onyebuchi-Akobi Family, Onyebuenyi Family, Onyechere Family, Onyedika-Echedom Family, Onyedum Family, Onyegbule Family.

4.00 pm **Youth Fellowship**

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

4.00 pm **Baptism**

14.

EEP Newstrack

April 2019 Credit Facilities: Parishioners who need funds to start or grow their businesses are invited to pick up applications forms from EEP office.

Party decoration – Are you interested in learning more about how to start your own Event Decoration business? Then this course is for you. Course content include Introduction to event decoration, props and backdrop, lighting effect, How to set a table, vehicle decoration and lots more. Participation fee is N7,500 only. Registration closes on May 2nd, 2019. Call now to book your place: 07030298571, 08023234012, 08059184625

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Instagram: @avmcccep

Twitter: @avmcccep

Email: pcwn.avmcc@gmail.com

Calling All Professional Women

The Professional Christian Women Network (PCWN) is an initiative of the EEP which seeks to foster stronger inter-society ties among Professional Women in the Cathedral. Pick up an application form today or call 08186134679.

To partner with the EEP:

Volunteer your talents as Facilitators, Mentors and Resource Persons on our Programs;

Sponsor Programmes in Full, joint or in part Societies are welcome to be part of this laudable initiative to sponsor EEP Workshops.

Provide us with a one-off gift; Organizations can partner with EEP as part of their Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) Initiative.

DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST

**AVMCC DELIVERANCE & HEALING UNIT (DHU)
PROGRAMMES**

- i. Every 3rd Friday of every month – Church Deliverance and Healing Service - (6.00pm -8.00pm)
- ii. Every Thursday is Prayers, Deliverance and Counselling days for member – 6.00pm – 8.00pm
- iii. Every Tuesday & Wednesday evening Counselling and Prayers.
- iv. Every Sunday after 10.00am – Prayers, Deliverance and Counseling.
- v. 4th Friday of every month with 5 – Fridays DHU Vigil.

For Prayers, Deliverance and Counselling please call/text:

0803- 7152811, 0802-3149601, 0803-3003906.

HYMN BEFORE SERMON FOR 7.00AM & 10.00AM SERVICES

SHEPHERD OF MY SOUL

1. Shepherd of my soul I give you full control,
Wherever You may lead I will follow.
I have made the choice to listen for Your voice,
Wherever You may lead I will go.
Be it in a quiet pasture or by a gentle stream,
The Shepherd of my soul is by my side.
Should I face a mighty mountain or a valley dark and deep,
The Shepherd of my soul will be my guide.
2. Shepherd of my soul Oh You have made me whole,
Where'er I hear You call how my tears flow.
How I feel your love how I want to serve
I gladly give my heart to You O Lord.
Be it in the flowing river or in the quiet night,
The Shepherd of my soul is by my side.
Should I face the stormy weather or the dangers of this
world.
The Shepherd of my soul will be my guide.

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10. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, May 6, 2019

Colour: White

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*
Epistle: *1 John 3:19-4:1-6 - Lay. Edwin Eze*
Gospel: *Luke 4:14-30*
Hymns: *CH IV, CH 455, VSH 22*
Preacher: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Emmanuel Maduwike, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ikeduru.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Dr. P.O.J. Imasuen, his family and all members of the Diocese of Benin.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Rev. Olusola Adeosun, Mr Oluwadamilola Ayinde, Miss Goodness Uzor, Mrs Pauline Emeruem, Mr Nnabuife Atuchukwu, Mrs Dorcas Kolawole, Mr Leonard Nwabunezi, Mrs Ezinne Nwankwo, Mr God's favour Okeke, Mr Ayodeji Randle, Mrs Beatrice Umeh, Mr Oluwasegun Randle, Mr Oluwaseun Adesina.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Omotunde Family, Omotuyi Family, Omowhara Family, Omo-Williams Family, Omowunmi Family, Onabajo Family, Onabanjo Family, Onabolu Family, Onadeko Family, Onakoya Family.

5.30 pm Family/Marriage Counselling Meeting

6.30 pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, May 7, 2019

Colour: White

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola*
Epistle: *1 John 4:7-21 - Lay. Oluremi Onabolu*
Gospel: *Luke 4:31-37*
Hymns: *VSH 20, CH 508, CH 492*
Preacher: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Most Rev. Friday John Imaekhai, his family and all members of the Diocese of Esan.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Justus Nnaemeka, his family and all members of the Diocese of Asaba.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Chinedu Nwakanma, Mr Taiwo Adeyemi, Mrs Helen Bankole, Mrs Uju Molokwu, Mr Ifeanyichukwu Nwune, Mr Babajide Famodimu, Mr Nnamdi Obu, Mrs Maryllian Umobi, Mrs Oluwatoyin Ogunge, Miss Favour Okpara, Mrs Faith Musa-Anas.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Onasanya Family, Onatemowo Family, Onayemi Family, Onebunne Family, Onekanma Family, Oni Family, Onile-Ere Family, Onioye Family, Oniyide Family, Onoh Family.

11.00 am – 3.00 pm - Senior Citizens Clinic & Fellowship

5.00pm – 6.00pm Intercessory Prayer

5.00pm - 6.00pm BIBLE STUDY REVIEW

6.00 pm (BIBLE STUDY) GATHERING OF THE NOBLES – ACTS 17:10-11. HEBREWS 12

12.

Wednesday, May 8, 2019

Colour: White

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*
Epistle: *1 John 5:1-12 - Lay. Kike Akinyemi*
Gospel: *Luke 4:38-44*
Hymns: *CH 578, CH 621, CH 551, CH 577*
Preacher: *The Ven. Festus Olowosile*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Christian Ezezi Ide, his family and all members of the Diocese of Warri.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Augustine Ohilebo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Sabongidda-Ora.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Titilayo Afolabi, Mr Clement Olajide, Miss Oluwatobiloba Oduyungbo, Mrs Sandra Ninis, Mrs Olukemi Ashiru, Mr Sisanmofe Ekwejunor, Mrs Udoka Ene, Mr Kenneth Okechukwu, Mrs Esther Jaiyeola, Master David Ekekezie, Mrs Teniola Odedina, Mrs Olayinka Ogunkoya, Miss Victoria Ugbechie.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ononiwu Family, Ononuju Family, Onoriode Family, Onoriope Family, Onovo Family, Onu Family, Onubogu Family, Onuegbu Family, Onuekwusi Family, Onugobo Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

4.00pm Service of Songs for Late Mr John Ohonyon

6.00pm (PRAYER MEETING) HOURS OF DIVINE

SETTLEMENT – 1 PETER 5:10

THEME: O LORD BRING ME OUT OF THIS HORRIBLE PIT – PSALM 40:2

Thursday, May 9, 2019

Colour: White

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. James Adekanye*
Epistle: *1 John 5:13-20 - Lay. F. Okey-Ogbu*
Gospel: *Luke 5:1-11*
Hymns: *CH 18, CH 647, CH 17*
Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Prayer Points

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Cyril O. Odutemi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ughelli.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. John U. Aruakpor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Oleh.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Roseline Ajayi, Mrs Iyabo Awokoya, Mrs Titilayo Olusoga, Nwabaufu Osigwe, Mrs Edith Ehu, Mr Julius Tetede, Mr Oluwadare Babarinsa, Mr Ernest Onwubalili, Mrs Chinenye Ochokwu.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Onukwube Family, Onuma Family, Onumajuru Family, Onuoha Family, Onuorah Family, Onwachei Family, Onwadike Family, Onwu Family, Onwuama Family, Onwuasonya Family.

11.00 am Meeting of Men & Women of Grace

5.00 pm Christian Wake Keep for Late Prince Kehinde Adeniyi

5.00 pm Confirmation Class

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