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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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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, 23rd June - Saturday, 29th June, 2019

TRINITY 1

Theme: Feeding on God's Word

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

Please Take A Copy

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

1. SERVICES FOR SUNDAY – 23RD JUNE

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*
The Epistle: *Layreader Gloria Okeke*
The Gospel: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*
Preacher: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*
Intercessor: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: VSH 75 – Praise Him....
- ❖ Praise & Worship **10mins. (Judges 1:1-2, Ps 100vs 4, Ps 95 vs 2)**
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence - **The Rev. Dr. B. Okere**
- ❖ Epistle: I Peter 2:1-10
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CH CS 86 – Tell me the old
- ❖ The Gospel: John 15:1-5
- ❖ Sermon
- ❖ Cathedral Fund Ambassadors (5)
- ❖ 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: VSH 10, 25, 65, 64, 68
- ❖ The Ablution: VSH 78 – Standing on the....
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer

Thanksgiving:

- i. Family Harvest: *(as indicated.... pg 22)*
- ii. Mrs Mojisola Olorunhundo thanking God for successful surgery and God's numerous blessings.
- iii. Birthday thanksgiving of Chief Mrs Omobolaji Osomo, her family harvest and God's numerous blessings.
- iv. Thanksgiving after a successful burial of Mrs Grace Emeka (Mother of Engr & Mrs Okey Okeke of Christian Family) and journey mercies.

- ❖ For Doxology *(Pg 11)*
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ **Harvest Committee Address**
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: VSH 258 –Trusting in the Lord

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.

2.

L. 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 Ikwemesi'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>
Ikwemesi'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
Anionwu's	No 2 Winsala Oladipo Close Near Airforce small gate Mafoluku	Thursdays @ 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.

M. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

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

1. June 23 rd	Sunday	-	Psalm 85-87
2. June 24 th	Monday	-	Psalm 88-90
3. June 25 th	Tuesday	-	Psalm 91-93
4. June 26 th	Wednesday	-	Psalm 94-96
5. June 27 th	Thursday	-	Psalm 97-99
6. June 28 st	Friday	-	Psalm 100-102
7. June 29 th	Saturday	-	Psalm 103-105

N. 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.

23.

**J. CONSECRATION OF BISHOPS:
CALL FOR HOSPITALITY**

The Diocese of Lagos West cum AVMCC is billed to play host to close to **1000 guests** from within and outside the shores of Nigeria in respect of the above primatial and national service billed for **3RD JULY, 2019.**

THOSE TO BE CONSECRATED: 1. Ven Olukayode Adenola Adebogun – Canada (2) The Rev. Can. Dr. Augustine Aigbovbioise Unuigbe – Mays Landing (3) Ven. Dr. Martyn C. Anagbogu – North Carolina USA and (4) Ven. Dr. Adedokun Adewumi, Maryland USA.

EXPECTATIONS: 5 Meals for 2 days, Transportations, Hotel Accommodation, Logistics, Security, Hospitality etc. While coveting your prayers for a successful hosting, please feel free if you are spiritually led and inclined by sponsoring accordingly. Please contact the **Dean** or the **Wardens**. God bless you.

K. HARVEST NEWS

A. Family Harvest for today - Sunday 23rd June, 2019

7.00am: . Chief (Mrs) A.M. Osomo & Family, Mrs Grace Agiddi & Family, Princess Shola Oshunleti & Family.

10.00am: Dr. Oloruntele Kolawole & Family,

B. Family Harvest for today - Sunday 30th June, 2019

7.00am: . Mr Adebayo Adesida & Family, Mr Frank Nwune & Family.

C. Society Harvest for – Sunday 14th July, 2019

Busy Bees, Agape Christian Sisters, Christian Family, Ascension Fellowship and Christian Unity Band.

D. Society Harvest for – Sunday 21st July, 2019

Good Samaritan Society, Young Women Christian Association, Band of Faith and Band of Peace.

E. VENDORS

Interested Vendors are advice to drop their proposal at the Harvest Office, 2nd Floor, Room 202B or call Jide on 08152223222.

2019 HARVEST PROGRAMMES

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

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| (1) Family Harvest | Sunday, June – Nov. 2019 |
| (2) Young Leaders Harvest | Sunday, July 7, 2019 |
| (3) Children’s Harvest | Sunday, July 28, 2019 |
| (4) Youth Harvest | Sunday, August 25, 2019 |
| (5) Corporate/ Professional | Sept. – Nov. 2019 |
| (6) All Women Harvest | Sunday, Sept. 8, 2019 |
| (7) Community Hymn Singing | Sunday, Sept 15, 2019 |
| (8) National Harvest | Sunday, Sept. 29, 2019 |
| (9) Alma-Mater Harvest | Sunday, Oct. 13, 2019 |
| (10) Adult Harvest | Sunday, Oct. 27, 2019 |
| (11) Senior Citizen’s Harvest | Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019 |
| (12) Greater Chapter/Standing Comm. | Sunday, Nov. 10, 2019 |
| (13) All Ministries Harvest Day | Sunday, Nov. 17, 2019 |

**B. 10.00am MATTINS
CHRISTIAN HOUSEHOLD SOCIETY
ANNIVERSARY**

Cantor: *The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola*
O.T. Reading: *Christian Household*
N.T. Reading: *Christian Household*
Preacher: *The Ven. James Adekanye*
Intercession: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

❖ Processional Hymn: CH 490 – Oh for a thousand.....
❖ Praise & Worship **10mins. (Judges 1:1-2, Ps 100vs 4, Ps 95 vs 2)**

❖ Call to Worship
❖ Psalm 95:1-7
❖ O.T. Reading: 1 Samuel 7:4-16
❖ Hymn: VSH 78 – Standing on the
❖ N.T. Reading: John 15:1-5
❖ Apostles Creed - Collects
❖ Hymn: CH 83
❖ Sermon
❖ Cathedral Fund Ambassadors (5)
❖ The Offerings: Choruses

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

The Anniversary:

- i. Christian Household Anthem
- ii. Rededication of Members
- iii. Christian Household, Patrons/Patronesses &The Church

Thanksgiving:

- i. Family Harvest: *(as indicated.... page 22)*
- ii. The Churching of Mrs Paris Sanusi for the gift of a baby boy and God’s numerous blessings.
- iii. 60th birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Modupe Kolawole and God’s numerous blessings.
- iv. Nigerian Red Cross Society (Lagos Branch) thanking God for successful annual week celebration and God’s numerous blessings.

❖ For Doxology..... (pg 11)
❖ Benediction
❖ Notices
❖ Diocesan Anthem
❖ Withdrawal Hymn: VSH 63 – I am thine O Lord....

C. EVENTS AHEAD

1. Diocesan Men’s Conference - KIV
2. JUNE PARISH VIGIL TO BE JOINTLY HOSTED BY: Daughters of Light, Band of Mercy, YMCA & YWCA Societies – Friday, 28th June, 2019 at 10.00pm.
3. Trinity Ordination – 29th June, 2019 by 10.00am.
4. Consecration of Bishops –Wed. 3rd July, 19 at AVMCC.
5. Diocesan Christian Mothers Vigil, 5th July, 2019 at 10.00pm. Venue: Cathedral
6. EFAC Lagos Zone Vigil – 5th July, 2019 @ Bola Memorial or Ascension Opebi.
7. Prayer Conference – 8th July, 2019
8. Word Conference – 9th July, 2019
9. Healing and Deliverance
10. Evangelical Outreach – 10th July, 2019
11. Novelty Football – 11th July, 2019
12. DLW Choral Competition 10th Anniversary Lecture: 18th August, 2019 at 4.00pm.

13. **DLW Choral Competition Grand Final – Sunday, 1st Sept. 2019 at 3.00pm.**

D. EQUIPPING THE SAINTS IS ON

"The new class for Discipleship Training (Equipping The Saints) starts on Saturday 6th of July 2019. Time 9.00am. Venue 1st Floor Vining House, AVMCC. All interested Parishioners who wish to participate may register before that day in the Church Office or come on that Saturday July 6th to Vining house"

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 June 23, 2019 | Christian Unity Band |
| 2. Sunday June 30, 2019 | Christian Friends |
| 3. Sunday July 7, 2019 | Anglican Fellowship |
| 4. Sunday July 14, 2019 | Ambassadors of Christ |
| 5. Sunday July 21, 2019 | Busy Bees |
| 6. Sunday July 28, 2019 | Children Harvest |
| 7. Sunday August 4 2019 | Light of the World |
| 8. Sunday August 10, 2019 | Band of Mercy |
| 9. Sunday August 18, 2019 | Good Samaritan |
| 10. Sunday August 26, 2019 | Youth Harvest |

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

Cantor: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Theme: **Feeding on God's Word**

❖ Processional Hymn: VSH 75 – Praise Him.....

❖ Call to Worship

❖ O.T. Reading: 1 Samuel 7:4-16

❖ Praises

❖ N.T. Reading: John 15:1-5

❖ Creed to Collect

❖ Choir Ministration

❖ Sermon & Intercession

❖ Offerings: Choruses

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

❖ Thanksgiving (if any)

❖ Youth Anthem

❖ Notices: Secretariat

❖ Prayer & Benediction

❖ Withdrawal Hymn: VSH 63 – I am Thine of Lord....

4.

D. AVMCC CHRISTIAN OUTLOOK

Your favourite family journal, The AVMCC Christian Outlook is out on sale today. There are many soul-lifting articles that will bless you richly. Get some copies for your friends and neighbours.

E. CATHEDRAL HISTORY COMMITTEE

This is an appeal to Parishioners of the Cathedral who have been in this Church for **40years** or more to join this committee to serve. Please give your name and phone number in an envelope labelled - **To The Cathedral History Committee** to Mrs Famade in the office

F. ROSTER FOR VIGIL

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| JUNE | (1) | DAUGHTERS OF LIGHT |
| | (2) | BAND OF MERCY |
| | (3) | YWCA (4) YMCA |
| JULY | (1) | ANGLICAN FELLOWSHIP |
| | (2) | GOOD SAMARITAN |
| | (3) | LORDS LABOURERS |
| AUG. | (1) | BAND OF GRACE |
| | (2) | LADIES CHRISTIAN LEAGUE |
| | (3) | TORCHBEARERS |
| SEPT | (1) | CHRISTIAN UNITY BAND |
| | (2) | GOOD SHEPHERD |
| | (3) | BAND OF PEACE |
| OCT. | (1) | BUSY BEES |
| | (2) | LORDS' VESSEL |
| | (3) | CHRISTIAN MORNING STAR |
| NOV | | TRIUMPHANT CONVOCATION VIGIL |
| DEC. | (1) | AGAPE CHRISTIAN SISTERS |
| | (2) | LIGHT OF THE WORLD |
| | (3) | LADIES PROGRESSIVE LEAGUE |

G. CATHEDRAL WEEK OF EVANGELISM

1. **EFAC Lagos Zone Vigil – 5th July, 2019**
2. **Prayer Conference – 8th July, 2019**
3. **Word Conference – 9th July, 2019**
4. **Healing and Deliverance**
5. **Evangelical Outreach – 10th July, 2019**
6. **Novelty Football – 11th July, 2019**

H. 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 |

I. REVIVAL

Revival is ordained to terminate our affliction and turn around our situations from pitiable state to an enviable state. It is accompanied by evident change of level. Therefore desire REVIVAL.

21.

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. Obituaries

- i. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Florence Oyeyemi Adedaja of Christian Morning Star. Aged:77years. (wife of Engr. J. Olu Adedaja of Torchbearers Society & Anglican Fellowship). Burial arrangements are as follows:

Service of Songs by Christian Morning Star:

On Tuesday, 2nd July, 2019 at Vining Hall by 4.00pm.

Christian Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 4th July, 2019 at No 35, Old Akute Road (Bola Tinubu Way), off Iju Road, Iju, Lagos by 4.00pm.

Funeral Service: On Friday, 5th July, 2019 at AVMCC, Ikeja by 10.00am. Reception at Ronnie Dee Events Centre, Opp Iju Garage, Pen Cinema, Agege.

- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Mr James Ukachukwu Diala of Good Shepherd Society. Aged: 55years. Burial arrangements are as follows:

Funeral Service: On Friday, 5th July, 2019 at St. Matthew's Anglican Church, Nduhu Village, Umuoda, Nguru Aboh Mbaize LGA, Imo State. Internment at his family compound. Nduhu Village, Imo State.

B. Vacancy

- i. Resident Cook (Male or Female) is urgently needed at a restaurant located at 141, Ojuelegba Road, Surulere. Formal Catering Training and good working experience would be needed. Interested persons to contact: 08020881721 or 08023554358.

C. **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

H. 6.00PM EVENSONG

Cantor: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Organist: *Mr Femi Williams*

Sponsor: *Christian Unity Band*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 46
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Praise Worship
- ❖ Lesson: Luke 14:7-24- **Christian Unity Band**
- ❖ Hymn: CH 83
- ❖ Short Exhortation & Prayer
- ❖ Offerings Choruses
(a) *First Fruit* (b) *Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*
- ❖ Thanksgiving
- ❖ Closing Prayer
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 529

2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY 1

Introductory Sentence

And this commandment we have from Him, that he who loves God should love his brother also – **1 John 4:21.**

Collects for the Week:

Almighty and everlasting God, by Whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified; hear our prayer which we offer for all Your faithful people; that each in his vocation and ministry may serve You in holiness and truth, to the glory of Your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Post Communion Sentence

For you are receiving the goal of your faith, the salvation of your souls. **1 Peter 1-9.**

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.

5. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY, 23RD JUNE, 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, that as they teach the word, the knowledge of God shall multiply among the people.
- ii. For the Rt. Rev. Alexander C. Ibezim, his family and all members of the Diocese of Awka.

B. Prayer for Nigeria & the World

- i. Pray for those in IDP camps and the homeless for God's intervention.
- ii. Pray for countries confronting bandit and other insecurity challenges for God's intervention.
- iii. Pray for Agricultural sector, that wisdom and knowledge needed shall be supplied.
- iv. Pray that Christianity and God's word shall not go into extinction in Kaduna State, Nigeria.

C. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. Pray that the knowledge of God's word shall increase in our midst.
- ii. Pray for Daughters of Light Society and 2019 Harvest Committee for success of 2019 Harvest.
- iii. Pray for all societies and Ministries in AVMCC for strength and vigour.

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

- i. For Mrs Titilayo Idowu, Miss Oyinlosola Adesulu, Chief Adetona Balogun, Mrs Olufunmilayo Enoch, Mr Jayson Umebuani, Mr Okey Igbokwe, Miss Justina Ajibodu, Miss Ekene Iwugo, Mr Uzochukwu Ogbuh, Mr Obiora Udukife, Chief (Mrs) Alice Osomo, Mr Collins Nwakor, Mr Jonathan Okongwu, Mr Ugochukwu Oporum 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

Adebesin Family, Adebisi Family, Adebisi Family, Adebisi-Ogungbesan Family, Adebo Family, Adebogun Family, Adebola Family, Adebowale Family, Adedayo Family, Adedeji Family.

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.

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."

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FAITH INSPIRING TESTIMONIES OF THE WEEK

1. For God's provision and healing.
2. For prayer answered on my son's character.
3. For outstanding performance in a Canadian University.
4. For mercy received to clock 40 years and putting the enemy to shame.
5. For God's protection when a trailer that lost control hit my car.
6. For provision of new car and new piece of land.
7. Lost passport miraculously found and received.
8. A longtime misunderstanding with mother resolved.
9. Green card interview successful and granted after 8 years of waiting.
10. Gotten of a choiced job.

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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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.

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, 23RD JUNE, 2019

THEME: FEEDING ON GOD'S WORD

**READINGS: 1 SAMUEL 7:4-16; PSALM 95:1-7;
1 PETER 2:1-10; JOHN 15:1-5**

Therefore laying aside all malice, all deceit, hypocrisy, envy and all evil speaking as new born babies desire the pure milk of the word, that you may grow thereby.

It is obvious that Apostle Peter in chapter 2 of his first Epistle admonished some recently saved believers, that as newborn spiritual babes in Christ they will need to nourish their soul with pure milk of the word of God. Pure milk without contamination is required for babies to grow; that they may be healthy in every respect; but if it lacks nourishment it retards in development or progress.

The spiritual nourishment which God has provided for all His born-again children is found in his own word – the pure milk of the word or the food of the word.

If babies required milk to grow, adult need meat or bread of the word of God to grow up to (salvation) maturity. The writer of the book of Hebrew wrote to some who refused to grow up, who have become dull of hearing, “for though by this time you ought to be teachers, you need someone to back you again the first principles of the oracles of God; and you have come to need milk and not solid food. For everyone who partakes only of milk is unskilled in the word of righteousness, for he is babe. But solid food belongs to those who are of full age, that is those who by reason of use have their sense exercised to discern both good and evil”.

From the text we deduced that (a) we required spiritual food for spiritual growth to happen (b) This food must be far from junk; but nourishing to the body (c) the food (the word of God) is graduated as the individual advances in age; so pure milk is for infant who are regarded as unskilled, naive and inexperienced, while meat or solid food is for adult (d) finally, the quality of the food and the attitude of an individual towards food.

Moving forward, there are two Bible passages in Ezekiel and Revelation that paint the image of someone eating a scroll, which represent the word of God. Ezekiel describes how he was formally commissioned as God's prophet. The divine spirit that entered Ezekiel told him twice that he should open his mouth and eat a scroll that the spirit offered him (Ezek. 2:8-10; 3:1-3). Surprisingly, the prophet stated about his food, "In my mouth it was as sweet as honey" (Ezek 3:3). Also in Revelation 10, a voice from heaven instructed John to take a little scroll from a mighty Angel from heaven and eat it. Like Ezekiel's experience, the angel explained to John that the scroll would taste "as sweet as honey" (vs 9-10). The eating of the divine scroll underscores John's prophetic call to be God's spokes person.

These illustration or image of eating the divine scroll – God's word for God's people. What was being implied here is that these words were not only possess (available), they were consumed for personal nourishment and health. Prophet Jeremiah said in Jeremiah 15:16, "Your words were found and I ate them, and your word was to me to you and rejoicing of my heart, O Lord God of host". Jeremiah action strengthen the discourse that God's word became food to him and they gave unto him joy and rejoicing to his heart. In other words the word became flesh (John 1:14) to Jeremiah.

The incarnate God (Jesus Christ) wants to abide in you such that after you have eaten the food (the word), he dwells in you and His glory manifest in you. The divine message needed to become part of you and to shape you in meaningful ways before you go out to preach, otherwise you will become an empty preacher.

How do you regard the word of God? Do you approach the texts as divine scripture as words about God and from God? Or is the word just mere information? Our disposition to this food; how where we source for our meals had much to do with what becomes of our lives? How can we read and engaged the Bible as sacred scripture so that we are not only informed about God but also transformed by the Holy Spirit to live faithfully as God's people? Back to our texts, first as new born babes we are to desire the pure milk of the word because it provides the strength for living and growing.

8.

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.**

17.

C. Vining Bookshop

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

D. 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. Examination date is Saturday, 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.

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 & Biro. 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.**

16.

Second, if we must be useful vessel of God; being able to use our gifts effectively to build and edify the church of God – As we developed in age our spiritual body need solid food. If we don't graduate with the quality and quantity of food it will become impossible to become mature in the things of God, and lack discerning spirit to decipher between good and evil.

On a final note we should take the biblical image metaphor or "eating" God's word seriously, so that eating the right food may help us develop – Talking about development, as we grow up in age so will our appetite and craving for spiritual food grow.

(i) We need regular Biblical feeding: It is not a fast food that should be hurriedly taken. We must develop the right approach to feeding. Take your meal at the right time, in the right place and atmosphere and eat your food with pleasure. By so doing the word of God will make first personal impart and then corporate.

(ii) We need to take the necessary time to savour scripture. It requires time and effort to take ingredient from scratch and blend them together in carefully proportioned way to create meal pleasing to the plate. If the food was not hurriedly produce, it should not be hurriedly consumed.

(iii) We must need to maintain a balance diet in what feeds us from scriptures. If we must grow in grace, it is important to ensure that we do not concentrate on some areas of the Bible leaving come untouched. We will appreciate the word from a large book perspective. It is advisable to adopt systematic reading or using lectionary.

(iv) It is much better to gather around a table with others and to engage scriptures together than to read it alone. Sharing what you have read alone with others is more rewarding than just reading alone without touching lives. Beloved, go and start feeding on the word of God, and you will find direction and purpose for your life.

Stay blessed.

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10. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

June 16 – June 22

7.00 am Holy Communion	1,181
10.00 am Youth Service	172
7.00 am Sunday School	267
10.00 am Mattins	829
10.00 am Youth Service	218
10.00 am Sunday School	214
6.00 pm Service	34
Tuesday Bible Study	178
Wednesday Holy Communion	161
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	245

11. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

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

✚ *Band of Faith*

✚ *Ladies Christian League*

✚ *Christian Friends Society*

✚ *Lord Labourers Fellowship*

- Cathedral Brigade Patron and Patroness meeting comes up today after 10.00am Service at 1st Floor, Vining House, Seminar Room.

12. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 23rd June, 2019

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Pharm. Deji Osinoiki, Pharm (Mrs) Yomi Osinoiki, Mrs Gina Okolo.

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. (Mrs) Frances Ajose, Pharm. Ranti Adedeji, Mrs Bola Awobiyi, Ms Adenike Adefila, Dr. Femi Olaleye, Pharm. Dele Ajala.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 30th June, 2019

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

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Tunji Areo, Pharm. Yewande Olorunsola, Mrs Vivian Jerry-Amah, Mrs Chinelo Emenike, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Dr. Frances Ajose.

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 23rd June. - Saturday, 29th June, 2019

Nwaorgu Chinedu (**Captain**), Odanye Moji (Mrs) (**Assistant Captain**), Goke Uthman; Ogunleye Adeboboye, Adeyemi Muiyiwa, Mbaekwe Augustine, Segun Adeniji, Dare Sigbeku, Chioma Obi, George A. Adeyemi, Juliet Chimezie, Omotola Onakoya, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Rita Osibodu.

11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Trinity 2

June 30

Theme: Fruitful Christian Living

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

BAND OF GLORY ANNIVERSARY

Celebrant: *The Ven. Festus Olowosile*

Epistle: *Romans 6:3-11*

Band of Glory

Gospel: *John 15:5-11*

The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem

Address: *The Dean*

10.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

LADIES PROGRESSIVE LEAGUE ANNIVERSARY

Celebrant: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

Epistle: *Romans 6:3-11*

Ladies Progressive League Society

Gospel: *John 15:5-11*

The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere

Address: *The Dean*

6.00 pm: YOUTH EVENING

Cantor: *The Youth*

Psalm: 32

Lesson: *Acts 4:1-22*

Preacher: *The Youth*

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 Ikeh Jideofor & Miss Olive Chiamaka Brown*

2. *Mr Nkeakolam Ozoemenam & Miss Adanna Njimaenzi*

1ST NOTICE:

1. *Mr John Osadi & Miss Uzoaku Nwobi*

2. *Mr Ayodeji Arinola & Miss Olufunke Odegunmi*

3. *Mr Olanrewaju Edun & Miss Ibunkunoluwa Ibitoye*

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, June 28, 2019 **Colour: Green**

7.00am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*

Epistle: *Acts 7:17-29 – Lay. Dele Ajala*

Gospel: *Luke 22:31-38*

Hymns: *CH 446, VSH 25, CH 373*

Preacher: *The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Prince Asukwo Edet Antai, his family and all members of the Diocese of Uyo.
- ❖ For the Most. Rev. Ignatius C.O. Kattay, his family and all members of the Diocese of Niger Delta North.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Adeyemo Adedeji, Mrs Jennifer Metu, Mr Arthur Amanchukwu, Mr Solomon Edema, Mrs Uloma Okoronkwo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Aderibigbe Family, Aderinboye Family, Aderoba Family, Adesakin Family, Adesanya Family, Adesegun Family, Adeshina Family, Adesida Family, Adesina Family, Adesina-Ola Family.

6.00pm **EFAC Meeting**

6.30pm **Choir Practice**

10.00pm **Monthly Vigil – jointly sponsored by**
Daughters of Light, Band of Mercy, YWCA and YMCA
THEME: TAKING REFUGE IN GOD AND RELYING ON HIS
STRENGTH ALONE – PSALM 46: 1.

Saturday, June 29, 2019 **Colour: Red**

St. Peter the Apostle

7.00am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Epistle: *Acts 12:1-11– Lay. Gloria Okeke*

Gospel: *Matthew 16:13-20*

Hymns: *CH 13, VSH 99, CH 306*

Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Collect: Almighty God, who inspired Your Apostle Saint Peter to confess Jesus as Christ and Son of the Living God: build up Your Church upon this rock, that in unity and peace it may proclaim one truth and follow one Lord, Your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, now and forever. Amen.

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Dr. Emmanuel Okwuchi Oko-Jaja, his family and all members of Diocese of Niger Delta West.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Tubokosemie Abere, his family and all members of Diocese of Okrika.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Peace Chukwudum, Mrs Josefina Olofin, Mr Ben Ukwuoma, Mrs Chioma-Uche Egbunonu, Mrs Esther Aboderin, Mr Osaka Nnanyelu, Mrs Olusola Tetede, Mr Joseph Shodipe.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Adesoye Family, Adesulu Family, Adesunloye Family, Adetayo Family, Adetola Family, Adetunji Family, Adewakun Family, Adewale Family, Adewole Family, Adewole-Ranti Family.

10.00am **ORDINATION SERVICE**

4.00 pm **Youth Fellowship**

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

4.00 pm **Baptism**

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ii. Sunday 30th June - Saturday, 6th July, 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 Enujoke.

EEP NEWS TRACK

Training and Facilitation Workshop – The AVMCC – EEP is organizing a two days practical and workshop on Training and Facilitation skills. Course content include, Ability to design a training programme.

Ability to communicate and help groups achieve useful meeting and training outcomes.

Confidence in use of various training methods and lots more.

This would come up on **Thursday, June 27th and 28th 2019.**

Registration fee is N10,000 only. Registration closes on **June 25th, 2019.**

Digital Photography: learn how to turn your photography from just a hobby to a Million Naira business. Get everything you need to know about Photoshop, lightroom, and photography. When it comes to learning all things about digital photography look no further, The EEP is organizing this workshop on **Saturday, June 29th 2019. Registration fee is N7,500 only.**

Interested Parishioners should contact the EEP office for registration,

Or Call Kola – 07030298571, 08186134769

Funmi - 08023234012

We are social!! - connect with us on Twitter: @avmcceep and Instagram: @avmcceep

HYMN FOR DOXOLOGY - (I.O.M 309 TRANSLATED)

1. My spirit on Thy care,
Blest Saviour, I recline;
Thou wilt not leave me to despair,
For Thou art love divine.
2. In Thee I place my trust,
On Thee I calmly rest;
I know Thee good, I know Thee just,
And count Thy choice the best.
3. Whate'er events betide,
Thy will they all perform:
Safe in Thy breast my head I hide,
Nor fear the coming storm.
4. Let good or ill befall,
It must be good for me;
Secure of having Thee in all,
Of having all in Thee. Amen.

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10. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, June 24, 2019

Colour: White

St. John the Baptist

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

Epistle: *Acts 13:14-26 - Lay. Edwin Eze*

Gospel: *Luke 1:57-66*

Hymns: *CH 485, CH 630, CH 472*

Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Collect: Almighty God, whose servant John the Baptist was wonderfully born to fulfill Your purpose by preparing the way for the advent of Your Son: lead us to repent according to his preaching and after his example constantly to speak the truth, boldly rebuke vice and patiently suffer for the trust's sake; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Most Rev. Prof. Godwin I.N. Okpala, his family and all members of the Diocese of Nnewi.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Dr. Samuel C. Ezeofor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Aguata.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Faustina Achonwa, Miss Blessing Aigbe, Mrs Funmilola Akinbobola, Master Akonuchekwku Okorochoa, Mrs Unoma Aneke, Mrs Nnenna Atuchukwu, Mr Onyeka Orji, Chief Fred Ubaghaji
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Adedoja Family, Adefila Family, Adegbite Family, Adegbokun Family, Adegbola Family, Adegbonmire Family, Adegboye Family, Adegbuyi Family, Adegoke Family, Adejoro Family.

5.30 pm Family/Marriage Counseling Meeting

6.30 pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, June 25, 2019

Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dayo Bamigbola*

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

Gospel: *Luke 21:37-22:1-13*

Hymns: *CH 506, VSH 20, CH 537*

Preacher: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Prof. Israel 'Kelue Okoye, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ihiala.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Johnson Nwaohalama Ekwe, his family and all members of the Diocese of Niger West.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Onochie Iwugo, Miss Chika Ezeokoli, Miss Tolulope Mimiko, Mrs Helen Olajide, Miss Taiwo Olayemi, Ms Chimzi Ihunwo, Mrs Ogechi Osuji, Miss Feyikemi Akinyemi, Mrs Grace Njoku.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Adejumo Family, Adejuwon Family, Adejuyigbe Family, Adekanye Family, Adeeko Family, Adekoya Family, Adekunbi Family, Adelaja Family, Adeleke Family, Adeleye-Oduwole 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. DANIEL 5

12.

Wednesday, June 26, 2019

Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. James Adekanye*

Epistle: *Acts 6:1-15 - Lay. Adeola Sanya*

Gospel: *Luke 22:14-23*

Hymns: *CH 3, CH 453, CH 452, CH 455, CH 369*

Preacher: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Henry S.O. Okeke, his family and all members of the Diocese of Mbamili.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Ephraim O. Ikeakor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Amichi.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Lovelyn Oriafor, Mrs Taiwo Ade-Ojo, Mrs Folashade Koiku, Mr Femi Ogunyemi, Mrs Caroline Nzeako, Mrs Sandra Obi, Mr Charles Oluwole, Miss Olawunmi Oladiji, Miss Temitope Olatinwo, Mrs Omolara Adewoyin, Mr Bamidele Aroboto.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Adelokun Family, Adeoye Family, Adeluola Family, Adelusi Family, Adenekan Family, Adeniji Family, Adeniyi Family, Adenle Family, Adenugba Family, Adenuoye Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

6.00pm (PRAYER MEETING) HOURS OF DIVINE SETTLEMENT – 1 PETER 5:10

THEME: LORD CAUSE OUR ENEMIES TO BE SUBDUED UNDER OUR FEET - PSALM 47:3

Thursday, June 27, 2019

Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Epistle: *Acts 6:15-7:1-16 - Lay. E. Osibajo*

Gospel: *Luke 22:24-30*

Hymns: *CH 192, CH 447, CH 153*

Preacher: *The Rev. Canon Benson Odude*

Prayer Points

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Ralph C. Ebirien, his family and all members of the Diocese of Niger Delta.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Tunde Adeleye, his family and all members of the Diocese of Calabar.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Lady Oluwawemimo Akinkugbe, Mrs Charity Nebedum, Mr Edwin Eze, Engr. Ayotunde Jagun, Mr Adeniyi Adeyoola, Mrs Chika Madu, Mr Frederick Nzeako, Mrs Eberechi Nlemadim, Miss Itohan Igbinovia, Mr Sesan Odesanya, Mr Emmanuel Okiya, Chief (Mrs) Olufolake Onadeko, Mrs Tolulope Chigbu, Mrs Grace Umeokwuchi.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ade-Ojo Family, Adeola Family, Adeolu Family, Ade-Onojobi-Daniel Family, Adeosun Family, Adeoya Family, Adeoye Family, Adepoju Family, Aderemi Family, Adereti Family.

11.00am Meeting of Men & Women of Grace

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