YOU NEED ANY HELP?

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

For Booking of all Services of the Church

The Dean; The Canon Residentiary

For Social Welfare and Charity

The Dean; The Rev. Dr. S. Opaaje; Dr. (Mrs.) Irene Omogbehin 08033223803

For Cathedral Societies

The Dean; The Society Chaplains; Presidents & Secretaries of Societies

For The Elderly Ministry

The Dean; Chief (Mrs.) Ayo Akideinde - 07068610707

E. For The Evangelical Ministry

The Dean; The Canon Benson Odude; Mr Raymond Agu - 08033003906

For Cathedral Missionary Society

The Dean; Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere; Mr Tunji Odeneye. - 08033163337

For the Children Ministry

The Dean; The Rev. Canon B. Odude, Mr. Tunji Odeneye - 08033163337;

For The Youth Ministry
The Dean, Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin; Chief (Mrs) Funmi Ogunbadejo – 08033025033; Mir Dayo Egbedeyi - 08022865591

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For the Prisons & Hospital Ministry

The Dean; Rev. (Dr). Benjamin Okere; Mrs Babarinsa - 08031334211.

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The Dean; Rev. Dr. B. Okere, Mr Raymond Agu- 08033003906

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The Dean; Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin; Dr. Oladimeji Alo; Mrs Segilola Olawoyin - 08074533508

For Cathedral Christian Mothers Matters

The Dean; Mrs. A.O. Agara; Mrs. Folake Owolabi - 08023156546

For Chaplains to Societies

The Dean; The Canon Residentiary

U. For The Choir

The Dean; Mr Sunday Olawuwo - 08023030357

For Booking of the Halls

The Dean, Mrs Tola Famade - 0803-3109378

For Booking of the Guest House

Mr Seye Ogunsanya - 0703-2649958

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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, 15th Sept., - Saturday, 21st September, 2019

TRINITY 13

Theme: Wisdom From Above

Colour: Green

Mr. Adetunji Adekoya Mr. Charles Ojo Cathedral Warden 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 - 15TH SEPTEMBER

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere The Epistle: Lavreader Shola Peters

The Gospel: The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem

Preacher: The Dean

Intercessor: The Ven. James Adekanye

Processional Hymn: CH 490

Praise & Worship 10mins. (Judges 1:1-2,

Ps 100vs 4, Ps 95 vs 2)

Preparation to Penitence - The Rev. Canon Benson

Odude

Epistle: James 3:13-18 Gradual Hymn: CH 497 *

The Gospel: Luke 11:29-32 * SERMON / BIBLE TEACHING

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 306, 614, 369, 261, 264

CH 537 **❖** The Ablution: Post Communion Prayer

Thanksgiving:

i. Family Altar Thanksgiving

ii. Family Harvest: (as indicated.... pg 22)

iii. Society Harvest: (as indicated.... pg 22)

iv. 60^{th} Birthday thanksgiving of Mrs. Peters Angela and God's numerous blessings.

v. Thanksgiving after the successful burial of Late Mrs. Stella Ejike-Kanu (wife of Mazi Ejikeme Kanu) and journey mercies.

For Doxology (**Pg 11**)

Benediction

ADDRESS BY THE 20th ANNIVERSARY LOCAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Notices

Diocesan Anthem

Withdrawal Hymn: CH 770

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

BREAST FEEDING SUITE

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

AVMCC DEVELOPMENT FUND ACCOUNT

Account Name: **AVMCC Development Fund**

Account Number: 1021733207 **Sort Code:** 033154512

Branch Address, UBA Plc, 51A Adeniyi Jones Street, Ikeja

K. **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. It is like the ARK of Covenant in your home after the order of Obededom.

Centre Okere's	Location 29, Fatai Irawo Str. Opp Green Point Hotel Ajao Estate.	Time 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
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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.

L.	AVMCC BA	NK ACCOUN	ITS DETAILS
BANK	ACCOUNT	SORT	PURPOSE
	NUMBER	CODE	
ACCESS	0017948337	044151245	Evangelical Fund
WEMA	0120970667	035150695	Offering&
			Thanksgiving
FIRST	2025018178	011151841	Harvest
		(kindly sig	nify the purpose e.g.
		Family harvest,	Youth Harvest etc.)
FIRST	2001350641	011151841	Project Support
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IBTC		221150027	First Fruits
GTB	0007899440	058152120	Tithes
WEMA	0122245798	035150695	Endowment Fund

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SPORTS MINISTRY: Μ.

- Football Training Monday Friday (1)
- Aerobics classes holds every Thursday (5pm-(2) 6pm) and Saturday (7.00am-9.00am).
- (3) Table Tennis (Monday – Saturday – 9.00am – 6.00pm)
- (4) Lawn Tennis - Saturday -9.00am - 6.00pm)

Are you interested in any of the above activities? For details, please contact: **08033066901 & 07038816041.**

Exercise and stay healthy

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2.

I. HARVEST NEWS

A. Family Harvest for today-Sunday 15th September, 2019

- 7.00am: Godwin O. Igbinovia & family, Mr. Obafemi Aluko & family, Air Vice Marshal Olufemi Faloyin & family, Mr.

 M. O. Odeja & family, Ofoeke C. E. & family, Mr.

 Chidubem Obi & family, Chief B. O. Olajide & family, Micah Oguine & family, Mr. Muyiwa Onabolu & family, Sir. Mike O. Okolo & family.
- 10.00am: Rogers Cookey & family, Otunba Ronfolu Aderoba & family, Mrs. Justinah .O. Solaru & family, Mrs. Olusola Ogunmoyero & family, Dolu Adebiyi & family, Mr. Ejike Oguchi & family,
- E. Society Harvest for today Sunday 15th September, 2019
 Charity Band Society, Good Shepherd Society and Anglican Fellowship
- D. Family Harvest for Next Sunday 22nd September, 2019
- 7.00am: Arch. James C. Okpalugo & family, Barr. F. Okey Ogbu & family, F. Nkechi Isong & family, Ike Ofodile & family, Mrs. Yinka Olowu-Fadeyibi & family, Mrs. Ololade Botu & family, Tariebi Frank-Pepple & family,
- 10.00am: Mr. Charles Hammond & family, Makinde Ogunleye & family, Mr. Kanayo Nwokedinobi & family,
- E. Society Harvest for Next Sunday 22nd September, 201
 Apostles of Peace, Band of Peace and Christian Friends
 Societies.

F. VENDORS

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

G. TIME OF SERVICE DURING HARVEST

Let us be reminded as we have done in the recent past that for obvious reasons second services on major harvest days start at 10.30am. **Counting on your ever understanding disposition-** *MANAGEMENT*.

2019 HARVEST PROGRAMMES

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

(1) Family Harvest
(2) National Harvest
(3) Varional Harvest
(4) Corporate/ Professional
(5) Alma-Mater Harvest
(6) Adult Harvest
(7) Senior Citizen's Harvest
(8) Greater Chapter/Standing Comm. Sunday, Nov. 2019
(8) Sunday, June – Nov. 2019
Sunday, Oct. 6, 2019
Sunday, Oct. 13, 2019
Sunday, Oct. 20, 2019
Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019
Sunday, Nov. 3, 2019

G. 2019 INTER-SOCIETY BIBLE QUIZ

The above named **Quiz Final Competitions** among Societies in the Cathedral will be coming up on **Sunday** 3rd November, 2019 by 3.00p.m. Book of Study – (A) DANIEL (B) HEBREW (C) ANGLICANISM (D) CHURCH OF NIGERIA BIBLE STUDY OUTLINE (JUNE – AUGUST).

B. 10.00am HOLY COMMUNION

TORCHBEARERS SOCIETY ANNIVERSARY

Celebrant: The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem
The Enjoyle: Torobbegreen Society

The Epistle: Torchbearers Society
The Gospel: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye

Preacher: The Dean

Intercessor: The Ven. James Adekanye

- Processional Hymn: VSH 371
- Praise & Worship 10mins. (Judges 1:1-2, Ps 100vs 4, Ps 95 vs 2)
- Preparation to Penitence The Rev. Canon Benson Odude

❖ Epistle: James 3:13-18

❖ Gradual Hymn: CH 179

❖ The Gospel: Luke 11:29-32

- **❖** SERMON / BIBLE TEACHING
- ❖ 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 115, CH 447, 452, 453, 455
- ❖ The Ablution: CH 454
- Post Communion Prayer
- ***** The Anniversary:
 - i. Torchbearers Society Anthem
 - ii. Rededication of Members
 - v. Torchbearers, Patrons / Patronesses & The Church Thanksgiving

❖ Thanksgiving

- i. Family Altar Thanksgiving
- ii. Family Harvest: (as indicated.... pg 22)
- iii. Society Harvest: (as indicated.... pg 22)
- iv. The Churching of Mrs. Ijeoma L. Duru for the gift of a baby boy and God's numerous blessings.
- Mr. & Mrs. Makanjuola Oloniniyi is thanking God for the successful wedding of their son (Mr. & Mrs. Olaoluwa Oloniniyi), journey mercies and God's numerous blessings.
- vi. Birthday thanksgiving of Mrs. M. O. Adegbaiye (Mother of Mr. & Mrs. Omotosho) and God's numerous blessings.
- vii. 70th Birthday thanksgiving of Mrs. Sabainah Aderoba and God's numerous blessings.
- viii. The Sodade family is thanking God for the appointment of Mr. Adebayo Sodade as a Special Adviser to the Governor of Lagos State and God's numerous blessings.
- ❖ For Doxology (*Pg 11*)
- Benediction
- **❖ ADDRESS 20th ANNIVERSARY LOCAL ORGANISING COMMITTEE**
- Notices
- Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: VSH 63 'I am Thine O Lord' (*Pg. 16*)

C. NEXT SUNDAY

1. Intersociety Singing Festival – Sunday, 22nd September, 2019 at 4.00pm.

D. 20TH ANNIVERSARY ANKARA

Kindly book and pay for your 20^{th} Anniversary Ankara in the Cathedral Accounts Office. The cost is N4,500.00 only per piece. Thank you.

E. EVENTS AHEAD

- Peace Walk to Mark United Nations 'World Peace Day'-Saturday, 21st September, 2019. Time: 7.30am Courtesy Apostle of Peace, AVMCC
- 2. NATIONAL HARVEST

F. EQUIPPING THE SAINTS IS ON

"The new class for Discipleship Training (Equipping The Saints) started since Saturday 6th of July 2019. <u>Time</u> 9.00am. <u>Venue</u> 1st Floor Vining House, AVMCC. All Parishioners who are yet to explore the inherent advantages are hereby encouraged to join the class. It is spiritually rewarding.

G. 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.
- 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

H. AVMCC SPONSORSHIP OF 2019 EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES

- 1. Sunday September 15, 2019 Daughters of Light
- 2. Sunday September 22, 2019 Intersociety Singing Festival
- 3. Sunday September 29, 2019 National Harvest
- 4. Sunday October 6, 2019 Torchbearers Society
- 5. Sunday October 13, 2019 Choir Anniversary
- 6. Sunday October 26, 2019 Adult Harvest
- 7. Sunday November 3, 2019 Intersociety Bible Quiz Final

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

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Theme: Wisdom From Above
❖ Opening Hymn: VSH 602

Opening Worship

The Preparation to penitence

❖ The Epistle: Romans 8:18-23❖ The Gospel: Luke 11:1-13

Bible Study

- ❖ Nicene, Creed & Intercession
- The Peace
- The Offerings: Choruses
- (a) First Fruits (b) Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering
- The Eucharistic Prayers
- * The Administration: Choir Ministration
- Post Communion Prayer
- Thanksgiving
- Youth Anthem
- Notices Secretariat
- Prayer & Benediction
- Withdrawal Hymn: VSH 446

D. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

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

1.		-	Ezekiel 34-36
	September 16 th Monday	-	Ezekiel 37-39
3.	September 17 th Tuesday	-	Ezekiel 40-42
	September 18 th Wednesday	-	Ezekiel 43-45
	September 19 th Thursday	-	Ezekiel 46-48
6.	September 20 th Friday	-	Daniel 1-3
7.	September 21 st Saturday	-	Daniel 4-6

E. CATHEDRAL HISTORY COMMITTEE

This is an appeal to Parishioners of the Cathedral who have been in this Church for **40 years** 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

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. WHAT TO DO

HAPPY MOMENTS – Praise God

DIFFICULT MOMENTS - Seek God

QUIET MOMENTS - Worship God

PAINFUL MOMENTS - Trust God

EVERY MOMENT - Thank God

H. REVIVAL

4.

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*.

I. AVMCC MEDICAL BOARD

- **A.** Members to visit the Church Clinic to collect De-Worming Tablets for Children and Adult free.
- **B.** Vitamin A for Pregnant women and children
- **C**. Ante-Natal Vitamins for pregnant women.

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15. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1st Thursday of the Month. <u>Venue:</u> The AVMCC Main Sanctuary. <u>Time:</u> 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. <u>NB:</u> PLEASE BE INFORMED THAT THE STATUTORY TIME FOR FUNERALS ON FRIDAY IS 9.00AM. THIS IS SACROSANCT FOR OBVIOUS REASONS. GOD WILL SATISFY US ALL WITH LONG FLOURISHING LIFE IN JESUS. AMEN.

B. Obituary

We announce the passing into glory of our husband, father and grandfather, Engr. Taiwo Ajayi of Christian Unity Band on 28th August, 2019. Aged 72years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
 Wake Keep: On Thursday, 3rd October, 2019 at Vining Hall, AVMCC by 4.00pm
 Funeral Service: On Friday, 4th October, 2019 at AVMCC by 9.00am.

ii. We announce the passing into glory of our mother, Grandmother and Great Grandmother Late Mrs. Okoronkwo Enyidiya .M. of the Good Shepherd Society on 6th September, 2019. Aged 86years. Burial arrangements will be announced later.

C. MEET YOUR STATE'S COORDINATORS FOR 2019 NATIONAL HARVEST

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STATES	COORDINATORS	PHONE NOS.
ABIA	BARR. OKEY OGBU	08023192145
ANAMBRA	MR. CHRIS OBUEKWE	08033066910
BAYELSA/RIVERS	MR. ROGERS COOKEY	08033971151
	SOPHIE NYINGIFA	
DELTA	MR. FELIX OBI-OBUNSELI	08063908100
EBONYI	MRS. CHIOMA EZE	08035523632
EDO	ENGR. DESMOND ODIASE	08033066901
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IMO	MRS IJEOMA ENEKWA	08033004344
LAGOS	MRS JUMOKE ADEKOYA	08033027137
NORTH	MR. PAUL OBLA	08023190653
OGUN	CHIEF MRS. FUNMI	08033025033/
	OGUNBADEJO	09099154994
	CHIEF MRS OSUNKEYE	08034058886
ONDO	ENGR. FRED OLOFIN	08037128205
OSUN	MR. TAIWO IBIDAPO-OBE	08022407020
ОУО	ENGR. ADEDOTUN	080-35011098
	ADEYEMO	

20.

K. 6.00 pm. EVENSONG

Cantor: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye
Preacher: The Ven. James Adekanye
Sponsor: Daughters of Light
Organist: Dr. Chinedu Osinigwe

❖ Processional Hymn: CH 261

Call to Worship

Praise Worship

Lesson: Luke 2:41-End - *Daughters of Light*

Hymn: CH 452Short Exhortation & Prayer

❖ Offerings Choruses

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

Thanksgiving

Closing Prayer

Withdrawal Hymn: CH 264

2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY 13

Introductory Sentence

God is Spirit, and those who worship Him must worship in spirit and truth.

John 4:24.

Collect for Trinity 13:

Lord God, the protector of all who trust in You, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy; increase and multiply upon us Your mercy, that You being our ruler and guide, may so pass through things temporal that we may finally lose not the things eternal. Grant this, Heavenly Father, for the sake of Jesus Christ, our Lord. *Amen*.

Post Communion Sentence

The steadfast love of the Lord is from everlasting to everlasting upon those who fear Him, and His righteousness to children's children.

Psalm 103:17.

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

- 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, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 2019

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

- Pray for Nicholas our Primate, Olusina, Our Archbishop and Olusola our Bishop, that the Lord confirms their episcopacies with signs and wonders.
- For the Rt. Rev. Markus M. Dogo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kafanchan.

B. Prayer for Nigeria & the World

- i. Pray that the Lord of Host in His mercies will on account of His elects and remnants in Nigeria frustrate every raging from the pit of hell and all evil counsels, gang-ups and schemes in form of Boko Haram, Herdsmen and Islamiczation agenda so that Christianity in Nigeria will never go the way of TURKEY nor NORTH AFRICA in Jesus Name. Amen.
- ii. That Jesus Christ will be honoured all over the world.
- iii. That Nigeria will endure and flourish as a Nation
- iv. That God reenact His Power as of old in Nigeria.

C. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. That the wisdom from above will surpass devilish wisdom
- That AVMCC shall remain a solution and a miracle centre to all parishioners.
- iii. That the anointing of the Most High God shall always be at work to lift our burdens and destroy satanic yokes.
- iv. That the Lord our God will intervene and set the captives free.

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

- i. For Miss. Iwuji Victoria, Miss Anadu Uchenna, Mrs. Okechukwu Chinwe, Mrs. Ofoegbu Adaobi, Dr. Sokefun Eniola, AVM Folayin Olufemi, Mr. Nwankwo Jeff, Mrs. Nwokedi Ijeoma, Mrs. Peters Angela, Sir. Obasi John, Mr. Onuorah Nzuchukwu, 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

Jinwa Family, Jacobs Family, Joel Family, Joe-Nwagbo Family, John Family, Johnson Family, Jonah-Jack Family, Jonathan Family, Joshua Family, Joseph Family.

F. Prayers for the following people: The Rt. Rev. Dr. P. A. Adebiyi, 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.

DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST(Anglican Communion)

20TH ANNIVERSARY COLLECT

Heavenly Father from whom all good gifts cometh and to whom we owe the gratitude for provisions for every kingdom vision, we yield our heartiest thanks to you for the establishment of the Diocese of Lagos West two decades ago.

We thank You for that little beginning like mustard seed that has blossomed to enviable heights. We thank You and give You all the glory for the pioneering efforts by the Houses of Bishop, Clergy and Laity and the grace given to succeeding generations of men, women, young and old to build upon and run with the vision.

We thank You that we have never been in want of the essential human, material, financial and spiritual resources for sustenance; for all we have needed your hand has indeed bountifully provided unto overflowing.

Grant us grace and mercy as we mark this 20th Anniversary and as You remain our refuge and strength, that your glory upon us as a Diocese shall never become Ichaboad and that Your work continually prosper in our hand so that it does not become desolate, a proverb or a byword.

Remain our strength O Lord like the eagle's, as we continually wait upon you and enable us to continually soar and attain greater heights even as we remain committed to Your vision. Grant us O Lord Grace to keep running with it without becoming weary and continuing in our Christian commitment to enlarge God's kingdom on earth without fainting.

All of these and many mercies we ask for as we continue to lift up our eyes to You alone for help for the Houses of Bishop, Clergy and Laity, unto latter glories, greater exploits and unprecedented testimonies; all to the glory of Your Name alone, the shame of the devil and our everlasting blessing till the Second Coming of Christ in glory in Jesus Name. Amen.

FAITH INSPIRING TESTIMONIES OF THE WEEK

- 1. God freed my Family from pain
- 2. God gave me the biggest deal ever in my business
- 3. Court upheld the victory of my husband at the tribunal as a member of House of Representative
- 4. For journey mercies despite hazard on the road
- 5. God protected me from the evil ones
- 6. God healed my daughter Halleluyah
- 7. For the salvation of my soul.

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D. 8 CHARACTERISTICS OF DIVINE WISDOM FROM ABOVE - JAMES 3:13-18

- 1. Pure Chaste, holy, clean vs. 17
- 2. Peaceable vs. 17; Heb. 12:14; Luke 12:49-53
- 3. Gentle Meek, Modest and kind
- Easily entreated: Not stubborn or obstinate but yeilding to others.
- Full of mercy: Always foregoing and performing acts of kindness
- 6. Full of good fruits Gal. 5:22-23
- 7. Without partiality: Having no respect of persons vs. 17; James 2:1-10
- 8. Without hypocrisy open, honest genuine and true vs. 17

E. EDUCATION AND WISDOM

We have many educated illiterate

F. WISDOM AND INTELLIGENCE

We have many with two Ph.D yet devoid of wisdom

G. WISDOM AND OLD AGE

We must not assume that AGE alone always makes us wiser – Job 32:9; Ps. 119:100, Job 12:13, 20.

H. THE VALUE OF WISDOM

- 1. Job 28:16 It is of inestimable value
- 2. Pro. 3:13-14 It brings happiness
- 3. Pro. 3:11 It makes for better life
- 4. Eccl. 2:13 It amounts to an excellent life
- 5. Eccl. 7:19 It brings strength
- 6. Job 28:12 We must search for it
- 7. Pro. 1:20 We must yield to the call of wisdom

I. WHO NEEDS WISDOM?

ALL OF US PRIESTS, PARISHIONERS, BOYS, GIRLS, MALE, FEMALE, WIVES, HUSBANDS, PARENTS, BUSINESSMEN, TENANTS, LANDLORDS, POOR, RICH, OLD, YOUNG, STUDENTS, ETC.

J. HOW TO GET THE WISDOM FROM ABOVE

- 1. By asking from God James 1:5; Exod. 31:3; Dan. 2:23
- 2. By living in the fear of God -Job 28:28
- 3. By experience -Job 32:7, Learning from circumstances and situations of life
- 4. By seeking divine truth -Hos. 14:9
- 5. By hearing and acting on the word of God Matt. 7:24
- 6. By holding the word of God in high esteem 2 Tim. 3:15
- 7. By praying for *WTSDOM* 2 Chro. 1:10; Ps. 90:12; Pro. 2:1-3; Eph. 1:17; Col. 1:19; James 1:5.

EXAMPLES OF MEN POSSESSING WISDOM

- 1. 1 Kings 3:5-12; 1 Kings 4:3; 1 KINGS 10:3 King Solomon
- 2. Dan. 1:20; 2:20 Daniel
- 3. Acts 6:10 Stephen
- Our Lord Jesus remains a perfect example of WISDOM. He is undoubtedly WISDOM PERSONIFIED. To have Jesus Christ by accepting Him as LORD and SAVIOUR is to have WISDOM through the constant unction of the HOLY SPIRIT.

CONCLUSION: We must eschew the wisdom of the world in all our dealings in every spheres of human endeavour. Wisdom is the principal thing and we must seek it from above on daily basis. We need wisdom to overcome the enemies of our souls, destiny and progress.

- **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, 15TH SEPTEMBER, 2019

THEME: WISDOM FROM ABOVE READINGS: JAMES 3:13-18: LUKE 11:29-32

I employ you to read these bible verses with patience and concentration-James 3: 13-18. You can also check out other versions for better understanding.

13 Who is wise and understanding among you? By his good conduct let him show his works in the meekness of wisdom. 14 But if you have bitter jealousy and selfish ambition in your hearts, do not boast and be false to the truth. 15 This is not the wisdom that comes down from above, but is earthly, unspiritual, demonic. 16 For where jealousy and selfish ambition exist, there will be disorder and every vile practice. 17 But the wisdom from above is first pure, then peaceable, gentle, open to reason, full of mercy and good fruits, impartial and sincere. 18 And a harvest of righteousness is sown in peace by those who make peace. ESV.

The above passage presents to us different types of wisdom. One comes from above while the other comes from below. The difference between these two types of wisdom is their sources. And because they have different sources, they produce different results. From our passage, we see how Apostle James took his time to explain the characteristics of these types of wisdom.

Worldly Wisdom: this type has the following characteristics-

Envy (14a) it is a selfish ambition. It is a sense of being unhappy because someone is better than you. A resentful desire of something possessed by another or others. A situation whereby one feels displeasure or hatred towards someone for his fortune or possession. Sometimes, people Christianised it to means zeal for the best...., aspiration for the best in life, they say, God wants me to always the best ... I must always ne ahead... etc.

How to know whether your zeal is spiritual or carnal? Let me ask you:-

Do you rejoice when others succeed or are you angry? Do you criticize others or build them up?

Do we feel burdened when others fail or are we secretly pleased? Check yourself.

Strife (14b)- this is self-seeking, creates rivalry and division in the church. The concept of tribalism and factionism. Let nothing be done through strife or vainglory. Boasting (14c)- Are you proud, or do you put others before yourself? Boasting usually involves lies.

When God's wisdom is at work there is a sense of humility and submission and you want God to get all the glory

Deceit (14d)- this is common now. Until we know that life is not read in press releases; it is read by the Lord by the state of our hearts, we may not see reason to be truthful. Spiritual wisdom is true because God is always true

While Spiritual Wisdom has the following:

Meekness (13)- this can be simply put as strength under control. Meek person seeks the glory of God and not the praises of man. It is the Fruit of the spirit and cannot be manufactured. Meekness is the right use of power and wisdom is the right use of knowledge. Attitude and action go together

Purity (17a) It means holiness. That is, someone or something free from defilement. God's wisdom leads to purity of life while man's wisdom leads to sin. Man looks for ways to cheat and cut corners.

Peace (v.17b)- look at the world, it won't take you time to notice that man's wisdom leads to competition, rivalry and war. Man constantly runs a race that has no end in pursuit of satisfaction and primacy. It always results to frustrations and unsettled mind. Only God's wisdom leads to peace. Peace based on holiness not compromise. We don't need to compromise what we believe in to have peace and unity with others. Rather, we are to stand out showing the pace.

Gentleness (v. 17c)- this is talking about moderation without compromise, gentleness without weakness. Gentle person does not deliberately cause fights; neither does he compromise the truth.

Compliance (17d)-God's wisdom makes believers agreeable and easy to live with godly principles despites the state of the world. Earthly wisdom makes any man incorrigible, hard, and stubborn to the will of God. This is because, most times, humanly speaking, it looks nonsensical to obey God.

Mercy (17e)- God is in His grace gives us what we do not deserve and in His mercy doesn't give us what we deserve. What a perfect example to follow. Doing something not for repayment, but because it is the will of God just like the Good Samaritan.

Good fruits (v. 17f)-God's wisdom is practical; it changes life and produces good works to the glory of God

BIBLE TEACHING OUTLINE

TOPIC: WISDOM FROM ABOVE

TEXT: JAMES 3:13-18

INTRODUCTION

The fact that we have wisdom from above presupposes that there is wisdom which is not from above, and if it is not from above it can only be from **BELOW**.

- A1. Above in this context is evidently telling or reffering to the *THRONE OF GOD* in heaven.
- 2. The Jews hold wisdom in a very high esteem
- 3. There is need to have more than mere knowledge to handle the affairs of life
- 4. Wisdom is seen as the correct application of knowledge in any given circumstance
- 5. It is unfortunate that there are people who are incredibly intelligent yet they are unable to carry out the most simple tasks of life
- 6. Wisdom according to the scripture is the principal thing
- 7. Wisdom is one of the seven perfect spirit of God Isa. 11:2
- 8. Wisdom is a mark of growth Luke 2:40
- 9. Jesus Christ is the wisdom of God 1Cor. 1:24
- 10. The earth came into existence by wisdom Ps. 104:24; Pro. 3:19.
- B. **TYPES OF WISDOM**: According to the Bible we have the following as the identifiable forms of wisdom.
- 1. Earthly wisdom -James 3:15 Tower of Babel Gen. 11:1
- Sensual wisdom James 3:15 Tamar and Absalom 2 Sam. 13:19
- 3. **Devilish wisdom** -James 3:15 Ananias and Saphira-Acts 5:1-11
- 4. Man's wisdom -1 Cor. 2:4 Disciples sending away 5,000 because of food -Luke 9:10-17
- 5. Irresistable wisdom -Luke 21:15
- 6. Wisdom of the princes of this world -1 Cor. 2:6; Luke 16:8
- 7. Wisdom of the world 1 Cor. 2:26
- 8. Wisdom of God -1 Cor. 1:24; 1 Cor. 2:7
- 9. Wisdom of the wise 1 Cor. 2:19; 1 Cor. 1:25
- 10. Wisdom of the Greek 1 Cor. 1:24
- C. FALSE WISDOM: THE CHARACTERISTICS James 3:14ff
- 1. Bitter envying James 3; 14: 16
- 2. Strife in the heart vs. 14:16
- 3. Glory in profession vs. 14
- 4. Earthly i.e. having this life only in view vs. 15
- 5. Sensual living only to satisfy the animal appetite- 2 Samuel 13:19
- 6. Devilish, inspired by demons vs. 15
- 7. Confusion vs. 16
- 8. Every evil work vs. 16

C. Vining Bookshop

Kindly patronize the Bookshop at Adetilove 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 Seve 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 **N10,000**. 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.

WITHDRAWAL HYMN: VSH 63 'I AM THINE O LORD'

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

Refrain:

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

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

Decisiveness (v. 17g):- it has to do with singleness of mind, opposite of wavering. When you have God's wisdom you need not to waver because you are sure of what will become of you.

Sincerity (v. 17h):- It means not being a hypocrite, being open and honest, always speaking the truth in love. It does not go in line with what the world calls SMARTNESS.

The most important thing we are to do is measure our lives by the wisdom of God and not by the wisdom of man. The wisdom of man only produces trouble while God's wisdom produces blessing (v.18)

Beloved, as Christians, we are called to bear fruit. Fruit is the product of life. Fruit has in it seeds for more fruit. This week, let it be your decision to pursue the wisdom of God and apply it in your day to day enterprise. I assure you of a rewarding result. Remember, as you live in God's wisdom, you are actually sharing the fruit of God with others, they are fed and as well share with others

Happy is the man that findeth wisdom, and the man that getteth understanding "Prov 3:13"

Until next week, remain blessed.

2019 INTERSOCIETY BIBLE QUIZ COMPETITION

GROUP A	GROUP B	GROUP C
Youth Chapel	Adetiloye Hall	Main Church
_	-	Sanctuary
Christian Family	The Lord's	Young Women
Society	Vessels Society	Christian
2 nd Position	6 th Position	Association
		1 st Position
Fountain of Hope	Christian	Christian Morning
Society	Brothers Society	Star
Absent	2 nd Position	6 th Position
Busy Bees		The Lord's
Society	Band of Peace	Labourers
Absent	7 th Position	Fellowship
		4 th Position
Band of Faith	Good Samaritan	Anglican
3 rd Position	Society	Fellowship
	5 th Position	6 th Position
Ambassadors of	Band of Grace	Agape Sisters
Christ	Absent	6 th Position
6 th Position		
Charity Band	Band of Glory	Christian Unity
5 th Position	1st Position	Band
		Absent
Ladies Christian	Daughters of	Good Shepherd
Circle	Light	4 th Position
Absent	Absent	
Ladies Christian	Ladies	Band of Light
League	Progressive	Absent
1st Position	4 th Position	
Band of Mercy	Christian Friends	Christian
7 th Position	Absent	Household
		2 nd Position
Torchbearers	Light of the	Young Men Xtian
4 th Position	World	Association
Apostle of Peace	3 rd Position	2 nd Position
Absent		

THE FIRST THREE SOCIETIES FROM EACH GROUP SHALL COMPETE AT THE FINAL ON SUNDAY, 3RD NOVEMBER, 2019 BY 3.00PM.

10. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

September 8 – September 14

- I	
7.00 am Holy Communion	1021
7.00 am Youth Service	184
7.00 am Sunday School	227
10.00 am Mattins	813
10.00 am Youth Service	146
10.00 am Sunday School	145
6.00 pm Service	40
Tuesday Bible Study	126
Wednesday Holy Communion	173
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	217

11. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

- > The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church after Service
 - **♣** Band of Grace Society
 - **Band of Glory Society**
 - **♣** Band of Light Society
 - **♣** Band of Mercy Society
 - **♣** Band of Peace Society
 - **♣** Christian Unity Band Society
 - Fountain of Hope Society
 - Ladies Christian Circle
 - Ladies progressive League
 - Lords Labourers Fellowship
 - **The Lord Vessel society**
 - **♣** Torchbearers Society
- ➤ Christian Morning Star Society meeting comes up today at House 1A Close, Tajudeen Olanrewaju Estate, Yaba.

12. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 15th Sept., 2019

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Makinde Akinlembola, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Mrs. Gina Okolo, Dr. Oliver Akinbola, Pharm. Chinwe Eze.

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Tunji Areo, Pharm. Yewande Olorunsola, Mrs. Kate Igunma, Dr. Franses Ajose, Mrs. Ikeme Vilet, Dr. Femi Olaleye, Mrs. Funke Olatunji.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 22nd Sept., 2019

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

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

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 15th Sept., - Saturday, 21st September, 2019
Nwaorgu Chinedu (Captain), Odanye Moji (Assistant Captain), Goke Uthman, Ogunleye Adeboboye, Adeyemi Muyiwa, Mbaekwe Augustine, Segun Adeniji, Dare Sigbeku, Chioma Obi, George A. Adeyemi, Juliet Chimezie, Omotola Onakoya, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Rita Osibodu

ii. Sunday 22nd Sept., - Saturday, 28th Sept., 2019

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

11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY Trinity 14 September 22

Theme: The Gift of Love

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 13:1-13

Layreader Tunde Sotuminu

Gospel: Luke 10:25-37

The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

Address: The Rev. Canon Benson Odude

THE YOUTH SERVICE

Venue: The Adetiloye House

Cantor: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

10.00am: MATTINS

BAND OF FAITH SOCIETY ANNIVERSARY

Cantor: The Ven. Festus Olowosile

O.T. Reading: Leviticus 19:33-37

Band of Faith Society

Psalm: 119:161-176 N.T. Reading: Luke 10:25-37

Band of Faith Society

Address: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye

4.00pm: Intersociety Singing Festival

6.00 pm: EVENSONG

Cantor: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

Psalm: 72

Lesson: 1 Timothy 1:12-2.8

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere

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.

3RD NOTICE:

- 1. Mr. Oluwafemi Adejumo & Miss Oluwaseun Fajulugbe 2ND NOTICE:
- 1. Mr. Christian Amagbo & Miss Kirsty Ekpemandudiri 1ST NOTICE:
- 1. Mr. Clement Olowe & Miss Oriyomi A. Afun

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.

Bi. 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.

ii. DONATION OF BOOKS

Parishioners are hereby encouraged to **DONATE** soul lifting faith inspiring Bible based new and old books to the **LIBRARY**. Kindly drop them in the Church Office.

Friday, September 20, 2019 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 3:16-23 – Lay. Nkiru Arah

Gospel: *Mark 5:11-16*

Hymns: *CH 192, CH 306, CH 497*Preacher: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Michael A. Oluwarohunbi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Yewa.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Prince A. Antai, his family and all members of the Diocese of Uyo.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr. Amuzie Ogueri, Chief Babatola Akinboye, Mrs. Adesanya Oluwayemisi, Ms. Anuma Helen, Mr. Jegede Oluwasegun, Mrs. Onyeharam Chinwe, Mr. Obi Emenike, Dr. (Mrs.) Oladapo-Sanu Henry, Mr. Ugoji Henry, Miss Ukoha Success, Mr. Nubi Wilson, Miss. Jane Inyang, Nelson Adeyemi, Mrs. Ijogun Toluwani, and Mr. Awokoya Omodele.
- For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Legg-Jack Family, Levi Family, Lewis Family, Mac-Eze Family, Mabawonku Family, Madu Family, Maduakor Family, Maduamezia Family, Madubuike Family, Madubulum Family.

6.00pm EFAC Meeting 6.30pm Choir Practice

Saturday, September 21, 2019 Colour: Red

7.00am Holy Communion

ST. MATTHEW THE APOSTLE & EVANGELIST

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin Epistle: Galatians 4:1-6 - Lay. E. Osibajo

Gospel: Matthew 9:1-13

Hymns: CH 374, CH 665, CH 647 Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere

Collect: Almighty God, Who through Your Son Jesus Christ called Matthew from the selfish pursuit of gain to become an apostle and evangelist,: free us from all possessiveness and love of riches that we may follow in the steps of Jesus Christ our Lord; Who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God now and forever. Amen.

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Williams O. Aladekugbe, his family and all members of Diocese of Oyo.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Moses B. Tabwaye, his family and all members of Diocese of Gwagwalada.
- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr. Adeloye Omowaye, Mr. Amuzie Ogueri, Mr. Akinola Kehinde, Chief Amobi Mbanefo, Mr. Emokai Elochukwu, Mrs. Falusi Temitope, Mr. Hamilton Daniel, Mr. Ogundipe Oladipo, Mr. Madueke Nonso, Mr. Okafor Okwudili, Famodimu Oluwatomisin, Mr. Oluwatusin Kayode, and Engr. Oyenuga Olutokunbo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Madumere Family, Majekodunmi Family, Makinde Family, Makinde-Akinrolabu Family, Mala Family, Marchie Family, Marimiloju Family, Marshall Family, Mayaki-Ogungbe Family, Mayuku Family.

11.30am Blessing of Marriage

Mr. Tolani Sanni & Miss Oluwaloseyifunmi Sekoni

4.00 pm Youth Fellowship

4.00 pm Boys' Brigade and Girls' Brigade

4.00 pm Baptism

E. 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.

* Development of our landed properties Painting of the Church and our halls Hi-tech Digital Camera

KINDLY TIE YOUR DONATIONS TO THE NEW CATHEDRAL BUILDING.

* The Cathedral Office needs a Canon Photocopy Machine ImageRunner 2204N. Prize = N855,000.00. Thank you

EEP NEWS TRACK

Landing a Dream Job Seminar

Are you looking for a new job?

Are you planning to make a career change?

If yes, this Seminar is for you! With the right professional branding, job search strategy and support you can land your dream job fast.

Join Us on Saturday, September 28, 2019. Registration Fee is N3.000

To register contact the EEP office 2nd floor Adetiloye House, You may also call Kola – 07030298571, 08186134769 or Funmi- 08023234012

Registration closes on September 19, 2019.

Business Clinic: Free counseling and coaching sessions available to provide inspiration and mentorship for aspiring or emerging business owners. Parishioners are welcome to book an appointment at the EEP office.

We are social!! - connect with us on Facebook:

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Twitter: @avmcceep and Instagram:@avmcceep

HYMN FOR DOXOLOGY - (I.0.M 309 TRANSLATED)

- My spirit on Thy care, Blest Saviour, I recline; Thou wilt not leave me to despair, For Thou art love divine.
- 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.
- 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, September 16, 2019 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1:19 - Lay. Gloria Okeke

Gospel: Matthew 4:1-11

Hymns: CH 485, VSH 22, CH 472
Preacher: The Rev. Canon Benson Odude

Prayer Points:

❖ For the Rt. Rev. Jacob W. Kwashi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Zonkwa.

- ❖ 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. Bejide Tonye, Mrs. Obi Roseline, Miss. Odia Agbamo, Engr. Ihunwo Chijioke, Mrs. Taiwo Oroge, Mrs. Okolie Vivian, Mr. Okponyia Dumebi, Mr. Bamgboye Oladipo, Mrs. Ekwugh Lilian, Mr. Okeugo Charles, Miss Oshadare Olufunmilola, and Mrs. Umez-Oparah Patience.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Josiah Family, Josian Family, Jumbo Family, Kabala Family, Kagho Family, Kalejaiye Family, Kanu Family, Kanttock Family, Kareem Family, Kayode Family.
- ♦ 60th Birthday Thanksgiving of Mrs. Taiwo Oroge

1.00pm Social Welfare Ministry

5.30 pm Family/Marriage Counseling Meeting

6.30 pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, September 17, 2019 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 1:20-31 - Lay. T. Gidado

Gospel: *Matthew 4:12-17*

Hymns: CH 18, CH 455, VSH 99
Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

Prayer Points:

- For the Rt. Rev. Nathaniel .O. Ogundipe, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ifo.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Manasses .C. Okere, his family and all members of the Diocese of Umunneochi.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs. Olawoyin Agnes, Mrs. Daina Carol, Mr. Elugbaju Seye, Mrs. Osiyemi Philomina, Mr. Ekwem Ugochukwu, Mrs. Onu Kikelomo, Mr. Harmond Charles, Miss. Randle Omosalewa, Miss. Ikpeawujo Okechukwu, Engr. (Mrs) Okeke Edith, Mrs. Ossai Ijeoma, Mr. Ossai Henry, Miss. Sunday Franca, and Mr. Nwankwo Ifanyi.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Kehinde Family, Kejotoni Family, Kenneth Family, Kene-Nwegbe Family, Ketiku Family, Keyomah Family, Kilo Family, King Family, Kodaolu Family, Koiku Family.

11.00 am - 3.00 pm - Senior Citizens Clinic & Fellowship

5.00pm - 6.00pm 5.00pm - 6.00pm 6.00 pm Intercessory Prayer
BIBLE STUDY REVIEW
GATHERING OF THE
NOBLES - ACTS 17:10-11

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Wednesday, September 18, 2019 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Ven. Festus Olowosile

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 2:1-13- Lay. G. Odukomaiya Gospel Mark 4:18-25 - The Rev. Canon B. Odude Hymns: CH VI, CH 566, VSH 25, Anima Christi

CH 261

Preacher: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye

Prayer Points:

❖ For the Rt. Rev. Simeon .O. Borokini, his family and all members of the Diocese of Akure.

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Geoffrey E. Okoroafor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Egbu.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Rt. Col. Aghanya Ibezimakor, Arc. Achifula Chidi, Miss Emeasoba Ngozi, Mr. Kobimtochukwu Agazie, Mrs. Erinne Ada, Mrs. Eze Chinwe, Mr. Odukomaiya Adelaja, Mrs. Odukoya Olubunmi, Miss. Omajuma Grace, Mr. Umejuburu Chinedu, , and Mr. Tugbogo Olawale.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Kolawole Family, Komolafe Family, Kosonye Family, Koya Family, Koyi Family, KunnuOgun Family, Kupoluyi Family, Kuranky Family, Kurubo Family, Labiyi Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

6.00pm HOURS OF DIVINE

SETTLEMENT – 1 PETER 5:10

THEME: BE MERCIFUL UNTO ME, O GOD AND LET MY ENEMIES BE SWALLOWED UP IN THEIR HATRED - PSALM 56:1

Thursday, September 19, 2019 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Rev. Canon Benson Odude

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 2:14-3.15 - Lav. O. Onabolu

Gospel: Matthew 5:1-10

Hymns: CH 516, VSH 57, CH 537 Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje Prayer Points

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. James Olusola Odedeji, his family and all members of the Diocese of Lagos West.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Titus B. Olayinka, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ogbomoso.
- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs. Olowu-Fadeyibi Moronfolu, Mr. Onyesoh Somtochukwu, Mr. Goodluck Mgbemena, and Mrs. Pinmiloye Adeshewa.
- For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ladeinde Family, Ladele Family, Ladipo Family, Lateef Family, Lasisi Family, Lawane Family, Lawani Family, Lawanson Family, Layiwola Family, Lebi Family.

11.00am: Meeting of Men & Women of Grace