#### 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.

## A. For Booking of all Services of the Church

The Dean; The Canon Residentiary

### B. For Social Welfare and Charity

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

#### C. For Cathedral Societies

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

#### D. For The Elderly Ministry

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

#### E. For The Evangelical Ministry

The Dean; The Rev. Olukayode Fasogbon; Mr. Cyril Mgbamoka - 07053334081

#### F. For Cathedral Missionary Society

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

#### G. For the Children Ministry

The Dean; The Rev. Olukayode Fasogbon, Mr. Tunji Odeneye - 08033163337;

#### H. For The Youth Ministry

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

#### I. For The Boys' & Girls Brigade; Boys' & Girls' Guild

The Dean, The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin;

Mrs C.F. Akinrotimi 08022791113; Mr Ayo Tetede - 08020691247

#### J. For The Medical Board

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#### K. For The Counselling Ministry

The Dean; Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye, Dr. (Mrs) Irene Okwerekwu-08023078162

#### .. For the Prisons & Hospital Ministry

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

#### M. For ETS Discipleship Training

The Dean; Rev. Canon Dr. Benjamin Okere; Mr Tunji Odeneye – 0803-3163337; Dr (Mrs) Oyin Ilo

#### N. For The Home Fellowship

The Dean; Rev. Canon Dr. Benjamin Okere, Sir. Godson I. Chijindu-08033025458

#### O. For Singles' and Couples' Fellowship

The Dean; Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin; Mr. Steve Aladesawe- 08033261047

#### P. For Intercessory Ministry

The Dean; Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje, Engr. T. Adejuyigbe- 08037227105

#### Q. For Sports Ministry

The Dean; The Canon Residentiary, Mr Desmond Odiase- 08033066901 Mr Steve Ahua - 07038816041

### R. For Board of Directors for Economic Empowerment

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

#### S. For Cathedral Christian Mothers Matters

The Dean; Mrs. Folake Owolabi - 08023156546

#### T. For Chaplains to Societies

The Dean; The Canon Residentiary

## U. For The Choir

The Dean; Mr Sunday Olawuwo - 08023030357

#### V. For Booking of the Hall

The Dean, Mrs. Tola Famade - 0803-3109378

#### W. For Booking of the Guest House

Mr. Jide Afolabi - 08037128186; Tobi Balogun -08033716752

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The Ven. Festus Olowosile	0803-4003 552
The Ven. Gbenga Oniye	0803-3564593
The Ven. James Adekanye	0803-5806344
The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem	0803-3081617
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The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye	0802-3224427
The Rev. Olukayode Fasogbon	0805-3460755
The Rev. Opeyemi Ibikunle	0803-0573299
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#### Our Vision:

"CHRIST FOR ALL NATIONS"

Our 2020 Mission:

"THE JUST SHALL LIVE BY FAITH"
Romans 1:17

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 Nov. - Saturday, 21st Nov., 2020

SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

THEME: THE GREAT DAY OF THE LORD

Colour: Green

Mr. Adetunji Adekoya Mr. Charles Ojo Cathedral Warden Cathedral Warden

> 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 15<sup>TH</sup> NOV., 2020
- A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION LANDMARK CELEBRATIONS HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Celebrant: The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem
The Epistle: Layreader Funmi Tetede
The Gospel: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje
Preacher: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon
Intercessor: The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineve

- Processional Hymn: VSH 81
- Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence *The Ven. J. Adekanye*
- ❖ The Epistle 1 Thess. 5:1-11
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 760 (see page 9)
- ❖ The Gospel: Matthew 13:24-32
- \* SERMON
- Nicene Creed & Intercession
- **❖** The Peace (*Let there be peace*)
- ❖ All Offerings: Choruses

{First Fruit, Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed, Sunday Offering & All other offerings}

- The Eucharistic Prayers
- The Administration: VSH 113, 8,68
- ❖ The Ablution: CH 516
- Post Communion Prayer
- Thanksgiving:
  - Clergy Harvest: Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere & Family
  - ii. Landmark Celebrations Thanksgiving
  - iii Family Harvest (as indicated see page 22)
  - iv. The Churching of Mrs Blessing Egbo for the gift of a baby boy and God's numerous blessings.
  - v. Mr Toba Oyebanji thanking God for his investiture as a Fellow of Nigerian Institute of Town Planners and God's numerous blessings.
  - vi. 20<sup>th</sup> Years Anniversary of PESTICORP Associates Limited & God's numerous blessings.
  - vii. 20<sup>th</sup> Year Remembrance of Late Mrs Felicia Williams and God's numerous blessings on the family she left behind.
- ❖ For Doxology ...... (pg 11)
- Benediction
- Notices
- Diocesan Anthem
- Withdrawal Hymn: CH 614

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

G. Training & Internship: A highly established event décor and Management company is looking to recruit people in 2 categories: (a) Apprenticeship in Floristry & Event Decorator: O.N.D from any higher institution. The internship is for event management position: H.N.D from any higher institution. Field work also applies. Please email your CV to lagosops.hr@gmail.com

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# H. REVISITING AND RESUSCITATING HOME FELLOWSHIP CENTRES IN AVMCC

The AVMCC House Fellowship Project has finally taken off! Parishioners are encouraged to attend House Fellowship in their nearest Centers. Those whose locations have changed should please contact Mrs. Charity Nnebedum for corrections. The following are the existing House Fellowship Centres:

AREA	COORDIN	MEETING	se Fellowship Centres:  G PHONE ADDRESS		
	ATOR	DAYS & TIME	NUMBER	112211133	
Opebi	Bro. I.O. Odeniran	Every Thursday @ 6pm	08023096565	11a Samuel Awoniyi St. Opebi	
Ikotun/ Isheri	Sis. Omole / Sis. Blessing Aigbe	Every Sunday @ 6pm	08171885310 08067733144	H.C13, E Close, Home Foundation Estate Isheri/ Lasu, Express way, Isheri, Idimu	
Magodo	Sis. Funmi Akinbobola	Every Sunday @ 6pm	08033083851	7 Akinola Erinoluwa St. Magodo Phase 2.	
Oyemekun/ Adeyeri/ College Rd, Ogba	Bro. Ndubisi Odebeatu	Every Sunday @ 6pm	08037297743	19, Ilerioluwa Cresent off Adeyeri St, College Rd. Ogba	
Ajao Estate	Sis. Ebele Okere	Every Sunday @ 6pm	08026609443	29 Fatai Irawo Street, Off Murtala Mohammed Int Airport Rd, Ajao Estate	

For enquiries, please call or Whatsapp: 070632214646 or 08033025458

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For the New Cathedral Development Account details please refer			
to page 2	2 of this bullet	in.	

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# 20. HARVEST NEWS

# A. Family Harvest for today- Sunday 15th Nov., 2020

7.00am: Dr. Dayo Omogbehin & Family, Dr. (Mrs)

Irene Omogbehin & Family, Mr Christopher Azobandu & Family, Mr Hope Osueke & Family, Mr Stephen Aladesawe & Family, Barr. Benson Olorunhundo& Family, Mrs Nkechi Isong & Family, Mrs Joyce Okonkwo & Family, Mr Musa Anas & Family, Sir. Engr. Godwin Omene & Family, Air. Comm. Layi Atanda & Family, Mrs Olabisi Aguda & Family, Mr Paul Obla & Family, Arc. Sam Ajudua & Family, Mrs A.N. Onwuasoanya & Family, Mr Niyi Ajayi & Family, Mr Toba Oyebanji & Family, Mr Joy Nwoye & Family, Mr Ayodele Alofe & Family, Mr Gladstone Opara & Family, Mr Gabriel Ojo & Family, Mr Micah Oguine & Family, Mr Ifeatu Onwuasoanya Family, Ven. Peter Okuromade Family, Mr Kunle Williams & Family, Arc. Funmi Bamkole Family.

10.00am: Mrs Christiana Yusuff & Family, Gbola & Adeola Sanya & Family, Mr Abiodun Olowoniyi & Family, Engr. Olufemi Osiyemi & Family, Mrs Esther Jaiyeola & Family, Mr Bayo Opadiran & Family, Mr Makanjuola Oloniniyi & Family, Engr Johnson Adeyoye & Family, Otunba Olubandele & Family, Mrs Christiana Aluko & Family, Mrs Janet Omotola Afolabi & Family, Mr Makinde Ogunleye & Family, Mr Tunde Osonuga & Family, Mr Adekunle Adedeji & Family, The Entire Adebajo Family, Prof. Ibironke Akinsete & Family, Mrs Toyin Ogedengbe & Family, Sis. Chinekwu Nwandu-Ezeala Family, Chief Olumide Ogedengbe & Family, Mrs Modupe Enoch Family, Mr Nicholas Friday Family.

# B. Family Harvest for Next-Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 2020

7.00am: Col. (Dr) C.O. Ajala & Family, The Achonwa Family, Mr Emeka Nwabuike & Family, Mr Toyin Fatunmbi & Family, Captain Gabriel Ade Ayeni & Family.

10.00am: Pa Ezekiel Ilesanmi & Family, Mr Titus Okelana & Family, Mrs Ngozi Ogbolu & Family, Chief (Mrs) Iyamide Gafar & Family, Mr Olusegun Agbaje & Family, Mr Charles Wande & Family, Barr. Obinna Okereke & Family, Mr Cyril Mgbamoka & Family, Chief Godfrey Ubaghaji & Family, Mr Oluwasogo Faola & Family, Capt. Kola Abejide & Family, Mr Sunday Ubani & Family, Mrs Victoria Bartels & Family, Chief Olubayode Ojo & Family, Mrs Olufunmilayo Braimah & Family.

## F. NOTICE ON CATHEDRAL FINANCE

- 1. Payment of Church Dues for 2020.
  - (a) Church Dues: Kindly note that Church Dues should be paid in the Cathedral Office where receipt will be issued. Direct payment of Church dues into the Cathedral Bank Account is hereby discouraged.
  - (b) All Societies should pay and send in their lists of members on or before December 20, 2020.
  - (c) All individuals should ensure payments are done by December 30, 2020.
- 2. Payments can now be done using POS Terminals which are available in the Church office.
- 3. All payments by cheques should henceforth, have the payers name and phone for ease of reference, if the need arises.

## B. 10.00am HOLY COMMUNION

ANGLICAN FELLOWSHIP, CHRISTIAN BROTHERS & YWCA ANNIVERSARIES & LANDMARK CELEBRATION HARVEST THANKSGIVING

Celebrant: The Ven. James Adekanye

O.T. Reading: Anglican Fellowship
The Epistle: Christian Brothers

The Gospel: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje
Preacher: The Ven. Festus Olowosile
Intercessor: The Rev. Canon B. Okere

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 683
- Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*
- ❖ O.T. Reading: Zepha. 1:14-18
- **❖** Psalm: 76
- ❖ The Epistle 1 Thess. 5:1-11
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 760 (see page 9)
  ❖ The Gospel: Matthew 13:24-32
- **❖** SERMON
- ❖ Nicene Creed & Intercession
- ❖ The Peace (Let there be peace)
- ❖ All Offerings: Choruses

{First Fruit, Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed, Sunday Offering & All other offerings}

- The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: CH 270, VSH 129, 78
- ❖ The Ablution: VSH 2
- Post Communion Prayer
- The Anniversary:
  - i. Anglican Fellowship Anthem
  - ii. Christian Brothers Anthem
  - iii. YWCA Anthem
  - iv. Rededication of members
  - v. Anglican Fellowship, Christian Brothers & YWCA, Patrons / Patronesses & the Church Thanksgiving

### **\*** Thanksgiving:

- i. Clergy Harvest: Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere & Family
- ii. Landmark Celebrations Thanksgiving
- iii Family Harvest (as indicated see page 22)
- iv. Society Harvest (YWCA)
- v. Princess Folasade Dosunmu thanking God for the gift of a great grandson and God's numerous blessings.
- vi. Thanksgiving after the successful wedding of Mr & Mrs Nicholas Friday & numerous blessings.
- **❖** For Doxology .... (*pg 11*)
- Benediction
- Notices
- Diocesan Anthem
- Withdrawal Hymn: CH 539

### C. EVENTS AHEAD

- 1. DIVCCON 15<sup>th</sup> Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2020
- 2. 21<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Thanksgiving DLW– Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> November 2020 @ 2.00pm.
- 3. Greater Chapter & Standing Committee 29th Nov.
- 4. Bishop's Harvest Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> Nov. 2020

- 5. Diocese of Ilesa Lagos Branch Harvest Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> November, 2020 at the Youth Chapel. Time: 2.00pm.
- 6. AVMCC Joint Vigil *Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> December, 2020* at 10.00pm. Venue: **AVMCC TO BE HOSTED BY Agape Christian Sisters, Light of the World, Ladies Progressive League & Fountain of Hope.**

# E. <u>FIRST FRUIT – LEV. 23:10-11; DEUT. 26:1-10</u>

- 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 2020 EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES

- 1. Sunday November 15, 2020 Harvest Comm.
- 2. Sunday November 22, 2020 Agape Sisters
- 3. Sunday November 29, 2020 Cathedral Youth
- 4. Sunday December 6, 2020 YMCA
- 5. Sunday December 13, 2020 Christian Brothers

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

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin
Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin
Theme: The Great Day of the Lord

Opening Hymn: CH 485
 The Proposition to Positioned

The Preparation to Penitence
The Epistle: 1 Thess. 5:1-11

The Gospel: Matthew 13:24-32

- ❖ Hymn before sermon: These are the days of Elijah
- Sermon
- ❖ Nicene Creed to Intercession
- **❖** The Peace
- Offertory: Praises
- (a) First Fruits (b) Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering
- **❖** The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: Worship Songs
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- Youth Anthem
- Notices
- Prayer & Benediction
- Withdrawal Hymn: CH 99

# C. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

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

Sunday

Ι.	November	15 Sulluay -	EZI a. 1-4
2.	November	16 <sup>th</sup> Monday -	Ezra 5-7
3.	November	17 <sup>th</sup> Tuesday -	Ezra 8-10
4.	November	18 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday-	Neh. 1-3
5.	November	19 <sup>th</sup> Thursday -	Neh. 4-6
6.	November	20 <sup>th</sup> Friday -	Neh. 7-9
7.	November	21 <sup>ST</sup> Saturday -	Neh. 10-13

#### D. ROSTER FOR VIGIL

DEC. (1) AGAPE CHRISTIAN SISTERS

- (2) LIGHT OF THE WORLD
- (3) FOUNTAIN OF HOPE
- (4) LADIES PROGRESSIVE LEAGUE

### E. 15 BAD HABITS TO AVOID IN CHURCH:

1 Timothy 3:15; 2 Thessalonians 3:7; 1 Thessalonians 2:10

- 1. Chatting and receiving calls during Church Service.
- 2. Running out to pick calls with your phone ringing out so loud. This is SACRILEGIOUS.
- 3. Refusing to obey the directives of the Church Stewards indicates disobedience in the house of God.
- 4. Folding your hands when your Pastor is teaching or preaching. You are telling him that what he is saying is not worthwhile.
- 5. Habitual lateness to Church service is a SPIRITUAL FLIGHT that has take off time.
- 6. Staring at fellow parishioners and making them uncomfortable.
- 7. Dozing or sleeping in Church during sermon or in the course of the Service -Acts 20:9.
- 8. Sitting down inactive during Prayer or Praise session especially when other parishioners are standing without any evidence of health challenge.
- 9. Looking at the clock on the wall and your wristwatch and then at the Pastor's face insinuating that he should round off.
- Borrowing things like phone chargers, pen etc. and leaving the Church with the said items. Remember Exodus 20:15, 17.
- 11. Leaving the Church before the end of Service.
- Gathering outside the Church to discuss while Service is going on. You're not honouring God whom you come to Worship.
- Buying yourself a seat in Church and ensuring no one sits there even when you are not in church.
- 14. Leaving the Church without dropping your offering.
- 15. Talking and distracting others while service is on.

1 Samuel 2:30 '.......for those who honour Me I will honour and those who despise Me shall be lightly esteemed. ALWAYS CHOOSE TO HONOUR GOD WHEN YOU ARE IN HIS PRESENCE AND INDEED EVERYWHERE ALL OF THE TIME.

### 18. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the Month. <u>Venue</u>: The AVMCC Main Sanctuary. Time: 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- ii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers Every 1<sup>st</sup> 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.

### 19. INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

A. NB: PLEASE BE INFORMED THAT THE STATUTORY TIME FOR FUNERALS IS 9.00AM. THIS IS SACROSANCT FOR OBVIOUS REASONS. GOD WILL SATISFY US ALL WITH LONG FLOURISHING LIVES IN JESUS. AMEN. IN THE SAME VEIN LYING IN STATE IS A PRIVATE FAMILY AFFAIR MEANT SOLELY AND IDEALLY FOR THE HOME OF THE DECEASED AND NOT IN THE CHURCH.

#### **B. OBITUARIES**

- We announce the passing into glory of our Father MWO (rtd) Robinson Owhe of Anglican Fellowship. Aged: 73years. Burial arrangements will be announced later.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Deaconess Esther Akerele (Mother of Mrs Feyisara Fadahunsi of Busy Bees Society). Aged:97years. Burial arrangements are as follows:

<u>Wake-Keep Service:</u> On Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2020 at 1, Similoluwa Estate, off Aule Road, Akure, Ondo State by 4.00pm.

<u>Funeral Service:</u> On Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> November, 2020 at Christ Apostolic Church, Odubanjo Regional Headquarters, Akure Ondo State by 11.00am.

iii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Chinwe Ijeoma Ngonadi (member of the Choir, Good Shepherd & Matron of Daughters of Light Society). Burial arrangements are as follows:

**Service of Songs:** On Thursday, 3<sup>rd</sup> December, 2020 at The Haven by 4.00pm.

<u>Commendation Service:</u> On Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> December, 2020 at AVMCC by 9.00am.

- iv. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Ezinne/Nneokwukwe Gladys N.N. Okere (Mother of Rev. Canon Dr. Benjamin Okere (AVMCC Clergy). Aged:90years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
   Wake-Keep Service: On Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> December, 2020 at Okere's compound, Egbelu, Owerri by 4.00pm.

   Funeral Service: On Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> December, 2020 at St. Peters Anglican Church, Obibiezena, Owerri North LGA, Imo State by 10.00am.
- v. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Pa Babatunde Sorinmade a member of the Choir. Aged: 84 years. Burial arrangements are as follows: Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 17<sup>th</sup> Dec, 2020 at No 23, Afariogun Str, off Seriki Aro, Ikeja by 4.00pm. Funeral Service: On Friday, 18<sup>th</sup> December, 2020 at AVMCC by 9.00am.

H. 6.00 pm. EVEN SONG

Cantor: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin
Preacher: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye
Sponsor: Harvest Committee
Organist: Dr. Chinedu Osinigwe

Processional Hymn: CH 516

Call to WorshipPraise Worship

Lesson: Mark 7:1-10
Hymn: CH 497
Short Exhortation & Prayer

Offerings Choruses

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

Thanksgiving

Closing Prayer

❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 153

# 2. SENTENCES FOR SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

# **Introductory Sentence**

I am the bread of life: whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believed in me shall never thirst. **John 6:35.** 

# **Collect:**

Gracious God, Your Son came to bring us good news and power to transform our lives; grant that when He comes again as judge we may be ready to meet Him with joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

# Post Communion Sentence

Then I remembered what the Lord had said: John baptized with water but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit. **Acts 11:16.** 

# 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. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY, 15<sup>th</sup> NOVEMBER, 2020

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

- Pray for Henry Ndukuba our Primate, Olusina, Our Archbishop and Olusola our Bishop for increased wisdom and renewed vision to pastor the flock of God
- ii. For the Rt. Rev. Samuel Sowale, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ilesa.

# 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 Islamnization agenda so that Christianity in Nigeria will never go the way of TURKEY nor NORTH AFRICA in Jesus Name. Amen.
- ii. Pray for Nigerian economy for restoration.
- iii. Pray that God shall expose perpetrators of wickedness and evil in Nigeria and the whole world.

# C. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. Pray against glory killer among members
- ii. Pray for the Holy Spirit to baptize us
- iii. Pray that the name of Jesus Christ shall not be reproached but be ever praise in AVMCC.

# D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Bartels Family, Bayode Family, Beckley Family, Bejide Family, Belolise Family, Benjamin Family, Bielonwu Family, Blue-Jack Family, Boboye Family, Boham Family.

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

- For Otunba Adetunji Adekoya, Mrs Helen Agu, Mr Ayodele Alofe, Mrs Ihuoma Ananaba, Mr Andrew Chigbu, Mrs Grace Ikomi, Mr Chukwuemeka Njelita, Miss Ngozi Okeke, Engr. Tochukwu Nwokedi, Mrs Mary Ojo, Mrs Folake Owolabi and others who are celebrating their birthdays today.
- ii. For those having their Wedding Anniversaries or any other positive Anniversaries today.

# JUSTIFICATION FOR SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

The desirability of society membership is traceable to the Godly advice of Jethro to Moses his son in law as he administered the huge population of the Israelites in the wilderness.

"MOREOVER THOU SHALL PROVIDE OUT ALL THE PEOPLE ABLE MEN, SUCH AS FEAR GOD, MEN OF TRUTH, HATING COVETOUSNESS AND PLACE SUCH OVER THEM, TO BE RULERS OF THOUSANDS AND RULERS OF HUNDREDS, RULERS OF FIFTIES AND RULERS OF TENS" EXOD. 18:21.

Beloved to the glory of God AVMCC is a fairly large congregation and as the Israel of God today Gal. 6:16 we must follow the Bible standard as expatiated fully in Exodus 18:17-27 for the following reasons:

- 1. It is good to be in society vs. 17.
- 2. The blessings of joining a society far outweighs the burden if any.
- 3. The burden if any is light because it is of Christ and not of man Matt. 11:28-30.
- 4. The Priests will not wear out in attending to large congregation as it is not possible to know everybody vs 18.
- 5. The people will not wear out as their matter receive the attention of sectional leaders with a referral of major matters to appropriate quarters vs 18.
- 6. It is a Godly counsel to be a member of a society vs 19.
- 7. It is an avenue to learn more of the ordinances of God and His laws vs 20.
- 8. It affords the opportunities of knowing the way of God better as seminars retreats, visitations, fellowships, fasting praying are arranged vs 20.
- 9. It points us to the work which we have to do vs 20.
- 10.It enables the Priest to focus more on Prayer and the word of God which of course is their major assignment Acts 6:4.
- 11.It allows the church to maximize the potentials of spiritual gifts and explore talents of members using also their professional expertise to enhance the standard of the Church vs 21.
- 12.It allows for matters to receive urgent and timely attention vs 22.
- 13.It makes the work in the house of God to be EASY and not become a BURDEN vs 22.
- 14.It allows for all to ENDURE vs 23.
- 15. It allows for a more PEACEFUL co-existence vs 23.

NB: SHEEP DO NOT WALK ALONE THEY FLOCK TOGETHER. DO NOT BE AN ISOLATIONIST.

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# 15. <u>AVMCC CHURCH NEEDS</u>

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

Roland Sample Pad N350,000 Head Phone X6 N35,000 each Stand for Sampler N15,000.00 3 in one RMU by Schneider -N3.2m Copper Earth Rod N144.000.00 70mm 3 Core Cable N450,000,00 Copper Earth Wire N90,000.00 Rayehem Indoor N50,000.00 Rayehem Outdoor N50,000.00 Walkie-Talkie (4pcs) Hands free - N160,000.00

Proper Lighting – N150,000.00

20Kva UPS (3phase) - N3,700,000.00 for Adetiloye lift

KINDLY TIE YOUR DONATIONS TO THE NEW

**CATHEDRAL BUILDING** 

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# 16. <u>NEW LOCKDOWN RULES</u>

- 1. Wash your heart with Christ's blood (Psalm 73:1).
- 2. Keep a social distance from evil (Job 28:28)
- 3. Avoid the crowd of wickedness and wicked men (Psalm 1:1)
- 4. Cover your mind from being infected from the sneeze of sin and hatred (Lev. 19:17).
- 5. Do not shake hands with abomination (Deut. 25:16)
- 6. Do not hug, heresy and false teachings (2 Pet. 2:1)
- 7. Be safe so that you will be saved (Jer. 17:14).
- 8. Sanitize your life with the Word of God (Psalm 1:2)
- 9. In case you notice any symptoms of sin, call the helpline of Christ in PRAYER (Jer. 33:3).
- 10. Always remember to boost your spiritual immunity With Faith and the Power of the Holy Spirit (Jude 1:20)

## 17. DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST

# AVMCC DELIVERANCE & HEALING UNIT (DHU) PROGRAMMES

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

For Prayers, Deliverance and Counselling please call/text:

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

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- 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, Mrs M.M. Aruofor, Mrs Esther Babalola, Mrs Roseline Anyadikwa, Mr Samuel Chukwudum.
- **G. Prayers For:** The barren, the pregnant, spinsters, bachelors, the jobless and the homeless among us that God will open a book of remembrance covering them all and help them speedily to the shame of the devil, removing their reproaches.

# 5. THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK SUNDAY, 15<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER, 2020

THEME: THE GREAT DAY OF THE LORD READING: PSALM 76, ZEPHANIAH 1:14-18; 1 THESS. 5:1-11; MATTHEW 13:24-32.

As we begin to draw near the Advent Sunday, our themes for preceding Sundays shall begin to prepare our minds for the Lord's return, not as a baby in the manger that we celebrate at Christmas, but as Judge. One of such preparatory topics is the one for today - The Great Day of the Lord.

It appears germane to start this discourse with a popular chorus: Will you be ready when the Lord shall come? 2x

I will be ready 3x

When the Lord shall come

I will be ready 3x

When the Lord shall come

The Day of the Lord or The Great Day of the Lord was in the Old Testament time called the Day of Yahweh among the Israelites. It was a popular belief in Israel during the time of Prophet Amos that God would come to destroy the pagan nations and save Israel - Woe unto you that desire the day of the LORD! to what end is it for you? The day of the LORD is darkness, and not light. -Amos 5:18. If we read down the lines, we would see how God through the prophet shunned the congregational worship of Israel because of idolatry and injustice, He described their songs as noise.

Take away from Me the noise of your songs, For I will not hear the melody of your stringed instruments. 24 But let justice run down like water, And righteousness like a mighty stream. vv. 23-24.

Other Old Testament prophets such as Zephaniah and Joel in particular shared this thought in their prophetic works.

That day is a day of wrath, a day of trouble and distress, a day of wasteness and desolation, a day of darkness and gloominess, a day of clouds and thick darkness - Zephaniah 1:15.. And I will bring distress upon men, that they shall walk like blind men, because they have sinned against the LORD: and their blood shall be poured out as dust, and their flesh as the dung. - Zephaniah 1:17. Verses 8-9 present idolatry, violence and deceit as reasons for God's anger against Judah.

Prophet Joel witnessed the physical invasion of Jerusalem with grasshoppers that threatened their existence. He did not take it as a freak of nature, as you and I are naturally disposed to

doing. He saw it as a warning from God and based on it to predict the coming of the day of the Lord as a great military invasion, similar to an invasion of grasshoppers (find time to read Joel 2:1-17 for details). Of course, the Babylonian army came and invaded the land and destroyed the temple and the walls of Jerusalem.

Common to all these prophecies was a latent hope anchored on repentance. So, the Day of the Lord from the Old Testament perspective, as per the prophecies, can be summarized to mean two things.

- 1. A day of God's anger and judgment against sinners
- 2. A day of restoration and joy for repentant sinners. Zeph.3:16-17 tells us that much –

In that day it shall be said to Jerusalem: "Do not fear; Zion, let not your hands be weak. The Lord your God in your midst, The Mighty One, will save; He will rejoice over you with gladness, He will quiet you with His love, He will rejoice over you with singing."

The New Testament sees the Day of the Lord as the day of the LORD's Return, in which He will do two things:

- 1. Judge the living and the dead
- 2. Establish His endless kingdom with the Saints.

Our creeds remind of this fact every time we gather.

So, we can add that it is equally a day of judgment and of salvation. Paul tells us in 1 Cor.5:5 that a repentant sinner's soul may be saved in the day of the Lord. 1 Thess.5:2 and 2 Pet.3:10 tell us that the day of the Lord shall come like thief in the night.

Jesus gave us a very comprehensive handout on this subject matter in Matt.24, but let us just take only 4 verses of it for our concluding meditation and lesson:

"But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, but My Father only. But as the days of Noah were, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. For as in the days before the flood, they were eating and drinking, marrying and giving in marriage, until the day that Noah entered the ark, and did not know until the flood came and took them all away, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. (Matt 24:36-39)

What is the learning point from both the Old and New Testaments' perspectives of the Great Day of the Lord? - BE PREPARED AND DON'T BE CAUGHT UNAWARE.

2 Pet.3:10-11 throws a challenge; but the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up. Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness?

The main reason our faith gets weakened is because of the delay in the LORD's coming. Of course, the Bible warns in 2 Peter 3:3-4 that scoffers will come in the last days, walking according to their own lusts, and saying, "Where is the promise of His coming? For since the fathers fell asleep, all things

# C. Elderly Ministry

All Senior Citizens are welcome every Tuesday from 11.00 am to 3.00pm.

- 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. 2021 Bible Quiz Book (1) Ruth (11) The Catechism

# D. Evangelical Ministry

# i. Monthly Meeting

- (a) 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the Month at 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Vining House by 6.00pm.
- (b) 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday has been shifted to 3<sup>rd</sup> 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.

# 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, the Intercessors or the Dean for a follow-up.

# E. Counselling 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 3<sup>rd</sup> and last Sundays of the month. (b) Prison visitation every 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month (c) Meeting comes up every 2<sup>nd</sup> 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: **0802-3125243.** 

# 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.

# 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.

E. Lagos Anglican Dioceses Bible College, Lagos.

Interviews for admission into LABICO for year 2020 Advanced Diploma and Certificate Courses will take on Saturday, 14<sup>th</sup> November, 2020 at **LABICO Headquarters** 17 Broad Street, Lagos. Admission is ongoing. For details call –08033083851. However those around Ikeja and its environs who cannot come to Lagos will have their interview at AVMCC on Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2020 at 10.00am.

# F. 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.

The forms for the above schools are out at the rate of **N10,000**. Payment should be made into **Union Bank Acct N0 0002516850**. Account Name: Lagos Anglican Schools Management Board and Collect the form at the Cathedral Office and submit to the school of your choice.

G. Admission to Anglican Girl's College, Ketu-Ijanikin

The form for the school is out at the rate of N5,000.00. Payment should be made into Wema Bank Account No.0120980406. Account Name: Anglican Girl's College, Ketu-Ijanikin. Forms can be obtained from the Cathedral Office, please fill and submit to the school.

# 14. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

### A. Children's Ministry

Parents are requested to send their children to the Sunday School with Bibles, Note Books & Biros. Please instruct your children to remain in the Sunday School and not wander about looking for things to buy. Children are better and safer in the Sunday School.

# B. Cathedral Youth Chapel Regular Weekly Programmes

- i. Strictly Feminine Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month.
- ii. Just 4 Guys Every 1<sup>st</sup> 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 (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Adetiloye House)

Strictly Feminine - Co-ord - Chiemeka Anadu - 08094816786.

Just 4 Guys Co-ord. – Chijioke Udemezue - 08038178065

continue as they were from the beginning of creation." Doubters' scoff and contempt change nothing about the sure return of Christ on that Great Day of the Lord.

The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. -2 Peter 3:8-9.

For those of us who may be standing, the admonition for us is very simple and it is on that note we will conclude the meditation: "Therefore do not cast away your confidence, which has great reward. For you have need of endurance, so that after you have done the will of God, you may receive the promise: "For yet a little while, And He who is coming will come and will not tarry.

Now the just shall live by faith; But if anyone draws back, my soul has no pleasure in him." Heb.13:35-38

On the Lord's day On the Lord's day Only true believers Shall be raptured...

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# HYMN: CONH 760

# WE'RE MARCHING ON

- 1. Come, we that love the Lord, and let our joys be known; join in a song with sweet accord, join in a song with sweet accord and thus surround the throne, and thus surround the throne.
  - Refrain:

We're marching to Zion, beautiful, beautiful Zion; we're marching upward to Zion, the beautiful city of God.

- 2. Let those refuse to sing who never knew our God; but children of the heavenly King, but children of the heavenly King shall speak their joys abroad, shall speak their joys abroad **Refrain:** We're marching to Zion,
- 3. The hill of Zion yields
  a thousand sacred sweets
  before we reach the heavenly fields,
  before we reach the heavenly fields,
  or walk the golden streets,
  or walk the golden streets.

  Refrain: We're marching to Zion,
- 4. The God that rules on high, that all the earth surveys; that rides upon the stormy sky That rides upon the stormy sky And calms the roaring sea And calms the roaring sea Refrain: We're marching to Zion,

# 6. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

November 8 - November 14

November 6 – November 14	
7.00 am Holy Communion	928
7.00 am Youth Service	-
7.00 am Sunday School	-
10.00 am Mattins	659
10.00 am Youth Service	-
10.00 am Sunday School	-
6.00 pm Service	-
Tuesday Bible Study	37
Wednesday Holy Communion	81
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	45

#### 7. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

- > The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church after Service
  - **4** Band of Grace Society
  - **♣** Band of Glory Society
  - **&** Band of Light Society
  - **♣** Band of Mercy Society
  - Christian Unity Band Society
  - **♣** Fountain of Hope Society
  - **Ladies Christian Circle**
  - **♣** Ladies Progressive League
  - ♣ Lord Labourers Fellowship
  - **♣** Good Shepherd Society
  - **♣** The Lord Vessel Society
  - **↓** Torchbearers Society
- > AVMCC Special Marshal Unit 34 meeting today after 7.00a.m. Service at the usual venue.

### **8. CATHEDRAL ROSTER**

### A. Cathedral Health Centre

# Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> Nov., 2020 Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Pharm Ifeanyi Uchefuna, Mrs Gina Okolo, Pharm Chinwe Eze, Dr. (Mrs) Oliver Akinola. 10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Tunji Areo, Pharm. Yewande Olorunsola, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Dr. Femi Olaleye, Mrs Kate Igunma.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 22<sup>ND</sup> Nov., 2020
 7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Pharm Ifeanyi Uchefuna, Mrs Gina Okolo, Pharm Ezenwaji Amaka.

**10.00am-2.00pm:** Dr. Femi Olaleye, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Mrs Bola Awobiyi, Mrs Chinelo Emenike.

# **B.** Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> Nov. - Saturday, 21<sup>st</sup> Nov. 2020 Segun Openiyi (Captain), Nwaorgu Chinedu (Assistant Captain), Odanye Moji (Mrs.), Ayo Tetede, Ogunleye Adeboboye, Mbaekwe Augustine, Dare Sigbeku, Jones Bassey, George A. Adeyemi, Juliet Chimezie, Omotola Onakoya, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Bolaji Dania. Rita Osibodu, Olusegun Esan, Michael Enujioke.

ii. Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov., - Saturday, 28<sup>th</sup> Nov., 2020 Olupitan E. Bola (Captain), Oyebanji Toba (Assistant Captain), Funso Omole, Bukade Olaniyi, Segun Adeniji, Helen Arhagba, Chioma Obi, Caroline Omowhara, Juliet Chimezie, Funso Fagbuyiro, Kene Obimma, Chukwuemeka Osaka, Funmi Ladele, Ekwegh Lilian, Michael Enujioke, Olusegun Esan, Enujioke Michael.

# 11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday Before Advent November 22

Theme: The Wages of Religious Hypocrisy

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere

Epistle: Hebrews 9:24-28

Layreader Sola Peters

**Gospel: John 10:7-18** 

The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

Address: The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye

### THE YOUTH SERVICE

Venue: The Adetiloye House

Cantor: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

10.00am MATTINS

Cantor: The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye

O.T. Reading: Amos 5:18-24

Layreader Olutosin Faloyin

N.T. Reading: John 10:7-18

Lay. Elizabeth Osibajo

Address: The Ven. Festus Olowosile

6.00 pm: EVEN-SONG

Cantor: The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere

**Psalm:** 135

Lesson: John 8:31-End

Preacher: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

# 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.

# 3<sup>RD</sup> NOTICE:

1. Mr. Henry Onyenagubo & Miss Nneka Usifoh

### 2<sup>ND</sup> NOTICE:

- 1. Mr. Emeka Nnochirionye & Miss Juliet Onoja
- 2. Dr. Oluwole Akinyeye & Dr Olaide Elemo
- 3. Mr. Emmanuel Agbara & Miss Ndali Nwadialo

# 1<sup>ST</sup> NOTICE:

- 1. Mr. Archie Patrice & Miss Ayobami Adeonojobi
- 2. Mr. Adekunle Falodun & Miss Oluwakemi Bissy-Aluko

## 13. NOTICES

10.

### 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.

Friday, November 20, 2020 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

Epistle: James 5:7-12 - Lay. Funmi Tetede

**Gospel:** *Luke 18:1-8* 

Hymns: VSH 231, VSH 192, VSH 241
Preacher: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye

**Prayer Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Duke Timothy Akamisoko, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kubwa.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Joseph N. Musa, his family and all members of the Diocese of Idah.
- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Miss Adedoyin Adeosun, Mr Chidubem Obio, Mrs Chiwendu Nwabasili, Mr Ogbonnaya Obah, Mr Ifeanyi Oriuwa, Mrs Stella Worgu, Mrs Adeoloyin Olugbogi, Mr Uzezi Idhalama.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Chukwudolue Family, Chukwudozie Family, Chukwudum Family, Chukwuemeka Family, Chukwuere Family, Chukwuerela Family, Chukwuere Family, Chukwujioke Family, Chukwuka Family, Chukwukelu Family.

# 2.00pm 21<sup>ST</sup> ANNIVERSARY THANKSGIVING OF DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST

6.00pm EFAC Meeting 6.30pm Choir Practice

Saturday, November 21, 2020 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Epistle: James 5:13-20 - Lay. Gloria Okeke

**Gospel:** *Luke 18:9-14* 

Hymns: VSH 233, CH 572, CH 373 Preacher: The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye

**Prayer Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Solomon S. Gberegbara, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ogoni.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Engr. Ifeanyi Obiako, Mr Adeyemi Odedina, Miss Favour Ikegwuonu, Arc. Adedeji Ojuri, Miss Edna Ukiwa, Mrs Charlotte Olumide, Mrs Nneka Okoli, Mr Omotayo Amachree, Mrs Jessica Oguechuba.
- For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Chukwuma Family, Chukwura Family, Clement Family, Cletus Family, Coker Family, Cole Family, Cookey Family, Dachom Family, Dachon Family, Dada Family.

10.00am: Blessing

Mr Adebayo Ilori & Miss Grace Bayode

11.30am: Blessing

Mr. Elvis Tochukwu Ezue & Miss Esther Esuga

4.00 pm Youth Fellowship

4.00 pm Baptism

### 9. 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 5billion 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 2.5billion	= 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
10,000 p	eople giving 500,000 each	= 5 billion
20,000 p	eople giving 250,000 each	= 5 billion
25,000 p	eople giving 200,000 each	= 5 billion
50,000 p	eople giving 100,000 each	= 5 billion
100,000	people giving 50,000 each	= 5 billion
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With each and every one 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 know someone 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.

# **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.
- Let good or ill befall,
   It must be good for me;
   Secure of having Thee in all,
   Of having all in Thee. Amen.

### 10. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, November 16, 2020 Colour: Green

**Holy Communion** 7.00am **Celebrant:** The Ven. Gbenga Oniye

> **Epistle:** James 2:14-26 - Lay. Edwin Eze

Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

**Hymns:** VSH 157, CH 541, VSH 103 The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem Preacher:

**Prayer Points:** 

- For the Rt. Rev. Augustine Omole, his family and all members of the Diocese of Sokoto.
- For the Rt. Rev. Peter J. Imasuen, his family and all members of the Diocese of Benin.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Lucky Abraham, Mrs Pheola Caulcrick, Mr Samuel Caulcrick, Mr Olusola Jaiyeola, Pharm. Chibuzo Okolo, Ms Oluwakemi Adekunbi, Mr Gladstone Opara, Mrs Nnenna Nwachukwu.
- For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Bolaji Family, Bola O. Ifeghale Family, Bolarinwa-Oye Family, Bonojo Family, Botu Family, Braimah Family, Brodricks Family, Bruce Family, Buolu Family, Caulcrick Family.

5.30 pm Family/Marriage Counseling Meeting

6.30 pm **Choir Practice** 

Tuesday, November 17, 2020 Colour: Green

7.00am **Holy Communion** 

Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje **Epistle:** James 3:1-12 - Lay. Nkiru Arah

Gospel: Luke 17:1-10

**Hymns:** VSH 158, CH 622, VSH 70 Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere **Prayer Points:** 

- For the Rt. Rev. David K. Bello, his family and all members of the Diocese of Otukpo.
- For the Rt. Rev. Samuel K. Eze, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ukwa.
- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Nnaemeka Onvemaizu, Mr Akinvele Duroiaive, Mrs Lynda Echeta, Mr Victor Ayoola, Mrs Cynthia Maduneme, Mr Oladapo Jaiyeola, Mrs Abigail Soyemi, Mrs Patricia Nwani, Mr Somtochukwu Oruche, Mr Daniel Oyenuga, Ms Olubunmi Ladeinde, Mr Collins Nwadigo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Chiaghanam Family, Chibueze Family, Chibuzor Family, Chidi Family, Chiedozie Family, Chieji Family, Chiemelie Family, Chigbo Family, Chigbu Family, Chika Family.

5.00pm - 6.00pm 5.00pm - 6.00pm 6.00 pm

**Intercessory Prayer BIBLE STUDY PREVIEW GATHERING OF THE NOBLES - ACTS 17:10-11 HABAKKUK 2** 

Wednesday, November 18, 2020 Colour: Green

7.00am **Holy Communion** 

Celebrant: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

James 3:13-4:1-12- Lay. O. Obisesan **Epistle:** 

Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

**Hymns:** CH 498, VSH 143, CH 514 Preacher: The Ven. James Adekanye

**Prayer Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Clement Ekpeye, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ahoada.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Isaac Olubowale, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ekiti-Oke.
- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Boluwatife David, Mr Oluseyi Olufunwa, Mrs Irene Kanu, Miss Abigail Odeneve, Mr Adebajo Osinubi, Miss Olamide Kilo, Mrs Mabel Okunromade, Miss Vivian Dibuah, Mr Olaolu Akintobi, Mrs Sarah Ayileye, Mr Anthony Elekeokwuri, Dr. Eddy Ikediugwu.
- For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Chike Family, Chikezie Family, Chima Family, Chimelie Family, Chimelie Family, Chimezie Family, Chinakwe Family, Chine Family, Chinemelu Family, Chinwoke Family.

8.00am **Vining Intercessor's Visitation** 

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

THEME: I SHALL BE HEARD OF THE LORD PS. 99:6

Thursday, November 19, 2020 Colour: Green

7.00am **Holy Communion** 

Celebrant: The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineve

**Epistle:** James 4:13-5:1-6 -- Lay. F. Okey-Ogbu

Gospel: Luke 17:20-37

VSH 197, CH 241, CH 539 **Hymns:** Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje **Prayer Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Benjamin Edafe Emamezi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Western Izon.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Babatunde Adeyemi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Badagry.
- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Charles Akunne, Mrs Chinwe Chibueze, Mrs Omobolaji Adeniji, Mrs Joyce Oshokare, Miss Omodesola Awokoya, Mr Adeniyi Onayemi, Mr Chukwudi Ofodule, Dr. Obianuju Mbaneme, Mr Olusola Olusina, Mr John Okeke, Mr Chijioke Onvechere, Mr Kola Sodiya, Mrs Faith Okoli, Mr Olagoke Uthman.
- For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Chinwokwu Family, Chinwuba Family, Chinwuko Family, Chiobi Family, Chioke Family, Chisom-Nze Family, Chivor Family, Christian Family, Christopher Family, Chukwu Family