

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.

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- 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
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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 Egbedeji - 08022865591
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- K. **For The Counselling Ministry**
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- S. **For Cathedral Christian Mothers Matters**
The Dean; Mrs. Folake Owolabi - 08023156546
- T. **For Chaplains to Societies**
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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, 27th Dec. - Saturday, 2nd Jan., 2021

CHRISTMAS 1

THEME: JESUS: FULL OF GRACE AND TRUTH

Colour: White

Mr. Adetunji Adekoya
Cathedral Warden

Mr. Charles Ojo
Cathedral Warden

The Ven. Ebenezer Adewole
The Dean

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 – 27TH DEC., 2020

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere
The Epistle: Layreader P. Oghenekaro
The Gospel: The Rev. K. Fasogbon
Preacher: The Dean
Intercessor: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 127
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – **The Ven. Gbenga Oniye**
- ❖ The Epistle Galatians 4:1-7
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 943 (pg 16)
- ❖ The Gospel: John 1:14-18
- ❖ Hymn before Sermon: CONH 828 ... (pg 16)
- ❖ **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 131, 21,59, 63
- ❖ The Ablution: CH 454
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ **Thanksgiving:**
 - i. End of the Month Thanksgiving
 - ii. The Churching of Mrs Lydia Anieto for the gift of a baby boy & God's numerous blessings.
 - iii. Birthday Thanksgiving of Chief (Mrs) Toyin Oluwole, miraculous healing & God's numerous blessings.
 - iv. Family thanksgiving of Mrs Tari Pepple & God's numerous blessings.
 - v. Engr. Chief (Mrs) Funmilayo Tetede thanking God for their 44th years wedding anniversary, God's protection & numerous blessings.
- ❖ For Doxology (pg 11)
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: All things are possible (pg 21)

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. REMAIN BLESSED AND RAPTURABLE.

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: 1021722207

I 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

J. 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	COORDINATOR	MEETING DAYS & TIME	PHONE NUMBER	ADDRESS
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 Crescent 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

K. AVMCC BANK ACCOUNTS DETAILS

BANK	ACCOUNT NUMBER	SORT CODE	PURPOSE
ACCESS	0017948337	044151245	Evangelical Fund
WEMA	0120970667	035150695	Offering & Thanksgiving
FIRST	2025018178	011151841	Harvest (kindly signify the purpose e.g. Family harvest, Youth Harvest etc.)
FIRST	2001350641	011151841	Project Support
STANBIC	9200212515		
IBTC		221150027	First Fruits
GTB	0007899440	058152120	Tithes
ECO	0953002198		Building Fund
ZENITH	1011097083	057150314	Covenant Seed
WEMA	0122245798	035150695	Endowment Fund

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

OUR VICTORY SHOUT
CALLER: GREATER WORKS
RESPONDER: WE SHALL DO
CALLER: WHAT SHALL WE DO
RESPONDER: GREATER WORKS
JOHN 14:12

FIRST SEVEN DAYS OF THE YEAR.
CHARTING A GLORIOUS COURSE FOR OUR LIVES
THEME: "WE ARE MORE THAN THE CONQUERORS"
- ROMANS 8:37.

- DAY 1:** Laying and ensuring the foundation for victory.. 1 John 5:4-6
- DAY 2:** Noticing the groaning and travail of Nation.. Rom. 8:18-22.
- DAY 3:** Acknowledging our groaning as believers . Romans 8:18-24.
- DAY 4:** Joining the groaning of the Spirit ...
Rom. 8:24-27.
- DAY 5:** All things work Together ... Romans 8:28.
- DAY 6:** If God is for us Romans 8:30-34
- DAY 7:** More than conquerors...
Romans 8:35-39

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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.

G. COMMITTEE'S & MINISTRIES REPORTS

This is to inform the above that the next Vestry Meeting will hold on Sunday 28th February, 2021. Kindly send the report of your activities for the year 2020 to the Cathedral Office.

U NAMES OF CURRENT PRESIDENT &

B. 10.00am MATTINS

Cantor: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon
O.T. Reading: Lay. Yemisi Agbaniyaka
N.T. Reading: Lay. Olamide Ola
Preacher: The Dean
Intercessor: The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 129
- ❖ Worship Songs
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Psalm 2
- ❖ O.T. Reading: Isaiah 62:10-12
- ❖ Hymn: CONH 943 (pg 16)
- ❖ N.T. Reading: John 1:14-18
- ❖ Apostles Creed – Collects
- ❖ Hymn: CONH 828 (pg 16)
- ❖ Sermon
- ❖ Intercession – Grace
- ❖ The Offerings: Choruses
 (a) *First Fruit* (b) *Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*
- ❖ **Thanksgiving:**
 - i. End of the Month Thanksgiving
 - ii. The Churching of Mrs Chioma Obialo for the gift of a baby boy and God's numerous blessings.
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- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: All things are possible ... (pg 21)

C. EVENTS AHEAD

- 1. **Watchnight Service – Thursday, 31st Dec. 2020 at 8.00pm.**
- 2. **New Year Service – Friday, 1st January, 2021 @ 7.00am & 10.00am services.**
- 3. **First Seven Days of the year with JESUS - Charting a Glorious Course for our lives – 1st – 7th January, 2021 at 6.00am daily. Theme: "We are More than the Conqueror".. Romans 8:37.**
- 4. **Rededication of Royal Vessels & Gems Ladies & Girls – 17th January, 2021 @ 3.00pm.**
- 5. **Rededication of Christian Mothers – Sunday, 24th January, 2021 @ 3.00pm**

E. FIRST FRUIT – LEV. 23:10-11; DEUT. 26:1-10

1. Your first salary on a new job.
2. The first profit from a new line of business
3. For those already working, it is the first salary in the year.
4. When promoted to another level, the difference between your former salary and the new one.
5. To the aged with no pension, it is your first allowance from your children.
6. For Landlords and Landladies, the rent for the first month in the year is your first fruit.
7. For students, the poor, the jobless, it is your first gift in the year.

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 December 27, 2020 - Charity Band
2. Sunday Jan. 3, 2021 - Clergy Family & Evangelical Ministry Members
3. Sunday January 10, 2021 - Anglican Fellowship
4. Sunday January 17, 2021 - Rededication Royal Gem.
5. Sunday January 24, 2021 –Rededication Christian Mothers

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

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Theme: *Jesus: Full of Grace and Truth*

- ❖ Opening Hymn: CH 104
- ❖ The Preparation to Penitence
- ❖ The Epistle: Galatians 4:1-7
- ❖ The Gospel: John 1:14-18
- ❖ 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
- ❖ Christmas Thanksgiving
- ❖ Youth Anthem
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Prayer & Benediction

D. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

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

1. December 27th Sunday - Psalm 61-63
2. December 28th Monday - Psalm 64-66
3. December 29th Tuesday - Psalm 67-69
4. December 30th Wednesday- Psalm 70-72
5. December 31st Thursday - Psalm 73-75
6. December 1st Friday - Psalm 76-78
7. December 2nd Saturday - Psalm 79-81

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WITHDRAWAL HYMN FOR 7.00AM & 10.00AM SERVICES

ALL THINGS ARE POSSIBLE TO HIM

1. All things are possible to him
 That can in Jesus name believe:
 Lord, I no more thy truth blaspheme,
 Thy truth I lovingly receive;
 I can, I do believe in thee,
 All things are possible to me.
2. The most impossible of all
 Is, that I e'er from sin should cease;
 Yet shall it be, I know it shall;
 Jesus, look to thy faithfulness!
 If nothing is too hard for thee,
 All things are possible to me.
3. Though earth and hell the word gainsay,
 The word of God can never fail;
 The Lamb shall take my sins away,
 'Tis certain, though impossible;
 The thing impossible shall be,
 All things are possible to me.
4. When thou the work of faith hast wrought,
 I here shall in thine image shine,
 Nor sin in deed, or word, or thought;
 Let men exclaim, and fiends repine,
 They cannot break the firm decree;
 All things are possible to me.
5. Thy mouth, O Lord, hath spoke, hath sworn
 That I shall serve thee without fear,
 Shall find the pearl which others spurn,
 Holy, and pure, and perfect here,
 The servant as his Lord shall be;
 All things are possible to me.
6. All things are possible to God,
 To Christ, the power of God in man,

18. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1st Thursday of the Month. Venue: The AVMCC Main Sanctuary. Time: 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- ii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers - Every 1st Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iii. Fasting & Prayer for Christian Mothers - Every last Monday of the month at 5.00pm.

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

- i. We announce the passing into glory of our Father, Mr Osita Theophilus Madueke of Good Shepherd, Elderly and Lord's Labourers. Aged: 81 years. Burial arrangements will be announced later:
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Brother Pharmacist George U.C. Okere (Brother of Rev. Canon Dr. Benjamin Okere). Aged: 63 years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake-Keep Service: On Friday, 8th January, 2021 at Okere's compound, Egbelu Emeke Obibiezena, Owerri by 4.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Saturday, 9th January, 2021 at St. Peter's Anglican Church, Obibiezena, Owerri North LGA, Imo State by 11.00am.
- iii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Princess Folasade Dosunmu of Christian Morning Star, Charity Band and Matron of Ladies Christian League. Aged: 85 years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 11th February, 2021 at Vining Hall by 4.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 12th February, 2021 at AVMCC by 10.00am. Outing Service on Sunday, 14th February, 2020 at St. John's Anglican Church, Isara, Remo, Ogun State.

C. VACANCIES:

- i. A competent and diligent **driver** is needed in the Cathedral. Qualification is a minimum of WASC and valid driving license. Apply to "The Chapter Clerk, AVMCC, Ikeja, not later than 31st December, 2020.
- ii. A Receptionist is urgently needed in an office at GRA, Ikeja. **Qualification:** OND. Any interested person to call: 07063214646.
- iii. A Secretary is urgently needed in a Real Estate Company at Ikeja. **Qualification:** SSCE. Any interested person to call: 0816-8950246.

20.

H. 6.00 pm. EVENSONG

Cantor: *The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere*
Preacher: *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*
Sponsor: Charity Band
Organist: *Mr. Femi Williams*

- ◆ Processional Hymn: CH 127
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Praise Worship
- ◆ Lesson: Phil. 2:1-11 - **Charity Band**
- ❖ Hymn: CONH 943 (*pg 16*)
- ❖ Short Exhortation & Prayer
- ❖ Offerings Choruses
(a) First Fruit (b Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering
- ❖ Thanksgiving
- ❖ Closing Prayer
- ◆ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 44

2. SENTENCES FOR CHRISTMAS 1

Introductory Sentence

Let the peace of Christ rule your hearts: Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly and whatever you do, do everything to the glory of God.
Matthew 1:23.

Collect:

Almighty God, You have given us Your only begotten Son to take our nature upon Him and to be born of a pure Virgin; grant that we, who have been born again and made Your children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by Your Holy Spirit; through our Lord Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You and the same Spirit, One God, now and forever. Amen.

Post Communion Sentence

God showed His love among us, He sent His One and Only Son into the world that we might live through Him. **1 John 4:9.**

TOWARDS THE NEW CATHEDRAL

THE COLLECT:

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

3. LET THERE BE PEACE (ADAPTED)

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

4. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY, 27TH DECEMBER, 2020

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

- i. Pray for Henry Ndukuba our Primate, Olusina, Our Archbishop and Olusola our Bishop, for grace to hear from the Lord on daily basis in line with God's mandate in their episcopacy.
- ii. For the Rt. Rev. Babatunde Ogunbanwo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ijebu South West.

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 Islamization agenda so that Christianity in Nigeria will never go the way of TURKEY nor NORTH AFRICA in Jesus Name. Amen.*
- ii. Pray that the Lord shall silence every rumour of war in the world especially in those countries where they are not at rest as at today.
- iii. Pray for the political leaders in our country that fear of God shall overshadow them.
- iv. Pray for the states and regions prone to security challenges in our country.

C. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. Pray for those who are waiting on God for favour in our midst.
- ii. Pray for grace of God and divine help for all members of AVMCC.
- iii. Pray that the joy of the Lord will be our portion in AVMCC.

D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Iloabanafor Family, Iloabuchi Family, Iloanya Family, Iloeje Family, Iloh Family, Iloputa Family, Ilori Family, Ilozuni Family, Immanuel

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.

15. **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

- 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

16. **NEW LOCKDOWN RULES**

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 3rd 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. 4th Friday of every month with 5 – Fridays DHU Vigil.

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

- i. For Capt. Kolawole Abejide, Mr Moses Adekoya, Mrs Oluwaseyi Akinronbi, Mr Chukwudi Anyakora, Mr Gideon Emeforo, Mrs Oluremi Jegede, Mr Obed Nwaorgu, Mrs Titilayo Opadiran, Mrs Chidinma Iwuchukwu, Mrs Ugochi Chinakwe, Mrs Lydia Orakwe and others who are celebrating their birthdays today.
- ii. For those having their Wedding Anniversaries or any other positive Anniversaries today.

F. Prayers for the following people: The Rt. Rev. Dr. P. A. Adebisi, Engr. & Mrs. Odedairo, Mrs. Beatrice Akinola, Mrs. David-West, Justice S.O. Ilori, Mrs M.I. Ilori, Mrs Lydia Metu, 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, 27TH DECEMBER, 2020**

THEME: JESUS: FULL OF GRACE AND TRUTH

READING: PSALM 2, 1SAIAH 62:10-12;

GALATIANS 4:1-7; JOHN 1:14-18.

Moses brought the Law, but Jesus brought Grace and Truth

Two marks – **Grace** and **Truth**, shall be examined in this write up. These two marks are essential to our salvation because **Love** drew salvation's plan, **Grace** brought it down to man and **Truth** sustains it in us.

It's not by accident that the terms- grace and truth apply to Jesus. Those two words are the defining features of Jesus and by extension should be the defining features of the believer. The application and implication of the word grace and truth is an expression of divine balance and if they are absent in the life of a believer, that believer has no relevance- he is just existing and not living. When we, Christians, imbibe Grace and Truth from Christ, we manifest it by acting it to others. Grace enables us to do good to all while Truth helps us to sustain the good work.

Jesus is the repository of Grace, the ability and strength, and truth, the content of the ability!

THE GRACE

At the fall of man, we fell out of grace and favour. Man lost friendship and fellowship with God and

The word grace is strategic and synonymous with Christ; it is the presence and expression of Jesus in believers. It is the ability and anointing of ease in us to live and work for God. Jesus came to supply grace because He knows that the human capacity can't help him and He also died that man will be graced to serve God and work in His purpose.

At the fall of man, we all fell out of grace and favour of God. Man lost friendship, fellowship and relationship with God and began to struggle and except for grace, the struggles continue.

Apostle Paul wrote in verse 11 of chapter 2 of his pastoral letter to Titus that the grace of God that brought salvation has appeared to all men. It is an unmerited favour offered to all, good and bad, black and white, Jews and gentile, all without any form of social, racial, ethnic or class discrimination. That is what grace does; it qualifies the unqualified like David, it raises the poor from the dust and lifts the beggar from the ash heap to set them among princes and make them inherit the throne of glory. (1 Sam 2:8). Grace make somebody of nobody; grace transforms; grace does not discriminate, but it differentiates. If eternal life could be offered by grace, what are earthly things that God cannot offer by grace. The Bible says that Jesus is full of grace and truth (John 1:14). Jesus' description of His ministry in Lk. 4:18 and John 10:10 shows Him as an embodiment of grace. The grace in Christ does good to all:

He preaches the gospel to the poor;
He heals the brokenhearted,
He proclaims liberty to the captives
He ministers recovery of sight to the blind,
He sets at liberty those who are oppressed;
And proclaim the acceptable year of the

Lord.

What grace will do for you:

The G in grace stands for God. It is the God factor. If you remove that G you're left with race. And that could be frustrating. It is the God element in our life that makes the difference and causes us to excel.

The R stands for result. With grace in your life you're sure of having divine result that makes you a shining light. The result will be obvious for all to see. The result is not like the results of the world. It is the result that brings peace of mind.

The A stands for ability. The divine ability enables you to go on doing things without stress and boredom. It is the energy from above that makes the difference. Grace renders human strength

C. Elderly Ministry

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

- i. Medical Check-up in the Clinic; Spiritual Talks; Games /Exercises and Handicrafts in the Vining Hall.
- ii. Please send names of sick and shut-in Elders to the Coordinator Elderly Ministry or the Cathedral office for visitation.
- iii. **2021 Bible Quiz Book – (1) Ruth (11) The Catechism**

D. Evangelical Ministry

i. Monthly Meeting

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

ii. Home Fellowships:

All Parishioners and their friends are encouraged to attend a Home Fellowship of their Choice and convenience near their homes or work places. Please check the list of Home Fellowship Centres.

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 3rd and last Sundays of the month. (b) Prison visitation every 2nd Thursday of the month (c) Meeting comes up every 2nd Sunday of the month after 10.00a.m Service at the Church gallery. For more information, call **(08033136370 and 08036695837).**

G. Intercessory Ministry

This Group, meets for prayers every Tuesday from 5p.m to 6pm. They visit the sick and all those needing spiritual support and prayers etc after 7.00a.m Midweek Communion service every Wednesday. Please avail yourself of the services of this group as and when required.

H. Men & Women of Grace Fellowship

We invite all widows and widowers to a fellowship of God's grace, identifying with one another, serving God and others. We organize Workshops, Financial

HYMN CONH 943

1. Jesus good above all other
Gentle Child of gentle mother

In a stable born our Brother

Give us grace to persevere.

2. Jesus cradled in a manger
For us facing every danger

Living as a homeless stranger,

Make we, Christ, our King most dear.

3. Jesus for Your people dying,
Risen Master, death defying,

Lord in heaven, Your grace supplying,

Keep us to Your presence near.

4. Jesus, who our sorrows bearing
All our thoughts and hopes now sharing

And to man, the truth declaring

Help us all Your truth to hear.

5. Lord, in all our doings guide us
Pride and hate shall ne'er divide us

We'll go on with You beside us

And with joy, we'll persevere. Amen.

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HYMN: CONH 828

'TIS SO SWEET TO TRUST IN JESUS

1. 'Tis so sweet to trust in Jesus,
Just to take Him at His Word;
Just to rest upon His promise,
And to know, "Thus saith the Lord!"
Chorus:
Jesus, Jesus, how I trust Him!
How I've proved Him o'er and o'er;
Jesus, Jesus, precious Jesus!
Oh, for grace to trust Him more!

2. Oh, how sweet to trust in Jesus,
Just to trust His cleansing blood;
Just in simple faith to plunge me

The C stands for character. Grace enables you to have an outstanding character that makes you attractive to the people around you. Grace gives character. It gives the character of God. The character that is void of offense that endears you to speedy progress. It is the grace of God that enabled Paul to live a life that is distinct despite being a one time murderer. Grace helps us to fix our character.

The E in grace stands for excellence. There is an excellence that goes with your life with grace by extension with Jesus who is full of grace and truth has the capacity to come into you and make you excel in every area of life. This excellence is from heaven and has a touch of uniqueness.

Brethren, Jesus is the personification of grace and the grace in Him is not for Him but for humanity. When grace is around, struggles stop. That is grace at work and that is the very reason He came to the world, He came to give us grace.

Let us embrace His word of grace and ask Jesus to live in us for fullness of His grace.

May the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you now and always. Amen!

THE TRUTH

Jesus is the embodiment of the truth that sustains salvation; it is in Christ that every iota of truth is found and defined. "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life" is one of the "I am" sayings of Christ. Talking about Himself as "The Truth", Jesus used the definite article to emphasize Himself as "the only truth." Psalm 119:142 says, "Your law is the truth." In the Sermon on the Mount, Jesus reminded His listeners of several points of the Law, then said, "But I say unto you . . ." (Matthew 5:22, 28, 32, 34, 39, 44), thereby equating Himself with the Law of God as the authoritative standard of righteousness. In fact, Jesus said that He came to fulfill the Law and the prophets (Matthew 5:17). Jesus, as the incarnate Word of God (John 1:1) is the source of all truth. It is through Christ we come to know God and there is no other truth worth believing except the truth as in and proclaimed by Jesus Christ.

The truth that Jesus makes us to know-

Truth about eternity- we have eternal salvation in Jesus we are able to appreciate that our lives do not end here.

Truth about life after this presents life- it is that reality of salvation that boosts our confidence quotient.

Truth that we are children of GOD- that we have been saved.

Truth about the reality of heaven and hell.

Jesus the Truth makes us know that there is a place of destruction for those who reject God and a place of rest for those who have relationship with God, about our inheritance in Him that we are joint heirs of the father and children of the kingdom.

The truth about the world we live in is a temporary place

6. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

December 20 – December 26

7.00 am Holy Communion	678
7.00 am Youth Service	97
7.00 am Sunday School	-
10.00 am Mattins	406
10.00 am Youth Service	125
10.00 am Sunday School	-
6.00 pm Service	25
Tuesday Bible Study	76
Wednesday Holy Communion	98
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	87

7. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

- The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church after Service
- *Band of Faith*
 - *Ladies Christian League*
 - *Christian Friends Society*
 - *Lord Labourers Fellowship*

8. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 27th Dec., 2020

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

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Femi Olaleye, Pharm. Ranti Adedeji, Mrs Chi Enenila, Pharm. Dele Ajala.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 3rd Jan., 2021

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

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Tunji Areo, Dr. (Mrs) Irene Okwerekwu, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Mrs Chinelo Emenike, Mrs Adenike Adefila.

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 27th Dec. - Saturday, 2nd Jan. 2021

Nwaorgu Chinedu (Captain), Goke Uthman; (Assistant

Captain), Ogunleye Adeboboye, Adeyemi Muyiwa, Mbaekwe Augustine, Segun Adeniji, Dare Sigbeku, Chioma Obi, George A. Adeyemi, Juliet Chimezie, Omotola Onakoya, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Rita Osibodu,

Olusegun Esan, Michael Enujoike,

ii. Sunday 3rd Jan., - Saturday, 9th Jan., 2021

Jemerigbe Helen I. (Captain), Helen Arhagba (Assistant Captain), Adeyemi Muyiwa, Goke Uthman, Juliet Chimezie, Helen Arhagba, Caroline

Omowhara, Jones Bassev, Funso Fadhuro

11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Christmas II January 3

Theme: Following God's Leading

Colour: White

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Dean

Epistle: Rev. 21:22-22:1-5

Layreader Sola Peters

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12, 19-23

The Rev.

Bolarinwa Osineye

Address: The Dean

THE YOUTH SERVICE

Venue: *The Adetiloye House*

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

10.00am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Dean

Epistle: Rev. 21:22-22:1-5

Layreader Oluremi Onabolu

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12, 19-23

The Rev.

Kayode Fasogbon

Address: The Dean

6.00 pm: EUCHARISTIC WITH ANOINTING

Celebrant: The Rev. Dr. Samuel

Opaaje

Epistle: Rev. 21:22-22:1-5

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12, 19-23

Preacher: The Ven. James Adekanye

12. BANNES 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. Samuel Akemu & Miss Oluwademilade Atilade*

2. *Dr. Samuel Adeyeye of Redeem Christian Church of God and Miss Chika Ezeanya of this Church.*

2ND NOTICE:

1. *Mr. Oluwadamilola Agbaje & Miss Ayomide Olugboyegun*

1ST NOTICE:

1. *Mr. Stanley Okeke & Miss Cynthia Anuforo*

2. *Mr. Ikechukwu Agomo & Miss Ogochukwu Okeke*

13. NOTICES

A. Visitors and New Comers

Friday, January 1, 2021 Colour: White
6.00 am Holy Communion
Theme: Laying and Ensuring the foundation for
Victory – 1 John 5:4-6.

New Year Day
The Naming of Jesus
(7.00AM & 10.00AM)

Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Diocesan

O.T. Reading: Genesis 17:19-24

Psalm: 8

Epistle: Romans 4:8-14

Gospel: Luke 2:21-24

Hymns for 7.00am: VSH 75, CH 136, CH 512, CH 508, CH 631.

Hymns for 10.00am: VSH 70, 137, CH 512, VSH 148, CH 153, CH 631.

Preacher: The Diocesan

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Felix C.C. Orji, his family and all members of the Diocese of CANA West, USA .
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Miss Ogochukwu Anukaenyi, Mr Samuel Chukwudum, Mrs Ngozi Ekekezie, Mr Demuvi Eferakeya, Mr Obinna Kanu, Sir Chito Ezeani, Engr. Chigozie Nze, Mr Paul Igbiye, Mrs Amaka Joe-Nwagbo, Mr Manhattan Madu, Mr Gabriel Okoli, Engr. Uche Nwoji, Mr Nnamdi Obi, Mrs Florence Oguchi, Mrs Chinyere Okeke, Ms Susan Olorunhundo, Miss Chidinma Olugbuo, Mr Abiodun Oluseye, Mr Iziken Omiunu, Mr Humphrey Opara, Mr Alexander Okorocho, Ms Chinazor Agbasimalo, Mrs Ada Agbasimalo, Mrs Frances Nwadigo, Mr Chinedu Ikenua.

Saturday, January 2, 2021 Colour: White
6.00 am Holy Communion
Theme: Noticing the groaning and travail of Nation
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Romans 8:18-22.

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Epistle: Hebrew 11:1-12 - Lay. Edwin Eze

Gospel: John 6:35-42, 48-51

Hymns: CH 20, VSH 67, CH CS 51

Preacher: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Christian Ugwuzor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Aba.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Beatrice Agbola, Miss Shirley Agu, Mr Frank Ajala, Arc. Omololu Akinbobola, Mr Adeolu Aladesawe, Mrs Amarachi Diala, Mrs Oluchi George, Mrs Elechi Godson-Ikoro, Mr Onyedikachi Ejike-Kanu, Mrs Grace Nwosu, Mrs Phoebe Ogbu, Mr Festus Okiya, Miss Divine Agbo, Mr Nwabueze Ubani, Mr Oduntan Dada, Mrs Joy Ubaka, Mr George Eze, Mr Ugochukwu Anemeia

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, Barua Ipaja, Oregon, 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	people giving 500,000 each	=	5 billion
20,000	people giving 250,000 each	=	5 billion
25,000	people giving 200,000 each	=	5 billion
50,000	people giving 100,000 each	=	5 billion
100,000	people giving 50,000 each	=	5 billion
200,000	people giving 25,000 each	=	5 billion
250,000	people giving 20,000 each	=	5 billion
500,000	people giving 10,000 each	=	5 billion
1,000,000	people giving 5,000 each	=	5 billion
5,000,000	people giving 1,000 each	=	5 billion
10,000,000	people giving 500 each	=	5 billion

With each and 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.

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

1. My spirit on Thy care,
 Blest Saviour, I recline;
 Thou wilt not leave me to despair,
 For Thou art love divine.
2. In Thee I place my trust,
 On Thee I calmly rest;
 I know Thee good, I know Thee just,
 And count Thy choice the best.
3. Whate'er events betide,
 Thy will they all perform.

10. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, December 28, 2020 Colour: Red

The Holy Innocents' Day

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere*

Epistle: *1 Peter 4:12-16 - Lay. E. Randle*

Gospel: *Matthew 2:13-19*

Topic: Watch that Obsession – Matthew 2:13-19

Hymns: *CH 16, CH 123, VSH 96*

Preacher: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Dapo Asaju, his family and his Ministry.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Justus Moge kwu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Asaba.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Goddy Akujor, Mr Emeka Elo-Chukwuma, Mr Daniel Alabuiké, Sir Emeka Asiegbu, Mr Kingsley Asinobi, Mr Wale Awe, Mrs Lovina Emeforo. Mrs Iyamide Gafar, Mr Oyeniyi Sodipo, Mrs Precious Itua, Mr Olutayo Ayeni, Mrs Omobonike Museo, Miss Oladunni Taiwo, Mrs Itohan Uduehi.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Imo Family, Imoru Family, Ineh Family, Inekwe Family, Inhedioha Family, Inwang Family, Inwang Family, Inyang Family, Iregbulem Family, Iriele Family.

Tuesday, December 29, 2020 Colour: White

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Epistle: *Rev. 1:1-8 - Lay. Elizabeth Osibajo*

Gospel: *John 7:37-52*

Topic: St. John the Apostle & Evangelist –
1 Jh 1:1-9

Hymns: *CH 13, VSH 74, VSH 103*

Preacher: *The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Emmanuel Oko-Jaja, his family and all members of the Diocese of Niger Delta West.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Chamberlain Ogunedo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Mbaise.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Adeyemi Adejuwon, Mr Christian Ajulu, Miss Amaka Akuihe, Miss Gloria Ineh, Miss Omosewe Jide-Fadiya, Mr Daniel Nwaokeneme, Mr Chidera Obi, Mr Ugochukwu Okaro, Mr Nnabuiké Odukwe.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Iroabueke Family, Isaac Family, Ishola Family, Isichei Family, Isiguzo Family, Ismail Family, Isong Family, Iteghete Family, Itua Family, Itua-Princess Family.

12.noon: **Blessing**
Mr. Anderson Enoghayin & Miss Ndidi Okoh

5.00pm - 6.00pm Intercessory Prayer

5.00pm - 6.00pm BIBLE STUDY PREVIEW

Wednesday, December 30, 2020 Colour: White

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Dean*

Epistle: *Rev. 1:19-20 - Lay. Nkiru Arah*

Gospel: *John 7:53-8:1-11*

Topic: Do not take God for granted – Heb. 3:1-15

Hymns: *CH 9, CH 122, CH 566, VSH 70*

Preacher: *The Dean*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Samuel Ogundeji, his family and all members of the Diocese of Egba West.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Oluseyi Oyelade, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ife East.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Fela Oni, Mr Natalie Shodeke, Mrs Abonyi Madueke, Miss Odunola Atolagbe, Mrs Nkechi Isong, Mr Chimezie Unogu, Mr Chibuzo Okoli, Mrs Toyin Makinde-Akinrolabu, Mr Ikenna Okebata, Mr Bayo Opadiran, Mrs Olufela Shodeke.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Iwajomo Family, Iwekuba Family, Iwuchukwu Family, Iwugo Family, Iwuji Family, Iwuoha Family, Iyamu Family, Iyayi Family, Iyeimo Family, Iyun Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

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

Thursday, December 31, 2020 Colour: White

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

Epistle: *II Cor. 5:16-6:1-2 – Lay. O. Obisesan*

Gospel: *John 8:12-19*

Topic: Finishing well and strong – Heb. 3:16-

4:1-10

Hymns: *CH 18, CH 128, CH 17*

Preacher: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Steven Akobe, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kabba.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Owen Nwokolo, his family and all members of the Diocese on the Niger.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Beatrice Ikwuemesi, Dr. Ogo-Oluwa Adeyemi, Mrs Benedicta Amadi, Mrs Evelyn Anyadiegwu, Mr Bright Ucheka, Mrs Caroline Sodeinde, Mr Ebuka Okechukwu, Ms Catherine Ejike, Miss Anayo Hale, Miss Olamide Ola-Ishola.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Iziren Family, Izuagba Family, Jackson-Steele Family, Jacob Family, Jaff-Nwankwo Family, Jafojo Family, Jagun Family, Jagunna Family, Jaiyeola Family, Jaiyesimi Family.

8.00pm PRAISES & WORSHIP