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

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- W. **For Booking of the Guest House**
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Our Vision:

"CHRIST FOR ALL NATIONS"

Our 2021 Mission:

"WE ARE MORE THAN THE CONQUERORS"
Romans 8:37

IN GOD'S PRESENCE, THERE IS FULLNESS OF JOY AND AT HIS RIGHT HAND, PLEASURES FOR EVERMORE. A GOOD INDICATOR OF SPIRITUAL GROWTH IS EAGERNESS TO BE IN GOD'S HOUSE FOR WORSHIP AND FELLOWSHIP. WELCOME TO HIS PRESENCE.

WEEKLY BULLETIN

Sunday, 21st March - Saturday, 27th March, 2021

LENT V

THEME: THE MERITS OF THE SACRIFICE OF JESUS

Colour: **Purple**

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 – 21ST MARCH, 2021

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon
The Epistle: Layreader Uzor Ejikeme
The Gospel: The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi
Preacher: The Dean
Intercessor: The Ven. Festus Olowosile

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 760
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – **Rev. Canon. B. Okere**
- ❖ The Epistle Hebrews 9:11-14
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 271
- ❖ The Gospel: John 12:20-32
- ❖ **SERMON / TEACHING (pgs 17-18)**
- ❖ 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: CONH 597, 598, 590
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 19
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer

❖ **Thanksgiving:**

- i. Birthday thanksgiving of Sir. Godwin Omene & God's numerous blessings.

❖ For Doxology.....(*pg 11*)

- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 68

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: 1021733207
Sort Code: 033154512
Branch Address, UBA Plc, 51A Adeniyi Jones Street, Ikeja

F. **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

G. **AVMCC BANK ACCOUNTS DETAILS**

<u>BANK</u>	<u>ACCOUNT NUMBER</u>	<u>SORT CODE</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>
ACCESS	0017948337	044151245	Evangelical Fund
WEMA	0120970667	035150695	Offering & Thanksgiving
FIRST	2025018178	011151841	Harvest
(kindly signify the purpose e.g. Family harvest, Youth Harvest etc.)			
FIRST	2001350641	011151841	Project Support
STANBIC	9200212515		
IBTC		221150027	First Fruits
GTB	0007899440	058152120	Tithes
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

HARVEST NEWS

Calvary greetings and Peace of the Lord be with you all.

As we prepare to enter the 2021 Harvest Season, All societies and ministries should please send names of **TWO** representatives to the Harvest Committee.

We appreciate all societies who have responded so far. We also look forward to receiving responses from the outstanding societies.

Nominations can be sent on society letter head through the following mediums;

- Sms or WhatsApp msg to Jide Jibowu on +234 815 222 3222

- Sms or WhatsApp msg to Jolomi Fawehinmi on +234 8070994346

-By Email to: avmcc2021harvest@gmail.com
OR avmccaop@gmail.com

Inauguration of the Harvest Committee is scheduled to hold on **Easter Sunday, 4th April 2021 during 7am & 10am services.**

C. YOUNG WIVES FELLOWSHIP

In conjunction with Kingdom Men's Fellowship presents Couples Breakfast Fellowship:

Focus: Maintaining Long Lasting Friendship in Marriage

Venue: Youth Chapel

Date: Saturday, 27th March, 2021

Time: 9.00am

D. ICT LOUNGE:

Kindly patronize the AVMCC ICT LOUNGE at Adetiloye House (Ground Floor), which opens at 9.00am-5.00pm Monday to Friday, for your: Typing, Printing, Photocopy, Scanning, Bulk SMS, Laminating, Tinted Permit, Internet Work, Binding, Scratch Cards (Jamb, WAEC, NECO etc) and Computer Training. *Contact: Call/Whatsapp No: 07063214646.*

E. AVMCC GUEST HOUSE - PLEASE READ!

Dry cleaning and Laundry Services are now available at the AVMCC Guest House at reasonable prices. Please patronize. Thank you. **Tel. No. 08033716752**

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B. 10.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

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The Epistle: Layreader Adeola Sanya
The Gospel: The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi
Preacher: The Dean
Intercessor: The Ven. Festus Olowosile

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 4
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – **The Ven. Gbenga Oniye**
- ❖ The Epistle Hebrews 9:11-14
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 432
- ❖ The Gospel: John 12:20-32
- ❖ **SERMON / TEACHING (pgs 17-18)**
- ❖ 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: CONH 617, 608, 802
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 19
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer

❖ **Thanksgiving:**

- i. Mr & Mrs Folajaiye Dania thanking God for the gift of a grandson, also for appointment of their daughter Dr. Folayinka as the Lagos State Chief Resilience officer & God's numerous blessings.
- ii. Thanksgiving after the successful burial of Late Mrs Grace Faniyi and journey mercies.

- ❖ For Doxology.....(*pg 11*)
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 760

C. EVENTS AHEAD

1. Young Wives Fellowship – Saturday, 27th March, 2021 at Youth Chapel. Time: 9.00am.
2. CONFIRMATION CLASS 2021: takes place at Lady Chapel by 5.00pm every Thursday.
3. 40 DAYS LENTEN REVIVAL @ 6.00am Daily 17th February – 3rd April, 2021.
4. Enrolment Service: Mothers Union – 28th March, 2021 at 2.00pm.
5. PALM SUNDAY - Sunday, 28th March, 2021.
6. MAUNDY THURSDAY- Thursday, 1st Apr., 2021 at 9.00am & 6.00pm Services.
7. GOOD FRIDAY – Friday, 2nd April, 2021 @ 9.00am & 12noon.
8. EASTER CANTATA - Sunday, 4th April, 2021 sponsored by Fountain of Hope Society @ 5.00pm.
9. Rogation Sunday – Sunday, 9th May, 2021
10. Pentecost Sunday – Sunday, 23rd May, 2021
11. 1st Session of the 8th Synod, DLW – Thursday, 20th May – Sunday, 23rd May, 2021.

3.

D. 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

**E. AVMCC SPONSORSHIP OF 2021
EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES**

1. Sunday March 21, 2021 - Band of Grace
2. Sunday March 28, 2021 - Palm Sunday
3. Sunday April 4, 2021 - FOH / Easter Cantata
4. Sunday April 11, 2021 - Christian Family
5. Sunday April 18, 2021 - Lords Vessel
6. Sunday April 25, 2021 - Cathedral Youth
7. Sunday May 2, 2021 - Ladies Christian Circle
8. Sunday May 9, 2021 - Harvest Committee
9. Sunday May 16, 2021 - Christian Unity Band
10. Sunday May 23, 2021 - Synod Thanksgiving

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

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Epistle: *Okoli Ekene/Ayeni Oluwaseun*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Theme: *The Merits of the Sacrifice of Jesus*

- ❖ Opening Hymn: CH 234
- ❖ The Preparation to Penitence
- ❖ The Epistle: Hebrews 9:11-14
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ The Gospel: John 12:20-32
- ❖ Nicene Creed
- ❖ The Peace
- ❖ Offertory: Praises

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

- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: Worship Songs
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ Sermon
- ❖ Intercession
- ❖ Youth Anthem
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Prayer & Benediction
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 153

MEMBERSHIP BIO-DATA

NAME:

ADDRESS:

PHONE NO:

DATE OF BIRTH:

E-MAIL:

MEMBERSHIP STATUS
i.e. DISTANT/ACTIVE

MINISTRY OR
GROUP SOCIETY:

GENDER:

SPOUSE:

NEXT OF KIN:

STATE OF ORIGIN:

MARRIAGE
ANNIVERSARY:

12. 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.
- iv. **Adult Education Programme:** This course is for young and old every Monday & Wednesday by 3.30pm at the Vining Hall.

13. EEP NEWS TRACK

Business Clinic

Free counseling and coaching sessions available to provide inspiration and mentorship for aspiring or emerging business owners. Parishioners are welcome to book an appointment at the EEP office. 2nd floor Adetiloye House.

14. INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

A. OBITUARIES

- i. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Chief Clinton Njimezi (Father of Sister Peace Njimezi of Good Shepherd Society). Aged: 73years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake-Keep Service: On Monday, 5th April, 2021 at his residence in Umuijem Avu, Imo State.
Funeral Service: On Tuesday, 6th April, 2021 at Emmanuel (Ang) Church, Avu in Owerri, Imo State.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Grp. Capt. John Obakpolor (rtd). Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake-Keep Service: On Wednesday, 7th April, 2021 at Vining Hall by 4.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Thursday, 8th April, 2021 at AVMCC by 9.00am.
- iii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Beatrice Modupe Omisore of Christian Morning Star. Aged: 84years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 8th April, 2021 at Vining Hall by 5.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 9th April, 2021 at AVMCC by 9.00am.
- iv. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Prince Emmanuel Ogbon of Christian Brothers Society. Aged: 69years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Service of Songs: On Saturday, 10th April, 2021 at his residence Road 13, Peace Gardens City Estate, Sangotedo, Ibeju-Lekki, Lagos State by 3.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 16th April, 2021 at Saint Andrews Anglican Church, Ogoni Olomu Town by 10.00am.

B. VACANCIES:

- i. **Security Officers, Cleaners & Supervisor /Store Keeper:** are urgently needed at Ikeja Club, Medical road, Ikeja
- ii. **AVMCC Clinic:** State Registered Nurse with 5 years experience (additional qualifications will be an advantage). (2) Part time Medical Officer with 3 years experience. Submit your application with resume to Secretary AVMCC Medical Board, to the AVMCC Dean's Office on or before Friday, 9th April, 2021.

G. 6.00 pm.

Cantor:

Preacher:

Sponsor:

Organist:

EVENSONG

The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye

Band of Grace

Dr. Chinedu Osinigwe

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 153
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Praise Worship
- ❖ Lesson: Mark 10:32-45- *Band of Grace*
- ❖ Hymn: CONH 432
- ❖ Short Exhortation & Prayer
- ❖ Offerings Choruses
(a) *First Fruit* (b) *Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*
- ❖ Thanksgiving
- ❖ Closing Prayer
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 129

2. SENTENCES FOR LENT V

Introductory Sentence

My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord, I know them and they follow me. **John 10:27.**

Collect for the Week:

Loving Father, You delivered and saved us all by the passion and cross of Your Son Jesus Christ; grant that by steadfast faith in the merits of His sacrifice we may find help and salvation, and may triumph in the power of His victory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Collect for the Season:

Almighty and merciful God, You hate nothing that You have made and forgive the sins of all those who are penitent. Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, we may receive from You, the God of all mercy, perfect forgiveness and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Post Communion Sentence

What harmony is there between Christ and Belial? What does a believer have in common with an unbeliever?

II Cor. 6:15.

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, 21st MARCH, 2021

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

- i. Pray for Henry Ndokuba our Primate, Olusina, Our Archbishop and Olusola our Bishop, that the power in the blood of Jesus shall avail for them.
- ii. For the Rt. Revd Nathan Kanu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Aba Ngwa North.

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 for Heads of State and governments in Africa, that they be endowed wisdom from above.
- iii. Pray for the youth of our country that fear of God shall rule in their heart.
- iv. Pray for the all members of National Assembly that they be guided by the Lord.

C. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. Pray that March shall be a month of divine magnification for all.
- ii. Pray that our testimonies of victories shall be permanent.
- iii. Pray for security of lives and properties for all members.

D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Oriuwa Family, Orji Family, Orjiekwe Family, Orji-Nwozor Family, Orofu-Rowland Family, Oroge Family, Oruche Family, Osadi Family, Osa-Iyoha Family, Osaka Family.

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

- i. For Sir Godwin Omene, Miss Onyekachi Nwakanma, Mrs Eno Adejuyigbe, Mrs Esther Adewole-Ranti, Mrs Iyabode Adeyelu, Mr Igbo Arhagba, Mrs Mofoluso Olawunmi, Mrs Yvonne Olowokande, Dr. (Mrs) Josephine Soboyejo, Mrs Ngozi Egesi, Mrs Tenrat Uche, Mr Kolawole Oni, Engr. Obafolarin Aluko, Mr Lotachukwu Anyakora and others who are celebrating their birthdays today.
- ii. For those having their Wedding Anniversaries or any other positive Anniversaries today.

C. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

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

1. March	21 st Sunday -	Deut. 23-25
2. March	22 nd Monday -	Deut. 26-28
3. March	23 rd Tuesday -	Deut. 29-31
4. March	24 th Wednesday-	Deut. 32-34
5. March	25 th Thursday-	Josh. 1-3
6. March	26 th Friday -	Josh. 4-6
7. March	27 th Saturday-	Josh. 7-9

D. 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	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.

- Release me from the bondage of settled bodily ways of hostility and contempt.
 - Give the eternal kind of life to my mortal flesh.
 - Transform the “inner life” of my body so that the deeds and words of Jesus become natural expressions of who I am.
 - Keep my body and my appetites from running and ruining my life.
 - Let my tissues and muscles be inclined toward you, O God, and godliness.
 - Take dominion over my body: eye movements, voice, shoulders, mouth hands and so on.
4. Release each of the main part of your body to God. (At this point you may want to look in a mirror and squint as you do when someone irritates you.
How might you release that? What sort of look might God want to replace that with? Do the same with how you hold your mouth and shoulders) Ask God to take charge of your body and each part, to fill it with his life and use it for his purposes. Accentuate the positive, don’t just think of not sinning with your body.
 5. Give plenty of time to this ritual of sacrifice. Do not rush. When you are done, rise and give God thanks and praise. An ecstatic reading (chant and walk or dance) of Psalms 145-150 would be an excellent way to finish. Put your body into it. You may wish to paraphrase verses this way: (My Body) “shall speak of the glory of your kingdom, and tell of your power” (Ps. 145:11).
 6. Later, tell a spiritual; friend or pastor what you have done, and ask them to bless it. Review your ritual of sacrifice now and then and plan to renew the same ritual surrender year by year.

Modifications:

You might want to do this while standing in front of a mirror. If so, try on an emotion and see how that emotion affects the way you hold your shoulders or life an eyebrow. That’s when we see how aggression or fear can live in our bodies, and how this exercise can help that to be released.

However you choose to do this, be open to how you are led. God may show you valuable insights in understanding how your body interfaces with the rest of your person, and how you can align it more closely with the life God continually invites you into.

We’re including this exercise in the name of Understanding the Person to help you experience the power of God’s life in your body.

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, 21ST MARCH, 2021

THEME: THE MERITS OF THE SACRIFICE OF JESUS

**READING: PSALM 22:23-29, JEREMIAH 31:31-34,
HEBREWS 9:11-14; JOHN 12:20-32.**

Our thought for this week seeks to beam a search light on and identify the benefits accruable to man from Jesus voluntary sacrifice of Himself for redemption of man from damnable consequences of sin. Jesus’ sacrifice entails the suffering, shame, ridicule, injustice and the vicarious death of Jesus Christ on the Cross of Calvary for the salvation of man. Why the sacrifice, what motivated the sacrifice, merits of the sacrifice are some of the issues that we will touch briefly in our discourse.

Today’s Old Testament reading- Jer.31:31-34 establishes that Jesus’ sacrifice is founded on the God’s New Covenant with the House of Israel and House of Judah through which the hitherto rebellious Israelites became the people of God by grace. An essential component of this sacrifice is God’s promise to forgive their sins and remember them no more (v.34). Fulfilment of this promise necessitated a once-for-all supreme sacrifice that Jesus paid with His life (physical – body and blood) on the Cross. This the Bible tells us in Heb.5 that unlike the humanly ordained priests that had to offer sacrifice for their sins and those of others, Jesus our High Priest needed no sacrifice because he is sinless. He had no personal sin to atone; His sacrifice of Himself was a vicarious sacrifice once offered as a permanent solution to man’s sin problem. The Bible also affirms this in 1Pt.2:22-24a “Who committed no sin, nor was deceit found in His mouth”; who, when He was reviled, did not revile in return; when He suffered, He did not threaten, but committed Himself to Him who judges righteously; who Himself bore

our sins in His own body on the tree, that we, having died to sins, might live for righteousness- 1Pt.2:22-24a.

The sacrifice of Jesus Christ cleanses our conscience from dead works to serve the living God- Heb.9:14. It is by this that Christ became the Mediator of the New Covenant that we said forms the basis of His sacrifice.

By Jesus' sacrificial death on the Cross, He destroyed the works of the devil- 1 John 3:8, and by it also He was raised for the world to see and embrace for their salvation. Jesus said "And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the Son of Man be lifted up, that whoever believes in Him should not perish but have eternal life- Jhn.3:14-15.

Jesus clearly affirmed the sacrificial nature of His death in Jhn.10. His sacrifice was:

- A voluntary sacrifice (v. 18). No one took Jesus' life; He willingly and voluntarily gave it up for us.
- A vicarious sacrifice (v. 15). Jesus did not die as a martyr, killed by men; He died as a substitute, willingly laying His life down for us.
- A victorious sacrifice (v. 17). Jesus did die, but He also rose again. The cross is empty. Jesus rose again. We serve a risen, victorious Savior.

Jesus sacrificed His life in order that we might be saved. He willingly gave His life for our lives. He became the sacrificial shepherd for us.

Thinking of these characteristics of Jesus' sacrificial death, we can simply exclaim what a Savior! Jesus is the Good Shepherd, a caring Shepherd, an understanding Shepherd, a sacrificial Shepherd.

By His voluntary sacrifice, Jesus paid the price of sin for us. He died and suffered for us. He took our sins upon Himself and paid for our sins. Our sins have been dealt with by God. It was by His grace and love for us that salvation is available to us. All we have to do is accept the sacrifice of Jesus for our own selves by faith in Christ and we will be saved- Isa.53:3-6.

BIBLE TEACHING

THEME: UNDERSTANDING THE PERSON
I AM WIRED TO LOVE GOD
THE TOTAL HUMAN SYSTEM: SPIRITUAL PRACTICE:

Purpose:

Our culture keeps telling us our body is not for God, but for looking good, feeling good, or even for feeling ashamed. But it's possible for our body – our little power pack – to be an integral participation in our transformation and discipleship. One reason this is true is that "emotions and feelings inhabit distinct parts of our bodies: face, stomach, genitals, legs, arms, heart, shoulders". This exercise helps each reader to surrender all the parts of his or her body fully to the redeeming power which intends to live in them.

Exercise:

Here are basic steps (with a few amplifications) to help you "... present your body to God as a living sacrifice" (Rom. 12:1). Keep in mind these are general ideas. You may be led to do this differently.

1. Decide – intend – to give your body to God, because you understand that this is a good and indispensable thing to do. Think about how this will benefit you, and about which parts of your body are suffering because they need to be surrendered to God.
2. Take a day – or morning or afternoon – in silent retreat. Quiet your soul and your body and let go of daily burdens and preoccupations. Meditatively pray Scripture that deals with the body, such as Romans 8:1-13 and 1 Corinthians 6:19-20.
3. Lie on the floor, face down or face up, and formally surrender your body to God. You may want to use these phrases.
 - Make my body a showplace for your greatness, O God (1 Cor. 6:20).
 - Make my body a weapon for righteousness, not for wickedness.
 - Let my body become an ally in Christlikeness.
 - I confess my body has been a primary source of gratification and a chief instrument in getting what I want.

E. Lagos Anglican Dioceses Bible College, Lagos.

Admission is on going into LABICO for year 2021 Advanced Diploma and Certificate Courses at **LABICO Headquarters** 17 Broad Street, Lagos. For details call –08033083851.

F. Babington Macaulay Junior Seminary, Ikorodu

The forms for the above school are out at the rate of **₦10,000**. Payment should be made into **Zenith Bank Plc: Babington Macaulay Junior Seminary Account No 1015133015**. Collect your own at the Cathedral Office and submit at the school. **Examination Date:** Saturday, 5th June, 2021. Interview on Saturday 12th June, 2021 at 8.00am.

G. 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 **₦10,000**. 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. **Examination Dates: Saturday, 3rd April, Saturday, 1st May, Saturday 5th June and Saturday, 3rd July, 2021 at 8.00am.**

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

The form for the school is out at the rate of ₦5,000.00. 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.

I. Admission to Igbobi College, Yaba,

The forms for the above schools are out at the rate of **₦10,000**. Payment should be made into **Union Bank Acct N0 0004513499**. Account Name: Igbobi College. Kindly collect the form at the Igbobi College, Admission office, Yaba. **Examination Dates: Saturday, 27th March and Saturday, 3rd July, 2021 at 8.00am.**

11. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

A. Children's Ministry

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

B. Cathedral Youth Chapel Regular Weekly Programmes

- Strictly Feminine - Every 3rd Saturday of the month.
- Just 4 Guys – Every 1st Saturday of the month at 1.00pm
- Youth Fellowship every Saturday by 3.00pm.

Sunday: 7.00am. & 10.00am. Services

Venue: Youth Chapel (2nd Floor, Adetiloye House)

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

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

When we believe in Christ and the sufficiency of His vicarious and victorious sacrifice for atonement of our sin, then we become reborn and therefore spiritually alive with Him and have the righteousness of Christ imputed on us.

The Bible says... And you, being dead in your trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, He has made a live together with Him, having forgiven you all trespasses, having wiped out the handwriting of requirements that was against us, which was contrary to us. And He has taken it out of the way, having nailed it to the cross. Having disarmed principalities and powers, He made a public spectacle of them, triumphing over them in it- Col.2:13-15 (NKJV).

By reason of Jesus' sacrifice, we have the boldness to enter into the Holiest by the blood of Jesus (Heb.10:19). This is because the veil that separated man from God got torn on the strength of Jesus' sacrifice on the Cross. Now, we have unhindered access to God. This is one of the great merits of Jesus' sacrifice.

We cannot conclude this discourse without mentioning that healing and peace flow from Jesus' sacrifice.

But He was wounded for our transgressions,
He was bruised for our iniquities;

The chastisement for our peace was upon Him,
And by His stripes we are healed- Isa.53:5 (NKJV).

The price is paid, and there's no more to pay. All that is required of as many as will key into the merits of Jesus' sacrifice is repentance from sin unto saving faith in Christ Jesus for the salvation He offers through His vicarious and victorious sacrifice.

6. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

March 14 – March 20

7.00 am Holy Communion	738
7.00 am Youth Service	116
7.00 am Sunday School	121
10.00 am Mattins	587
10.00 am Youth Service	126
10.00 am Sunday School	104
6.00 pm Service	10
Tuesday Bible Study	50
Wednesday Holy Communion	155
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	167

7. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

The following Societies will meet immediately in the

-  *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*

- AVMCC Special Marshal Unit 34 meeting today after 7.00a.m. Service at the usual venue.

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 21st March, 2021

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Oliver Akinola, Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Mrs V. Amah-Jerry, Mrs Nkiru Arah.

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. (Mrs) Irene Okwerekwu, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Mrs E. Osibajo, Mrs Chinelo Emenike, Dr. Nike Odusina.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 28th March, 2021

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Mrs Nkiru Arah, Dr. B. Ibadapo-Obe, Mrs Gina Okolo.

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Remi Oladapo-Sanu, Pharm Y. Olorunsola, Mrs E. Osibajo, Dr. Nike Odusina.

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 21st March - Saturday, 27th March, 2021

Nwaorgu Chinedu (**Captain**), Goke Uthman; (**Assistant Captain**), Ogunleye Adeboboye, Adeyemi Muiyiwa, 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 28th March - Saturday, 3rd April, 2021

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

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9. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

PALM SUNDAY

March 28

Theme: Hosanna: The Messiah Has Come

Colour: Red

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye

Epistle: Phil. 2:5-11

Layreader Pauline Oghenekaro

Gospel: Matthew 21:1-13

The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

Address: The Dean

THE YOUTH SERVICE

Venue: The Adetiloye House

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

10.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Ven. Festus Olowosile

Epistle: Phil. 2:5-11

Layreader Abeke Nubi

Gospel: Matthew 21:1-13

The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

Address: The Dean

2.00 pm: ENROLMENT OF MOTHERS UNION

10. NOTICES

A. Visitors and New Comers

We welcome Visitors and New Comers to Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, Ikeja. We pray that the joy of the Lord will be yours today and always. You are requested to please move to the Lady's Chapel after the service where our Evangelical Team is waiting to attend to you.

B. Library:

The Cathedral Library opens daily:

Monday – Friday 9.00am to 6.00pm

Sundays 1.00pm to 3.00pm

We request everyone to make use of this opportunity.

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.

15.

- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Osisanya Family, Osiyemi Family, Osoba Family, Osofisan Family, Osonuga Family, Ossai Family, Osuchukwu Family, Osuagwu Family, Osueke Family, Osuji Family.

5.00pm Confirmation Class at Lady Chapel

Friday, March 26, 2021 Colour: Purple

6.00am Lent Revival

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Epistle: *Rom. 11:13-24 – Lay. Adeola Sanya*

Gospel: *John 11:1-27*

Hymns: *CH 12, CH 266, CH 482*

Preacher: *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Sunday Adewole, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kwara.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Miss Adekemi Adeyemo, Mrs Tolulope Oyedapo, Miss Olayinka Okeowo, Mr Olumide Ajala, Mr Onyebuchi Nwanjoku, Mrs Ebele Nwankwo, Mrs Nneka Obi, Mrs Uchenna Ezuma, Miss Chine Adaora, Mrs Chinwe Okafor, Mr Chiemela Awom, Mr Samuel Ogunkoya, Miss Victoria Amuta.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Osundeko Family, Osunkeye Family, Osunsanya Family, Osuokwu Family, Otegbeye Family, Otenaika Family, Otitoloju Family, Otoighile Family, Otti Family, Otun Family.
- ❖ **For 1st Year remembrance of Late Hon. (Dr) Afolabi Atolagbe & God's numerous blessings on d family he left behind.**

6.30pm Choir Practice

Saturday, March 27, 2021 Colour: Purple

6.00am Lent Revival

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Epistle: *Rom. 11:25-36 - Lay. U. Ejikeme*

Gospel: *John 11:28-44*

Hymns: *CH IX, CH 270, CH 480*

Preacher: *The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Henry Okeke, his family and all members of the Diocese of Mbamili.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Adeniyi Adegbonmire, Mrs Ola Nwoji, Miss Mmesoma Onyedum, Mr Benjamin Okeke, Prince Samuel Mmesoma, Mr Ogugua Nwabueze, Mr Akinwale Asaba, Mr Alex Okeke, Mr Ikenna Okeke, Mr Izuchukwu Orji, Mr Oladayo Ariyo, Mrs Uche Uba, Mr Bejide Babajide, Mrs Foluke Owolabi.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Otusanya Family, Otuu Family, Owhe Family, Owo Family, Owolabi Family, Owosina Family, Owoyemi Family, Oyebanji Family, Oyedapo Family, Oyediran Family.

3.00 pm Youth Fellowship

4.00 pm Boy's Brigade & Girls Brigade

4.00 pm Baptism

QUOTES ON PRAYER

"I would rather teach one man to pray than ten men to preach." - ***Charles Spurgeon***

- "The man who mobilizes the Christian church to pray will make the greatest contribution to world evangelization in history." - ***Andrew Murray***
- "We have to pray with our eyes on God, not on the difficulties." - ***Oswald Chambers***
- "There is no other activity in life so important as that of prayer. Every other activity depends upon prayer for its best efficiency." - ***M.E. Andross***
- "He who runs from God in the morning will scarcely find Him the rest of the day." - ***John Bunyan***
- "Prayer is not learned in a classroom but in the closet." - ***E. M. Bounds***
- "We must begin to believe that God, in the mystery of prayer, has entrusted us with a force that can move the Heavenly world, and can bring it's power down to earth." - ***Andrew Murray***
- "Prayer is not asking. Prayer is putting oneself in the hands of God, at His disposition, and listening to His' voice in the depth of our hearts." - ***Mother Teresa***
- "Relying on God has to begin all over again every day as if nothing had yet been done." - ***C.S. Lewis***
- "The more you pray, the less you'll panic. The more you worship, the less you worry. You'll feel more patient and less pressured." - ***Rick Warren***
- "I have so much to do that I shall spend the first three hours in prayer." - ***Martin Luther***
- "Prayer does not fit us for the greater work; prayer is the greater work." - ***Oswald Chambers***
- "He who kneels the most, stands the best." - ***D.L. Moody***

Feel free to encourage others to pray by sharing this fact. PRAYER IS THE MASTER KEY

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

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

8. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, March 22, 2021 **Colour: Purple**

6.00am **Lenten Revival**

7.00am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Epistle: *Romans 9:19-33 - Lay. Olamide Ola*

Gospel: *John 9:1-17*

Hymns: *CH IV, CH 257, CH 552*

Preacher: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Aloysius Agbo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Nsukka.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Miss Chimdinma Ejikeme, Mrs Taiwo Olowojoba, Mrs Comfort Adetunji, Mr Chiagozie Jidenna, Mrs Elizabeth Okuo, Mrs Janet Osinoiki, Mr Chimzuruke Okpara, Mrs Adenike Victor-Osho.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Osakwe Family, Osazuwa Family, Osegbo Family, Oseni Family, Oshadare Family, Oshati Family, Oshewa Family, Oshifowora Family, Oshikoya Family, Oshin Family.

6.30 pm **Choir Practice**

Tuesday, March 23, 2021 **Colour: Purple**

6.00am **Lenten Revival**

7.00am **Holy Communion**

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

Epistle: *Romans 10:1-13 - Lay. N. Ochokwu*

Gospel: *John 9:18-41*

Hymns: *CH VI, CH 256, CH XVII*

Preacher: *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Andrew Ajayi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ekiti Kwara.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Olugbenga Adebamiwa, Miss Christiana Enendu, Mr Seun John, Mrs Udochukwu Ajomiwe, Mrs Amarachi Agbo, Mr Olusola Badejo, Mrs Evelyn Okeke, Mrs Chinonye Onwuzirike, Mrs Ifeoma Okeke, Mrs Nnedi Okonkwo, Miss Ihuoma Osuokwu, Mrs Udeaku Egbudiwe, Mrs Aderike Awe, Mr Ikenna Okonkwo, Mr Ebenezer Achebe, Miss Chioke Onyeka, Mr Femi Agbaje, Miss Abisola Kilo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Osho Family, Oshofisan Family, Oshokare Family, Oshunbiyi Family, Oshunleti Family, Osibajo Family, Osibamowo Family, Osibanjo Family, Osifeso Family, Osifuwa Family.

5.00pm - 6.00pm **BIBLE STUDY PREVIEW**

6.00 pm **GATHERING OF THE
NOBLES - ACTS 17:10-11**

Wednesday, March 24, 2021 **Colour: Purple**

6.00am **Lent Revival**

7.00am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Epistle: *Rom. 10:14-21 - Lay. Amaka Okpara*

Gospel: *John 10:1-18*

Hymns: *CH VII, CH 260, CH 262, CH XVI*

Preacher: *The Dean*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Johnson Atere, his family and all members of the Diocese of Awori.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Ven. Segun Aiyenomuro, Miss Oyinkan Are, Mr Chibuzor Madu, Miss Chinyere Azunwoke, Mr Egbuna Ifeancha, Mr Martin Oshin, Mrs Nwanneka Chukwuere, Mr Jeddy Ononiwu, Arch Olabode Okundero, Mrs Felicia Nwachukwu, Mr Peter Igie, Mrs Agnes Olaniyan.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Osigwe Family, Osikoya Family, Osilaye Family, Osinaike Family, Osineye Family, Osinigwe Family, Osinoiki Family, Osinubi Family, Osinuga Family, Osisanwo Family.

8.00am **Vining Intercessor's Visitation**

6.00pm **LENTEN SERVICE PROGRAMME
ORDER OF SERVICE**

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

The Epistoller: *Layreader Abeke Nubi*

The Gospeller: *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Intercession: *The Rev. Opeyemi Ibikunle*

Theme: *Shepherds and Hirelings*

1. Processional Hymn: CONH 283
2. The Preparation to Penitence
3. The Epistle: Romans 10:14-21
4. Gradual Hymn CONH 867
5. The Gospel John 10:1-18
6. The Message
7. Nicene Creed,
8. Intercession
9. Peace
10. Offertory Hymn: VSH 239
11. Eucharistic Prayers
12. Administration: CONH 624, 623
13. Ablution Hymn: CH 227 (*Self Denial Envelopes*)
14. Post Communion Prayer
15. Closing Prayer and Benediction
16. Notices
17. Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 285

Thursday, March 25, 2021 **Colour: Purple**

6.00am **Lent Revival**

7.00am **Holy Communion**

The Annunciation of Blessed Virgin Mary

Celebrant: *The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye*

Epistle: *Romans 11:1-12 - Lay. A. Ejikeme*

Gospel: *John 10:19-42*

Hymns: *CH 5, CH 265, CH 539*

Preacher: *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. David Obiosa, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ndokwa.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Josephine Chinwuko, Mr Osas Omoruyi, Mr Peace Ahumaraeze, Mrs Vivian Asor, Mrs Tosin Olowojoba, Mr Olubunmi Idris, Miss Chioma Okponyia.