

## 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**  
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- F. **For Cathedral Missionary Society**  
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- G. **For the Children Ministry**  
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- 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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- N. **For The Home Fellowship**  
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- O. **For Singles' and Couples' Fellowship**  
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- P. **For Intercessory Ministry**  
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- R. **For Board of Directors for Economic Empowerment**  
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*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**  
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- W. **For Booking of the Guest House**  
*Mr. Jide Afolabi - 08037128186; Tobi Balogun - 08033716752*

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(Anglican Communion)



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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, 7<sup>th</sup> March - Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

#### LENT III

**THEME: WHO IS JESUS CHRIST TO YOU?**

**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 – 7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2021**

**A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION**

**Celebrant:** The Dean  
**The Epistle:** Layreader F. Okey-Ogbu  
**The Gospel:** The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi  
**Preacher:** The Dean  
**Intercessor:** The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 270
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – **Ven. Gbenga Oniye**
- ❖ The Epistle Colossians 1:24-29
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CH 225
- ❖ The Gospel: Luke 9:18-27
- ❖ Hymn: VSH 99
- ❖ **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 235, 559, 453, 387
- ❖ The Ablution: CH 211
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ **Thanksgiving:**

- i. AVMCC Founder’s Day Anniversary
- ii. Monthly Thanksgiving
- iii. Those born and / or married in February
- iv. Mr Chibueze Okoli family thanking God for successful wedding, safety from fatal accident & God’s numerous blessings.

- ❖ For Doxology.....(pg 11)
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: With my Saviour ever ... (pg 19)

**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**

**I. 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**

**J. 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**

### APPEAL FOR SPONSORSHIP OF 2021 MOTHERING SUNDAY

We need your support in the provision of any of the underlisted items for distributions to women on Mothering Sunday.

1. Ankara – 1,500 pieces
2. Mug - 1,500 pieces
3. Toothpaste - 1,500 pieces
4. Insulated cup - 1,500 pieces
5. Travelling towels – 1,500 pieces.

God bless you as you donate.

### F. VESTRY ELECTION RESULT

This year's Vestry Meeting and Elections holds on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> February, 2021 after 10.00am Service. These are the result of the election:

- i. Cathedral Warden (1)
- ii. Synod Delegates (4)
- iii. Greater Chapter (8)
- iv. Standing Committee Members (10)

#### Cathedral Warden:

1. Mr ADEKOYA Adetunji (FOUNTAIN OF HOPE)

#### Synod Delegates: Scores

1. Mr AFOLABI Olajide 115
2. Mrs LAWALE Modupe 114
3. Engr. AKINOLA Kehinde 111
4. Mr EGBEDEYI Dayo 84
5. Mr ADESANYA Emmanuel 54

#### Greater Chapter:

1. Mrs OGEDENGBE Olutoyin (ANGLICAN FELLOWSHIP)
2. Mrs OGUNMOYERO Olufunke (BAND OF FAITH)
3. Mr ADEYEMI Olumuyiwa (CHRISTIAN FAMILY)
4. Mrs OKOLI Faith (GOOD SHEPHERD)
5. Mrs OLUFUNWA Ibidun (BUSY BEES)

#### Standing Committee:

1. Mrs EBOH Azuka (DAUGHTERS OF LIGHT)
2. Mrs JEGEDE Abeke (YWCA)
3. Mrs ONABOLU Oluremi (BAND OF GRACE)
4. Mrs OGHENEKARO Pauline (CHRISTIAN FAMILY)
5. Mrs OGUNDIPE Titilayo (BAND OF FAITH)
6. Mr OJUOKO Adeoye (TORCHBEARERS)
7. Mr AZIKE Joe (YMCA)
8. Mr AKINHANMI Ayodeji (ANGLICAN FELLOWSHIP)
9. Chief RANDLE Ayo (CHRISTIAN BROTHERS)

- B. 10.00 am HOLY COMMUNION**  
**Celebrant: The Dean**  
**The Epistle: Layreader Femi Ajibade**  
**The Gospel: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje**  
**Preacher: The Dean**  
**Intercessor: The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi**

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 266
  - ❖ Praise & Worship
  - ❖ Preparation to Penitence – **Ven. Festus Olowosile**
  - ❖ The Epistle Colossians 1:24-29
  - ❖ Gradual Hymn: CH 234
  - ❖ The Gospel: Luke 9:18-27
  - ❖ Hymn: VSH 99
  - ❖ **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 244, 447, 441.
  - ❖ The Ablution: CH 210
  - ❖ Post Communion Prayer
  - ❖ **Thanksgiving:**
    - i. AVMCC Founder's Day Anniversary
    - ii. Monthly Thanksgiving
    - iii. Those born and / or married in February
    - iv. 70<sup>th</sup> birthday thanksgiving of Chief (Mrs) Adeola Iyabosola Oladipo and God's numerous blessings.
    - v. 1<sup>st</sup> year remembrance of Late Princess Beatrice Oyinlola (Mother of Mr & Mrs Adeolu Oyinlola) and God's numerous blessing on the family she left behind.
    - vi. Thanksgiving after the successful burial of Prof. Gabriel Adesiyon Olawoyin and journey mercies.
  - ❖ For Doxology.....(pg 11)
  - ❖ Notices
  - ❖ Diocesan Anthem
  - ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: With my Saviour ever....(pg 19)

### C. EVENTS AHEAD

1. **DLW Layreaders Annual General meeting – Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 at Youth Chapel by 9.00am**
2. **RETREAT for Standing Committee Members – Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 at Vining Hall by 9.00am.**
3. **Swearing-In of Church Officers – Wardens, Standing Committee, Synod Delegates & Greater Chapter etc – Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2021 at 10.00am Service.**
4. **MOTHERING SUNDAY - Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2021.**
5. **Prophetic Sunday, 21<sup>st</sup> March, 2021 at 7.00am & 10.00am Services.**
6. **CONFIRMATION CLASS 2021: takes place at Lady Chapel by 5.00pm every Thursday.**
7. **40 DAYS LENTEN REVIVAL @ 6.00am Daily 17<sup>th</sup> February – 3<sup>rd</sup> April, 2021.**
8. **Enrolment Service: Mothers Union – March.**
9. **PALM SUNDAY - Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2021.**
10. **MAUNDY THURSDAY- Thursday, 1<sup>st</sup> Apr., 2021.**
11. **GOOD FRIDAY – Friday, 2<sup>nd</sup> April, 2021.**

12. **EASTER SUNDAY - Sunday, 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2021.**
13. **EASTER CANTATA - Sunday, 4<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 sponsored by Fountain of Hope Society @ 4.00pm.**
14. **Rogation Sunday – Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> May, 2021**
15. **Pentecost Sunday – Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 2021**
16. **1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 8<sup>th</sup> Synod, DLW – Thursday, 20<sup>th</sup> May – Sunday, 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 2021.**

**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 7, 2021 – Lord’s Labourers
2. Sunday March 14, 2021 - Band of Peace
3. Sunday March 21, 2021 - Band of Grace
4. Sunday March 28, 2021 - Palm Sunday
5. Sunday April 4, 2021 - FOH / Easter Cantata
6. Sunday April 11, 2021 - Christian Family
7. Sunday April 18, 2021 - Lords Vessel
8. Sunday April 25, 201 - Cathedral Youth
9. Sunday May 2, 2021 - Ladies Christian Circle

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

**Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin**

**Epistle: Okpara Izunna/Aliu Tomisin**

**Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin**

**Theme: Who is Jesus Christ to You?**

- ❖ Opening Hymn: CH 447
- ❖ The Preparation to Penitence
- ❖ The Epistle: Colossians 1:24-29
- ❖ The Gospel: Luke 9:18-27
- ❖ Nicene Creed
- ❖ Offertory: Choruses

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

- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration to Ablution: Worship Songs
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ Sermon
- ❖ Intercession
- ❖ New Month Thanksgiving
- ❖ Youth Anthem
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Prayer & Benediction
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 243

# 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 :**

#### 14. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the Month. Venue: 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.

#### 15. EEP NEWS TRACK

##### **International Women's Day 2021**

The Professional Christian Women's Network (PCWN) is specially inviting you to the 2021 International Women's Day

Topic: **WOMEN IN LEADERSHIP-INTENTIONAL LIVING IN TODAY'S WORLD** on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2021. **Registration is Free.** Venue is zoom

To register: <https://forms.gle/rr63zwCtaBv8qV8m8>

You may also call Kola – 07030298571, 08186134769 or Funmi- 08023234012

##### **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. 2<sup>nd</sup> floor Adetiloye House.

#### 16. 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, 5<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 at his residence in Umuijem Avu, Imo State.

**Funeral Service:** On Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 at Emmanuel Anglican 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, 7<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 at Vining Hall by 4.00pm.

**Funeral Service:** On Thursday, 8<sup>th</sup> 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: 84 years. Burial arrangements are as follows:

**Wake-Keep Service:** On Thursday, 8<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 at Vining Hall by 5.00pm.

**Funeral Service:** On Friday, 9<sup>th</sup> April, 2021 at AVMCC by 9.00am.

##### B. VACANCIES:

- i. **FACILITY OFFICER:** Facility officer required in the Cathedral. **Minimum Qualification:** OND Building Technology. Applications should be forward to "The Chapter Clerk, AVMCC, Ikeja.
- ii. **DRIVER:** 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.

#### G. 6.00 pm. EUCHARIST WITH ANOINTING

**Celebrant:** *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

**Preacher:** *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

**Sponsor:** *Lord's Labourers*

**Organist:** *Mr Sina Oyeneye*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CH 266
- ❖ Preparation to Collect
- ❖ Psalm 115:1-7
- ❖ The Epistle: Col. 1:24-29 – **Lord's Labourers**
- ❖ The Gospel: Luke 9:18-27
- ❖ Sermon
- ❖ Nicene Creed, Intercession to Peace
- ❖ Offerings CH 453

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

- ❖ Eucharistic Prayer
- ❖ Communion: CH 447
- ❖ Ablution Hymn: Anima Christi
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ Prayer & Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 54

#### 2. SENTENCES FOR LENT III

##### Introductory Sentence

Therefore be imitators of God as beloved children.

**Ephesians 5:1.**

##### Collect:

Almighty God, Whose most dear Son went not up to joy, but first He suffered pain, and entered not into glory before He was crucified: mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the Cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

##### Collect For The Season

Almighty and Merciful God, You hate nothing that You have made; and You 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, Who died for us, rose from the dead, and now lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God forever and ever. **Amen.**

##### Post Communion Sentence

The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit a broken and contrite heart, O God, You will not despise. **Psalm 51:17.**

##### TOWARDS THE NEW CATHEDRAL

##### THE COLLECT:

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

**3. LET THERE BE PEACE (ADAPTED)**

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

**4. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY,  
7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2021**

**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, that all the sheep committed to their charge shall be rapturable none missing, none left behind by God’s grace and mercy.
- ii. For the Rt. Revd Christian Ide, his family and all members of the Diocese of Warri.

**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 the security of lives and properties of the people of God all over the world.
- iii. Pray against the activities of Boko Haram in the North-East of Nigeria.
- iv. Pray for the release of Christian in Boko Haram captivity.

**C. Prayer for AVMCC**

- i. Pray for help concerning the refurbishment of the new Cathedral.
- ii. Pray for the healing of those who are held hostage by one illness or the other.
- iii. Pray for all the units and committees in AVMCC for strength and more courage.

**D. Prayers for individual Families within the  
AVMCC Household**

Olumide Family, Olumoroti Family, Olumuyiwa Family, Olundegun Family, Olupitan Family, Olusa Family, Olusanya Family, Olusegun-Adeyanju Family, Oluseye Family, Olusina Family.

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

- i. For Mr Abayomi Kalejaiye, Mr Samuel Lebi, Mr Babatunde Oluwasola, Mrs Adenike Adeniyi, Mr Olaniyi Olaleye, Mr Benjamin Ikebeotu, Miss Tamilore Osunleti, Mrs Adebisi Babatunde, Barr. Gbenga Olusola, Mrs Chinonso Onwuzurike, Mrs Kofoworola Odeyemi, Mrs Uzoamaka Okafor, Mr Ikenna Onyemaobi, Mrs Ijeoma Nwosu-Igbo, Mr Mike Echedom and others who are celebrating their birthdays today.
- ii. For those having their Wedding Anniversaries or any other positive Anniversaries today.

**D. RAISING N5 BILLION CATHEDRAL DEVELOPMENT FUND**

With the estimated 2,000 worshippers regularly seeking 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 100 million each	= 5 billion
200	people giving 50 million each	= 5 billion
250	people giving 25 million each	= 5 billion
334	people giving 15 million each	= 5 billion
500	people giving 10 million each	= 5 billion
1000	people giving 5 million each	= 5 billion
2000	people giving 2.5 million each	= 5 billion
2500	people giving 2 million each	= 5 billion
5000	people giving 1 million each	= 5 billion
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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.**

**WITHDRAWAL HYMN FOR 7.00AM & 10.00AM**

**HYMN SSS 530 – WITH MY SAVIOUR**

- 1. With my Saviour ever near to guide me,  
I am save whatever may betide me,  
From the storms and tempest He will hide me  
In the hollow of His hands.  
*In the hollow..... of His hands*  
*In the hollow..... of His hands*  
*I am safe whatever may be tide me*  
*In the hollow of His hands*
- 2. In His hands of love He doth enfold me;  
Words of peace His voice Divine hath told me;  
I am safe for God Himself doth told me,  
In the hollow of His hands
- 3. He will guard my soul and leave me never,  
From His love no power on earth shall sever;  
And I know He’ll keep me now and ever  
In the hollow of His hands.

## 11. 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	-	<b>N160,000.00</b>
Proper Lighting	-	<b>N150,000.00</b>
20Kva UPS (3phase)	-	<b>N3,700,000.00 for Adetiloye lift</b>

**KINDLY TIE YOUR DONATIONS TO THE NEW CATHEDRAL BUILDING**

## 12. 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)

## 13. 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:

0806-2766051, 0802-3149601, 0803-3003906.

**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, 7<sup>TH</sup> MARCH, 2021**

**THEME: WHO IS JESUS CHRIST TO YOU?**

**READING: PSALM 115:1-7, GENESIS 7:17-24, COLOSSIANS 1:24-29; LUKE 9:18-27.**

Have you ever sat down to ask yourself this question as a Christian? Who is Jesus to me? The truth is, you cannot rise above your knowledge in life. The amount of knowledge you have about God determines how much you will enjoy Him.

Christ did not ask this question for information. He did not ask it because He desired the applause of men. He did not ask it because He intended to form His course according to the reply. Jesus asked the question in order to ground His disciples in the deepest faith. The answer to His question suggests that people have different opinions concerning Christ, but our own knowledge and opinion about Him determine how solid our faith is.

It is important that we should have the true estimate of Christ; like that of Peter -- "The Christ of God." There is a great difference between believing Him to be the Son of God, and believing Him to be Jesus of Nazareth only. You can never trust Him for your spiritual safety if you believe in Him merely as a man. If you believe in Him only as a man, He can never satisfy the yearnings of your spirit. Who is He then? He is not only the greatest of men, but the Son of the Living God, the Saviour of the world.

Let's look at what the scriptures say of Him.

- **ADVOCATE:** (1 John 2:1) My little children, these things write I unto you, that ye sin not. And if any man sin, we have an advocate with the Father, Jesus Christ the righteous:
- **AUTHOR AND FINISHER OF OUR FAITH:** (Hebrews 12:2) Looking unto Jesus the author and finisher of our faith; who for the joy that was set before him endured the cross, despising the shame, and is set down at the right hand of the throne of God.
- **BREAD OF LIFE:** (John 6:32) Then Jesus said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Moses gave you not that bread from heaven; but my Father giveth you the true bread from heaven.
- **CAPTAIN OF SALVATION:** (Hebrews 2:10) For it became him, for whom are all things, and by whom are all things, in bringing many sons unto glory, to make the captain of their salvation perfect through sufferings.

- **CHIEF SHEPHERD:** (1 Peter 5:4) And when the chief Shepherd shall appear, ye shall receive a crown of glory that fadeth not away.
- **CORNERSTONE:** (Psalm 118:22) The stone which the builders refused is become the head stone of the corner.
- **COUNSELLOR:** (Isaiah 9:6) For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.
- **DELIVERER:** (Romans 11:26) And so all Israel shall be saved: as it is written, There shall come out of Zion the Deliverer, and shall turn away ungodliness from Jacob.
- **DESIRE OF THE NATIONS:** (Haggai 2:7) And I will shake all nations, and the desire of all nations shall come: and I will fill this house with glory, saith the LORD of hosts.
- **EVERLASTING FATHER:** (Isaiah 9:6) For unto us a child is born, unto us a son is given: and the government shall be upon his shoulder: and his name shall be called Wonderful, Counsellor, The mighty God, The everlasting Father, The Prince of Peace.
- **GOOD SHEPHERD:** (John 10:11) I am the good shepherd: the good shepherd giveth his life for the sheep.
- **GREAT HIGH PRIEST:** (Hebrews 4:14) Seeing then that we have a great high priest, that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us hold fast our profession.
- **HEAD OF THE CHURCH:** (Ephesians 1:22) And hath put all things under his feet, and gave him to be the head over all things to the church,
- **HOLY ONE OF GOD:** (Mark 1:24) Saying, Let us alone; what have we to do with thee, thou Jesus of Nazareth? art thou come to destroy us? I know Thee who thou art, the Holy One of God.
- **HOLY ONE OF ISRAEL:** (Isaiah 41:14) Fear not, thou worm Jacob, and ye men of Israel; I will help thee, saith the LORD, and thy redeemer, the Holy One of Israel.
- **I AM:** (John 8:58) Jesus said unto them, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Before Abraham was, I am.
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- **IMMANUEL:** (Isaiah 7:14) Therefore the Lord himself shall give you a sign; Behold, a virgin shall conceive, and bear a son, and shall call his name Immanuel.
- **JESUS:** (Matthew 1:21) And she shall bring forth a son, and thou shalt call his name JESUS: for he shall save his people from their sins.
- **KING OF KINGS:** (1 Timothy 6:15) Which in his times he shall show, who is the blessed and only Potentate, the King of kings, and Lord of lords;
- **LAMB OF GOD:** (John 1:29) The next day John seeth Jesus coming unto him, and saith, Behold the Lamb of God, which taketh away the sin of the world.

### **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) 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.**



### **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, 5<sup>th</sup> June, 2021. Interview on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> 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, 3<sup>rd</sup> April, Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> May, Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> June and Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> 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, 27<sup>th</sup> March and Saturday, 3<sup>rd</sup> July, 2021 at 8.00am.**

## **10. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS**

### **A. Children's Ministry**

Parents are requested to send their children to the Sunday School with Bibles, Note Books & Birs. 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 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month.
- Just 4 Guys – Every 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month at 1.00p.m
- 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**

- **LIGHT OF THE WORLD:** (John 8:12) Then spake Jesus again unto them, saying, I am the light of the world: he that followeth me shall not walk in darkness, but shall have the light of life.
- **LION OF THE TRIBE OF JUDAH:** (Revelation 5:5) And one of the elders saith unto me, Weep not: behold, the Lion of the tribe of Juda, the Root of David, hath prevailed to open the book, and to loose the seven seals thereof.
- **LORD OF LORDS:** (1 Timothy 6:15) Which in his times he shall show, who is the blessed and only Potentate, the King of kings, and Lord of lords;
- **LORD OF OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS:** (Jeremiah 23:6) In his days Judah shall be saved, and Israel shall dwell safely: and this is his name whereby he shall be called, **THE LORD OUR RIGHTEOUSNESS.**
- **MESSIAH:** (Daniel 9:25) Know therefore and understand, that from the going forth of the commandment to restore and to build Jerusalem unto the Messiah the Prince shall be seven weeks, and threescore and two weeks: the street shall be built again, and the wall, even in troublous times.
- **MORNING STAR:** (Revelation 22:16) I Jesus have sent mine angel to testify unto you these things in the churches. I am the root and the offspring of David, and the bright and morning star.
- **ONLY BEGOTTEN SON:** (John 1:18) No man hath seen God at any time; the only begotten Son, which is in the bosom of the Father, he hath declared him.
- **SAVIOR:** (Luke 2:11) For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord.
- **SON OF DAVID:** (Matthew 1:1) The book of the generation of Jesus Christ, the son of David, the son of Abraham.
- **SON OF GOD:** (Matthew 2:15) And was there until the death of Herod: that it might be fulfilled which was spoken of the Lord by the prophet, saying, Out of Egypt have I called my son.
- **TRUE VINE:** (John 15:1) I am the true vine, and my Father is the husbandman.
- **WORD:** (John 1:1) In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

Beloved,

1. Jesus is the expected Christ- He saves Acts 4:12.
2. Jesus is the solution giver. John 10:10; Luke 8:43-48
3. Jesus has been anointed to solve every problem and fix every life that trust in him. He never fails.
4. In this journey of life, you need Jesus. Strife to know Him more.









## 6. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

February 28 – March 6

7.00 am Holy Communion	765
7.00 am Youth Service	123
7.00 am Sunday School	-
10.00 am Mattins	476
10.00 am Youth Service	109
10.00 am Sunday School	-
6.00 pm Service	-
Tuesday Bible Study	56
Wednesday Holy Communion	176
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	256

## 7. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

The following Societies will meet immediately in the

-  Ascension Fellowship
-  Christian Brothers Society
-  Ambassadors of Christ Executive
-  Y.W.C.A. Executive
-  Agape Christian Sisters
-  Sons & Daughters of Egbaland
-  Band of Light Executive
-  Lords Labourers Fellowship

### i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

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

**10.00am-2.00pm:** Dr. (Mrs) Irene Okwerekwu, Dr. Femi Olaleye, Pharm Dele Ajala, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Dr. Tope Omikunle, Mrs Chinelo Emenike.

### ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

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

**10.00am-2.00pm:** Dr. (Mrs) Irene Okwerekwu, Pharm Dele Ajala, Mrs Ikeme Violet, Mrs Chinelo Emenike.

## B. Security & Traffic Control

### i. Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> March - Saturday, 13<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

Segun Openiyi (**Captain**), Nwaorgu Chinedu (**Assistant Captain**), Odanye Moji (Mrs.), Ayo Tetede, Ogunleye Adeboboye, Mbaekwe Augustine, Dare Sigbeku, Jones Basse, George A. Adeyemi, Juliet Chimezie, Omotola Onakoya, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Bolaji Dania. Rita Osibodu, Olusegun Esan, Michael Enujioko.

### ii. Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> March., - Saturday, 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2021

Olupitan E. Bola (**Captain**), Oyebanji Toba (**Assistant Captain**), Bukade Olaniyi, Segun Adeniji, Helen Arhagba, Chioma Obi, Caroline Omowhara, Juliet Chimezie, Funso Fagbuyiro, Kene Obimma, Chukwuemeka Osaka, Funmi Ladele, Ekwegh Lilian, Michael Enujioko, Olusegun Esan, Enujioko Michael.

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## 8. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

LENT IV

March 14

**Theme:** Transform to His Image?

**Colour:** Purple

**7.00 am:** HOLY COMMUNION

MOTHERING SUNDAY

**Celebrant:** The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

**Epistle:** II Corinthians 3:4-18

Christian Mothers

**Gospel:** Matthew 17:1-13

The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

**Address:** Mrs Lydia Odedeji

Mama Lagos West

THE YOUTH SERVICE

**Venue:** The Adetiloye House

**Cantor:** The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

**Preacher:** The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

**10.00 am: MATTINS**

LADIES PROGRESSIVE ANNIVERSARY,  
MOTHERING SUNDAY & SWEARING-IN OF  
STANDING COMMITTEE MEMBERS

**Cantor:** The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye

**O.T. Reading:** Exodus 34:29-35

Ladies Progressive League

**N.T. Reading:** Matthew 17:1-13

Christian Mothers

**Address:** Mrs Gloria Okeke

**6.00 pm: EVEN SONG**

**Cantor:** The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

**Psalm:** 23

**Lesson:** I Kings 19:1-18

**Preacher:** The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

## 9. 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.

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- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Oloniniyi Family, Olopade Family, Olorunfemi Family, Olorunfemi-Ojo Family, Olorunhundo Family, Olorunsola Family, Oloruntoba Family, Olowojoba Family, Olowokande Family, Olowole Family.

**9.00am Funeral Service  
for Late Princess Adunola Onafowokan**

**5.00pm Confirmation Class at Lady Chapel**

**Friday, March 12, 2021 Colour: Purple**

**6.00am Lent Revival**

**7.00am Holy Communion**

**Celebrant:** *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

**Epistle:** *Rom. 6:1-11 – Lay. Gloria Okeke*

**Gospel:** *John 8:33-47*

**Hymns:** *CH 10, CH 516, CH 539*

**Preacher:** *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

**Prayer Points:**

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Jacob O.B. Bada, his family and all members of the Diocese of Akoko.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Israel Anemeje, Miss Nneoma Madubuike, Miss Uloma Nwokedinobi, Mrs Ehimare Ogbewele, Mr Moses Ohiomokhare, Engr. Oladayo Egbedeyi, Mr Chibundo Madueke, Mrs Ibronke Bamigbola, Mrs Jacinta Olusoga, Dr. Ekundayo Omogbehin, Dr. Ayoyinka Shyllon, Mrs Adebola Afun, Mrs Adeola Yvonne, Mr Aaron Idhalama.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Omoregie Family, Omoruyi Family, Omotoso Family, Omotunde Family, Omotuyi Family, Omowhara Family, Omo-Williams Family, Omowunmi Family, Onabanjo Family, Onabolu Family.

**6.30pm Choir Practice**

**Saturday, March 13, 2021 Colour: Purple**

**6.00am Lent Revival**

**7.00am Holy Communion**

**Celebrant:** *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

**Epistle:** *Rom. 6:12-23 - Lay. O. Obisesan*

**Gospel:** *John 8:47-59*

**Hymns:** *CH 9, CH 236, CH 577*

**Preacher:** *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

**Prayer Points:**

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Jwan Zhumbes, his family and all members of the Diocese of Bukuru.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Engr. Adekola Adedeji, Mr Nonso Agudosi, Mrs Olubunmi Adegbokun, Mrs Olivia Akinkola, Mr Oladipo Sodipo, Dr. (Miss) Olufolakemi Cole, Mrs Ivy Ikokwu, Miss Peace Obla, Mr Chris Obuekwe, Mrs Rebecca Ogbolu, Pharm. Dennis Okolo, Miss Blessing Osuchukwu, Mr Bolaji Oluwole, Mr Adegoke Ahade, Mr Benjamin Jaiyeola, Mrs Adunni Akinrosotu, Mr Lawrence Ezealigo, Mazi Sunday Oji, Master Ibukunoluwa Okunnuga.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Onadeko Family, Onakoya Family, Onasanya Family, Onatemowo Family, Onayemi Family, Onebunne Family, Onekanma Family, Oni Family, Onile-Ere Family, Onioye.

**9.00 am: DLW Layreaders Annual General Meeting**

**9.00 am RETREAT: All Standing Committee Members**

**11.00 am 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Engr. Adekola Adedeji**

**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.

## 11. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

**Monday, March 8, 2021** Colour: Purple

**6.00am** Lenten Revival

**7.00am** Holy Communion

**Celebrant:** *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

**Epistle:** *Romans 4:1-12 - Lay. T. Gidado*

**Gospel:** *John 7:14-36*

**Hymns:** *CH 604, CH 261, CH 509*

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

**Prayer Points:**

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Abiodun Ogunyemi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Zaria.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Chief (Mrs) Dianne Aderiye, Mrs Viola Amuta, Mr Louis Ekwunife, Mrs Florence Osofisan, Mr Enefiok Isong, Mr Alex Ezeocha, Mr George Nwoke, Mr Olufemi Ogunboye, Chief Olusegun Sanya, Miss Olufunke Tugbobo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Olusodo Family, Olusoga Family, Olusola Family, Olutayo Family, Oluwakoya Family, Oluwase Family, Oluwatosin Family, Oluwatusin Family, Oluwatuyi Family, Oluwole Family.

**6.30 pm** Choir Practice

**Tuesday, March 9, 2021** Colour: Purple

**6.00am** Lenten Revival

**7.00am** Holy Communion

**Celebrant:** *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

**Epistle:** *Romans 4:13-25 - Lay. E. Randle*

**Gospel:** *John 7:37-52*

**Hymns:** *CH 245, CH 235, CH 510*

**Preacher:** *The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye*

**Prayer Points:**

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Timothy Yahaya, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kaduna.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Funsho Adegboye, Mrs Abiola Aderibigbe, Mrs Abimbola Soyinka, Dr. Folorunso Afelumo, Mrs Ngo Deal, Mr Adetokunbo Olofin, Miss Chineye Onukwube, Prof. Babajide Elemo, Mr Oluwaseun Yusuff, Mrs Gloria Afamefuna, Mr Ifeatu Onwuasonya.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Omaghi Family, Omajuma Family, Omajunwa Family, Omame Family, Omeile Family, Omene Family, Omianwele Family, Omisore Family, Omiunu Family, Omisore Family.

**11.00am** 60<sup>th</sup> birthday of Mrs Abiola Aderibigbe

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

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

**Wednesday, March 10, 2021** Colour: Purple

**6.00am** Lent Revival

**7.00am** Holy Communion

**Celebrant:** *The Ven. Festus Olowosile*

**Epistle:** *Rom.5:1-11 - Lay. Olamide Ola*

**Gospel:** *John 8:12-20*

**Hymns:** *CH 228, CH 541, CH 266, CH 514*

**Preacher:** *The Dean*

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**Prayer Points:**

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Kenneth Ifemene, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ikwo.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Samuel Ihuonye, Mrs Diana Oguine, Mrs Stella Ogunrinde, Mr Eyitayo Koiku, Justice George Oguntade, Mr Okechukwu Anekwe.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Omiunu Family, Omogbehin Family, Omoigberale Family, Omokhodion Family, Omokwale Family, Omole Family, Omoniyi Family, Omooba Family, Omopariola Family, Omoragbon Family.

**8.00am** Vining Intercessor's Visitation

**4.00pm** Wake Keep Service  
for Late Princess Adunola Onafowokan

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

**Celebrant:** *The Ven. Festus Olowosile*

**The Epistoller:** *Layreader Gloria Okeke*

**The Gospeller:** *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

**Preacher:** *The Dean*

**Intercession:** *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

**Theme:** *The Righteous for the sinner*

1. Processional Hymn: CH 235
2. The Preparation to Penitence – Rev. K. Fasogbon
3. The Epistle: Romans 5:1-11
4. Gradual Hymn CH 306
5. The Gospel John 8:12-20
6. The Message
7. Nicene Creed,
8. Intercession
9. Peace
10. Offertory Hymn: VSH 25
11. Eucharistic Prayers
12. Administration: VSH 59, 63
13. Ablution Hymn: CH 303 (*Self Denial Envelopes*)
14. Post Communion Prayer
15. Closing Prayer and Benediction
16. Notices
17. Withdrawal Hymn: CH 57

**Thursday, March 11, 2021** Colour: Purple

**6.00am** Lent Revival

**7.00am** Holy Communion

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

**Epistle:** *Romans 5:12-21 - Lay. Edwin Eze*

**Gospel:** *John 8:21-23*

**Hymns:** *CH 5, CH 216, CH 511*

**Preacher:** *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

**Prayer Points:**

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Jonah Ibrahim, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kontagora.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Adaeze Anaduaka, Mrs Glory Anyanwu, Mr Gabriel Iwuoha, Mr Uchenna Emeruwa, Mrs Lilian Elue, Mr Olakunle Jegede, Mr Titus Okelana, Mrs Uzoamaka Udunze, Mrs Chinyere Kanu, Mrs Omotunde Adesanya, Mrs Judith Ohiomokhare, Miss Ayodele Osundeko, Miss Chidera Echedom.

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