

VSH 68 - The Old Rugged Cross

1. On a hill far away stood an Old Rugged Cross
The emblem of suffering and shame
And I love that old cross where the dearest and best
For a world of lost sinners was slain

**Chorus: *So I'll cherish the Old Rugged Cross
Till my trophies at last I lay down
I will cling to the Old Rugged Cross
And exchange it someday for a crown***

2. Oh! That Old Rugged Cross so despised by the world
Has a wondrous attraction for me
For the dear Lamb of God left His glory above
To bear it to dark Calvary

Chorus: *So I'll cherish the Old Rugged Cross*

3. In the Old Rugged Cross, stained with blood so divine
A wondrous beauty I see
For it was on that old Cross Jesus suffered and died
To pardon and sanctify me

Chorus: *So I'll cherish the Old Rugged Cross*

4. To the Old Rugged Cross I will ever be true
Its shame and reproach gladly bear
Then He'll call me some day to my home far away
Where His glory for ever I'll share

Chorus: *So I'll cherish the Old Rugged Cross*

HYMN CONH 428

1. My faith has found a resting place—
Not in device or creed:
I trust the Ever-Living One—
His wounds for me shall plead.

**Ref: *I need no other argument,
I need no other plea;
It is enough that Jesus died,
And that He died for me.***

2. Enough for me that Jesus saves—
This ends my fear and doubt;
A sinful soul I come to Him—
He'll never cast me out.
3. My heart is leaning on the Word—
The written Word of God:
Salvation by my Savior's name—
Salvation through His blood.
4. My great Physician heals the sick—
The lost He came to save;
For me His precious blood He shed—
For me His life He gave.



DIocese OF LAGOS WEST (Anglican Communion)

**ARCHBISHOP VINING MEMORIAL CHURCH
CATHEDRAL, G.R.A. - IKEJA**

**Good Friday Service
2ND April, 2021**



12.00noon

**THEME:
WE ARE MORE THAN CONQUERORS.
ROMANS 8:37**

**SUB-THEME:
JESUS PAID THE RANSOM**

**THE RT. REV. DR. JAMES O. ODEDEJI
*The Bishop, Diocese of Lagos West***

ORDER OF SERVICE

CANTOR: THE DEAN

1. Procession in Silence
2. Collect for the Day
3. Penitential Hymn: CONH 427 (pg 3) (All Kneeling)
4. Introductory Address (The Dean)
- A.
 - i. Hymn: CONH 310 (part 1)
 - ii. First Word: Luke 23:33-34
 - iii. Address : **Father forgive them for they know not what they do**
The Dean
 - iv. Prayer
- B.
 - i. Hymn CONH 433
 - ii. Second Word: Luke 23:39-43
 - iii. Address : **Verily I say unto thee, today shalt thou be with me in paradise**
The Ven. G. Oniye
 - iv. Prayer
- C.
 - i. Hymn Holy Jesus by the passion (pg 3)
 - ii. Third Word: John 19:26-27 } -
 - iii. Address : **Woman behold Thy Son!
Son behold Thy mother!**
Mrs Gloria Okeke
 - iv. Prayer
- D.
 - i. Hymn: CONH 276
 - ii. Fourth Word: Matthew 27:46 } -
 - iii. Address : **“My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?”**
Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje
 - iv. Prayer
 - v. CONH 325 (Good Friday Offerings)
- E.
 - i. Hymn: CONH 623
 - ii. Fifth Word: John 19:28 } -
 - iii. Address : **“I Thirst”**
Barr. F. Okey Ogbu
 - iv. Prayer
- F.
 - i. Hymn: CONH 810
 - ii. Sixth Word: John 19:30 } -
 - iii. Address : **“It is finished”**
Ven. Festus Olowosile
 - iv. Prayer
- G.
 - i. Hymn: VSH 68 - Old Rugged cross (pg 4)
 - ii. Seventh Word: Luke 23:46 -
 - iii. Address : **“Father, unto Thy hands I commend my Spirit”**
The Dean
 - iv. Prayer
5. Hymn - CONH 428 (pg 4) (collection of Self Denial Envelopes)
6. Concluding Prayers and Benediction
7. Recessional: Organ Recital

2.

PENITENTIAL HYMN - CONH 427

1. Jesus keep me near the cross
There a precious fountain
Free to all, a healing stream
Flow from Calvary's mountain.
**Ref: In the cross, in the cross
Be my glory ever;
till my raptured soul shall find
Rest beyond the river.**
2. Near the cross a trembling soul
Love and mercy found me
There the Bright and Morning Star
Shed its beams around me.
3. Near the cross! O Lamb of God
Bring its scenes before me
Help me walk from day to day
With its shadows o'er me.
4. Near the cross I'll watch and wait
Hoping, trusting ever;
Till I reach the golden strand;
Just beyond the river. Amen.

HYMN: HOLY JESUS BY THE PASSION

1. Holy Jesus, By Thy Passion,
By The Woes Which None Can Share,
Borne In More Than Kingly Fashion,
By Thy Love Beyond Compare:
Crucified, I Turn To Thee,
Son Of Mary, Plead For Me.
2. By The Treachery And Trial,
By The Blows And Sore Distress,
By Desertion And Denial,
By Thine Awful Loneliness:
Crucified, I Turn To Thee,
Son Of Mary, Plead For Me.
3. By Thy Look So Sweet And Lowly,
While They Smote Thee On The Face,
By Thy Patience, Calm And Holy,
In The Midst Of Keen Disgrace:
Crucified, I Turn To Thee,
Son Of Mary, Plead For Me.
4. By The Hour Of Condemnation,
By The Blood Which Trickled Down,
When, For Us And Our Salvation,
Thou Didst Wear The Robe And Crown:
Crucified, I Turn To Thee,
Son Of Mary, Plead For Me.
5. By The Path Of Sorrows Dreary,
By The Cross, Thy Dreadful Load,
By The Pain, When, Faint And Weary,
Thou Didst Sink, Upon The Road:
Crucified, I Turn To Thee,
Son Of Mary, Plead For Me.

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B. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. Prayer for Daughters of Light Society as they celebrate their anniversaries today that God will continue to be with them and all members of their family.
- ii. Prayer for Evangelical Ministry of the Cathedral that they will be more committed to God as they serve Him always.
- iii. Prayer for Fountain of Hope of the Cathedral that they will be a source of support to the younger generations and all families in the Church.
- iv. Prayer for Good Shepherd Society of the Cathedral that they will surely radiate the true light of God.

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

- i. For Mrs Ndidi Nwafor, Mr Adewale Adejumo, Mr Kyeshak Ardel, Mr Ejike Obiabaka, Mrs Nneka Azubuike, Mrs Nuel Izuagba and others who are celebrating their birthdays today.
- ii. For those having their Wedding Anniversaries or any other positive Anniversaries today.

D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

- i. Agboola Family, Agbugba Family, Aghanya Family, Agida Family, Agiddi Family, Aginam Family, Agoha Family, Agomuo Family, Agomuoh Family, Agu Family.

E. Prayer for the following people: Pa Laban Namme, Engr. & Mrs. Odedairo, Mrs. Beatrice Akinola, Engr. Chief S.F. Onabanjo, Prof. & Mrs. Segun, Mrs. Adun Rowaiye, Mr. Oyekanmi, Mrs. David-West, Mrs A. Simikaiye, Chief (Mrs) I.A. Norma-Williams, Mrs M.I. Ilori, Mrs Idowu Bajomo, Chief (Mrs) S.A. Ohiomah, Pa Muyiwa Adebekun.

F. Prayer for Nigeria & the World

- i. Pray for IMF to formulate better policies that will help the economy of developing world.
- ii. Pray that we have sufficient rainfall and plentiful harvest.
- iii. Pray that our Youth be mighty battle axes in the hand of the Lord.
- iv. Pray for the Church of God Worldwide to be fruitful.
- v. Pray for the Children in the war-torn Nations of the world.

5. THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY – 3RD JULY, 2016

TODAY'S TOPIC: LOVE AND OBEDIENCE: PROOF OF CHRISTIAN COMMITMENT

BIBLE READING: HOSEA 11:1-9; PSALM 119:33-48; 1 JOHN 2:8-17; MARK 12:28-34.

Praise be to God the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ for the grace and privilege to be in His presence healthy and strong to worship Him today. Congratulations to the members of the Daughters of Light Society as they celebrate their society anniversary today. May the goodness of God in their lives and families never run dry in Jesus' name. As we all worship the Lord today we trust that He will abundantly rain His blessings upon us, He will meet us at the point of our needs, we will not leave His presence empty handed in Jesus' name. Amen.

The theme for meditation this week is **Love and obedience: Proof of Christian Commitment**

Text: Psalm 119: 33-48; Hosea 11: 1-9; 1 John 2: 8-17.

Introduction: Jesus gave us the prescription for demonstrating our love for God when He told us, **“If you love me, you will keep my commandments” (John 14:15)**. Love for God is directly linked with obedience to Him

1. The greatest gift anyone can give is love. The Bible says that of all the spiritual attributes a Christian can possess—faith, hope and love—the greatest is love (see **1 Corinthians 13**).

2. And giving love is a fail-proof way to live. Love never fails, the Bible says. It also says that God is love, its origin and ultimate manifestation. Because He loves us, we love Him and give allegiance to Him. That's what makes a person a Christian.

3. After wandering in the desert for forty years the Jewish people understood the results of disobedience. There was a new generation ready to enter the promised land. When we read Deuteronomy, we find a book of the Bible that uses the word obey more than any other. It speaks clearly about obedience and the blessing obedience will certainly bring.

4. Moses first laid it out for the people. In Deuteronomy 11:1 he said, “Therefore, you shall love the Lord your God, and keep His charge, His statutes, His judgements, and His commandments always.”

5. When we love God, we will seek to obey Him. Why is this important?

6. Moses summed it up nicely in **Deuteronomy 11:26–28**: “Behold, I set before you today a blessing and a curse: the blessing, if you obey the commandments of the Lord your God which I command you today; and the curse, if you do not obey the commandments of the Lord your God, but turn aside from the way which I command you today, to go after other gods which you have not known.”

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B. Cathedral Youth Chapel

Regular Weekly Programmes

YEAR THEME: **“THE GRACE EXPERIENCE”**

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

Sunday: 7.00am. & 10.00am. Services

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

Strictly Feminine - Coordinator – Sister Chiemeka Anadu – 08094816786.

Just 4 Guys Co-ordinator – Bro. Ernest Elue – 08060866421.

C. Elderly Ministry

All Senior Citizens are welcome every Tuesday from 11.00 am to 3.00 pm for all or any of the following:

- i. Medical Check-up in the Clinic; Spiritual Talks; Games / Exercises and Handicrafts in the Vining Hall. Please attend punctually. Thank you.
- ii. Please send names of sick and shut-in Elders to the Coordinator Elderly Ministry or the Cathedral office for visitation.
- iii. **2016 Bible Quiz Book – JONAH & the 39 Articles of Faith**

D. Evangelical Ministry

i. Monthly Meeting

2nd & 3rd Monday of the Month at 1st Floor, Vining House by 6.00p.m.

ii. Home Fellowships:

Since when have you attended the Home Fellowship nearest to you? If you are not attending, you are not building up yourself spiritually and you are not building up the Body of Christ. 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 pasted on the Notice Board in front of the Church or contact: **08033100270**, or the Church Office.

iii. Visitation:

The work is on for the Church to visit you at home. It is not that you are sick or involved in any mishap but being a member, some representatives of the Church will visit and fellowship with you. It costs you nothing. We only want you to know that we love you. Please allow them in when they come. You will be able to identify them. Volunteers can be young people who want to be Elderly Friendly, or adults who want to share love with people as Jesus commands us. We shall appreciate Volunteers who believe God is calling them to these duties. Do you know any Parishioner who needs to be visited by the Church? Please send the name and address to the Evangelical Ministry for a follow-up. Especially during this period, we need to spread love through Visitations.

E. Counseling 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. Please let the Cathedral know your needs and be assured that there are people that will assist. If you wish to talk to somebody for Counselling, please call: **08037605902, available on 24 hour basis.**

F. Prisons & Hospital Ministry

“I was sick and you visited Me, I was in Prison and you came to Me” (Matt. 25:36). Join us, you are invited. Our activities include:-(a) Hospital Visitation every 3rd and last Sundays of the month. (b) Prison visitation every 2nd Thursday of the month (c) Meeting comes up every 2nd Sunday of the month after 10.00a.m Service at the Church gallery. For more information, call **(08033136370 and 08036695837).**

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D. Hall Rental

- i. The Halls in the Vining House and Archbishop Adetiloye House are available for Conferences, Seminars, Receptions and Lectures. Please, make your bookings through the Cathedral Office.
- ii. A decent hall for Conferences, Lectures, Seminars and reception, with large parking space is available at Archdeacon Ogunbiyi Memorial Anglican Church, Ikeja. The facility is accessible via the Oshodi-Agege Express Road, across the Railway tracks. For Enquiries: Contact: 08050644093. Thank you.

E. AVMCC Guest House

Stay within a purely Christian environment at AVMCC Guest House. Visit us at the Office of Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, GRA, Ikeja, for more details and Booking. You will be happy to use the Facilities.

F. Admission to Ajayi Crowther University, Oyo

The Forms for the above school are out at the rate of N6,000. Payment should be paid to any of the following banks: *Stanbic IBTC – Acct. 9202409902, Skye Bank PLC – 1770968562, Guaranty Trust Bank -0050684338, First Bank – 2013309767.* For more information visit our Website: www.acu.edu.ng or call: 08145920637, 08104408768.

G. Admission to Pentecost College, Iba

The forms for the above school are out at the rate of N5,000. Collect your own at the Cathedral Office and submit to the school.

I. Admission to Anglican Girls' College, Ijanikin

The forms for the above school are out at the rate of N4,000. Collect your own at the Cathedral Office and submit to the school or Women's Office, 3rd Floor, Adetiloye House. Examinations take place on Saturday, 9th July, 2016 in the school hall by 8.00am.

J. Admission to Igbobi College, Yaba

The forms for the above school are out at the rate of N7,500. Payment should be paid into Union Bank – 0004513499. Download the Forms from the College Website: www.igbobicollegeyaba.com. fill and submit on or before the examination day.

K. Admission to Lagos Anglican Schools,

- Anglican Comprehensive 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 N7,500. Payment should be paid into Union Bank Acct No 0002516850. Account Name: Lagos Anglican Schools Management Board and Collect the form at the Cathedral Office and submit to the school of your choice. Examinations take place on Saturday, 7th May & 21st July, 2016 in the school premises by 8.00am.

L. Admission to Lagos Anglican Bible College, Lagos.

The Lagos Anglican Bible College will soon commence this year 2016. Incoming students that are yet to submit forms should do so soonest. Forms are available for those who wish to enrol at AVMCC Office at the rate of N1, 000. For further details please call Co-ordinator on 08023014807 / or Mrs Smith on 08033251197
6 months Advanced Diploma - Friday - 4.00p.m – Saturday 2.00pm.
1 Year Diploma - Friday – 4.00pm - Saturday- 2.00pm

15. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

A. Children Ministry

Parents are requested to send their children to the Sunday School with Bibles, Note Books & Biros. Please instruct your children to remain in the Sunday School and not wander about looking for things to buy. They gain more when they are made to understand the Bible in an environment best suited to their ages and what they are familiar with. **Children are better and safer in the Sunday School. Release your children for learning and safe keep there.**

7. The blessing? If you obey? This is the key! The life Jesus came and died on the cross to give us is only fully available when we obey God. The promised land of Canaan, can only be places of blessing when we obey. Obedience is God's love language.

8. What happens when we choose not to obey? A habitually disobedient lifestyle, while also professing to know Christ, makes you a liar and is proof you don't have the Truth in you. Bottom line, you're lost because it's not what you say, it's how you live. Pastor and author Warren Wiersbe wrote, "A person who professes to be a Christian, but who does not live in obedience, love and truth, is either deceived or a deceiver."

9. Jesus reminds us in Luke 6:46, "But why do you call Me 'Lord, Lord,' and not do the things which I say?"

10. Obedience is God's love language. When we don't obey His commands, His Word and His character, we're just fooling ourselves and we won't see the blessing and personal growth and maturity in Him that's available when we obey.

11. Dr. Henry Blackaby wrote, "Obedience is the outward expression of your love for God. If you have an obedience problem, you have a love problem. If you love Him, you will obey Him!"

12. It's that simple. Obedience is God's love language. The question is, do you love Him enough to obey Him? Whoever has my commands and obeys them, he is the one who loves me" (**John 14:21**)

Conclusion: Commit yourself to obey God's commands out of trust and affection for him. Choose to serve him and those he's placed in your life. Ask him to fill you with a desire to do his will that your obedience wouldn't take debate but rather be a seamless action flowing from the love he's placed within you. Open your heart to God to allow him to come in and love you. Ask Him to guide you into a powerful encounter with His love and obedience to Him on daily basis.

6. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

June 26 – July 2

7.00 am Holy Communion
7.00 am Youth Service
7.00 am Sunday School
10.00 am Mattins
10.00 am Youth Service
10.00 am Sunday School
6.00 pm Service
Bible Study
Wednesday Holy Communion
Wednesday Prayer Meeting

7. MEETINGS FOR THE WEEK

- The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church after Service
- ✚ *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*
 - ✚ *Lord's Labourers Fellowship*
- Lord's Vessel Society Executive meeting comes up today after the service at the usual venue.
- Agape Christian Sisters monthly meeting comes up today at Oxbridge Tutorial College, GRA, Ikeja at 2.00pm.
- Sons & Daughters of Ondo, Ifedore & Ifesowapo meeting comes up today immediately after 10.00a.m service at the usual venue.
- Men & Women of Grace meeting comes up on **Thursday, 7th July, 2016** at the front of the Church by 11.00am. **Topic: The Power of God.**

8. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty Today Sunday, 3rd July, 2016

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. B.O. Bolasodun, Mrs B.A. Bolasodun, Pharm. Ifeanyi Uchefuna, Mrs Gina Okolo, Mrs Ejikeme Ikeh.
10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Tunji Areo, Dr. (Mrs) Irene Okwerekwu, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Pharm Chie Nwerri, Mrs Chinelo Emenike, Mrs Adenike Adefila.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday, 10th July, 2016

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Pharm. Deji Osinoiki, Pharm (Mrs) Yomi Osinoiki, Mrs Ejikeme Ikeh, Dr. Mrs Sadiq.
10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. (Mrs) Irene Omogbehin, Pharm. Ranti Adedeji, Mrs Bola Awobiyi, Ms Adenike Adefila, Mrs Funmi Sodeke.

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 3rd July - Saturday, 9th July 2016

Segun Openiyi (**Captain**), Nwaorgu Chinedu (**Assistant Captain**), Odanye Moji (Mrs.), Ayo Tetede, Ogunleye Adeboboye, Mbaekwe Augustine, Dare Sigbeku, Jones Bassej, George A. Adeyemi, Juliet Chimezie, Omotola Onakoya.

ii. Sunday 10th July - Saturday, 16th July, 2016

Olupitan E. Bola (**Captain**), Oyebanji Toba (**Assistant Captain**), Funso Omole, Bukade Olaniyi, Segun Adeniji, Helen Arhagba, Chioma Obi, Caroline Omowhara, Juliet Chimezie, Funso Fagbuyiro, Kene Obimma.

8.

THE YOUTH SERVICE:

Venue: *The Adetiloye House*
Cantor: *The Rev. Oladele Odumosu*
Preacher: *The Rev. Oladele Odumosu*

10.00 am: **MATTINS**
Y.M.C.A ANNIVERSARY

Cantor: *The Ven. M.A. Abraham-Odumuyiwa*
Psalm 73
O.T. Reading: *Proverbs 8:1-17*
Y.M.C.A
N.T. Reading: *Luke 6:39-End*
Y.M.C.A
Address: *The Dean*

6.00 pm: **FAMILY EVENING**
Cantor: *The Rev. Azubike Ahubelem*
Psalm: 91
Lesson: *1 Corinthians 14:1-19*
Preacher: *The Rev. Taiwo Adebayo*

13. BANNS OF MARRIAGE

We publish the Banns of Marriage between the persons under-listed: If anyone knows any just cause in law why the persons listed may not be joined together in Holy Matrimony, he should declare it immediately.

2ND NOTICE:

1. *Mr Charles Ume & Miss Ekene Iwugo of this church.*

1ST NOTICE:

1. *Mr Adeola Ajayi & Miss Adenike Olowu of this church.*
2. *Mr Mobolaji Idowu & Miss Opeyemi Oladotun of this church.*
3. *Mr Oluwapelumi Ologunde & Miss Adedolapo Olowjoba of this church.*

1ST NOTICE:

1. *Mr Nnamdi Ekwem & Miss Mary Chukwu of this church.*
2. *Mr George Okorie & Miss Ozichi Agoha of this church.*
3. *Mr Adeyemi Adesanmi & Miss Eniola Fatogun of this church.*

The Dean has directed that all intending COUPLES should instructively read the following pages of the Restoring Family Values Pamphlet: 3-4, 15-28, 36. Those without copies should get their copies from the Dean's Secretary, Mrs Tolani Famade - 08033109378.

14. 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. Visitors and New Comers are requested to please move outside and stay behind the Altar, after the service where a Priest and Members of the Evangelical Ministry of the Church will welcome them and give them more information about the Church.

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. Telephone No - 2708790.

13.

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Ven. James Adejuwon, his family and all members of Somolu Archdeaconry.
- ❖ For The Ven. F. Ademola, his family and all members of Idimu Archdeaconry.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Emmanuel Agomuoh, Dr. Chimaobi Okeke, Miss Oluwabusola Alabi, Mr Eyewumi Ekwejunor, Dr. Chimaobi Okeke, Mr Solomon Nwabudo, Mr Samuel Ochogu, Chief Raphael Oladiji, Mrs Amaka Iloanya, Dr. Chimaobi Okeke, Mr Solomon Nwabudo, Mrs Amaka Iloanya, Mr Chinedum Oporum, Miss Abisola Okunromade.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Akinbiyi Family, Akinbobola Family, Akinde Family, Akideinde Family, Akindiya Family, Akinfolarin Family, Akingbade Family, Akinhanmi Family, Akinjayeju Family, Akinkola Family.

6.00pm EFAC Meeting

6.30pm Choir Practice

Saturday, July 9, 2016

Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Canon Stephen Adesoye*

O.T. Reading: *Numbers 34:1-12 - Lay. Dele Ajala*

Epistle: *Romans 10:14-21 - Lay. G.O. Mbaneme*

Gospel: *Matthew 24:32-51*

Hymns: *CH 12, 531, Anima Christi, 153*

Preacher: *The Rev. E.O. Toriola*

Prayer Points

- ❖ For The Ven. Adegoke Agara, his family and his ministry.
- ❖ For The Rev. Canon Stephen Adesoye, his family and his ministry.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Adewale Adegbite, Mr Akinola Akindiya, Mrs Nwanneka Onyekanma, Mrs Florence Babayeju, Mr Olufemi Otitolaju, Engr. Okechukwu Okeke, Mr Cornelius Olusodo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Akinkoye Family, Akinkugbe Family, Akinlade Family, Akinlemibola Family, Akinnawo Family, Akinnifesi Family, Akinniye Family, Akinobi Family, Akinola Family, Akinrimisi Family.

10.00am Wedding

Mr Temitope Ogunro & Miss Oloronke Ogidi

11.30am Wedding

Mr Olusola Olawepo & Miss Olayinka Kembu

3.00 pm Youth Fellowship

4.00 pm Boys' and Girls' Brigade

4.00 pm Baptism

11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Trinity 7 July 10

Theme: **The Church as Light and Life of the World**

Colour: **Green**

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Psalm *119:49-64*

O.T. Reading: *Ezekiel 36:24-28*

Layreader Nkiru Arah

Epistle: *Galatians 5:16-26*

Layreader Oluremi Abimbola

Gospel: *Luke 6:27-38*

The Rev. Taiwo Adebayo

Address: *The Rev. Oluwambe Toriola*

10. SERMON

**10. DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST, AVMCC DHU
 2016 PROGRAMMES**

1. Every 3rd Friday of every month is Deliverance and Healing hour in the Church 6.00pm -8.00p.m
2. Every 3rd Thursday is individual Counseling and Prayer for members.
3. Every Tuesday & Wednesday evening Counseling and Prayers.
4. Every Sundays after 7.00am & 10.00am – Counseling & Prayers.

For enquiries call: 0803-7222146, 0803-7152811, 0802-3149601, 0803-3100270 & 0803-8171702.

11. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 4, 2016

Colour: Red

St. Thomas the Apostle (Transferred)

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

O.T. Reading: *Job 42:1-16 – Lay. Oluremi Onabolu*

Epistle: *Hebrews 10:35-11:1 – Lay. Kike Akinyemi*

Gospel: *John 20:24-29*

Hymns: *CH 672, 648, Anima Christi, 17*

Preacher: *The Rev. Oladele Odumosu*

Collect: Almighty and eternal God, Who for the firmer foundation of our faith, allowed the Apostle Saint Thomas to doubt the resurrection of Your Son, till word and sight convinced him; grant us, who have not seen, that we also may believe and so receive the fullness of Christ's blessing; who is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit; One God now, and forever. Amen.

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Ven. O. Fagbemi, his family and his ministry.
- ❖ For the Ven. O. Onayemi, his family and his ministry.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Maureen Okaro, Mr Olaniyi Olaleye, Mrs Bosede Balogun, Mr Akurokeokia Marshall, Mr Okechukwu Ugwuanya, Engr. Oluwole Okunromade, Mr Ebuka Agazie, Chief Samuel Onabanjo, Mr Olufolarin Osisanya, Miss Morenikeji Egbedeyi.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Agubata Family, Agudosi Family, Agunobi Family, Agwuna Family, Agwuncha Family, Ahade Family, Ahmadu Family, Ahua Family, Ahunaya Family, Aigbe Family.

5.00 pm. Adult Baptism Preparatory Class

5.30 pm Family/Marriage Counselling Meeting

6.30 pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, July 5, 2016

Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Taiwo Adebayo*

O.T. Reading: *Numb. 35:1-3, 9-15 – Lay. C.N. Ubosi*

Epistle: *Romans 8:31-39 – Lay. R.K. Adebule*

Gospel: *Matt. 23:13-26*

Hymns: *CH 2, 446, Anima Christi, 577*

Preacher: *The Rev. Oluwambe Toriola*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Ven. Theo Nwabasili, his family and all members of Iba Archdeaconry.
- ❖ For the B. Dokunmu, his family and all members of Ijeda Archdeaconry.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Dr. Funso Peters, Mrs Tolani Famade, Master Samuel Famade, Mr Adeyinka Adeyemi, Engr. Tochukwu Aneke, Mr Chukwudi Onuegbu, Mrs Uju Eze, Mrs Chinyere Offor, Mrs Chinyere Godwin-Achodor, Mr Samson Mbakwe, Mr Tochukwu Nwosu, Mrs Adaobi Obuekwe.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ailoje Family, Aina Family, Aiyenomuro Family, Ajaari Family, Ajagu Family, Ajagunmo Family, Ajakpovi Family, Ajala Family, Ajanaku Family, Ajao Family.

11.00 am – 3.00 pm - Senior Citizens Clinic & Fellowship

5.00pm – 6.00pm Intercessory Prayer

6.00 pm Bible Study

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Wednesday, July 6, 2016

Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. M.A. Abraham-Odumuyiwa*

O.T. Reading: *Deut. 1:1-18 – Lay. Teju Akindolire*

Epistle: *Romans 9:1-18 – Lay. Oluremi Abimbola*

Gospel: *Matthew 23:27-39*

Hymns: *CH 546, 518, Anima Christi, 516, 537*

Preacher: *The Rev. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Prayer Points

- ❖ For The Ven. Festus Olowosile, his family and all members of Owutu Archdeaconry.
- ❖ For The Ven. Abiade Adeniji, his family and his ministry Archdeaconry.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Deborah Akingbade, Miss Miriam Okoye, Mrs Oluyomi Akintemi, Miss Adesola Aladesawe, Mr Olushola Baleen, Mr Damilola Gbenle, Miss Chinyere Chukwuere, Mrs Christiana Ekwem.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ajayi Family, Ajayi-Obe Family, Ajewole Family, Ajibade Family, Ajibo Family, Ajibodu Family, Ajinro Family, Ajoku Family, Ajomale Family, Ajomiwe Family.
- ❖ For Mrs D.O. Akingbade on her 60th birthday today

8.00am. Vining Intercessor's Visitation

6.00pm PRAYER MEETING

Thursday, July 7, 2016

Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Ven. A.O. Agara*

O.T. Reading: *Deut. 3:18-28 – Lay. Dele Ajala*

Epistle: *Romans 9:19-33 – Lay. Angela Ononuju*

Gospel: *Matthew 24:1-14*

Hymns: *CH 5, 530, Anima Christi, 492*

Preacher: *The Rev. Canon Stephen Adesoye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For The Ven. M.A. Abraham-Odumuyiwa, his family and his ministry.
- ❖ For The Ven. Gbenga Oniye, his family and his ministry.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Princewill Agu, Mr Martins Akinniyi, Dr. Somtochukwu Akunne, Mr Akinyele Adeniyi, Lady Theresa Nwosu, Mrs Azuka Okoli, Mr Chukwuebuka Umobi, Mrs Olukemi Olowu, Mrs Adepeju Seriki, Mrs Folayemi Shadare, Mr Nnaemeka Obi.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ajose Family, Ajudua Family, Ajulu Family, Ajuwon Family, Akabike Family, Akande Family, Akano Family, Akeredolu-Oso Family, Aketch Family, Akhime Family.

1.00pm Wedding

Mr Akinola Akintunde & Miss Abosede Adebowale

Friday, July 8, 2016

Colour: Green

7.00 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: *The Rev. Azubike Ahubelem*

O.T. Reading: *Deut. 31:7-13; 24-32:4 – Lay. Edwin Eze*

Epistle: *Romans 10:1-13 – Lay. Oluremi Onabolu*

Gospel: *Matthew 24:15-31*

Hymns: *CH 10, 527, Anima Christi, 576*

Preacher: *The Rev. Oladele Odumosu*

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