#### YOU NEED ANY HELP?

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

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B. For Social Welfare and Charity

The Dean; The Rev. Dr. S. Opaaje; Chief (Mrs.) Grace Odukomaiya 08033247831

C. For Cathedral Societies

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

D. For The Elderly Ministry

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

E. For The Evangelical Ministry

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

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G. For the Children Ministry

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

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J For The Medical Board

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N. For The Home 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 Cathedral Office                       | 0811-1114588  |
|--|---------------|
| The Dean                                   | 08062766051   |
| The Ven. Festus Olowosile                  | 0803-4003 552 |
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Our Vision:

"CHRIST FOR ALL NATIONS"

Our 2021 Mission:

"WE ARE MORE THAN 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, 8<sup>th</sup> August- Saturday, 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 TRINITY X

THEME: Serving Others

Sub-Theme: God's pattern for Christian Homes

Colour: GREEN

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

> The Ven. Ebenezer Adewole Dean of the Cathedral

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

# SERVICES FOR SUNDAY – 8<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2021

#### A. 7.00 am **HOLY COMMUNION** PROPHETIC SUNDAY

# **BAND OF GLORY ANNIVERSARY**

**Celebrant:** The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem

**Band of Glory** The Epistle:

The Gospel: The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

**Preacher:** The Dean

The Ven. Gbenga Oniye **Intercessor:** 

- Processional Hymn: CONH 151
- \* Praise & Worship
- Preparation to Penitence The Rev. Dr. S. Opaaje

\* The Epistle Acts 2:41-47 Gradual Hvmn: \* **CONH 712** \* The Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46

\* **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: CONH 834, 828, 849

\* The Ablution: **CONH 877** 

\* Post Communion Prayer

#### The Anniversary

- Band of Glory Anthem
- ii. Rededication of Members
- iii. Band of Glory Members/Patrons /Patronesses ...

#### Thanksgiving:

- i. Clergy Harvest: Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye & Family.
- ii. Family Altar Thanksgiving
- iii. Family Harvest ......(as indicated page 22)
- iv. Society Harvest Band of Glory Society
- v. Corporate Harvest: Iworld Financial Services Ltd & **Iworld Transit Solutions Ltd**
- vi. Annual Endowment Committee Thanksgiving
- vii. The Churching of Mrs Favour Okike for the gift of a (twins) baby boy and God's numerous blessings.
- viii. The Churching of Mrs Joy Abraham for the gift of a baby girl and God's numerous blessings.
- ix. 50<sup>th</sup> birthday Thanksgiving of Mrs Chinonyere Mbagwu and God's numerous blessings.
- Sister Uche Nwachukwu thanking God for Divine help, establishment of her company (GOPSAL Global Ltd) and God's numerous blessings.
- Doxology .....(pg 11)
- Benediction
- Notices
- Diocesan Anthem
- Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 189

WE WELCOME ALL OUR FIRST TIMERS IN JESUS NAME. 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.

#### AVMCC DEVELOPMENT FUND ACCOUNT

For the Cathedral Refurbishment Project

**Account Name: AVMCC Development Fund** 

Account Number: 1021733207

**Sort Code:** 033154512

Branch Address, UBA Plc, 51A Adeniyi Jones Street, Ikeja

Contributors subscription forms available at the door foyer.

Office Contact: 08155745555.

#### 27. REVISITING AND RESUSCITATING HOME FELLOWSHIP CENTRES IN AVMCC

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

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

For enquiries, please call or Whatsapp: 070632214646 or 08033025458.

| 28.         |                      | NK ACCOUN                       |                           |
|-------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| <b>BANK</b> | ACCOUNT              | SORT                            | <u>PURPOSE</u>            |
| ACCESS      | NUMBER<br>0017948337 | <u>CODE</u><br>044151245        | Evangelical Fund          |
| WEMA        | 0120970667           | 035150695                       | Offering&<br>Thanksgiving |
| FIRST       | 2025018178           | 011151841<br>(kindly signify th | Harvest<br>e purpose e.g. |
|             | F                    | amily harvest, You              | uth Harvest etc.)         |
| FIRST       | 2001350641           | 011151841                       | Project Support           |
| STANBI      | C 9200212515         | ·······                         | ·······                   |
| IBTC        |                      | 221150027                       | First Fruits              |

GTB 0007899440 058152120 Tithes **ECO** 0953002198 **Building Fund** ZENITH 1011097083 **Covenant Seed** 057150314

WEMA 0122245798 035150695 **Endowment Fund** For the New Cathedral Development Account details please refer to page 2 of this bulletin.

#### STREET EVANGELISM:

The Evangelical Ministry of AVMCC invites underlisted societies to the Church two by two street Evangelism which comes up on Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> Aug, 2021 after 7.00am service. **Meeting point:** Front of Vining Hall. Coverage is Mafoluku Oshodi inclusively; Lord's Vessel,

Torchbearers and YMCA

# **OUR VICTORY SHOUT**

CALLER: GREATER WORKS RESPONDER: WE SHALL DO

CALLER: WHAT SHALL WE DO RESPONDER: GREATER WORKS

**JOHN 14:12** 

\*LLA DVEOT NEWO\*

# 26. \*HARVEST NEWS\*

# A. Family Harvest for today - Sunday 8th August, 2021

7.00am: The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye & Family, Engr. Chief Femi Tetede, & Family, Chief I.O. Odeniran & Family, Mr Godwin Mbagwu & Family, Mr Ayo Tetede & Family.

10.00am: The Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye & Family, Mr Charles Akhivomen Ojo & Family, (Cathedral Warden), The Ariyibi Family, Mr Michael Famuyide & Family, Mr Kunle Sodipo & Family, Mr Maxwell Enyioko & Family, Mrs Florence Olofin-Sodeinde & Family.

# B. Family Harvest for next - Sunday 15th August, 2021

7.00am: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon & Family, Mr Seyi Osunkeye & Family, Mrs Joy Nwoye & Family.

10.00am: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon & Family, Chief (Mrs)
Nancy Smith & Family, Chief Abiola Osho &
Family, Mazi Sam Ohuabunwa & Family.

# D. Society Harvest for next - Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

# 7.00am - Ascension Fellowship & Good Shepherd 10.00am - Light of the World Society

Interested parishioners should please contact the Harvest

Secretariat. Jide Jibowu - 08152223222 or Jolomi Fawehinmi 08023661340.

#### C. 2021 Harvest activities are as stated below.

June-Nov 2021 a. Family Harvest b. Clergy Harvest June - Nov, 2021 c. Corporate Harvest June - Nov, 2021 d. Society & Ministries Harvest- June - Nov 2021 Aug 29<sup>th</sup> 2021 e. Youth Harvest Professional Harvest -Sept. 19th, 2021 g. National Harvest Sept. 26th, 2021 Oct. 17th, 2021 h. All Women's Harvest -Oct. 31st .2021 i. Adult Harvest

j. Landmark Harvest - Nov.  $6^{th}$  &  $7^{th}$  , 2021

k. Greater Chapter / Standing Comm-Nov. 7th, 2021

1. Reunion Harvest - Nov. 14th .2021

# 2021 Cathedral Inter-society Ouiz Competition

#### **Books to study**

- 1) 1Samuel
- 2) 2 Samuel
- 3) 1 John
- 4) 2021 Bible Study outline January to July
- 5) Anglicanism

All Societies are encouraged to participate on 22<sup>nd</sup> of August, 2021.

#### **B. 10.00 am MATTINS**

#### PROPHETIC SUNDAY

# LORD'S LABOURERS ANNIVERSARY

Cantor: The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere O.T. Reading: Lord's Labourers

O.T. Reading: Lord's Labourers
N.T. Reading: Lord's Labourers

**Preacher:** The Dean

Intercessor: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 147
- Call to Worship

**❖** Psalm 119:97-112 (*To be chanted*}

O.T. Reading: 1 Chro. 29:1-9
 Hymn: CONH 733
 N.T. Reading: Matthew 25:31-46

Apostle's Creed - CollectsHymn: CONH 712

# **\*** SERMON

- Worship Songs
- ❖ Intercession Grace
- The Offerings Choruses

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

#### **❖** The Anniversary

- . Lords Labourers Anthem
- ii. Rededication of Members
- iii. Lords Labourers Members/Patrons /Patronesses ...

## **\*** Thanksgiving:

- i. Clergy Harvest: Rev. Bolarinwa Osineye & Family
- ii. Family Altar Thanksgiving
- iii. Family Harvest ......(as indicated page 22)
- iv. Society Harvest Charity Band
- v. 70<sup>th</sup> birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Olusola Mercy Afere & God's numerous blessings.
- vi. Birthday thanksgiving of Mr Michael Famuyide & God's numerous blessings.
- vii. Annual Thanksgiving by Endowment Committee & God's numerous blessings.
- viii. Annual Thanksgiving by Association of General and Private Medical Practitioners of Nigeria Lagos Chapter & God's numerous blessings.
- **❖** Doxology...... (pg 11)
- **❖** Benediction
- Diocesan Anthem
- Notices
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 189

### C. EVENTS AHEAD

- 1. Standing Committee Meeting Monday, 9<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 at 5.30pm.
- 2. Intersociety Bible Quiz Competition -Sunday, 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 2021 at 4.00pm.
- 3. Youth Week Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> Aug, 2021
- 4. DLW Choral Competition Sunday, 5<sup>th</sup> Sept 2021 at 4.00pm.
- 5. Professional Harvest Sunday, 19<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2021
- 6. National Harvest-Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2021
- 7. Intersociety Hymn Singing Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> October, 2021 at 4.00pm
- 8. AVMCC Choir Festival Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> Oct. 2021

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

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

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 August 8, 2021 Good Samaritan
- 2. Sunday August 15, 2021 YWCA
- 3. Sunday August 22, 2021 Ambassadors of Christ
- 4. Sunday August 29, 2021 Youth Harvest
- 5. Sunday Sept. 5, 2021 DLW Choral Competition
- 6. Sunday Sept. 12, 2021 Daughters of Light
- 7. Sunday Sept. 19, 2021 Professional Harvest

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

Cantor: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Preacher: Bro. Yinka Egbedeyi
Theme: Serving Others
Sub-Theme: Kingdom Builders

O.T. Readers: Bro. J. Olaniyi/Bro. Chidi Okoye N.T. Readers: Bro. M. Oshadare / Sis. P. Ezealigo

**Intercession: Intercessory Ministry** 

Processional Hymn: CH 24

- Opening Praise & Worship
- Call to Worship
- ❖ Psalm 24

❖ O.T. Reading: Nehemiah 1:1-11❖ N.T. Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:1-18

- ❖ Apostle's Creed − Collects
- Testimonies
- Choir Ministration
- Sermon
- Intercession
- Offerings: Praises
- (a) First Fruits (b) Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Offering
- ❖ Youth Anthem
- Notices
- Prayer & Benediction
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CH 714 (1,2,3 & 6)

# **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:

#### 22. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the Month. <u>Venue</u>: The AVMCC Main Sanctuary. Time: 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- ii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers Every 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iii. Fasting & Prayer for Christian Mothers Every last Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iv. **Adult Education Programme**: This course is for young and old every Monday & Wednesday by 3.30pm at the Vining Hall.

#### 23. INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

#### A. OBITUARIES

- We announce the passing into glory of our Mother, Mrs Helen Ibru of Band of Light Society. Burial arrangements will be announced later.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Ruth Abike Sodade-Olukunle (JP) Mother of Aare Bayo Sodade of Charity Band) Burial arrangements are as follows:

Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 @ Vining Hall by 5.00pm.

<u>Funeral Service:</u> On Friday, 13<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 at Chapel of Christ the Light, Alausa by 10.00am.

iii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Chibunma Odinfe (wife of Bro. Emma Odinfe of Light of the World Society) Burial arrangements are as follows:

**Service of Songs:** On Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 @ Adetiloye Hall at 4.00pm.

**Funeral Service:** On Friday, 27<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 at St. Simon Anglican Church, Ohuhu Ikeala Nsulu, Isiala Ngwa North, Abia State by 10.00am.

iv. We announce the passing into glory of our Father PaA.O. Talabi (Father of Mr Olumide Talabi of FOH)Burial arrangements are as follows:

Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 @ Vining Hall at 5.00pm.

**Funeral Service:** On Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 at AVMCC by 10.00am.

v. We announce the passing into glory of our Father Otunba Samuel Olufemi Deru. Burial arrangements are as follows:

<u>Service of Songs:</u> On Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 @ Vining Hall at 4.00pm.

<u>Wake-Keep Service</u>: On Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 @ SOCOD Residence, Isonyin, Ijebu at 5.00pm. <u>Funeral Service</u>: On Friday, 8<sup>th</sup> October, 2021 at Emmanuel Anglican Church, Isonyin, Ijebu by 10.00am.

#### B. VACANCIES

- Recruitment Business apprentice wanted. Smart & talented apprentice for Food, Real Estate & Tech Business. Candidate can work online. Send a Whatsapp message to – 08060661930.
- ii. Teachers are urgently needed at AVMCC Creche. Interested persons to submit their applications to the Church Office.

G. 6.00 pm. FAMILY EVENING

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

Sponsor: Good Samaritan
Organist: Mr Dapo Okunmuyide

❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 133

Call to WorshipPraise Worship

❖ Lesson: Luke 17:5-10- *Good Samaritan* 

Hymn: CONH 16
 Short Exhortation & Prayer
 Offerings Choruses

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

Thanksgiving

Closing Prayer

Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 824

#### 2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY X

#### **Introductory Sentence**

May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our hearts, that we may know what is the hope of which He has called us. **Ephesians 1:17-18.** 

#### **Collect for the Week:**

Almighty Father, whose Son Jesus Christ has taught us that what we do for the least of our brethren we do also for Him; give us the will to be the servant of others as He was the Servant of all, who gave up His life and died for us; but is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God, now and forever. Amen.

#### **Post Communion Sentence**

For God did not give us a spirit of timidity, but a Spirit of power, of love and of self-discipline. **II Timothy 1:7.** 

# 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, 8<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 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, for grace to remain connected to the vine as the source of their strength and episcopal authority.
- ii. For the Rt. Revd. Temple Nwaogu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Isiala Ngwa.

# 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. Evil covenant returning Nigeria back in her journey into glory, Lord destroy them.
- iii. Oh Lord, do not allow the devil to manipulate our Youth.
- iv. Lord, use your power to rescue Nigeria from every negative vision, dream and prophesy.

#### C. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. For grace to remain ever connected to Jesus Christ the source of all good things.
- ii. Every evil hand stretched towards our pregnant women from the kingdom of evil, wither off.
- For God's kingdom and His agenda to prevail in all our endeavours.

# D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Obiora Family, Obisan Family, Obisesan Family, Obiukwu Family, Obiwulu Family, Obla Family, Obodozie Family, Oborogu Family, Obozie Family, Obu Family.

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

- i. For The Rt. Rev. Adegoke Agara, Dr. Oladimeji Alo, Chief Sam Ubachukwu, Dr. Olawunmi Ashiru, Mrs Serifat Emiade, Mr Benneth Ibeh, Miss Chinwenwa Opurum, Mr Ndubisi Akaelu, Mr Henry Ofuokwu, Mrs Mercy Afere, Mr Christian Chidozibem, Mrs Precious Ebonugwu, Mr Ademola Oduyemi, Mrs Adetola Emiade, Mr Babasola Okosanya, Miss Eunice Onioye, Miss Ifeatuchukwu Okeke, Mrs Morenike Solaja, Mrs Clara Ugwuegede and others who are celebrating their birthdays today.
- ii. For those having their Wedding Anniversaries or any other positive Anniversaries today.
- F. Prayers for the following people: The Rt. Rev. Dr. P. A. Adebiyi, Engr. & Mrs. Odedairo, Mrs. Beatrice Akinola, Mrs. David-West, Justice S.O. Ilori, Mrs M.I. Ilori, Mrs Lydia Metu, Mrs M.M. Aruofor, Mrs Esther Babalola, Mrs Roseline Anyadikwa, Mr Samuel Chukwudum.

#### 21. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

Avail yourself of this plan. Read the BIBLE in one year and

be blessed – **Rev. 1:3** 

August 8<sup>th</sup> Sunday - Psalm 148-150
 August 9<sup>th</sup> Monday - Prov. 1-3
 August 10<sup>th</sup> Tuesday - Prov. 4-7
 August 11<sup>th</sup> Wednesday- Prov. 8-11

5. August 12<sup>th</sup> Thursday - Prov. 12-14
 6. August 13<sup>th</sup> Friday - Prov. 15-18

7. August 14<sup>th</sup> Saturday- Prov. 19-21

# 2021 CATHEDRAL YOUTH WEEK PROGRAMME

Date: 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 Activity: Sport Preliminary

Content: Novelty Match between CYF and Ikosi

Archdeaconry

Venue: Diocesan Field. Time: 11.00am – 5.00pm

Date: 15<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

**Activity:** Youth Week Theme Exposition

**Content:** Teaching

Venue: Youth Chapel. Time: 7.00am & 10.00am

**Date:** 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2021

Activity: Sports Final & Cooking Competition
Content: Sporting completion among family

Groups. Cooking competition between

**Just 4 Guys and Strictly Feminine** 

Venue: Diocesan Field. Time: 11.00am – 5.00pm

Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 2021 Activity: Bible Study

Content: Teaching on "The Profitable Venture"
Venue: Youth Chapel. Time: 7.00am & 10.00am

**Date:** 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2021

Activity: Welfare Outreach (Donation of Food,

Cloth. Shoes is welcomed)

Content Giving out food cloth and medical items
Venue: Vining Hall Time: 11.00am – 4.00pm

God Before Anyone Else – Youth Chapel

6.00pm-8.00pm

Date: 24<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

Activity: Bible Study. Content: Good Works Venue: Main Church Time: 6.00pm - 8.00pm

**Date:** 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

Activity: Prayer Meeting. Content: Good Works Venue: Main Church Time: 6.00pm - 8.00pm

**Date:** 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

Activity: Excursion/Treasure Hunt to Lekki Venue: Church - LCC Time: 8.00am - 6.00pm

**Date:** 27<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

Activity: Drama Night - Church at 6.00pm

**Date:** 28<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

Activity: Musical Concert - Church at 5.00pm.

**Date:** 29<sup>th</sup> August, 2021

Activity: Youth Harvest at 7.00am & 10.00am

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#### 19. **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 3 in one RMU by Schneider -

Copper Earth Rod N144,000.00 70mm 3 Core Cable N450.000.00 Copper Earth Wire N90,000.00

42" LED Screen

LG 86 Inch UM7580 UHD 4K Smart TV x 2

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

5 Split A/C 1.5Hp for Priest Apartments HP Multimedia Laptop -N250,000 Drivers' Uniform N300.000 Split A/CPanasonic N250,000 Altar Server Processional Cross-N723,014.60 Communion Cups N135,181.20

Missal for Gospel Procession

40 pcs of RW Communion Tray N21,600 per one (Brass/Gold) 7 Pcs of Gold Ciborium -N108,000 = per one

12 Pcs Gold Chalice N108,000 = per one10 Pcs Flagon Gold Plated-N346,145.80 per one

1 Set of Processional Cruet Set- N161,807.80=

10 Pcs of Communion waver dispenser- N90,000 per one

Set of cymbal N180,000 =Sound System Overhaul (Mixer, Amp etc.) N1.8m

#### **CATHEDRAL HISTORY COMMITTEE**

The following Societies & Ministries are to collect their letters from Mrs Tola Famade in the Church Office as soon as possible.

1. Ambassadors of Christ Ministries

- 2. Apostles of Peace
- 3. Band of Glory
- 4. Band of Light
- 5. Busy Bees
- 6. Charity Band
- 7. Christian Friends
- 8. Daughters of Light

- 9. Fountain of Hope 7. Philippians Fellowship
  - 8. Evangelical Ministry

2. Cathedral Youth

3. Christian Mothers

5. Guild of Stewards

6. Medical Ministry

4. Counseling Ministry

- 9. Prisons & Hospital
- 10. Good Samaritan 10. Sunday School

1. Brigade

- 11. Good Shepherd 11. Sport Ministry
- 12. Lord's Labourers 12. The Choir
- 13. Lord's Vessel 13. Men & Women of Grace
- 14. Light of the World
- 15. YMCA

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK SUNDAY, 8<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2021

THEME: SERVING OTHERS

READINGS: PSALM 119:97-112; 1 CHRONICLES 29:1-9; ACTS 2:41-47; MATTHEW 25:31-46.

"Then they also will answer Him, saying, 'Lord, when did we see You hungry or thirsty or a stranger or naked or sick or in prison, and did not minister to You?' 45 Then He will answer them, saying, 'Assuredly, I say to you, inasmuch as you did not do it to one of the least of these, you did not do it to Me.' Matt 25:44-46

Serving others is the theme of our Thought for the Week and it is by far not the least of the many themes we treat every Sunday in this corner; its importance hinges on the fact that serving humanity is a proof of any Christian's claim to knowing and serving God. As a matter of fact, the word Liturgy which theologically describes our Church worship/service derives from the Greek Leitourgia and its Latin derivative Liturgia which mean public service. Serving others is therefore the heart of our religious worship. We cannot claim to know and serve God if we lack the inward sight to see Him in humanity.

We are all innately self-centred, thinking first about our own interests. That's why we must be 'transformed by the renewing of [our] minds' (Romans 12:2 NIV). Psychologists talk about natural behaviour and learned behaviour. When you're naturally negative, you must learn to be positive. When you're naturally fearful, you must learn to be courageous. When you're naturally selfish, you must learn to be generous.

These days, we're getting to a point in the Church of God where you cannot but wonder what people do with the sermons they hear day in, day out. People's unwillingness to serve God through the Church is becoming trendy. A particular Vicar gave 2 nomination forms to each of about 10 societies or more in the Church. At the end of the day, only 6 people returned the form indicating interest to serve. And yet, everybody in the Church expects God's blessings. When they see some others prosper, they begin to wonder why God is so partial. Ask people why they don't want to avail themselves for service, the whole range of their answers bother on selfishness - I, me and myself.

The Bible tells us in Gal. 6:7 - Do not be deceived, God is not mocked; for whatever a man sows, that he will also reap. God wants you to go through life looking for opportunities to bless others: 'Therefore, as we have opportunity, let us do good to all, especially to those who are of the household of faith' (Galatians 6:10 NKJV). And you're not just to do it to people, you're supposed to do it through people and unto the Lord. 'Not with eyeservice, as menpleasers, but as bondservants of Christ, doing the will of God from the heart, with goodwill doing service, as to the Lord, and not to men, knowing that whatever good anyone does, he will receive the same from the Lord' (Ephesians 6:6-8 NKJV). That means what you make happen for others, the Lord will make happen for you!

The fact is, we're all essential to God's plan. The Bible says, 'God has set the members, each one of them, in the body just as he pleased' (1 Corinthians 12:18 NKJV). God sets and God allocates! So seek him and you'll find your assignment. What does God expect of us in service? Radical commitment. 'Give up your own way, take up your cross daily, and follow me.' Luke 9:23 NLT

Here are three Bible examples of radical commitment:

- (1) Commitment on the job. In the past, employers appreciated their workers, and workers valued their employers and their jobs. Today's workplace is often adversarial, with employees criticising their bosses and doing the minimum required to get by, while many bosses have become increasingly demanding, taking their workers for granted. This isn't God's way. His way calls for mutual commitment between management and labour. Paul says: 'Obey your human masters...as though you were serving Christ... Do your work... cheerfully, as though you served the Lord, and not merely human beings' (Ephesians 6:5-8 GNT).
- (2) Commitment at church. Many Christians have adopted a cafeteria-style approach towards church. We pick what we like and leave what we don't. But membership in Christ's church involves a covenant relationship with a body of believers who watch over, cherish and pray for one other, and fulfil the great commission together (see 1 Corinthians 12:12-31). This kind of commitment characterized the early Church that we read about in Acts chapter 2. The Bible tells us Now all who believed were together, and had all things in common, 45 and sold their possessions and goods, and divided them among all, as anyone had need. Acts 2:44-45 (NKJV).
- (3) Commitment to Christ. Christ is not looking for wishywashy, 'lukewarm' followers (see Revelation 3:16). He told the crowd, 'If any of you wants to be my follower, you must turn from your selfish ways, take up your cross daily, and follow me' (Luke 9:23 NLT). That means you no longer follow your own wishes and will, you follow Christ and his will. That's radical commitment, and you are called to it.

The Church is not looking for rabble-rousing rascals to fill the Council. There are people who take delight in scuttling progress; they just deliberately put up attitude that will discourage the Vicar/Pastor and others in their progressive efforts. If such people find their ways into the Council, they must be ready to change. In some big churches, societies will look for good fighters to represent them on the Council – they tell them, go and stop all the nonsense they are doing there. They come and at the end of the one-year tenure, they discover that it is not as they thought. They won't pick form again; and that is because they were ab initio not inspired by spirit of service.

Serving in Church leadership position requires responsible thinking and exemplary lifestyle and attitude. The Council does not need anybody that cannot be trusted for support and encouragement. Sometime ago, the Diocesan Authority released a circular detailing the requirement of those who should qualify to serve in the Church Council. These requirements include regular attendance of services, prayer meetings, Bible Study and other spiritual programs of the Church; chaste conduct; non-membership of occultic groups etc.

Let me say here that to be a Council member is to be a city set on a hill that cannot be hidden. If you sneak into beer joint or club with friends, you may think your friends don't know you are not fit for Church leadership position, I assure you they know. Change your way or opt out; your life must be consistent with the Gospel we preach.

## C. Cathedral Youth Chapel Regular Weekly Programmes

- Strictly Feminine Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month.
- ii. Just 4 Guys Every 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month at 1.00p.m
- iii. Youth Fellowship every Saturday by 3.00pm.

**Sunday:** 7.00am. & 10.00am. Services

Venue: Youth Chapel (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Adetiloye House)

Strictly Feminine – Co-ord –Sola Aladesawe - 08135431392.

Just 4 Guys Co-ord. – Okechukwu Ofoegbu - 08064463886

#### D. Elderly Ministry

All Senior Citizens are welcome every first Tuesday of the month from 11.00 am to 1.00pm.

- i. Medical Check-up in the Clinic; Spiritual Talks; Games /Exercises and Handicrafts in the Vining Hall.
- 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

## E. 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.

#### F. Prisons & Hospital Ministry

(a) Hospital Visitation every  $3^{rd}$  and last Sundays of the month. (b) Prison visitation every  $2^{nd}$  Thursday of the month (c) Meeting comes up every  $2^{nd}$  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

- 1. Are you a widower or a widow?
- 2. Are you aware of the existence of above fellowship for widowers and widows?
- 3. If yes to no. 1, Are you a registered member of the fellowship?
- 4. Kindly pick and complete a registration form to register or update your data.

Identify with one and other via care, love and support by fellowshipping of God's grace every last Thursday of the month at 11.00 am.

For the fellowship's objectives, registration form and other information, visit the church office or call 08023125243.

## C. Vining Bookshop

Kindly patronize the Bookshop at Adetiloye House, which opens at 9.00am-5.00pm Tuesday to Friday, 10.00am-4.00pm on Saturdays and 9.30am-2.00pm on Sundays.

# D. AVMCC Guest House

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

**E.** Lagos Anglican Dioceses Bible College, Lagos. 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.

#### 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. Finbars College Road, Akoka, Yaba Lagos.

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

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

# 18. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

#### A. Children's Ministry

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

### **B.** 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.

In summary, let us list out what service to others means:

Service is character

Service is serving God through others (serving humanity) Service means sacrifice

Service means generosity to God and humanity Service means radical commitment to your job, the Church and Christ

Service means hardwork; no place for laziness in the service of God

Service means responsible thinking and exemplary lifestyle

Service means selflessness

Service means willingness that adds up to gladness in service.

Let me leave you with King David's question in 1 Chron.29:5 - Who then is willing to consecrate himself this day to the Lord? and the result of David's example inspired the "leaders of the fathers' houses, leaders of the tribes of Israel, the captains of thousands and of hundreds, with the officers over the king's work" to give willingly. The Bible says in v.9 of same chapter - Then the people rejoiced, for they had offered willingly, because with a loyal heart they had offered willingly to the Lord.

I pray the Lord God will grant us the joy of service unto Him through others. Amen.

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### **6. 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*.

#### 7. 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* 

# 8. PROVISION FOR A SOLAR POWER INFRASTRUCTURE:

We request for proposal from competent individuals or companies that can provide **Solar Alternative Power** to the Cathedral. The detailed proposal should be addressed to the **Dean of the Cathedral**.

#### 9. GOD IN MY LIFE

The Torchbearers Society invites all to the above programme which comes up on Sunday,  $22^{nd}$  August, 2021 at 4.00pm. **Speaker: Otunba Michael Subomi Balogun.** 

#### 0. BREAKFAST FELLOWSHIP

Imo Sons and Daughters invites all indigenes of Imo State to the above on Saturday, 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 at Seminar Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor Vining Hall by 8.00am.

### 11. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

August 1 – August 7

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| 7.00 am Holy Communion   | 670 |
| 7.00 am Youth Service    | 95  |
| 7.00 am Sunday School    | 356 |
| 10.00 am Mattins         | 709 |
| 10.00 am Youth Service   | 106 |
| 10.00 am Sunday School   | 232 |
| Tuesday Bible Study      | 67  |
| Wednesday Holy Communion | 92  |
| Wednesday Prayer Meeting | 61  |
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#### 12. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church

- Anglican Fellowship
- Ambassadors of Christ Society
- ♣ Apostles of Peace
- Busy Bees Society
- **♣** Band of Mercy Executive
- Charity Band
- Christian Family Society
- **♣** Christian Household Society
- **♣** Light of the World
- Lords Labourers Fellowship
- **¥** Y.M.C.A
- **♣** Y.W.C.A.
- **4** Torchbearers Society
- ➤ Band of Grace Executive meeting comes up today after 10.00am service

#### **13. CATHEDRAL ROSTER**

#### A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 8th August, 2021

**7.00a.m-10.00a.m:** Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Dr. B. Ibidapo-Obe, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Mrs Olufunke Olatunji, Mrs E. Osibaio.

**10.00am-2.00pm:** Prof. I. Akinsete, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Dr. Irene Okwerekwu, Mrs Chinelo Emenike, Sis. Boladuro Ajibola

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday 15th August, 2021

**7.00a.m-10.00a.m:** Dr. Makinde Akinlemibola, Dr. B. Ibidapo-Obe, Pharm. Y. Olorunsola, Mrs Nkiru Arah, Mrs A. Amah-Jerry.

**10.00am-2.00pm:** Dr. Irene Okwerekwu, Dr. Arinze Onubogu, Pharm. Ranti Adedeji, Mrs Elizabeth Osibajo.

## B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> August - Saturday, 14<sup>th</sup> August, 2021 Omotola Onakoya, (Captain), Goke Uthman; (Assistant Captain), Ogunleye Adeboboye, Adeyemi Muyiwa, Mbaekwe Augustine, Segun Adeniji, Dare Sigbeku, Chioma Obi, George A. Adeyemi, Juliet Chimezie, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Rita Osibodu, Olusegun Esan, Michael Enujioke, Nwaorgu Chinedu

ii. Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> August - Saturday, 21<sup>st</sup> August, 2021
Funso Fagbuyiro, (Captain), Helen Arhagba
(Assistant Captain), Adeyemi Muyiwa, Goke
Uthman, Juliet Chimezie, Helen Arhagba, Caroline
Omowhara, Jones Bassey; Kene Obimma,
Chukwuemeka Osaka, Bolaji Dania, Funmi Ladele,
Ekwegh Lilian, Michael Enujioke, Olusegun Esan,
Jemerigbe Helen I, Odibo Fanny Efe.

15. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Trinity XI August 15

**Theme:** The New Creation

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Ven. Festus Olowosile

Epistle: II Cor. 5:14:-6:1-2

Layreader Yemisi Agbaniyaka

Gospel: John 17:20-26

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

#### LIGHTS OF THE WORLD ANNIVERSARY

Celebrant: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye
Epistle: II Cor. 5:14:-6:1-2
Light of the World

Gospel: John 17:20-26

The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

Address: The Dean

6.00 pm: EVEN SONG

Cantor: The Rev. Dr.. S. Opaaje

Psalm: 34

Lesson: Acts 28:11-End

Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

#### 16. **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.

2<sup>ND</sup> NOTICE:

1. Mr. Babajide Fasawe & Miss Esther Ajayi

1<sup>ST</sup> NOTICE:

1. Mr. Adekanmi Laoye & Miss Oluwadamilola Obisesan

### 17 NOTICES

#### **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:

10.

The Cathedral Library opens daily: Monday – Friday - 8.00am to 5.00pm

Closed on Saturday & Sunday.

We request everyone to make use of this opportunity.

Friday, August 13, 2021 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye

Epistle: Acts 21:37-22:1-16- Lay. P. Oghenekaro

**Gospel:** *Mark 10:46-52* 

Hymns: CONH 127, CONH 621, CONH 490 (II)

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

- For the Rt. Rev. Stephen Adeniran Oni, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ondo.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Cornelius Adagbada, his family and all members of the Diocese of Oke-Ogun.
- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Stella Rufus, Prof. OMotayo Adeolu, Mr Raphael Nwani, Mr Chukwuemeka Ezeokoye, Mrs Grace Obah, Mrs Uche Oborogu, Mr Olayiwola Opayemi, Miss Ireoluwa Olowoniyi, Engr. Nathaniel Opurum, Mrs Blessing Opara, Prof. Adebowale Omole, Miss Omotoyosi Soyinka, Miss Faith Usman, Engr. Femi Agbaniyaka.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Odukomaiya Family, Odukoya Family, Odukwe Family, Odukwu Family, Odumodu Family, Odumosu Family, Oduneye Family, Odunfa Family, Oduniyi Family, Odunlami Family.

## 6.30pm Choir Practice

11.00pm Join Church Weekly Vigil every Friday between 11.00pm – 1.00am via ZOOM. Meeting ID – 82326080737. Passcode: VIGIL

Saturday, August 14, 2021 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin Epistle: Acts 22:17-29 – Lay. A. Ejikeme

**Gospel:** *Mark 11:1-11* 

Hymns: CONH 125, CONH 623, CONH 488

Preacher: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

**Prayer Points:** 

- For the Rt. Rev. Paul Olanrewaju Ojo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ijumu.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Olumuyiwa Amusan, Mr Olumide Shobayo, Mr Adesoji, Adesanya, Engr, Sunday Osoba, Mr Chiedozie Nonyelu, Mrs Feyikemi Odeyemi, Mr Oladapo Olaseni, Mr Olukayode Adegbuyi, Mrs Abosede Akinsanya.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Oduntan Family, Odunubi Family, Odunuga Family, Oduola Family, Odupaye Family, Odutayo Family, Odutola Family, Oduware Family, Oduyemi Family, Offor Family.

10.00 am Blessing

Mr. Kingsley Onumo & Miss Ijeoma Ihuoma

11.30 am Wedding

Mr. Babasola Ojutalayo & Miss Chiamaka Alagbogu

4.00 pm Youth Fellowship

4.00 pm Boys' Brigade and Girls' Brigade

4.00 pm Baptism

#### **QUOTABLE QUOTES**

- 1. When you get to the top, you become a TOPIC-**Bishop Odedeji**
- 2. If we are not our brother's keeper, we will be our brother's killer **Bishop Odedeji**
- 3. If God is backing you, No one can put your back on the ground **Bishop Odedeji**
- 4. Marriage is not for Great lovers but Great forgivers **Bishop Odedeji**
- 5. If God is in control, nothing can go out of control—**Bishop Odedeji**
- 6. God can do without you, but it is you that cannot do without God- **Bishop Odedeji**
- 7. When you are \*WRONG\*, you cannot be \*STRONG\* Bishop Agara
- 8. If you don't know \*STRATEGY\*, you will end up in \*TRAGEDY\* Bishop Agara
- 9. When there is no \*contact\*, there can never be \*contract\* -- Ven Adewole Ebenezer
- 10. If you cannot say \*NO\*, you cannot be \*Known\* Bishop Odedeji
- 11. Bad \*Character\* is like a flat tyre, if you don't change it, you can't go far Bishop Odedeji
- When you stop Praying, you start \*Decaying\* -Bishop Odedeji
- God does the best for those, who leave the \*Choice\* to Him Bishop Odedeji.
- 14. Untill you know whom your sender is, your service is \*Worthless\* Bishop Odedeji
- 15. When God uses a man He rewards him with \*eternal blessings\* but when the devil uses a man, he dumps him in \*ocean of Regrets\* Bishop Odedeji
- 16. People do only what you will \*INSPECT\* and not what you \*EXPECT\* Bishop Odedeji
- 17. When a man loses money, nothing is lost but when he loses \*INTEGRITY\* everything is lost. –

  Bishop Odedeji
- 18. If you are too big to \*follow\*, you will be too small to \*lead\* Bishop Odedeji
- 19. The room for \*IMPROVEMENT\* is the largest room in the world. **Bishop Odedeji**

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

My spirit on Thy care,
 Blest Saviour, I recline;
 Thou wilt not leave me to despair,
 For Thou art love divine.

- In Thee I place my trust,
   On Thee I calmly rest;
   I know Thee good, I know Thee just,
   And count Thy choice the best.
- 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.

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#### 14. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, August 9, 2021 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere Epistle: Acts 20:17-38 - Lay. A. Okpara

**Gospel:** *Mark 9:42-50* 

Hymns: CONH 109, CONH 611, CONH 120

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

**Prayer Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Yohannah Ahmed Audu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Damaturu.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Godwin Adeyi Robinson, his family and all members of the Diocese of Lafia.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Rev. Canon Alfred Oluwatuyi, Miss Jolaade Ogunleye, Miss Kehinde Owolabi, Chief Olufemi Tetdede, Miss Taiwo Owolabi, Mrs Roseline Asomugha, Mrs Flora Nnadozie, Mrs Pricilla Ojirika, Mr Obinna Agu, Mr Obinna Ebilah, Mrs Blessing Iloabuchi, Mrs Gloria Okeke, Mrs Obiageli Okeke, Mrs Oluremi Okuromade, Mrs Nma Ozongwu, Lady Mabel Aiyudu, Mr Oluwadamilola Makinde, Mrs Abosede Ajayi.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Obozie Family, Obu Family, Obueforibo Family, Obuekwe Family, Obuh Family, Obumselu Family, Obuna Family, Obuseli Family, OC-Eronini Family, Ochogu Family.

5.30pm. Standing Committee Meeting

6.30 pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, August 10, 2021 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Ven. Gbenga Oniye

Epistle: Acts 21:1-14 - Lay. J. Emerina

**Gospel:** *Mark 10:1-16* 

Hymns: CONH 98, CONH 616, CONH 466

Preacher: The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem

**Prayer Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Augustine Ohilebo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Sabongidda-Ora
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Emmanuel Morris, his family and all members of the Diocese of Maiduguri.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Miss Ngozi Okwor, Miss Bolaji Bamigbola, Miss Bolade Bamigbola, Mr Agabus Dabnia, Miss Lolia Deal, Mrs Augustina Ekechi, Mr Chijoke Ezeike, Miss Chidinma Iwugo, Miss Olufunke Jaiyeola, Mrs Stella Ketiku, Miss Ifeoma Nnadi, Mr Chinonso Nwankwo, Mrs Mosunmola Adekoya.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ochokwu Family, Ochuba Family, Odanye Family, Odebeatu Family, Odedeji Family, Odedina Family, Odegbami Family, Odeja Family, Odeneye Family, Odeniran Family.

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### 12noon 70<sup>th</sup> birthday of Mrs Stella Ketiku

5.00pm - 6.00pm
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GATHERING OF THE
NOBLES - ACTS 17:10-11

Wednesday, August 11, 2021 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon Epistle: Acts 21:15-26 - Lay. D. Ajala

**Gospel:** *Mark 10:17-31* 

Hymns: CONH 30, CONH 606, CONH 609,

**CONH 455.** 

Preacher: The Dean

**Prayer Points:** 

❖ For the Rt. Rev. Emmanuel Adeoye Adekola, his family and all members of the Diocese of Igbomina.

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Stephen Ayodeji Fagbemi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Owo
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Olayinka Akinsete, Mr Emmanuel Ani, Chief Gibson Eboh, Mr Idowu Ayininuola, Mrs Chizoba Ezeonyido, Miss Ezinne Osueke, Mrs Babaranti Olumuyiwa.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Odesanmi Family, Odesanya Family, Odesiji Family, Odewale Family, Odey Family, Odeyemi Family, Odia Family, Odiachi Family, Odiagbe Family, Odiase Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

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

THEME: YOUR CASE WILL BE DIFFERENT – ACTS 9:20-22

Thursday, August 12, 2021 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

Epistle: Acts 21:27-36 -Lay. N. Ochokwu

**Gospel:** *Mark 10:32-45* 

Hymns: CONH 57, CONH 620, CONH 458

Preacher: The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje

**Prayer Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Emmanuel Isezuo Onsachi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Okene.
- For the Rt. Rev. Funkuro Amgbare, his family and all members of the Diocese of Northern Izon.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today:Omo-Oba Olumuyiwa Adeyemi, Mr Amen Omoragbon, Mrs Edith Nwachukwu, Mrs Ogochukwu Obi, Mr Olubukola King, Mrs Helen Oloniniyi, Mr Kelechi Osueke, Miss Eniola Oguntoyibo, Mrs Chinonso Igwe, Mr Ayodeji Tifase.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Odigie Family, Odimegwu Family, Odimuko Family, Odita-Sunday Family, Odoh Family, Odonghanro Family, Odu Family, Oduba Family, Odueyungbo Family, Odude Family.

5.00pm Wake-Keep for Late Mrs Ruth Abike Sodade-Olukunle – Vining Hall