

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**
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- B. **For Social Welfare and Charity**
The Dean; The Rev. Dr. S. Opaaje; Chief (Mrs.) Grace Odukumaiya 08033247831
- C. **For Cathedral Societies**
The Dean; The Society Chaplains; Presidents & Secretaries of Societies
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The Dean, The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin; Mrs C.F. Akinrotimi - 08022791113; Mr Ayo Tetede - 08020691247
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- T. **For Chaplains to Societies**
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- W. **For Booking of the Guest House**
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Vol. 18/06/25/2022

Our Vision:

"CHRIST FOR ALL NATIONS"

Our 2022 Theme:

"DRY BONES SHALL RISE AGAIN" Ezekiel 37:3.

IN GOD'S PRESENCE, THERE IS FULNESS 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, 19th June - Saturday, 25th June, 2022

TRINITY 1

THEME: THE FRUIT BEARING CHRISTIAN

SUB-THEME: HARVEST OF TESTIMONIES

Colour: GREEN

Dr. Dayo Omogbehin
Cathedral Warden

Mr. Charles Ojo
Cathedral Warden

The Ven. Ebenezer Adewole
Dean of the Cathedral

The Rt. Rev. Dr. James O. Odedeji
The Bishop, Diocese of Lagos West

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Support God's Mission through the Covenant Seed
Be A Diocesan Covenant Seeder

1. SERVICES FOR SUNDAY – 19th June, 2022

**A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION
ALL MEN'S HARVEST, FATHER'S DAY &
BAND OF GLORY ANNIVERSARY**

Celebrant: The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu
The Epistle: Band of Glory
The Gospel: Postulant Damilare Ayenuyo
Preacher: The Dean
Intercessor: The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 1
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – **Rev. Samuel Dahunsi**
- ❖ The Epistle: I Peter 2:1-10
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 403
- ❖ The Gospel: John 15:1-5
- ❖ **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 716, 184, 448, 587
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 50
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ **The Anniversary**
 - i. Band of Glory Anthem
 - ii. Rededication of Members
 - iii. Band of Glory, Patrons / Patronesses & the Church Thanksgiving
- ❖ **Thanksgiving:**
 - i. Father's Day Thanksgiving
 - ii. All Men's Harvest
 - iii. Family Harvest*as indicated*..... (page 22)
 - iv. Alphabets Harvest (**Identifying Alphabets A to D**)
 - v. Society Harvest: **Band of Glory & Good Shepherd**
 - vi. 55th birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Uche Elochukwuma and God's numerous blessings.
- ❖ For Doxology.....(pg 11)
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 189

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

**21. 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
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.

22. AVMCC BANK ACCOUNTS DETAILS

<u>BANK</u>	<u>ACCOUNT NUMBER</u>	<u>SORT CODE</u>	<u>PURPOSE</u>
ACCESS	0017948337	044151245	Building Fund 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.

23. INVITATION TO SOCIETIES /MINISTRIES' REPRESENTATIVES:

The Evangelical Ministry of AVMCC invites Parishioners to be part of the forthcoming two by two Street Evangelism on Sunday, 26th June, 2022 immediately after 7.00am service. Meeting point at the front of Vining Hall. Coverage is Medical & Ipodo.

2022 VICTORY/PROPHETIC SHOUT

THE LEADER: DRY BONES
THE CONGREGATION: SHALL RISE AGAIN 3X
TOGETHER: THAT IS THE VERDICT OF GOD FOR US IN 2022 AND NO POWER CAN STOP IT. AMEN, AMEN AND AMEN.

HARVEST NEWS

A. Family Harvest for today- Sunday 19th June, 2022

7.00am: Mrs Nancy Smith & Family, Mr Gabriel Ojo & Family, Mrs Goodluck Nwanorue & Family.

10.00am: Sir Joel Onukwube & Family, Mr Olakunle Sodipo & Family, Otunba Bayo Williams & Family.

B. Society Harvest for today -Sunday 19th June, 2022

7.00am : Band of Glory & Good Shepherd

10.00am: Christian Brothers

C. Society Harvest for - Sunday 26th June, 2022

10.00am: Christian Friends

ALPHABET HARVEST

The Alphabet Harvest is a Thanksgiving Celebration of You as an Individual. It identifies you with the 1st Letter of your 1st Name. And as you know, your name identifies you as a UNIQUE person. Names can be prophetic, it can be historic, it can be narrative and can also be authoritative.

The purpose of the Harvest is to give thanks to God for creating you and distinguishing you amongst millions of others. *“Fear not for I have redeemed you. I have called you by name and you are mine” Isaiah 43:1*. The Alphabet Thanksgiving order will be to group parishioners in the order for **4 Alphabets (A,B,C & D) Group 1, (E, F, G & H) Group 2, (I,J,K & L) Group 3.... all the way to (Y, Z) Group 7.**

During the Altar-Call Thanksgiving, Prayers would be offered by the Clergy as led by the Holy Spirit. Thank you.

2022 Harvest activities are as stated below.

- a. Alphabet Harvest - June – Nov. 2022
- b. Family Harvest - June- Nov 2022
- c. Clergy Harvest - June – Nov 2022
- d. Society Harvest - June – Nov 2022
- e. All Men’s Harvest - 19th June , 2022
- f. Children Harvest - 31st July, 2022
- g. Youth Harvest - 28th Aug, 2022
- h. Corporate & Professional- 11th Sept, 2022
- i. National Harvest - 25th Sept. 2022
- j. All Ministries Harvest - 9th Oct. 2022
- k. All Women’s Harvest - 16th Oct. 2022
- l. Senior Citizen Harvest - 23rd Oct , 2022
- m. Adult Harvest - 30th Oct. 2022

B. 10.00 am HOLY COMMUNION ALL MEN’S HARVEST, FATHER’S DAY & CHRISTIAN BROTHERS ANNIVERSARY

Celebrant: The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu
The Epistle: Christian Brothers
The Gospel: Postulant Damilare Ayenuyo
Preacher: The Dean
Intercessor: The Rev. Canon Dr. B. Okere

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 26
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon
- ❖ The Epistle: 1 Peters 2:1-10
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 403
- ❖ The Gospel: John 15:1-5
- ❖ **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 48, 421,810, 867
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 835
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ **The Anniversary:**
 - i. Christian Brothers Society Anthem:
 - ii. Rededication of Members
 - iii. Christian Brothers, Patrons / Patronesses & the Church Thanksgiving
- ❖ **Thanksgiving:**
 - i. Father’s Day Thanksgiving
 - ii. All Men’s Harvest
 - iii. Family Harvestas indicated..... (page 22)
 - iv. Alphabets Harvest (**Identifying with Alphabets A to D**)
 - v. Society Harvest: **Christian Brothers**
 - vi. The Churching of Mrs Uche Mbakwe for the gift of a baby boy and God’s numerous blessings.
 - vii. Lady Nkeiru Onukwube thanking God for safety from motor accident & God’s numerous blessings.
 - viii. 50th anniversary thanksgiving after graduation of God’s faithfulness by Pharmacists, Akinwande, Ajala, Opayemi, Osinoiki, Olowokande, Ibru & God’s numerous blessings.
 - ix. 1st year remembrance of Mrs Margaret Oyefeko (Mother of Mrs Yemisi Oyinlola) and God’s numerous blessings on the family she left behind.
- ❖ For Doxology.....(pg 11)
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 834

C. EVENTS AHEAD

1. EFAC Lagos Zone Annual Vigil – Friday, 1st July, 2022.
2. DLW Clergy School – 11th – 14th July, 2022.
3. Children’s Harvest – Sunday, 31st July, 2022.
4. Youth Harvest – Sunday, 28th August, 2022.
5. DLW Choral Competition – Sunday, 4th Sept. 2022 at 4.00pm.
6. Intersociety Bible Quiz Competition -Sunday, 11th September, 2022 at 2.00pm.
7. Professional Harvest – Sunday, 11th Sept. 2022

8. National Harvest- Sunday, 25th Sept. 2022
9. Intersociety Hymn Singing – Sunday, 2nd October, 2022 at 4.00pm
10. 50th Choir Festival – Sunday, 9th October, 2022.

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 2022
EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES**

1. Sunday June 19, 2022 - Christian Friends
2. Sunday June 26, 2022 - Christian Household
3. Sunday July 3, 2022 - Christian Morning Star
4. Sunday July 10, 2022 - Christian Unity Band
5. Sunday July 17, 2022 - Christian Brothers
6. Sunday July 24, 2022 - Daughters of Light
7. Sunday July 31, 2022 - Children Harvest
8. Sunday, Aug.7, 2022 - Good Samaritan
9. Sunday, Aug. 14, 2022 - Good Shepherd

F. 7.00am & 10.00am - YOUTH SERVICE

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Theme: The Fruit Bearing Christian

Sub-Theme: The Father's Pains

Epistle: Ukalike Precious/Amarachi Ife

- ❖ Opening Hymn: CONH 164 (1-5)
- ❖ The Preparation to Penitence
- ❖ The Epistle: 1 Peter 2:1-10
- ❖ The Gospel: John 15:1-5
- ❖ Nicene Creed to Peace
- ❖ Offerings: Worship Songs
- (a) *First Fruits* (b) *Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering*
- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: Worship Songs
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ Ablution Hymn: CONH 403
- ❖ Exhortation & Intercession
- ❖ The Society & I – Talk with YWCA (Host: Tiyan Idehen)
- ❖ All Men's Harvest / Father's Day Thanksgiving
- ❖ Alphabet's Harvest
- ❖ Youth Anthem
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Lord's Favoured Pep Talk
- ❖ Prayer & Benediction
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 403

20. 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

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

Drivers' Uniform - N300,000

Altar Server Robes - N1,617,500

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

Sound System Overhaul (Mixer, Amp etc) N1.8m

500 Plastic Chairs for the Halls

50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CATHEDRAL CHOIR

PLEASE BE INFORMED THAT ALL DONATIONS TOWARDS THE 50TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE CATHEDRAL CHOIR SHOULD BE IN THE NAME OF "ARCHBISHOP VINING MEMORIAL CHURCH CATHEDRAL". THANK YOU.

ETS CONVENTION 2022.

The 2022 ETS (African Mission) Convention has been scheduled as follows:

Theme: EQUIPPING THE END - TIME GENERATION TO FULFILL THE GREAT COMMISSION:

Guest speaker: DR. SAM OYEMADE
(President. Bearers of Light Missions World outreach)

Venue: Adetiloye Hall, Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, Oba Akinjobi Road, GRA Ikeja, Lagos.

Time: 9.00am – 2.00pm.

Date: Saturday, 20th of August 2022.

Fee: N3,500. (for files, jotter, biro, breakfast & lunch)

Acct. Details: EQUIPPING THE SAINTS DISCIPLEMAKER. 0051812390. GTB.

All Alumni & present ETS Students are to attend. God bless you. Planning Committee.

AYO JAGUN SCHOLARSHIP FOR CHURCH MUSIC

The Diocese of Lagos West in conjunction with Ayo Jagun Scholarship for Church Music invites interested Church Choirs and individual to express interest in the following:

- (i) Choral Competition amongs Church Choirs.
- (ii) **Scholarship Award:** The candidate must be an indigent member of a Choir and must be able to play at least one musical instrument.

Interested persons should obtain a former approval from the Choirmaster and collect a FORM from the Planning Committee on or before 30th June, 2022. For further enquiries please contact: **08023026600, 08023219957 and 08033217137.** Thank you.

18. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1st Thursday of the Month. Venue: The AVMCC Main Sanctuary. Time: 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- ii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers - Every 1st Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iii. Fasting & Prayer for Christian Mothers - Every last Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iv. **Adult Education Programme:** This course is for young and old every Monday & Wednesday by 3.30pm at the Vining Hall.
- v. All Sunday School Children from ages 5years upward meeting every last Sunday between 7.00am – 9.00am

19. INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

A. OBITUARIES

- i. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Banjoko Bolasodun of Medical Ministry. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake-Keep: On Wednesday, 29th June, 2022 at Vining Hall by 4.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Thursday, 30th June, 2022 at AVMCC by 9.00am.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Comfort Irefin of Band of Light Society. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Wake-Keep: On Thursday, 28th July, 2022 at Vining Hall by 4.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 29th July, 2022 at AVMCC by 9.00am.

B. VACANCIES

- i. Office Assistant is urgently needed in a Pharmacy Company in Oregon. Interested persons to call 09069431839.
- ii. An experienced Driver, Sales Girl, Hair Stylist and Tailors are urgently needed in a Bridal and Fashion House at Opebi in Ikeja. Interested persons to call: 08033074043.
- iii. A good professional to run a newly set-up fully equipped salon and pay for space. A pedicure expert is required to take up space in the same salon & pay monthly. Interested persons to call: 08033074043.
- vi. A reputable company needs a graduate not more than 35years with a degree in Chemistry, Chemical Engineering or Biochemistry with a year experience in Sales/Marketing of Industrial Chemical. Interested persons to call 08163720169

20.

G. 6.00 pm.

EVENSONG

Cantor: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*
Preacher: *Postulant Damilare Ayenuyo*
Sponsor: *Christian Friends*
Organist: *Dr. Chinedu Osinigwe*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 266
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Praise Worship
- ❖ Lesson: 1 Peter 2:1-10 - *Christian Friends*
- ❖ Hymn: CONH 453
- ❖ Short Exhortation & Prayer
- ❖ Offerings Choruses
(a) First Fruit (b Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering
- ❖ Thanksgiving
- ❖ Closing Prayer
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 54

2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY 1

Introductory Sentence

And this commandment we have from Him, that he who loves God should love his brother also. **1 John 4:21.**

Collects for the Week:

Almighty and everlasting God, by Whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified; hear our prayer which we offer for all Your faithful people: that each in his vocation and ministry may serve You in holiness and truth, to the glory of Your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

Post Communion Sentence

For you are receiving the goal of your faith, the salvation of your souls. **1 Peter 1:9.**

TOWARDS THE NEW CATHEDRAL

THE COLLECT:

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

3. LET THERE BE PEACE (ADAPTED)

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

5.

4. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY, 19TH JUNE, 2022

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

- i. Pray for Henry Ndukuba our Primate, Humphrey Olumakaiye, Our Archbishop and Olusola our Bishop, that many more parishioners under their Episcopal jurisdiction shall turn to the Lord as the sole solution to their challenges.
- ii. For the Rt. Rev. Felix Olorunfemi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Etsako.

B. Prayer for Nigeria & the World

- i. *Pray that the Lord of Host in His mercies will on account of His elects and remnants in Nigeria frustrate every raging from the pit of hell and all evil counsels, gang-ups and schemes in form of Boko Haram, Herdsmen and Islamization agenda so that Christianity in Nigeria will never go the way of TURKEY nor NORTH AFRICA in Jesus Name. Amen.*
- ii. That God will raise for us men and women using them as His vessels of solutions to the challenges of our nation.
- iii. For restoration of peace to every troubled areas of the world.
- iv. That the Lord will fight for and defend all Christians all over the world.

C. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. That God be enthroned permanently over the affairs of AVMCC.
- ii. That AVMCC shall become a solution centre to all Parishioners.
- iii. That this season shall cause us to draw nearer to God more than ever before.

D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Chiemelie Family, Chigbo Family, Chigbu Family, Chika Family, Chike Family, Chikezie Family, Chima, Family, Chimelie Family, Chimelu Family, Chimezie Family.

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

- i. For Mr Echezowa Egwuatu, Mrs Olufunmilayo Sodipo, Mr Samson Ajagunmo, Miss Otutochukwu Al-ihokwaba, Mr Solomon Umekaibe, Mrs Blessing Marshall, Mr Gabriel Ojo, Miss Evelyn Sesere, Mrs Uchendu Enone, Mrs Yemisi Agbaniyaka, Mr Natalie Achukwu 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: Engr. & Mrs. Odedairo, Mrs. Beatrice Akinola, Mrs. David-West, Mrs M.O. 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.

19. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

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

- 1. June 19th Sunday - 2 Kings 7-10
- 2. June 20th Monday - 2 Kings 11-14
- 3. June 21st Tuesday - 2 Kings 15-17
- 4. June 22nd Wednesday- 2 Kings 18-19
- 5. June 23rd Thursday - 2 Kings 20-21
- 6. June 24th Friday - 2 Kings 22-25
- 7. June 25th Saturday - 1 Chro. 1-3

JUSTIFICATION FOR SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

The desirability of society membership is traceable to the Godly advice of Jethro to Moses his son in law as he administered the huge population of the Israelites in the wilderness.

“MOREOVER THOU SHALL PROVIDE OUT ALL THE PEOPLE ABLE MEN, SUCH AS FEAR GOD, MEN OF TRUTH, HATING COVETOUSNESS AND PLACE SUCH OVER THEM, TO BE RULERS OF THOUSANDS AND RULERS OF HUNDREDS, RULERS OF FIFTIES AND RULERS OF TENS” EXOD. 18:21.

Beloved to the glory of God AVMCC is a fairly large congregation and as the Israel of God today Gal. 6:16 we must follow the Bible standard as expatiated fully in Exodus 18:17-27 for the following reasons:

- 1. It is good to be in society vs. 17.
- 2. The blessings of joining a society far outweighs the burden if any.
- 3. The burden if any is light because it is of Christ and not of man – Matt. 11:28-30.
- 4. The Priests will not wear out in attending to large congregation as it is not possible to know everybody vs 18.
- 5. The people will not wear out as their matter receive the attention of sectional leaders with a referral of major matters to appropriate quarters vs 18.
- 6. It is a Godly counsel to be a member of a society vs 19.
- 7. It is an avenue to learn more of the ordinances of God and His laws vs 20.
- 8. It affords the opportunities of knowing the way of God better as seminars retreats, visitations, fellowships, fasting praying are arranged vs 20.
- 9. It points us to the work which we have to do vs 20.
- 10. It enables the Priest to focus more on Prayer and the word of God which of course is their major assignment Acts 6:4.
- 11. It allows the church to maximize the potentials of spiritual gifts and explore talents of members using also their professional expertise to enhance the standard of the Church vs 21.
- 12. It allows for matters to receive urgent and timely attention vs 22.
- 13. It makes the work in the house of God to be EASY and not become a BURDEN vs 22.
- 14. It allows for all to ENDURE vs 23.
- 15. It allows for a more PEACEFUL co-existence vs 23.

NB: SHEEP DO NOT WALK ALONE THEY FLOCK TOGETHER. DO NOT BE AN ISOLATIONIST.

15. DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST

AVMCC DELIVERANCE & HEALING UNIT (DHU) PROGRAMMES

- i. Every 3rd Friday of each month – Church Deliverance and Healing Service - (6.00pm -8.00pm)
- ii. Every Thursday is Prayers, Deliverance and Counselling day for members – 6.00pm – 8.00pm
- iii. Every Tuesday & Wednesday evening, Counselling and Prayers.
- iv. Every Sunday after 10.00am – Prayers, Deliverance and Counseling.
- v. 4th Friday of every month with 5 – Fridays DHU Vigil.

For Prayers, Deliverance and Counselling please call/text: 0806-2766051, 0802-3149601, 0803-003906

16. GUILD OF STEWARDS

The Guild of Stewards requested for vibrant and dedicated new members to join the ministry. Interested persons to contact: **Mr Okechukwu Okeke on 08033438490.**

17. 2022 INTERSOCIETY BIBLE QUIZ COMPETITION

Books to Study: (1) Ezekiel (2) Luke (3) Anglicanism (4) History of AVMCC (5) Bible Study January – June.

MINISTERING TO THE TEENAGE GROUP IN AVMCC WHO AM I?

My choices, life, my end
God’s view of me and the world’s view in
Who am I In Christ?
It is ‘woke’ to be a Christian: the godly teenager
(To be handled by Sis Awokoya and Sis. Kupoluyi)

RELATIONSHIPS

Parents, Siblings, friends, peers, mentors- interactive skills
Peers- groups (cults, drugs, alcohol); handling the pressures
To be handled by Sis (Ronke and Bro. Efe)

SEXUALITY

My Person (body soul and spirit). Freedom, Self-Esteem
What God planned and desires- responsibility, kingdom culture
Teenage body challenges- health, wealth, strength
Managing and dealing with challenges; no compromise.
(Sis Cynthia and Sis Awokoya.)

LIFE’S BASICS & ETIQUETTE

Greetings, table manners
Punctuality, integrity, humility
Work attitude, financial prudence (the ant)
(Mummy Kupoluyi and Sis. Ronke)

TALENTS GIFTS AND CAREER

Identifying your natural and spiritual gifts
Setting life goals and objectives: choosing career & making a difference
Developing talents through skills and vocation
Personal effectiveness and time management
(Sis Ebele and bro Dapo)

**5. THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK
SUNDAY, 19TH JUNE, 2022**

**THEME: THE FRUIT BEARING CHRISTIAN
READINGS: PSALM 95:1-7; 1 SAMUEL 7:4-16; 1 PETER 2:1-10; JOHN 15:1-5.**

May I welcome you to first Sunday in Trinity. I also want to join others in celebrating fathers today with a strong belief that we all know that today is Fathers’ Day. I pray that our fathers shall truly be fathers in all aspects of life, in Jesus Name.

"Bearing fruit" is a phrase used to describe the outward actions that result from the inward condition of a person's heart. Galatians 5:16–24 contrasts the works, or fruit, of the flesh with those of the Holy Spirit. In our sinful nature, we bear things such as idolatry, jealousy, dissensions, and fits of anger. "But the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness, self-control..." As Christians, we want to bear fruit in keeping with our relationship with God. We seek to do things outwardly that demonstrate that we have been made new in Christ (2 Corinthians 5:17). So what is the key to bearing godly fruit?

Jesus summarized the answer to this question in John 15:4–5: "Abide in me, and I in you. As the branch cannot bear fruit by itself, unless it abides in the vine, neither can you, unless you abide in me. I am the vine; you are the branches. Whoever abides in me and I in him, he it is that bears much fruit, for apart from me you can do nothing." Bearing fruit in the Christian life requires abiding in Jesus.

Examples of fruits Christians should bear

Every Bible reading Christian knows that the Bible teaches forgiveness, hospitality, honesty, modesty, etc. and what is popularly referred to as the fruit of the Holy Spirit which are love, joy, peace, longsuffering, gentleness, goodness, faith, meekness, temperance (Galatians 5:22-23). These are the kind of fruit God desires from Christians. The fruit you are expected to bear is in the teachings of the Bible, by walking in obedience to God’s word, you will bear the good fruits expected of you.

8 signs that you are bearing fruit according to Apostle Peter

“But also for this very reason, giving all diligence, add to your faith virtue, to virtue knowledge, to knowledge self-control, to self-control perseverance, to perseverance godliness, to godliness brotherly kindness, and to brotherly kindness love. For if these things are yours and abound, you will be neither barren nor unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ. For he who lacks these things is shortsighted, even to blindness, and has forgotten that he was cleansed from his old sins”. 2 Peter 1:5-9.

I like the phrase “giving all diligence” – this means we are to be steady and careful in our application of what comes next in the verse. We are to be constant in our efforts of Peter’s instruction. This is active and ongoing – not just a one-time thing. Let’s work through our list of 8 signs of a fruit-bearing life.

1. **Faith**

In agreement with Hebrews 11, 1Peter begins with faith. Faith is a sign of bearing fruit. Faith is fully relying on God for provision, strength, courage...LIFE. It is recognizing that He is in full control of every single thing that happens in the world. Faith is usually forged in the midst of trials. So if you know someone who has incredible faith, know that they have likely experienced many opportunities throughout their life to grow their faith. Our faith is the foundation of fruit-bearing. Faith is the first sign of a fruit-bearing life.

2. **Virtue**

Peter then builds upon our faith with virtue. Virtue is defined as moral excellence or righteousness. Who is our righteousness? Who is our moral compass? Jesus Christ! We must not relinquish our morality because culture says otherwise. If we want to bear fruit, then we must hold fast to our morals, according to the Word of God. Even in the face of opposition! We live in a culture where biblical morals and virtue are fiercely opposed! Living a virtuous life is proof of bearing fruit. Virtue is the second sign of a fruit-bearing life.

3. **Knowledge**

To virtue, we add knowledge. Knowledge of what? Worldly things? I don't think so. Let's see if we can find other verses to get an understanding of what kind of knowledge. I want to find out which Greek word is used in this passage and look at other verses that use the same Greek word for knowledge. The Greek word used here is gnosis (knowledge, understanding).

I believe the fruit-bearing knowledge is the knowledge of God, spiritual knowledge, not earthly knowledge and if you aren't firstly gaining this spiritual knowledge, you won't be bearing good fruit. Knowledge is the third sign of a fruit-bearing life.

4. **Self-Control**

Adding to knowledge is self-control. I see many people try and justify self-reliance with self-control – falsely believing that they can overcome sin, unhealthy habits, etc on their own accord. We read in Galatians, though, that self-control is a fruit of the Holy Spirit – it is by God and not our own doing or our own strength. Rely on the Holy Spirit to give us self-control instead of our own power – our own power will falter and weaken. The strength and fruit of the Holy Spirit never will. Self-control is the fourth sign of a fruit-bearing life.

5. **Perseverance**

To self-control, we add perseverance. A dictionary definition of perseverance is this: Steady persistence in a course of action, a purpose, a state, especially in spite of difficulties, obstacles, or discouragement. What a fantastic definition! And Jesus said we would have troubles, didn't He? He said that we should not be surprised when problems and obstacles come our way. He told us! And yet, how many times are we shocked to encounter crisis after crisis? Peter tells us to persevere through these trials – when we persevere, we display the fruit of the Holy Spirit in our lives. So, keep going steadily. Perseverance is the fifth sign of a fruit-bearing life.

**C. Cathedral Youth Chapel
Regular Weekly Programmes**

- 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 3.00pm.

Sunday: 7.00am. & 10.00am. Services

Venue: Youth Chapel (2nd 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.
- 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**

E. Evangelical Ministry

i. Monthly Meeting

(a) 1st & 3rd Monday of the Month at 1st Floor, Vining House by 6.00pm.

(b) 2nd Saturday has been shifted to 3rd Saturday.

ii. Home Fellowships:

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

iii. Visitation:

Do you know any Parishioner who needs to be visited by the Church? Please send the name and address to the Evangelical Ministry, the Intercessors or the Dean for a follow-up.

F. Prisons & Hospital Ministry

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

G. Intercessory Ministry

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

H. Men & Women of Grace Fellowship

- 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 fellowshiping of God's grace every last Thursday of the month at 11.00am.

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. 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.

G. 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 NO 0004513499**. Account Name: Igbobi College. Kindly collect the form at the Igbobi College, Admission office, Yaba or download form from the college website www.igbobicollegeyaba.com.

H. Admission to Lagos Anglican Schools,

- Anglican Comp. High School, College Road, Ipaja,
- Anglican Girls Grammar School, Surulere,
- CMS Grammar School, Bariga
- Bishop Howells Memorial Grammar School, Bariga
- Lagos Anglican Nursery & Primary School, Bariga.

The forms for the above schools are out at the rate of **₦12,000**. Payment should be made 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. **Examination Date: Saturday, 4th June and Saturday 2nd July, 2022 at 8.00a.m.**

14. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

A. Children's Ministry

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

6. Godliness

Our sixth sign is Godliness. Godliness...so this doesn't just happen? There is a process to obtain godliness? We must have the other five signs happening before we even get to Godliness! What an amazing purpose for our lives! This is a GOOD thing!

Godliness is the sixth sign of a fruit-bearing life.

7. Kindness

Brotherly kindness is added to Godliness. I find this order interesting. Establishing Godliness happens before brotherly kindness. Godliness is not added to brotherly kindness. Maybe we need the glory of God shining in our lives in order to show kindness to our brothers and sisters in Christ. I am sure you have seen just as often as I have how many times we have not shown brotherly kindness to the family of God. How many of us have been hurt by other Christians? How many of us have experienced the warfare between Christians? This behavior does not display brotherly kindness and it certainly does not display Godliness! I pray that we will all begin bearing bountiful fruit in this area of our lives. Be attentive of how you treat fellow believers, be circumspect – constantly watchful – of how other disciples of Christ are treated. Don't allow for the unjust treatment of the very people you will be spending eternity with. Do something to help! Brotherly Kindness is the seventh sign of a fruit-bearing life.

8. Love

Lastly, add love to brotherly kindness. Love is the last detail. Like the cream of the crop, the Pièce de résistance. True, Godly love is impossible fruit to bear without all of the other 7 things...maybe that is why it is added last. Jesus said people will know we are His disciples if we love each other (John 13:35). What does it say to the world about Him and us when we don't show His love? When we don't even love our brothers and sisters in Christ? Let's show the world His amazing love. Love is the eighth sign of a fruit-bearing life.

Conclusion

Brethren, as we celebrate fathers today, let us be committed to bearing fruit of the Spirit. Let us show that we are connected to the Vine. Let us bear correct fruits, not sour or bad fruits. And, regarding the list of the fruits to bear as Christians, I don't think we need to excel in the first point before moving on to the next one – if that is the case, I'd still be working on number 1! I see this as each point working together as we grow and develop in our walk. When we have been working on one area for a time, the next sign just begins to develop.

I also don't think that we need to have it 'all together' in order to bear fruit – we don't have to have all of these things perfected before bearing fruit – like we can anyway!! But trust that as we work through these things and we stay with God in our walks, we will bear abundant fruit. Let's not become stagnant in bearing fruit. As for me, I never want to be a barren fruit tree – or a tree that bears bad fruit. I desire to bear abundant, rich, beautiful fruit for God. What about you?

7. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

June 12 – June 18

7.00 am Holy Communion	699
7.00 am Youth Service	161
7.00 am Sunday School	204
10.00 am Mattins	680
10.00 am Youth Service	203
10.00 am Sunday School	360
Tuesday Bible Study	75
Wednesday Holy Communion	161
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	50

8. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church

-  *Band of Grace Society*
-  *Band of Glory Society*
-  *Band of Light Society*
-  *Band of Mercy Society*
-  *Christian Unity Band*
-  *Fountain of Hope Society*
-  *Ladies Christian Circle*
-  *Ladies Progressive League*
-  *Lords Labourers Fellowship*
-  *Torchbearers Society*
-  *Good shepherd Society*
-  *The Lord Vessel Society*

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

9. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 19th June, 2022

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Dr. B. Ibidapo-Obe, Pharm. Deji Osinoiki, Pharm. Mrs Yomi Osinoiki, Mrs Nkiru Arah.

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Arinze Onubogu, Pharm. Ranti Adedeji, Mrs Bola Awobiyi, Sis. Nike Adefila.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday 26th June, 2022

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Olivier Akinola, Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Pharm. Chief Nwerri, Mrs Nkiru Arah, Mrs A. Amah-Jerry.

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Arinze Onubogu, Dr. Oladapo-Sanu, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Mrs Bola Awobiyi, Mrs Chinelo Emenike.

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 19th June - Saturday, 25th June, 2022

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

ii. Sunday 26th June - Saturday, 2nd July, 2022

Oyebanji Toba (**Captain**), Helen Arhagba, (**Assistant Captain**), Segun Adeniji, Chioma Obi, Caroline Omowhara, Juliet Chimezie, Funso Fagbuyiro, Kene Obimma, Chukwuemeka Osaka, Funmi Ladele, Ekweh Lilian, Michael Enujioké, Olusegun Esan, Enujioké Michael, Odibo Fanny Efe, Odanye Mojisola

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11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY TRINITY II

June 26

Theme: DIVINE TURN AROUND

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: *The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu*

Epistle: *Romans 6:3-11*

Layreader *Ada Ejikeme*

Gospel: *John 15:5-11*

Postulant *Damilare Ayenuyo*

Address: *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

THE YOUTH SERVICE

Venue: *The Adetiloye House*

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Preacher: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

10.00 am: MATTINS

Cantor: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

O.T. Reading: *Deuteronomy 6:17-25*

Layreader *Esther Jaiyeola*

N.T. Reading: *John 15:5-11*

Layreader *Elizabeth Osibajo*

Address: *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

6.00 pm: EVENSONG

Cantor: *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

Psalm: *32*

Lesson: *Acts 23:11-24*

Preacher: *Postulant Damilare Ayenuyo*

12. BANNES OF MARRIAGE

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

3RD NOTICE:

1. *Mr Nnamdi Okoli & Miss Chinelo Okafor*

2. *Mr Olutola Banjoko & Miss Omolara Isiolaotan*

2ND NOTICE:

1. *Mr Ani Ikenna & Miss Ginika Nwosu-Igbo*

13. 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 - 8.00am to 5.00pm

Closed on Saturday & Sunday.

We request everyone to make use of this opportunity.

15.

Friday, June 24 2022 Colour: White

7.00am Holy Communion

St. John the Baptist

Theme: The Birth & Ministry of John the Baptist

Celebrant: *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

Epistle: *Acts 13:14-26 – Lay. E. Jekiri*

Gospel: *Luke 1:57-66*

Hymns: *CONH 50, CONH 639, CONH 777*

Preacher: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Collect: Almighty God, whose servant John the Baptist was wonderfully born to fulfill Your purpose by preparing the way for the advent of Your Son: lead us to repent according to his preaching and after his example constantly to speak the truth, boldly rebuke vice and patiently suffer for the truth's sake; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Ken C. Ifemene, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ikwo.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Godwin Awoke, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ngbo.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Chikaodi Achonwa, Miss Blessing Aigbe, Mrs Funmilola Akinbobola, Master Akonuchekwu Okorocho, Mrs Unoma Aneke, Mrs Nnenna Atuchukwu, Mr Onyeka Orji, Chief Fred Ubaghaji.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Daramola Family, Dasar Family, David Family, David-Osuagwu Family, David-West Family, Dawodu Family, Deal Family, Dehinde Family, Deji-Bejide Family, Delaja Family.

6.00pm EFAC Meeting

6.30pm Choir Practice

Saturday, June 25, 2022 Colour: Green

7.00AM Holy Communion

Theme: Put off the old man

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Epistle: *Ephesians 4:17-22 – Lay. F. Ajibade*

Gospel: *Matthew 21:1-11*

Hymns: *CONH 57, CONH 644, CONH 791*

Preacher: *Postulant Damilare Ayenuyo*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Paul Udogu, his family and all members of the Missionary Diocese of Afikpo.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Paul Udogu, his family and all members of the Missionary Diocese of Afikpo.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Christiana Oluwatobi, Mr Onochie Iwugo, Miss Chika Ezeokoli, Miss Tolulope Mimiko, Mrs Helen Olajide, Miss Taiwo Olayemi, Ms Chimzi Ihunwo, Mrs Ogechi Osuji, Miss Feyikemi Akinyemi, Mrs Grace Njoku.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Dele-Alimi Family, Denedo Family, Denwinge Family, Deru Family, Diala Family, Diana Family, Dibiaelue Family, Dibiaezue Family, Diji Family, Dike Family.

Wedding

1.00pm *Mr Ifeanyichukwu Oti & Miss Emmanuella Nwankwo*

3.00pm Youth Fellowship

4.00pm Boys & Girls Brigade

4.00pm Baptism

14.

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**
12. When you stop Praying, you start ***Decaying*** - **Bishop Odedeji**
13. God does the best for those, who leave the ***Choice*** to Him - **Bishop Odedeji.**
14. Until 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 - (CONH 491)

1. Let Your blessings, Lord, attend us,
As we go out of this place,
And abiding in Your presence
Basking in Your joy and grace.
2. Let us in Your sight find favour
In all on which our hands lay
Make Your face Lord shine upon us
As You lead us on our way.
3. May Your heavenly peace surround us
Turn our darkness into light,
Give us strength, now and forever
So, to live within Your might.
4. God, our compassionate Father,
Look upon us with mercy
Let Your Name receive our praises
Now and for eternity. Amen.

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10. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, June 20, 2022 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Living worthy of the Divine calling

Celebrant: *The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu*

Epistle: *Ephesians 4:1-3- Lay. R. Okolo*

Gospel: *Matthew 19:13-22*

Hymns: *CONH 16, CONH 622, CONH 488*

Preacher: *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. David Obiosa, his family and all members of Diocese of Ndokwa.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Dr. Blessing Erifeta, his family and all members of the Diocese of Sapele.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Veronica Fadayomi, Mrs Funmilayo Adefarati, Mr Charles Monwuba, Mrs Hannah Olajide, Miss Precious Okonkwo, Dr. Japhet Olugbogi, Mrs Charity Onyedum, Master Kejotoni Olawale, Mrs Mary Awowede, Rev. Ayokunle Akindeinde.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Chinakwe Family, Chine Family, Chinemelu Family, Chinwoke Family, Chinwokwu Family, Chinwuba Family, Chinwuko Family, Chiobi Family, Chioke Family, Chisom-Nze Family.

12.00noon Social Welfare Ministry

3.00pm Standing Committee Meeting

6.30pm. Choir Practice

Tuesday, June 21, 2022 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Unity of believers

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Epistle: *Ephesians 4:4-6- Lay. N. Ochokwu*

Gospel: *Matthew 19:23-30*

Hymns: *CONH 30, CONH 625, CONH 490 (II)*

Preacher: *Postulant Damilare Ayenuyo*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Most Rev. Dr. Emmanuel Chukwuma, his family and all members of the Diocese of Enugu.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Aloysius Agbo, his family and all members of Diocese of Nsukka.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Modupe Kolawole, Mrs Juliet Chijindu, Mr Ikeh Ejikeme, Mrs Ebele Ugwumadu, Mrs Gladys Eke, Mrs Oluchi Gabriel, Mr Ikechukwu Nwanguma, Mr Jide Ogunkoya, Mr Victor Obiejesi, Mrs Taiwo Okubanjo, Mrs Comfort Onyemelukwe, Mr Patrick Uba, Mr Kenneth Udemba, Sir Folaranmi Osifuwa, Aare Adebayo Sodade.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Chivor Family, Christian Family, Christopher Family, Chukwu Family, Chukwudolue Family, Chukwudozie Family, Chukwudum Family, Chukwuemeka Family, Chukwuemela Family, Chukwuere Family.

5.00pm - 6.00pm Intercessory Prayer

6.00 pm BIBLE STUDY

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Wednesday, June 22, 2022

Colour: Green

Family Week

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Grace given to each one of us

Celebrant: *The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu*

Epistle: *Ephesians 4:7-11- Lay. E. Randle*

Gospel: *Matthew 20:1-16*

Hymns: *CONH 124, CONH 632, CONH 633, CONH 22*

Preacher: *The Dean*

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Monday Chukwuma Nkwoagu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Abakaliki.
- ❖ For the Most Rev. Amos A. Madu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Oji River.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Titilayo Idowu, Mrs Feyikemi Akin-Sodipo, Princess Shola Oshunleti, Mrs Joy Asikoko, Mrs Kelechi Akparanta-Nnamdi, Chief Olaseni Awosika, Mr Ndubuisi Ebiliekwe, Mrs Comfort Oladele, Mrs Chika Osueke, Mrs Omolola Onabokun, Capt. Adekunbi Olusoga, Mrs Mary Ineh, Mr Tobechukwu Ifeanyi-Uchefuna, Mrs Iretiola Egbedeyi, Miss Ngozi Amah.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Chukwujioke Family, Chukwuka Family, Chukwukelu Family, Chukwuma Family, Chukwura Family, Clement Family, Cletus Family, Coker Family, Cole Family, Cookey Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

6.00pm PRAYER MEETING

THEME: LIFT UP THY ROD – Exod. 14:19

Thursday, June 23, 2022 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: The purpose of spiritual gifts

Celebrant: *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

Epistle: *Ephesians 4:12-16 -Lay. L. Obisesan*

Gospel: *Matthew 20:17-28*

Hymns: *CONH 47, CONH 630, CONH 485*

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

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Benson Chukwunweike, his family and all members of the Diocese of Awgu/Aninri.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Engr. Sosthenes Ikechukwu Eze, his family and all members of the Diocese of Enugu North.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Iretiola Egbedeyi, Miss Ngozi Amah, Miss Oyinosola Adesulu, Chief Adetona Balogun, Mrs Olufunmilayo Enoch, Mr Jayson Umebuani, Mr Okey Igbokwe, Miss Justina Ajibodu, Miss Ekene Iwugo, Mr Uzochukwu Ogbuh, Mr Obiora Udukife, Chief (Mrs) Alice Osomo, Mr Collins Nwakor, Mr Jonathan Okongwu, Mr Ugochukwu Oporum.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Dachon Family, Dada Family, Daina Family, Dairo Family, Daisi Family, Dalumo Family, Damilola Family, Dania Family, Daniel Family, Dappa Family..

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