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The Dean; The Society Chaplains; Presidents & Secretaries of Societies
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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, 31st July - Saturday, 6th August, 2022

TRINITY VII

THEME: REDEMPTION IS OF GOD
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 – 31st July, 2022

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin
The Epistle: Chiamanda Edozie-Nnana
The Gospel: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon
Preacher: Angel Nwabueze
Intercessor: Chukwunweike Ndu

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 173
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – **The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi**
- ❖ The Epistle: Galatians 5:16-26
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 917
- ❖ The Gospel: Luke 6:27-38
- ❖ **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: Sunday School Anthem & Renditions, CONH 871 (I)
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 109
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ **Thanksgiving:**
 - i. Harvest Thanksgiving
 - a. Count your Blessing - Envelopes
 - b. Chairpersons, Chief Launchers, Special Guests & Guest of Honour
 - c. Sunday School and other Children
 - d. The Congregation
 - e. Sir Sam Ubachukwu & Family Thanksgiving
 - ii. Family Harvest*as indicated*..... (page 22)
 - iii. Alphabet Harvest (**Identifying Alphabets O&P**)
 - iv. Mrs Joy Nwoye thanking God for her granddaughter's birthday (Chimamanda Emmanuel) 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 EVANGELI CAL 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

BANK	ACCOUNT NUMBER	SORT CODE	PURPOSE
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, 31st July, 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 31st July, 2022

7.00am: Pharm. Chief Sir. Sam Ubachukwu & Family, Mrs Titilayo O Gundana & Family.

10.00am: Engr. George Olumoroti & Family, Engr. Godfrey Chinwokwu & Family, Chief Adebola Ogunsanya & Family, Mr Okorocho Obidike & Family, The Muiyiwa Talabi Family.

B. Alphabet Harvest for today - Sunday 31st July, 2022

7.00am & 10.0am: Group 4: Alphabet O & P

C. Family Harvest for next - Sunday 7th Aug, 2022

7.00am: Dr. (Mrs) Olawunmi Ashiru & Family.

10.00am: Mrs Victor-Osho & Family.

E. Society Harvest for next - Sunday 7th August, 2022

10.00am: Christian Household Society.

2022 Harvest activities are as stated below.

- a. Alphabet Harvest /Clergy/Family/Society- June – Nov.
- b. Children Harvest - 31st July, 2022
- c. Youth Harvest - 28th Aug, 2022
- d. Corporate & Professional - 11th Sept, 2022
- e. National Harvest - 25th Sept. 2022
- f. All Ministries Harvest - 9th Oct. 2022
- g. All Women's Harvest - 16th Oct. 2022
- h. Senior Citizen Harvest - 23rd Oct. 2022
- i. Adult Harvest - 30th Oct. 2022
- j. Church Leaders Harvest - 6th Nov. 2022
- k. Diaspora Harvest - 13th Nov. 2022
- l. Landmark Harvest - 20th Nov. 2022
- m. Bishop's Harvest - 27th Nov. 2022
- n. Family Thanksgiving - 4th – 18th Dec. 2022
- o. Harvest Flag Handover - 8th Jan. 2023

B. 10.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon
The Epistle: Chibundu Ebube
The Gospel: The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi
Preacher: Aderiyike Omikunle
Intercessor: Joseph Nwantok

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 171
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin
- ❖ The Epistle: Galatians 5:16-26
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 917
- ❖ The Gospel: Luke 6:27-38
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{First Fruit, Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed, Sunday Offering & All other offerings}

- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: Sunday School Anthem & Renditions, CONH 587
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 944
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ **Thanksgiving:**
 - i. Harvest Thanksgiving
 - a. Count your Blessing - Envelopes
 - b. Chairpersons, Chief Launchers, Special Guests & Guest of Honour
 - c. Sunday School and other Children
 - d. The Congregation
 - e. Thanksgiving by Megachem Nigeria Limited
 - ii. Family Harvest*as indicated*..... (page 22)
 - iii. Alphabet Harvest (**Identifying Alphabets O&P**)
 - iv. Engr. & Mrs Godfrey Chinwokwu thanking God for 3rd birthday of their daughter (Ebube), God's divine protection and numerous blessings.
 - v. 21st wedding anniversary thanksgiving of Mr & Mrs Obidike Okorocho & God's numerous blessings.
 - vi. Thanksgiving after the successful burial of Late Mrs Comfort Ireffin & journey mercies.
- ❖ For Doxology.....(pg 11)
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 607 (*Pg..... 9*)

C. EVENTS AHEAD

1. Christian Mothers Bible Study – Monday, 1st August, 2022 at 5.00pm. Venue: Lady Chapel.
2. Youth Harvest – Sunday, 28th August, 2022.
3. DLW Choral Competition – Sunday, 4th Sept. 2022 at 4.00pm.
4. Cathedral Choir Choral Programme II - Sunday, 21st August, 2022 at 5.00pm.
5. Intersociety Bible Quiz Competition -Sunday, 11th September, 2022 at 2.00pm.
6. Professional Harvest – Sunday, 11th Sept. 2022
7. National Harvest - Sunday, 25th Sept. 2022
8. Intersociety Hymn Singing – Sunday, 2nd October, 2022 at 4.00pm.
9. 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 July 31, 2022 | - Children Harvest |
| 2. Sunday Aug. 7, 2022 | - Christian Morning Star |
| 3. Sunday Aug 14, 2022 | - Daughters of Light |
| 4. Sunday, Aug. 21, 2022 | - Choir Choral (II) |
| 5. Sunday, Aug. 28, 2022 | - Youth Harvest |
| 6. Sunday, Sept. 4, 2022 | - DLW Choral Competition |
| 7. Sunday, Sept. 11, 2022 | - Good Shepherd |
| 8. Sunday, Sept. 18, 2022 | - Good Samaritan |
| 9. Sunday, Sept. 25, 2022 | - National Harvest |
| 10. Sunday, Oct. 2, 2022 | - Intersociety Singing |

2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY VII

Introductory Sentence

But now that you have been set free from sin and have become slaves of God, the return you get is sanctification and its end, eternal life. **Romans 6:22.**

Collects for the Week:

Almighty God, Who sent Your Holy Spirit to be the life and light of Your Church; open our hearts to the riches of His grace that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit in love and joy and peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Post Communion Sentence

Live as children of light, for the fruit of light consists in all goodness, righteousness and truth. **Ephesians 5:8&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.

LIST OF INTERESTED SOCIETIES FOR 2022 BIBLE QUIZ

1. AGAPE CHRISTIAN SISTERS
2. ANGLICAN FELLOWSHIP
3. BAND OF FAITH
4. BAND OF GRACE
5. BAND OF GLORY
6. BAND OF LIGHT
7. BAND OF MERCY
8. BAND OF PEACE
9. BUSY BEES
10. CHARITY BAND
11. CHRISTIAN FAMILY SOCIETY
12. DAUGHTERS OF LIGHT
13. FOUNTAIN OF HOPE
14. GOOD SHEPHERD SOCIETY
15. LORD'S LABOURERS FELLOWSHIP
16. LORD'S VESSEL
17. YOUNG MEN CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
18. YOUNG WOMEN CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION
19. LIGHT OF THE WORLD

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

Altar Server Robes - N1,617,500

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

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

400 Plastic Chairs for the Halls

80 Plastic Tables for the Halls

Desktop Computer System

Sharp Copier Machine (AR7024B) N600,000 =

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 Mission 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.

18. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. Christian Mothers Bible Study comes up on Monday, 1st August, 2022 at 5.00pm. **Topic:** Emotional intelligence relevance to women. **Speaker:** Dr. (Mrs) Nike Olaolu.
- ii. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1st Thursday of the Month. **Venue:** The AVMCC Main Sanctuary. **Time:** 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- iii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers - Every 1st Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iv. Fasting & Prayer for Christian Mothers - Every last Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- v. **Adult Education Programme:** This course is for young and old every Monday & Wednesday by 3.30pm at the Vining Hall.
- vi. 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 father Dr. Tunji Aro of Medical Ministry. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Service of Songs: On Wednesday, 3rd August, 2022 at Adetiloye Hall by 4.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Thursday, 4th August, 2022 at AVMCC by 9.00am.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Ajoke Ahubelem (wife of Ven. Azubike Ahubelem). Aged: 62 years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Service of Songs: On Thursday, 11th August, 2022 at Vining Hall by 4.00pm.
Commendation Service: On Friday, 12th August, 2022 at AVMCC by 9.00am.
Funeral Service: On Wednesday, 17th August, 2022 at Amauzari, Imo State by 9.00am.
- iii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Mary Oriaku Elezie (Mother of Ven. Chuks Elezie). Aged: 78 years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Service of Songs: On Thursday, 1st September, 2022 at Umuogo Ubakala, Umuahia, Abia State by 4.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 2nd September, 2022 at Holy Trinity Anglican Church, Ubakala Umuahia by 10.00am.
- iv. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother Mrs Esther Babalola of Band of Grace Society. Aged: 86years. Burial arrangements are as follows:
Service of Songs: On Wednesday, 14th September, 2022 at her residence by 4.00pm.
Wake-Keep Service: On Thursday, 15th September, 2022 at AVMCC Vining Hall by 4.00pm.
Funeral Service: On Friday, 16th September, 2022 at AVMCC by 9.00am.

B. VACANCIES

- i. 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.
- ii. 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.

C. ANNUAL HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Daughters of Light Annual Holiday Programme comes up on Monday, 1st – Saturday, 6th August, 2022. **Venue:** Vining Hall, AVMCC, Ikeja. **Registration Fee:** N5,000. **Activities:** Bible Lessons, Art & Craft, Makeup & Gele, Sex education, Drug Abuse, Choreography, Career/Health Talk, Quiz competition etc.

20.

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, 31ST JULY, 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 God will increase them in Godly wisdom.
- ii. For the Most Rev. Simeon Borokini, his family and all members of the Diocese of Akure.

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 the whole world will experience peace and victory all around over COVID-19 pandemic in Jesus Name.
- iii. That the grace that disgrace all insults and usher in newness for higher level shall fall upon every Christian all over the world.
- iv. That every Islamization agenda, law and enactment in Nigeria shall be exposed and frustrated.
- v. That this year shall be a joyful year for all members of AVMCC.

C. Prayers for AVMCC Members

- i. That God will bless and prosper every lawful endeavour, business and works of all our members.
- ii. That the lives of our Youth shall be preserved.
- iii. That the anointing to be exempted from evil shall rest upon all members.

D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Jibowu Family, Jibueze Family, Jideani Family, Jide-Fadiya Family, Jinadu Family, Jinwa Family, Jacobs, Family, Joel Family, Joe-Nwagbo Family, John Family.

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

- i. For Mr Ademola Adejuwon, Mrs Sabinah Aderoba, Mr Adetilewa Agboola, Mrs Oluyemi Fasokun, Mr Chika Iwuchukwu, Miss Adachukwu Kanu, Mrs Morenike Opanuga, Miss Uchechi Oporum, Mr Alfred Adiele, Miss Chimamanda Emmanuel Nwoye, Mrs Uchendu Nwobia, Miss Omowunmi Koyi, Miss Ijeoma Okechukwu, Mrs Evangeline Akintobi, Mrs Chizoba Nador and others who are celebrating their birthdays today.
- ii. For those having their Wedding Anniversaries or any other positive Anniversaries today.

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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 Roseline Anyadikwa, Mr Samuel Chukwudum.

G. Prayers For: The barren, the pregnant, spinsters, bachelors, the jobless and the homeless among us that God will open a book of remembrance covering them all and help them speedily to the shame of the devil, removing their reproaches.

**5. THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK
SUNDAY, 31ST JULY, 2022**

THEME: REDEMPTION IS OF GOD

READINGS: PSALM 119:49-64; EZEKIEL 36:24-28; GALATIANS 5:16-26; LUKE 6:27-38.

The dictionary defines redemption as: 1. the action of saving or being saved from sin, error, or evil. 2. the action of regaining or gaining possession of something in exchange for payment, or clearing a debt. However, the Holy Bible gives us a true picture of what redemption is in Christianity. Romans 5:8-11 specifies,

“But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us. Since we have now been justified by his blood, how much more shall we be saved from God’s wrath through him! For if, while we were God’s enemies, we were reconciled to him through the death of his Son, how much more, having been reconciled, shall we be saved through his life! Not only is this so, but we also boast in God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have now received reconciliation.”

Historically, the believers in the early church belonged to three social groups. Slaves, former slaves, and people who were born free. Slaves in the Roman Empire were always not slaves. They were forced into slavery by the circumstances of life. By the time the New Testament Church was formed however the slave community of Rome consisted mostly of people that were born into slavery.

Like any human being, slaves also desired to be free. Therefore at times, they ran away from their masters, in search of everlasting freedom. According to Roman Law, however, a runaway slave was still a slave. Running away did not set him free. Not legally. In fact, he had to keep on running to avoid capture by his master and it was only a matter of time until he was captured. Under Roman law, a slave had to meet one out of three conditions in order to receive his freedom.

19. BIBLE IN ONE YEAR

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

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| 1. July | 31 st Sunday | - | Job 21-24 |
| 2. August | 1 st Monday | - | Job 25-27 |
| 3. August | 2 nd Tuesday | - | Job 28-31 |
| 4. August | 3 rd Wednesday | - | Job 32-34 |
| 5. August | 4 th Thursday | - | Job 35-37 |
| 6. August | 5 th Friday | - | Job 38-42 |
| 7. August | 6 th Saturday | - | Psalms 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 expatriated 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)

A. He was free if he repaid the money his master paid for him. (It's ironic because slaves did not possess any money.)

B. He was free if his master voluntarily decided to set him free. (Also known as "Manumission"). Slave owners rarely released their slaves unless they were old and too weak to work anymore. Such slaves when freed, often died in the street due to starvation or sickness.

C. A slave was free to go if someone else bought him his freedom by paying the owner. This was known as "the act of redeeming". Unfortunately, people rarely wanted to pay for someone else's freedom. Sometimes the act of redemption was carried out with other ulterior motives in mind, which landed the slave in worse situations.

We are sharing these historical facts with you because it's a perfect analogy to explain the condition we suffered before we met Christ. All of us were slaves to the sinful nature we inherited from birth. We were slaves to its fruit until Christ came and died for us in an act of redemption.

Therefore, in the light of these, I want to share with you 4 key truths about the redemption Christ offers us.

1) Religion cannot redeem Us

"Then the man and his wife heard the sound of the LORD God moving about in the orchard at the breezy time of the day, and they hid from the LORD God among the trees of the orchard". (Genesis 3:8 – NET)

The religious man is like the runaway slave. Perhaps religion can put a safe distance between a man and sin. But it cannot rid him of it. It's only a matter of time before sin will catch up to him. Therefore religion cannot redeem us.

2) Good works can't redeem Us

"All of us have become like one who is unclean, and all our righteous acts are like filthy rags; we all shrivel up like a leaf, and like the wind, our sins sweep us away". (Isaiah 64:6 – NIV)

Religion teaches anyone can go to heaven if they are good. But being good is like the slave who wishes to buy his freedom. He can only wish because he doesn't have money to do so. Likewise, the price of redemption is so high, that acts of righteousness are not enough. Therefore good works can't redeem us either.

3) **False Saviors can't redeem Us**

"Beloved, do not believe every spirit but test the spirits to see whether they are from God, for many false prophets have gone out into the world". (1 John 4:1 – ESV)

According to Wikipedia, there are at least 450-500 known cults around the globe today. Cults vary from one to another. But the majority of them share two characteristics in common. First, the founders of these cults are self-proclaimed Messiahs. Second, they preach Jesus is not the savior. They preach lies, and lies cannot redeem anyone but land us in far worse situations.

4) . **Only Jesus can redeem Us**

"For God so loved the world, that he gave his only Son, that whoever believes in him should not perish but have eternal life. For God did not send his Son into the world to condemn the world, but in order that the world might be saved through him". (John 3:16-18 – NIV)

"For you were bought at a price. Therefore glorify God with your body". (1 Corinthians 6:20 – NET)

In the ancient world, slaves were very expensive property. Hence anyone who wished to set a slave free paid a hefty price to the slave's rightful owner thus carrying out the act of redemption. Sometimes the price paid was a lot more than the slave was worth.

Likewise, freedom from sin also requires an enormous price. The Bible calls it the blood of a sinless person. But nobody is sinless except Christ. Hence he suffered and died on a cross-carrying out the act of redemption needed for our freedom. Therefore redemption is found in nothing but Christ only.

Conclusion

We no longer need to be slaves on the run because Jesus has already paid the price and earned us our freedom. If you desire to be redeemed from being a slave to sin, please give your life to Jesus.

C. Cathedral Youth Chapel Regular Weekly Programmes

- i. Strictly Feminine - Every 3rd Saturday of the month.
- ii. Just 4 Guys – Every 3rd Saturday of the month at 3.00p.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. 000am.

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 Christian environment, also visit the restaurant for tasty and affordable meals all located at the 3rd Floor of Vining house within the Church complex. Laundry services are also available. Contact us on 09158070000 and 09158060000.

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 **N10,000**. Payment should be made into **Union Bank Acct N0 0004513499**. Account Name: Igbobi College. Kindly collect the form at the Igbobi College, Admission office, Yaba 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 **N12,000**. 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.

I. 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 amongst 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.

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.

WITHDRAWAL HYMN FOR 10.00AM

1. Alleluia! Sing to Jesus
His the sceptre, His the throne;
Alleluia! His the triumph
His the victory alone;
Hark! The songs of peaceful Zion,
Thunder like a mighty flood,
Jesus out of every nation,
Has redeemed us by His blood.
2. Alleluia! Not as orphans
Are we left in sorrow now.
Alleluia! He is near us
Faith believes, nor questions how.
Though the clouds from sight received Him
When the forty days were o'er,
Shall our hearts forget His promise,
'I am with you evermore'.
3. Alleluia! Bread of angels
Thou on earth our food, our stay;
Alleluia! Here the sinful
Flee to Thee from day to day.
Intercessor, Friend of sinners,
Earth's Redeemer, plead for me,
Where the songs of all the sinless
Sweep across the crystal sea.
4. Alleluia! King eternal
Thee, the Lord of lords we own.
Alleluia! Born of Mary
Earth Thy footstool, heaven Thy throne
Thou within the veil have entered,
Robed in flesh, our Great High Priest,
Thou on earth both Priest and Victim,
In the Eucharistic feast. Amen

7. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

July 24 – July 30

7.00 am Holy Communion	726
7.00 am Youth Service	106
7.00 am Sunday School	428
10.00 am Mattins	502
10.00 am Youth Service	128
10.00 am Sunday School	241
Tuesday Bible Study	45
Wednesday Holy Communion	121
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	85

8. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church

✚ *Anglican Fellowship Executive*

✚ *Lords Labourers Fellowship*

9. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 31st July, 2022

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Dr. B. Ibidapo-Obe, Pharm. Y. Olorunsola, Mrs Gina Okolo.

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

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday 7th August, 2022

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. Babatunde Ibidapo-Obe, Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Mrs Nkiru Arah, Mrs A. Amah-Jerry.

10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Remi Oladapo-Sanu, Dr. Arinze Onubogu, Pharm. Ranti Adedeji, Pharm. Y. Olorunsola, Mrs E. Osibajo, Sis. Boladuro Ajibola.

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 31st July - Saturday, 6th August, 2022

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 Enujioké, Nwaorgu Chinedu, Okedurum Andrew.

ii. Sunday 7th Aug - Saturday, 13th August, 2022

Funso Fagbuyiro, (**Captain**), Helen Arhagba (**Assistant Captain**), Adeyemi Muyiwa, Goke Uthman, Juliet Chimezie, Helen Arhagba, Caroline Omowhara, Jones Bassej; Kene Obimma, Chukwuemeka Osaka, Bolaji Dania, Funmi Ladele, Ekwegh Lilian, Michael Enujioké, Olusegun Esan, Jemerigbe Helen I, Odibo Fanny Efe, Odanye Mojisola.

11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY TRINITY VIII

August 7

Theme: FIGHTING WITH THE RIGHT ARMOUR

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Dean

Epistle: Ephesians 6:10-20

Layreader F. Okey-Ogbu

Gospel: John 17:11b-19

The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

Address: The Dean

THE YOUTH SERVICE

Venue: The Adetiloye House

Celebrant: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

Preacher: The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin

10.00am: HOLY COMMUNION

PRISONS & HOSPITAL MINISTRY ANNIVERSARY

Celebrant: The Dean

Epistle: Ephesians 6:10-20

Prisons & Hospital

Gospel: John 17:11b-19

The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

Address: The Dean

6.00pm: EUCHARIST WITH ANOINTING

Celebrant: The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi

Epistle: Ephesians 6:10-20

Gospel: John 17:11b-19

Address: The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon

12. BANNINGS OF MARRIAGE

We publish the Bannings 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 Nzube Okafor & Miss Chidinma Udoji

2. Mr Chukwuemeka Okoli & Miss Chinenye Onuorah

2ND NOTICE:

1. Mr Bolaji Daisi & Miss Tamunoene Hart

2. Mr Chinonso Okeke & Miss Chiemelie Akah

1ST NOTICE:

1. Mr Abiola Babajide & Miss Atinuke Omonijo

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.

Friday, August 5, 2022 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Put out self commendation

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Epistle: *2 Cor. 3:1-3 – Lay. Funmi Alo*

Gospel: *John 2:1-12*

Hymns: *CONH 30, CONH 627, CONH 494*

Preacher: *The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Jonah G. Kolo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Bida.
- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Simeon P. Mutum, his family and his ministry. For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Mercy Adewole, Miss Nnoyelum Igwe, Mr Efeoghene Kagho, Miss Ademilola Adesida, Mrs Louisa Nzekwe, Miss Oluwaseun Oyediran, Mr Augustine Okagbue, Mr Ikechukwu Ojukwu, Mr Fred Ozonweke, Mr Bamidele Omianwele, Mr Oluwapelumi Osinubi, Mr Adeyemi Ogunniran.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Lawale Family, Lawani Family, Lawanson Family, Layiwola Family, Lebi Family, Legg-Jack Family, Levi Family, Lewis Family, Mac-Eze Family, Mabawonku Family.

10.00am Blessing
Mr Echezona Obi & Mrs Ebere Obi

6.00pm EFAC Meeting

6.30pm Choir Practice

Saturday, August 6, 2022 Colour: White

The Transfiguration of our Lord

7.00AM Holy Communion

Theme: Keep eternal life in mind

Celebrant: *The Rev. Ayodeji Oluwatusin*

Epistle: *II Cor. 3:4-18 – Lay. A. Okpara*

Gospel: *Luke 9:28-36*

Hymns: *CONH 47, CONH 632, CONH 625*

Preacher: *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

Collect: Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before He suffered death upon the cross: give us faith to perceive His glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with Him and be changed into His likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit, One God now, and forever. Amen.

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Rev. Peter J. Imasuen, his family and all members of the Diocese of Benin.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Alfred Aladeshe, Mrs Imelda Madubuike, Mr Olufela Beckley, Mrs Precious Mbagwu, Mrs Francesca Omowunmi, Mr Babatunde Obadare, Mr Austin Otoighile, Mr Ladipo Jones, Mrs Martina Bakake-Ladipo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Madu Family, Maduakor Family, Maduamezia Family, Madubuike Family, Madubulum Family, Madueke Family, Maduwesi Family, Madukwe Family, Madululum Family, Madumere Family.

11.30am Wedding
Mr Ibraheem Fashola & Miss Oluwakemi Adekunbi

1.00pm Wedding
Mr Oladele Akingbolagun & Miss Bukunola Danmola

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. 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 - (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, August 1, 2022 Colour: Green

6.00am Hour of Blessings

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Comfort in times of trouble

Celebrant: *The Rev. Dr. Samuel Opaaje*

Epistle: *2 Cor. 1:1-7- Lay. M. Oshikoya*

Gospel: *John 1:1-18*

Hymns: *CONH 97, CONH 611, CONH 488*

Preacher: *The Rev. Samuel Dahunsi*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Most Revd. Joseph Akinfenwa, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ibadan.
- ❖ For the Most Revd. 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 Ifeoma Agbasi, Miss Somto Obi.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Johnson Family, Jonah-Jack Family, Jonathan Family, Joshua Family, Joseph Family, Josiah Family, Josian Family, Jumbo Family, Kabala Family, Kagho Family.

12noon Social Welfare Ministry

5.00pm Christian Mothers Bible Study

6.30pm. Choir Practice

Tuesday, August 2, 2022 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Fellow workers of joy

Celebrant: *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

Epistle: *2 Cor. 1:8-24- Lay. Olamide Ola*

Gospel: *John 1:19-28*

Hymns: *CONH 84, CONH 616, CONH 490 (II)*

Preacher: *The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Most Rev. Edmund Akanya, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kebbi.
- ❖ For the Most Rev. Benjamin A. Kwashi, his family and all members of Diocese of Jos.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Elder Benson Olorunhundo, Mrs Sope Samo-Omofade, Mr Ebere Ofokeke, Mr Jesse Imongan, Mrs Adebimpe Opatoye, Mr Olalekan Oroge, Mr Adetola Adebajo, Mrs Chinelo Chukwuka, Mr Kayode Oni, Mr Oladiran Areo, Miss Chika Azike, Mr Michael Famuyide, Mr Adesina Odedina, Mr Emeka Ofuokwu, Mr Emmanuel Onyegbule, Mr Andrew Okedurum, Sir. Michael Okolo, Mrs Adebisi Olagoke, Mr Yombo Onasanya, Mr Efe Odibo.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Kalejaye Family, Kanu Family, Kanttock Family, Kareem Family, Kayode Family, Kehinde Family, Kejotoni Family, Kenneth Family, Kene-Nwegbe Family, Ketiku Family.

5.00pm - 6.00pm Intercessory Prayer

6.00 pm BIBLE STUDY

12.

Wednesday, August 3, 2022 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Be an advocate of reconciliation

Celebrant: *The Ven. Gbenga Oniye*

Epistle: *2 Cor. 2:1-13- Lay. Ada Ejikeme*

Gospel: *John 1:29-42*

Hymns: *CONH 490 (I), CONH 622, CONH 625, CONH 777*

Preacher: *The Dean*

- ❖ For the Most Rev. Emmanuel Egbunu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Lokoja.
- ❖ For the Most Rev. Michael Fape, his family and all members of the Diocese of Remo.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Gbemisola Oyegoke, Mr Olakunle Sodipo, Mrs Jessica King, Mr Dennise Agbasi, Mr Isaac Amusan, Mrs Elizabeth Odukwe, Mrs Olubunmi Akinniran, Mr Ifeanyi Ebonugwu, Mr Joseph Eke, Mr Bolaji Oduba, Mr Bolarinwa Osilaye, Mrs Marian Shenge, Mr Obinna Chukwu.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Keyomah Family, Kilo Family, King Family, Kodaolu Family, Koiku Family, Kolawole Family, Komolafe Family, Kosonye Family, Koya Family, Koyi Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

4.00pm Service of Songs for Late Dr. Tunji Areo
Adetiloye Hall.

6.00pm PRAYER MEETING

THEME: VISIT WITH THY MERCY OH LORD –
PSALM 119:149, LUKE 1:78-79

Thursday, August 4, 2022 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: The aroma of the Gospel of Christ

Celebrant: *The Rev. Kayode Fasogbon*

Epistle: *2 Cor. 2:14-17 -Lay. P. Oghenekaro*

Gospel: *John 1:43-51*

Hymns: *CONH 72, CONH 623, CONH 491*

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

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Nathaniel N. Inyom, his family and all members of the Diocese of Makurdi.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Zakka L. Nyam, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kano.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Chief (Mrs) Helen Adewale, Mrs Adetoun Atere, Miss Layo Tetede, Mrs Abisoye Fajebe, Dr. Ayodeji Badejo, Mrs Adetokunbo Ojo, Mrs Amaka Enujiokwe, Miss Chinwe Cletus, Mr Obozie Onwughai, Mr Godwin Chibuzor, Mrs Chiamaka Sam-Maduka,
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Kunnu Family, Kupoluyi Family, Kuranky Family, Kurubo Family, Labiyi Family, Ladeinde Family, Ladele Family, Ladipo Family, Lateef Family, Lasisi Family..

9.00am Funeral Service for Late Dr. Tunji Areo

11.00am 60th birthday of Prof. Ayodeji Badejo

1.00pm Birthday Service for Chief Olorunda
Akinwande and Mrs Abeke Akinwande

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