#### 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.

#### For Booking of all Services of the Church

The Dean; The Canon Residentiary

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The Dean; Chief (Mrs.) Grace Odukomaiya 08033247831

For Cathedral Societies

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

#### D. For The Elderly Ministry

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

#### Ε. For The Evangelical Ministry

The Dean; The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju; Mr. Cyril Mgbamoka 07053334081

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Mr Tunji Odeneye The Dean: The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere: 08033163337

#### For the Children Ministry

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The Dean, Rev. Canon Ayodeji Oluwatusin; Chief (Mrs.) Funmi Ogunbadejo - 08033025033; Miss Bolanle Joseph - 08025490166

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The Dean, The Rev. Canon Ayodeji Oluwatusin; Mrs C.F. Akinrotimi -08022791113; Mr Ayo Tetede - 08020691247

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The Dean; The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere; Prof. (Mrs.) Ronke Akinsete 08023000496

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The Dean; Dr. (Mrs) Irene Okwerekwu - 08023078162

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The Dean; The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere; Mr Tunji Odeneye -0803-3163337; Dr (Mrs) Oyin Ilo - 09085019413

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The Dean; The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere, Sir. Godson I. Chijindu 08033025458

#### For Singles' and Couples' Fellowship

The Dean; Rev. Canon Ayodeji Oluwatusin; Mr. Steve Aladesawe -08033261047

#### For Intercessory Ministry

The Dean; Engr. T. Adejuyigbe- 08037227105

#### For Sports Ministry

The Dean; The Canon Residentiary, Mr Desmond Odiase- 08033066901 Mr Steve Ahua - 07038816041

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#### S. For Cathedral Christian Mothers Matters

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#### For Chaplains to Societies

The Dean; The Canon Residentiary

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The Dean, Mrs. Tola Famade - 0803-3109378,

#### For Booking of the Guest House

Mr. Kehinde Akinola - 08023050022; Tobi Balogun - 08033716752

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The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu	0806-2230010
The Ven. Gbenga Oniye	0803-3564593
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The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Chijioke Okere	0802-3270247
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The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju	0802-4060758
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Our Vision:

"CHRIST FOR ALL NATIONS"

Our 2023 Theme:

"THE LORD WILL FIGHT FOR YOU" Exodus 14:14.

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, 20th August - Saturday, 26th August, 2023

TRINITY XI

New Life in Christ Theme:

Sub-Theme: Harvest of Divine Victory

YOUTH HARVEST

Colour: GREEN

Dr. Dayo Omogbehin Sir. Charles Ojo Cathedral Warden Cathedral Warden

> The Ven. Ebenezer Adewole Dean of the Cathedral

The Rt. Rev. Dr. James O. Odedeji The Bishop, Diocese of Lagos West Please Take A Copy

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

1. SERVICES FOR SUNDAY - 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2023

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION YOUTH HARVEST

Celebrant: The Rev. Adefope Adetujoye

The Epistle: Mr Excel Ofulue

The Gospel: The Rev. Michael Obembe

Preacher: Miss Faith Akoyi Intercessor: Mr Johnson Fawole

Processional Hymn: CONH 171

Praise & Worship

Preparation to Penitence – Mr Victor Adebayo
 The Epistle II Corinthians 5:14-6:2

❖ Gradual Hymn: A Time like this (*Tune*:

Higher ground)...pg 9

• The Gospel: John 17:20-26

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: Special Number / Worships Songs

(by the Cathedral Youth)

❖ The Ablution: In Christ Alone

Post Communion Prayer

Thanksgiving:

i. Harvest Thanksgiving

a. Clergy Harvest: *The Rev. Canon Ayodeji* 

Oluwatusin & his family

b. Chairperson, Distinguished Guests & Special Guests

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Agape - (January – March) Lord's Favour- (April – June) Triumphant- (July – September)

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35, 40 and 45 years. Business Landmark Anniversaries – 18, 21, 25, 30, 45

iv. Business Landmark Anniversaries – 18, 21, 25, 30, 45 40 and 45 years.

v. Mr & Mrs Joe Azike thanking God for His mercies, Faithfulness and God's numerous blessings.

Doxology

Benediction

Notices

Diocesan Anthem

❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 551

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.



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25.	AVMCC E	BANK ACCOU	NTS DETAILS
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	<b>NUMBER</b>	<b>CODE</b>	
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			Thanksgiving
 GTB	0570015856	058152120	
GIB	05/0015850	058152120	Offering& Thanksgiving
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# \*HARVEST NEWS\*

HARVEST OF DIVINE VICTORY

(Exodus 14:14, Deut 20:4)

# A. Family Harvest for today Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2023

7.00am: Mr Olajide Afolabi & Family, Sir John Ubaka & Family, Mr Ossie Nwankwu & Family, Mr Gabriel Ojo & Family, Sir. David Nwobi & Family, Pharm. Gabriel Okoli & Family, CP Godwin Eze & Family, Mr Ineh & Family.

10.00am: Sir Alozie Nsirimobi & Family, Mazi Sam Ohuabunwa & Family, Mrs Christiana Yusuff & Family, Dr. Oluwatosin Olomolehin & Family, Mrs Joyce Majekodunmi & Family, Mrs Olufowobi & Family, Chief (Mrs) Grace Mayaki-Ogunbe & Family, Family of Late Mr Akinsanmi Doherty & Family.

# B. Family Harvest for next Sunday 27th August, 2023

7.00am: Dr. Dayo Omogbehin & Family, Sir. Pharm Deji Osinoiki & Family, Mr Benson Olatunji & Family, Mr Toba Oyebanji & Family.

10.00am: Mr Jacob Oladapo & Family.

C. Society Harvest for Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September, 2023

Ascension Fellowship 7.00am: 10.00am: Christian Morning Star

D. Clergy Harvest for Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> September, 2023

The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere & Family. 7.00am: 10.00am: The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere & Family.

- Landmark, Significant Celebrations & Age Group Ε. Harvest. Please contact 08033079003 to register for your Landmark harvest celebrations.
  - 1. Ages 70&75 Landmarks 17<sup>th</sup> September.

  - 2. Ages 80&85 Landmarks- 8<sup>th</sup> October.
    3. Ages 90, 95, 100 and above 22<sup>nd</sup> October.

#### F. 2023 Harvest activities are as stated below. Please block the dates in your calendar.

Family Harvest June-Nov 2023 b. Clergy Harvest June - Nov 2023

c. Society Harvest June - Nov 2023

End of the month & New month Thanksgiving – June – Nov 2023

Corporate & Professional Harvest – Sept. 10<sup>th</sup>

Sept. 24<sup>th</sup> 2023 National Harvest f.

All Ministries & Church Leaders - Oct. 8th 2023

Oct. 15<sup>th</sup> 2023 All Women's Harvest -

ALL HARVEST RELATED PAYMENT SHOULD BE MADE IN THE CATHEDRAL'S HARVEST ACCOUNT: (AVMCC 2025018178 - FIRST BANK).

#### ANGLICAN FELLOWSHIP 23. **BURSARY AWARD FOR YEAR 2023/2024**

The Anglican Fellowship (AF) is interested as usual in assisting some candidates of higher institutions of learning who have some financial challenges but are brilliant. Such students should have completed at least one year of full time University or HND. Past recipients can still apply. Collect your forms from the Dean's Office, fill and return back before 31st August, 2023.

B. 10.00am HOLY COMMUNION YOUTH HARVEST

**Celebrant:** Rev. Canon A. Oluwatusin Mr Tunji Omogbehin The Epistle: The Gospel: Rev. Tomide Oso **Preacher:** Dr. Oluwatosin Isaiah **Intercessor:** Miss Jovce Adubi

Processional Hymn: CONH 179 (I)

\* Praise & Worship

Preparation to Penitence – Miss Aderonke Aluko

The Epistle \* II Corinthians 5:14-6:2

Gradual Hymn: Hymn: A Time like this (Tune: Higher ground)...pg 9

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40 and 45 years. Business & Professional Influencers Harvest - Chief

Olusegun Osunkeve CON, OFR, FCA Society Harvest: **Light of the World & Ladies** 

**Christian League** The Family of Sir Alozie Nsirimobi thanking God for

successful graduation of their (two) daughters from Babcock University and God's numerous blessings.

Thanksgiving after the successful wedding of Mr & Mrs viii. Toluwalase Olufowobi and God's numerous blessings.

80<sup>th</sup> birthday thanksgiving of Chief Kayode Oshofisan & God's numerous blessings.

Thanksgiving after successful graduation of ETS Class 2021/2023 & God's numerous blessings.

20<sup>th</sup> years remembrance of Late Olorunfemi Emmanuel Museo and God's numerous blessings on the family he left behind.

Doxology

\* Benediction

\* Notices

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\* Diocesan Anthem

Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 852.

#### C. **EVENTS AHEAD**

- Diocesan Women's Conference at the City of God, Ipaja 1. from 24th - 26th August, 2023.
- Consecration Of Four Bishops-Elect The Presentation Of 2. Two Archbishops & The Dean Of The Church Of Nigeria – Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 at 10.00am.
- Area Harvest: Agege, Alimosho, Oshodi, Amuwo-Odofin, 3. Ajeromi, Ojo, Lagos Island, Somolu, Ifelodu, Ikorodu.
- Intersociety Bible Quiz Competition- Sunday, 3rd 4. September, 2023 at 2.00pm. (see page 20)
- Professional Harvest Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2023 National Harvest Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2023 5.
- 6.
- 7. 10th Anniversary of Endowment Fund – Sunday, 8th October, 2023 at 7.00a.m & 10.00am Services.
- 8. All Ministries Harvest-Sunday, 8th October, 2023
- 9. Intersociety Hymn Singing – Sunday, 1st October, 2023 at 4.00pm.
- 51st Choir Festival Sunday, 8th October, 2023. 10.

#### D. FIRST FRUIT - LEV. 23:10-11; DEUT. 26:1-10

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

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#### E. **AVMCC SPONSORSHIP OF 2023 EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES**

- 1. Sunday Aug 20, 2023 Youth Harvest
- 2. Sunday Aug.27, 2023 Ladies Progre. League
- 3. Sunday Sept. 3, 2023 Bible Quiz competition
- 4. Sunday Sept. 10, 2023 Lord's Labourers
- 5. Sunday Sept. 17, 2023- Light of the World
- 6. Sunday Sept. 24, 2023 National Harvest

#### 21. **2023 AVMCC INTERSOCIETY BIBLE QUIZ COMPETITION**

The Annual intersociety Bible Quiz is here again. Sunday 3rd **September, 2023.** The books and area of study are:

- 1. Anglicanism
- 2. History of AVMCC
- 3. The books of Judges and Haggai in the Old Testament (NKJV)
- 4. The book of Acts in the New Testament. (NKJV)
- 5. 2023 Bible Study Outline (January to June)

All societies must participate as this is a SPIRITUAL ACTIVITY (Deuteronomy 11:18-19 "Therefore you shall lay up these words of mine in your heart and in your soul, and bind them as a sign on your hand, and they shall be as frontlets between your eyes. 19 You shall teach them to your children, speaking of them when you sit in your house, when you walk by the way, when you lie down, and when you rise up.)

The first phase of the competition comes up on Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2023 and the second phase comes up in October.

All societies will be represented by three members each and should indicate their interest either through their society chaplains or Contact: Rev. Adefope ADETUJOYE.

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#### 19. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the Month. <u>Venue</u>: The AVMCC Main Sanctuary. Time: 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- ii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers Every 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iii. Fasting & Prayer for Christian Mothers Every last Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iv. All Sunday School Children from ages 5years upward meeting every last Sunday between 7.00am 9.00am.

# 20. INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS A. OBITUARIES

- We announce the passing into glory of our Father, Pharm. Esin Nelson Isong (husband of Mrs F. Nkechi Isong of Good Shepherd Society & Elderly Ministry) Burial arrangements took place Saturday, 12<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 at Newhall, Los Angeles Califonia, USA. 10.00am.
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Mother, Mrs Justina Adiba Ndu (Aged: 84 years) Mother of Mr & Mrs Lawrence Ndu of Lord's Vessels Society. Burial arrangements are as follows:
  - (a) <u>Funeral Service:</u> Thursday, 31<sup>st</sup> August,, 2023 at St. James Anglican Church, Awkazu, Anambra at 10.00am
- ii. We announce the passing into glory of our Father, Chief Eric Ozongwu of YMCA Society. Burial arrangements are as follows:
  - (a) <u>Wake Keep:</u> Thursday, 21<sup>st</sup> September, 20223 at Ozongwu Est. Opp. Girls Secondary School, Ngwo, Enugu at 5.00pm.
  - **(b) Funeral Service:** Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> September, 2023 at Same venue at 10.00am
- iii. We announce the passing into glory of our Father, Mr Oladipo Ige of Torchbearers Society. Burial arrangements are as follows:
  - (a) Wake Keep: Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2023 at Vining Hall at 4.00pm.
  - **(b) Funeral Service:** Friday, 6<sup>th</sup> October, 2023

AVMCC Ikeja at 9.00am

#### B. VACANCIES

at

1. Teachers are also needed at Destiny Moulder Primary & Nursery School, AVMCC, GRA - Ikeja. Interested persons to submit their applications to the Cathedral Office.

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## 2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY XI

#### **Introductory Sentence**

God was in Christ reconciling the world to Himself, and He has entrusted us with the message of reconciliation.

#### II Corinthians 5:19

#### **Collects for the Week:**

Almighty Father, who called Your Church to witness that You were in Christ reconciling men to Yourself, help us to proclaim the Good News of Your love, that all who hear it may be reconciled to You; through Him who died for us and rose again and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit One God, now and forever. Amen

#### **Post Communion Sentence**

You are the light of the world, a city set on a hill cannot be hid. **Matthew 5:14.** 

# 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. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY, 20<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2023

- A. Prayers for the Anglican Communion and for Christian Denominations and Organizations
- i. Pray for Henry Ndukuba our Primate, and Olusola our Bishop, that the Lord will empower them in their Episcopal duties to lead His people in seeking and finding the Lord more than ever before.
- ii. For the Rt. Revd. Sosthenes Eze, his family and all members of the Diocese of Enugu North.

#### B. Prayer for Nigeria & the World

- i. Pray that the Lord of Host in His mercies will on account of His elects and remnants in Nigeria frustrate every raging from the pit of hell and all evil counsels, gang-ups and schemes in form of Boko Haram, Herdsmen and Islamnization agenda so that Christianity in Nigeria will never go the way of TURKEY nor NORTH AFRICA in Jesus Name. Amen.
- ii. That Nigeria and the world be delivered from satanic rule.
- iii. That the people of Nigeria be genuinely converted and reconciled back to the Almighty God.
- iv. That the spirit of reconciliation be prevalent among our leaders.

#### C. Prayers for AVMCC Members

- i. That members be reconciled back to God.
- ii. That every power causing hatred and strife in church become impotent.
- iii. That the bond of love remains strong in this household of God.

# D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Iwugo Family, Iwuji Family, Iwuoha Family, Iyamu Family, Iyayi Family, Iyeimo Family, Iyun Family, Iziren Family, Izuagba Family, Jackson-Steele Family.

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

- For Mr Nnaemeka Ali, Miss Nkechi Echeozo, Mr Philip Ogunlade, Mr Victor Okagbue, Mr Matthew Nmezi, Mr Ossie Nwankwu, Mrs Oshun Adejonwo 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: Miss Anna Idehen, Engr. & Mrs. Odedairo, Mrs. Beatrice Akinola, Mrs M.O. Ilori, 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.

# 4. THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK SUNDAY, 20<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2023

THEME: NEW LIFE IN CHRIST READING: PSALM 119:113-128; ISAIAH 49:1-6; II CORINTHIANS 5:14-6:2; JOHN 17:20-26.

The new life in Christ is a transformative experience. It is a radical change that occurs when a person encounters Christ and accepts Him as their Lord and Savior. This new life brings about a complete shift in one's perspective, values, and behavior.

#### **Understanding the New Life in Christ:**

The new life in Christ signifies a radical departure from the old, sinful nature that once governed our lives. It is an end to our former way of living, where we were driven by our own desires and selfish ambitions. In 1 Timothy 1:13, the apostle Paul acknowledges his own transformation, stating that he was once a blasphemer, persecutor, and violent man, but through Christ, he received mercy and experienced a complete change of heart.

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#### **COVENANT SEED**

## 17. **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 Adetiloye & Vining halls Sound System Overhaul (Mixer, Amp etc) N1.8m 400 Plastic Chairs for the Halls

- 80 Plastic Tables for the Halls
- 2 Hiace Buses
- 1 Coaster Bus
- 2 Money Counting Machine
- 2 Desktop Computer System
- 2 Dispenser, 2 DVD Player & 2 TV (for AVMCC Creche)
- 1 HP 290 Computer with core i3 processor N350,000

MURAL & CREATIVE PAINTING OF A MODERN CRECHE AND PLAYGROUP = 642,000

SCREEDING OF THE WALLS = 1,130,000 WALLPAPER & SAV SCTICKERS = 84,000

EDUCATIVE/PLAYTIME SAV FLEX = 169,000

FLOOR SYNTHETICS (TURF) = 765,000

VINYL FLOOR CARPET = 469,220

Premium underlay for crèche = 47,800

# 18. INVITATION TO ALL PARISHIONERS:

The Evangelical Ministry of AVMCC hereby invites All Parishioners to be part of a forthcoming two by two street Evangelism today, Sunday, 27<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 immediately after 7.00am service. The areas are Medical Road and Ipodo Market. Meeting point is at the front of Vining Hall. God bless us as we preach the gospel.

# ARCHBISHOP VINING MEMORIAL CHURCH CATHEDRAL 2023 EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT INITIATIVE FOR INDIGENT YOUTHS IN AVMCC

Applications are invited for the AVMCC Annual Scholarship Awards.

#### A. CRITERIA FOR AWARDS:

- Applicant and/or any parent must be on the registered list of members of the AVMCC for at least FIVE years prior to application.
- Applicant must be poor and/or indigent. Evidence through an attestation letter by the Dean or a Priest in the Cathedral
- Applicant and/or parent must be a member of a church society or ministry
- Applicant must be registered students of a Tertiary institution or professional institute in Nigeria
   ONLY i.e. Universities, Polytechnics, College of Education or accredited professional institutes and certified by appropriate authority of the Institution
- Applicants must have good academic performances with evidence through the statement of result signed by the Registrar/appropriate authority of the institution

#### B. How to Apply for AVMCC Scholarships

Each applicant shall submit a typed application letter, not more than two pages. addressed to "The Chairman, Educational Support Initiative, Archbishop Vining Memorial Church Cathedral, Ikeja, Lagos" The letter must include the name of the candidate, course of study, year of study, state of origin, and why the candidate believes that he/she should be given the scholarship award. The application letter must be accompanied by:

- Evidence of AVMCC membership of applicant or parent
- Or a letter from the Dean of AVMCC certifying that candidate is a member indicating the Society or ministry he/she or the parent belongs Evidence of membership of the Cathedral Youth Vanguard
- SSCE/NECO results and JAMB admission letter for fresh applicants
- A photocopy of the candidate's current school Identity card.
- A letter from the Registrar of the candidate's institution certifying that the candidate is a student of such institution.
- A letter from the candidate's current Head of Department, including correct information of the candidate's biodata, academic profile and CGPA for the last academic semester.
- Two (2) current passport photographs.

All applications are to be submitted to the Office of the Dean, AVMCC not later than **FOUR weeks from the date of this announcement in the Church Bulletin (17**th Sept., 2023)

Value of Award: N200,000.00 annual support grant.

Furthermore, the new life in Christ involves letting go of things that we once valued but are detrimental to our Christian faith. In Philippians 3:7-8, Paul declares that he counted all his former achievements and worldly possessions as loss for the sake of knowing Christ. This demonstrates the abandonment of worldly pursuits and the embrace of a new life centered on Christ.

Moreover, the new life in Christ entails putting to death the old nature of sin within us. The old creation was marred by sin and condemned because of Adam's disobedience. However, through the obedience of Jesus Christ, the new creation is marked by righteousness and salvation (Romans 5:12-21). This means that we are empowered to resist and overcome the pull of sin in our lives.

Additionally, the new life in Christ ushers us into a new government, a new dispensation, and a new era of grace with God. In the Garden of Eden, humanity lost its dominion to the devil, and a kingdom of rebellion against God was established. This kingdom, ruled by the "god of this age" (2 Corinthians 4:4), operates through spiritual forces of darkness (Ephesians 6:12). However, through the new life in Christ, we are translated from the kingdom of darkness to the kingdom of light (Colossians 1:13). We are no longer bound by the law of sin and death but are governed by the law of the Spirit of life in Christ Jesus (Romans 8:2-4).

## Why We Need the New Life in Christ:

We need the new life in Christ because, as fallen creatures, we are inherently enslaved to sin and separated from God. Our natural inclinations lead us away from spiritual things and towards self-destructive behaviors (Romans 8:5-8). A life without Christ may offer temporary pleasures but ultimately leads to eternal separation from God (Daniel 12:2). Only through the new life in Christ can we experience true fulfillment, regain our God-given dominion mandate (Luke 10:19; 2 Corinthians 10:4), carry the divine peace that surpasses all understanding (John 14:27), and manifest His glory (John 17:22).

# The Call to Experience and Live the New Life:

The invitation to experience the new life in Christ is extended to all. Jesus Himself beckons us in Matthew 11:28 to come to Him, and through

repentance and acceptance of Jesus Christ as our Lord and Savior, we can enter into this new life. Repentance involves not only acknowledging our sins but also turning away from them and choosing to follow Jesus. It's a recognition of our brokenness and our need for a Savior.

Acceptance of Jesus as Lord and Savior means believing that Jesus is the Son of God, who died on the cross for our sins and was raised from the dead, and then surrendering control of our lives to Him. This is beautifully encapsulated in Romans 10:9-10, "If you declare with your mouth, 'Jesus is Lord,' and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For it is with your heart that you believe and are justified, and it is with your mouth that you profess your faith and are saved."

# **Living the New Life in Christ:**

Entering into a new life in Christ is not a one-time event but an ongoing journey. It's about deepening our relationship with God and growing in our faith.

- Growth in the Word: A crucial part of this new life involves immersing ourselves in the Bible, which is the inspired Word of God. It contains the teachings and commandments that guide our lives and help us to grow in understanding and wisdom. "All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting and training in righteousness" (2 Timothy 3:16).
- 2. **Prayer:** Prayer is our direct line of communication with God. It's a way for us to express our gratitude, confess our sins, seek guidance, and intercede for others. Jesus taught His disciples to pray and emphasized the importance of persistent, heartfelt prayer (Luke 11:1-13).
- 3. **Fellowship:** Our new life in Christ also involves fellowship with other believers. We are encouraged to meet regularly with other Christians for worship, encouragement, and mutual support (Hebrews 10:24-25). The early church in the Book of Acts provides a great model of such fellowship.
- 4. <u>Service:</u> Jesus taught His followers to serve others selflessly. As Christians, we are called to demonstrate God's love through acts of kindness and service (Matthew 20:26-28).

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# C. Cathedral Youth Chapel Regular Weekly Programmes

- . Strictly Feminine Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month.
- ii. Just 4 Guys Every 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Adetiloye House) Strictly Feminine – Co-ord –Sola Aladesawe - 08135431392. Just 4 Guys Co-ord. – Okechukwu Ofoegbu - 08064463886

#### **D.** Elderly Ministry

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

- i. Medical Check-up in the Clinic; Spiritual Talks; Games /Exercises and Handicrafts in the Vining Hall.
- Please send names of sick and shut-in Elders to the Coordinator Elderly Ministry or the Cathedral office for visitation.
- iii. 2023 Bible Quiz Book EZEKIEL

## E. Evangelical Ministry

# i. Monthly Meeting

- (a) 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of the Month at 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Vining House by 6.00pm.
- (b) 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday has been shifted to 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday.

#### ii. Home Fellowships:

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

#### iii. Visitation:

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

# F. Prisons & Hospital Ministry

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

#### **G.** Intercessory Ministry

This Group meets for prayers every Tuesday from 5.00pm to 6.00pm. They visit the sick and all those needing spiritual support and prayers etc after 7.00am Midweek Communion service every Wednesday. Please avail yourself of the services of this group as and when required.

# H. Men & Women of Grace Fellowship

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

Identify with one and other via care, love and support by fellowshipping of God's grace every last Thursday of the month at 11. 00am.

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

#### D. AVMCC Guest House

Stay within a Christian environment, also visit the restaurant for tasty and affordable meals all located at the 3<sup>rd</sup> 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-

The form for the school is out at the rate of N7,000.00. 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.

### F. Lagos Anglican Dioceses Bible College, Lagos

Admission into Advanced Diploma into Lagos Anglican Bible College is ongoing. Please obtain your form at the Church Office or contact: 08033083851. Admission form is N3,000.

# 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 <a href="https://www.igbobicollegeyaba.com">www.igbobicollegeyaba.com</a>.

# **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.

# 16. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

# A. Children's Ministry

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

#### B. COUNSELLING MINISTRY

Prospective couples are counselled in the ministry after which they are referred to the priest assigned to them for the concluding part of the Counselling session.

Counsellees from overseas (with evidence) who intend to spend a short period in the country for their wedding, undergo crash programmes because of their time limitations. 5. <u>Witnessing:</u> As believers, we are also called to share the Good News of Jesus Christ with others. This is not just a command but a privilege. We have been given the opportunity to introduce others to the life-changing power of a relationship with Christ (Matthew 28:19-20).

In conclusion, the new life in Christ is a vibrant, dynamic relationship with God. It brings a radical transformation that affects every aspect of our lives. We become new creations, no longer bound by sin but free to live a life of purpose, peace, and righteousness in Christ. This new life is not without challenges, but we are not alone. We have the Holy Spirit as our helper and guide, and we have the assurance that God is with us every step of the way (Hebrews 13:5).

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# 5. <u>Alpha Course Programme</u>

The Alpha programme commences on Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> August, 2023 at 6pm. Facilitators training shall hold on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> July 2023. Between 4-6pm.

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# 6. **ANNOUNCEMENT**

Notices and Thanksgiving must get to Church Office not later than Thursday of the week.

# 7. A TIME LIKE THIS

 A time like this, God looks for men, Worthy vessels that He will use; To accomplish, His great purpose And make His kingdom widely known.

Chorus:

Lord here I am myself I give: My TALENT, TIME, SILVER & GOLD,

Father use me, to build your Church, To show your praise among all men.

- 2. A time like this, Lord help me hear Your thundering voice and do obey Where some have failed, other abscond Lord help me stand what'er the cost.
- 3. A time like this, a warfare time
  When champions rise, and other fall
  Satan fights his final battles
  Making the race so tough to run.
- 4. A time like this, I'll fix my eyes
  On thee alone, lest I should fall
  Living for thee, father of love
  Until I end my journey home.

# 8. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

August 13 – August 19

7.00 am Holy Communion	572
7.00 am Youth Service	156
7.00 am Sunday School	185
10.00 am Mattins	647
10.00 am Youth Service	132
10.00 am Sunday School	156
Tuesday Bible Study	132
Wednesday Holy Communion	102
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	104

#### 9. 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
- **♣** Good shepherd Society
- ♣ The Lord Vessel Society

AVMCC Special Marshal Unit 34 meeting today after 7.00am Service at the usual venue.

#### 10. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

#### A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 20<sup>th</sup> August, 2023
 7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Dr. B. Ibidapo-Obe, Pharm. Chie Nwerri, Mrs Gina Okolo.
 10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. (Mrs) Remi-Sanu, Pharm. Y.

Olorunsola, Mrs E. Osibajo, Dr. Nike Adefila.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> August, 2023 7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Pharm. Deji Osinoiki, Pharm. Mrs Yomi Osinoiki, Mrs Nkiru Arah. 10.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Arinze Onubogu, Prof. I. Akinsete, Pharm. Ranti Adedeji, Mrs Olufunke Olatunji, Dr. Nike Adefila.

#### **B.** Security & Traffic Control

- i. Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> August Saturday, 26<sup>th</sup> August, 2023
  Oyebanji Toba (Captain), Helen Arhagba,(Assistant Captain), Segun Adeniji, Chioma Obi, Caroline Omowhara, Juliet Chimezie, Funso Fagbuyiro, Kene Obimma, Chukwuemeka Osaka, Funmi Ladele, Ekwegh Lilian, Michael Enujioke, Olusegun Esan, Enujioke Michael, Odibo Fanny Efe, Odanye Mojisola.
- ii. Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> August Saturday, 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept., 2023
  Omotola Onakoya, (Captain), Goke Uthman;
  (Assistant Captain), Ogunleye Adeboboye, Adeyemi
  Muyiwa, Segun Adeniji, Dare Sigbeku, Chioma Obi,
  Juliet Chimezie, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Rita
  Osibodu, Olusegun Esan, Michael Enujioke, Nwaorgu
  Chinedu, Okedurum Andrew, Gbenga Ojo.

13. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Trinity XII August 27

Theme: Christ Response to Persecution

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu

Epistle: Romans 8:26-30

The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju

*Gospel: Matthew* 10:16-22

The Rev. Michael Obembe

Preacher: The Rev. Adefope Adetujoye

#### THE YOUTH SERVICE

Venue: The Adetiloye House

Cantor & Preacher: The Rev. Canon Ayodeji Oluwatusin

#### **10.00am:** HOLY COMMUNION

CONSECRATION OF FOUR BISHOPS-ELECT THE PRESENTATION OF TWO ARCHBISHOPS & THE DEAN OF THE CHURCH OF NIGERIA

Presiding: The Most Revd. Henry C. Ndukuba Celebrant: The Most Rev'd Dr. Ali Buba Lamido

O.T. Reader: Numbers 27:15-20, 22-23

Hon. Justice Adedayo Oyebanji

Epistle: Hebrews 5:1-10

The Rt. Rev'd Godwin Adeyi Robinson

Gospel: John 17:1-9, 18-21

The Rt. Rev'd Enoch Atuboyedia

Preacher: The Most Rev'd Dr. Joseph Akinfenwa

6.00pm: EVENSONG

Cantor: Layreader Dorothy Imarhiagbe

Psalm: 82

Lesson: Luke 17:5-10

Preacher: Layreader Titilayo Afolabi

#### 14. BANNS OF MARRIAGE

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

2<sup>ND</sup> NOTICE:

1. Mr. Oguchi Eloka & Miss Chiamaka Ukachukwu

1st NOTICE:

1. Mr. Collins Nwanze & Miss Abisoye Adenuga

#### 15. 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:

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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.

## 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.

Friday, August 25, 2023 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Accept one another in Christ Celebrant: The Rev. Adefope Adetujoye Epistle: Romans 15:1-8- Lay. E. Osibajo

**Gospel:** *Mark 12:35-44* 

Hymns: CONH 18, CONH 65, CONH 419
Preacher: The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere

**Prayer Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Idris Zubairu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Sokoto.
- For the Rt. Revd. Paul Zamani, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kwoi.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Ebere Onwuka, Miss Oluronke Ijogun, Miss Amina Dimka, Master Ayomitunde Solaru, Arc Jonas Ewurum, Mr Taiwo Oshikoya, Mrs Ngozi Ibe, Mr Chukwueloka Okwuosa, Miss Chioma Ekelozie, Mrs Ruth Oluwatusin, Mr Olatunji Ashiru, Mrs Oluronke Seymour.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Kehinde Family, Kejotoni Family, Kenneth Family, Kene-Nwegbe Family, Ketiku Family, Keyomah Family, Kilo Family, King Family, Kodaolu Family, koiku Family.

### 6.30pm Choir Practice

# 11.00pm On-line Vigil

Saturday, August 26, 2023 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion Theme: Salvation for All

Celebrant: The Rev. Canon A. Oluwatusin Epistle: Romans 15:9-33- Lay. T. Gidado

**Gospel:** *Mark 13:1-13* 

Hymns: CONH 16, CONH 416, CONH 824

Preacher: The Rev. Michael Obembe

**Praver Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Stanley Fube, his family and all members of the Diocese of Langtang.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Jeremiah Ndana Kolo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kutigi.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Beatrice Ebonugwu, Chief (Mrs) Adenike Adamolekun, Mrs Christiana Ikwudinma, Miss Adenike Adefila, Mrs Tracy Iwuoha, Mrs Chukwunanu Okafor, Mr Kenneth Obilezuru, Mrs Elizabeth Obinwa.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Kolawole Family, Komolafe Family, Kosonye Family, Kosonye Family, Koya Family, Koyi Family, Kunnu Ogun Family, Kupoluyi Family, Kuranky Family, Kurubo Family.

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4.00 pm Youth Fellowship

4.00 pm Baptism

4.00 pm Boy's Brigade & Girls Brigade

# 11. LIST OF CENTERS FOR HOME CELL FELLOWSHIP

S/N	NAMES	LOCATION	PHONE NO
	Mr. Cyril		
1.	Nwannunu	Egbeda	08033480112
	Mrs. Georgina	Oko-Oba GRA	
2.	Bamigboye	Scheme 1	08023414415
	Obum Osy-	Maryland	
3.	Onyekwelu	Crescent	08036684298
4.	Victor Adenuoye	Fagba	08069206291
5.	Lady Gina Okolo	Mangoro Ikeja	08033235796
		College Road,	
6.	Ugochi osinwe	Ogba	08092147012
	Rtd. Col. C. O.	54, New Ipaja	
7.	Ajala	Road	08081654907
	Mrs. Ebele S.		
8.	Okere	Ajao Estate	08023270247
	Chukwuemeka		
9.	Ejiofor	Dopemu	07030463556
		Toyin Street,	
10.	Adekoya M. O.	Ikeja	
11.	Olusunkanmi King	Maryland	
12.	Chinyere Umealo	Oregun	08033052131
13.	Ada Obi	Cement	08062074465
14.	Obi Divine	Cement	08062074465
	Mrs. Udoka		
15.	Omoniyi	Fagba	08023082792
	Mayokun		
16.	Ogedengbe	Anifowose	08069530744
	Gbadeyan		
17.	Ademola	Alagbole /Akute	08171373722
18.	Chinyere Okpara	Adealu	08035792201
19.	Umeadi Juliana	Dopemu	08057474558
20.	Bro. I.O Odeniran	Opebi	08023096565
	Umeadi	Dopemu Road,	
21.	Christopher	Agege	08055901853
22.	Tochi Anyalewechi	Oke-Ira, Ogba	
	Mrs Teju		
23.	Akindolire	Ogudu, GRA	08175160830
24.	Mr Tunji Odeneye	Gbagada	08033163337
	Mr Makinde		
25.	Ogunleye	Omole Phase 2	08033078004
	Barr. F. Okey		
26.	Ogbu	Iyana-Ipaja	08023192145
	Princewill		
27.	Ihemerendu	Mafoluku	

12. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, August 21, 2023 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Christ standard for the Church Ante Communion: Lay. Dorothy Mac-Eze

Celebrant: The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu
Celebrant: The Rev. Michael Obembe
Epistle: Romans 12 - Lay. Olamide Ola

**Gospel:** *Mark 11:12-36* 

Hymns: CONH 118, CONH 509, CONH 128

Preacher: Lay. Monisola Oshikoya

**Prayer Points:** 

❖ For the Rt. Revd. Precious Nwala, his family and all members of the Diocese of Etche.

❖ For the Rt. Revd. Samuel Ezeofor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Aguata.

- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Innocent Umez-Oparah, Mr Adedeji Adebanjo, Mrs Oby Okechukwu, Mrs Ugoma Ahunanya Ogbonna, Adegoke, Mr Miss Amanchukwu, Mr **Idris** Oluwaseun, Mr Mohammed, Engr. Frank Igboamalu, Mr Kingsley Okeke, Mrs Blessing Nwakanma, Mrs Oluyemisi Daramola, Mr Frank Ogunbiyi, Dr. Chukwudi Okoli, Ekenedilichukwu Kanu.
- For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Jacob Family, Jaff-Nwankwo Family, Jafojo Family, Jagun Family, Jagunna Family, Jaiyeola Family, Jaiyesimi Family, Jaiyola Family, Jaja Family, Jakpa Family.

**12.00noon** Social Welfare Ministry

6.00pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, August 22, 2023 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Believers' Obligations to constituted

**Authorities** 

Celebrant: The Rev. Adefope Adetujoye
Epistle: Romans 13- Lay. G. Odukomaiya

Gospel: *Mark* 11:27-12:12

Hymns: CONH 291, CONH 834, CONH 877

Preacher: The Ven. Gbenga Onive

**Prayer Points:** 

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Nathan Kanu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Aba Ngwa North.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Christian Aloysius Agbo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Nsukka.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Dr. Omolola Okunromade, Capt. Olabisi Idris, Mrs Aduke Tifase, Mr Chinedu Obuekwe, Sis. Susan Omojokun, Miss Dumtochukwu Obimma, Mr King Opeyemi, Mr Chika Onyeharam, Mrs Ndidi Uzo, Barr. Wilford Madueke, Mrs Ngozi Ogbolu,
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: James Family, James-Okpalugo Family, Japheth Family, Jegede Family, Jemerigbe Family, Jerry Family, Jibowu Family, Jibueze Family, Jideani Family, Jide-Fadiya Family.

5.00pm - 6.00pm Intercessory Prayer 6.00pm - 8.00pm BIBLE STUDY Wednesday, August 23, 2023 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: The Strong and Weak Disciples Celebrant: *The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu* Epistle: *Romans 14 – Lay. Esther Randle* 

Gospel: *Mark 12:13-27* 

Hymns: CONH 126, CONH 810, CONH 431

CONH 428

**Preacher:** The Dean

**Prayer Point** 

For the Rt. Revd. Andrew Ajayi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ekiti.

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Johnson Akinwamide Atere, his family and all members of the Diocese of Awori.
- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Arch Abiodun Jagunna, Dr. Olufemi Olaleye, Mr Okechukwu Mba, Engr. Godfrey Eze, Miss Fikayomi Odukomaiya, Mr Ezenwa Nebedum, Mr Leke Samo, Mr Chukwuemeka Nnaji, Mazi Chidiebere Ikeanyionwu, Mr Sidney Nzekwe, Mr Chidozie Nzekwe, Mr Chidozie Okezie, Mr Chukwuebuka Nzekwe, Mr Taiwo Ibidapo-Obe, Mr Adekunle Olayanju, Mr Oyeniyi Ibidapo-Obe, Mr Anthony Imo, Mrs Chinyere Nduh.
- For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Jinadu Family, Jinwa Family, Joel Family, Joe-Nwagbo Family, John Family, Johnson Family, Jonah--Jack Family, Jonathan Family, Joshua Family, Joseph Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

6.00pm PRAYER MEETING

Thursday, August 24, 2023 Colour: Red

St. Bartholomew the Apostle 7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Servanthood in Leadership Celebrant: *The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere* Epistle: Acts 5:12-16 – Lay. Bolaji Dania

Gospel: Luke 22:24-30

Hymns: CONH 118, CONH 816, CONH 413

Preacher: The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu

Collect: Almighty God, who gave Your Apostle Bartholomew grace truly to believe and to preach the word: grant that Your Church may love that word which he believed and may faithfully preach and receive the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

## **Prayer Points:**

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Sunday Adewole, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kwara.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Henry Okeke, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ideato.
- For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Chukwuemeka Obi, Mrs Oluranti Adedeji, Chief Edward Asugha, Mrs Adeola Amisu, Mr Napoleon Onyebilam, Mrs Ihuoma Azuru, Mrs Ekundayo Erogbogbo, Mrs Stella Gharoro, Miss Ngozi Iwekuba, Miss Kosiso Iwugo, Mrs Jennifer Nzeh, Engr. Itua Ogbewele, Mr Abolaji Ogunsanya, Mr Korede Oluwatusin.
- For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Josiah Family, Josian Family, Jumbo Family, Kabala Family, Kagho Family, Kalejaiye Family, Kanu Family, Kanttock Family, Kareem Family, Kayode Family.