

## YOU NEED ANY HELP?

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

- A. **For Booking of all Services of the Church**  
*The Dean; The Canon Residentiary*
- B. **For Social Welfare and Charity**  
*The Dean; Chief (Mrs.) Grace Odukomaia 08033247831*
- C. **For Cathedral Societies**  
*The Dean; The Society Chaplains; Presidents & Secretaries of Societies*
- D. **For The Elderly Ministry**  
*The Dean; Chief (Mrs.) Ayo Akideinde - 07068610707*
- E. **For The Evangelical Ministry**  
*The Dean; The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju; Mr. Cyril Mgbamoka 07053334081*
- F. **For Cathedral Missionary Society**  
*The Dean; The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere; Mr Tunji Odeneye 08033163337*
- G. **For the Children Ministry**  
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- H. **For The Youth Ministry**  
*The Dean, Rev. Michael Obembe; Chief (Mrs.) Funmi Ogunbadejo - 08033025033; Miss Bolanle Joseph - 08025490166*
- I. **For The Boys' & Girls Brigade; Boys' & Girls' Guild**  
*The Dean, The Rev. Michael Obembe; Sister 'Seun Oyediran - 07051083385; Mr Ayo Tetede - 08020691247*
- J. **For The Medical Board**  
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- L. **For the Prisons & Hospital Ministry**  
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- M. **For ETS Discipleship Training**  
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- N. **For The Home Fellowship**  
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- O. **For Singles' and Couples' Fellowship**  
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- Q. **For Sports Ministry**  
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Mr Steve Ahua - 07038816041*
- R. **For Board of Directors for Economic Empowerment**  
*The Dean; Rev. Michael Obembe; Dr. Oladimeji Alo;*
- S. **For Cathedral Christian Mothers Matters**  
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- T. **For Chaplains to Societies**  
*The Dean; The Canon Residentiary*
- U. **For The Choir**  
*The Dean;*
- V. **For Booking of the Hall**  
*The Dean, Mrs. Tola Famade - 0803-3109378,*
- W. **For Booking of the Guest House**  
*Mr. Kehinde Akinola - 08023050022; Tobi Balogun - 08033716752*

*Below are the Telephone Numbers of the Cathedral Office, the Dean and the Cathedral Priests. You can contact these phones as need be.*

The Dean	0806-2766051
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Vol. 20/06/24/2024

#### *Our Vision:*

“CHRIST FOR ALL NATIONS”

#### *Our 2024 Theme:*

**“ FIGHT THE GOOD FIGHT OF FAITH ” I Tim. 6:12**

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, 30<sup>th</sup> June - Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

#### TRINITY V

Theme: Pleasing God in Words and Deeds

60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY LECTURE &  
LAUNCHING OF HISTORY BOOK

Colour: Green

Dr. Dayo Omogbehin  
*Cathedral Warden*

Mr Olawale Fasuyi  
*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 – 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2024

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Rev. Michael Obembe  
 The Epistle: Kemi Oshadare  
 The Gospel: The Rev. Fikayo Adenle  
 Preacher: The Dean  
 Intercessor: Boluwatife Oyinlade

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 4
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence – The Rev. Y. Akinpeju
- ❖ The Epistle Romans 12:1-8
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 834
- ❖ The Gospel: Luke 15:11-32
- ❖ SERMON
- ❖ Nicene Creed & Intercession
- ❖ The Peace *(Let there be peace)*
- ❖ All Offerings: Choruses
- {First Fruit, Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed, Sunday Offering & All other offerings}*
- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: CONH 184, 603, 614, 503
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 546 (I)
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ Thanksgiving:
  - i. End of the Month Thanksgiving
  - ii. Clergy Harvest: **Ven. Azubike Ahubelem & Family**
  - iii. Family Harvest: *(as indicated see page 22)*
  - iv. Thanksgiving after Ordination of The Rev & Mrs Oluwafikayomi Adenle & God’s numerous blessings.
  - v. 1<sup>st</sup> year birthday of Master Bethel Oghenemine Joshua & God’s numerous blessings.
  - vi. Birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Chioma Eze & God’s numerous blessings.
  - vii. 50<sup>th</sup> birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Ifeyinwa Adesida & God’s numerous blessings.
  - viii. Thanksgiving after burial of Late Mrs Abosedo Eunice Balogun & journey mercies.
- ❖ Doxology CONH 491 .... *(page 18)*
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 142

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.

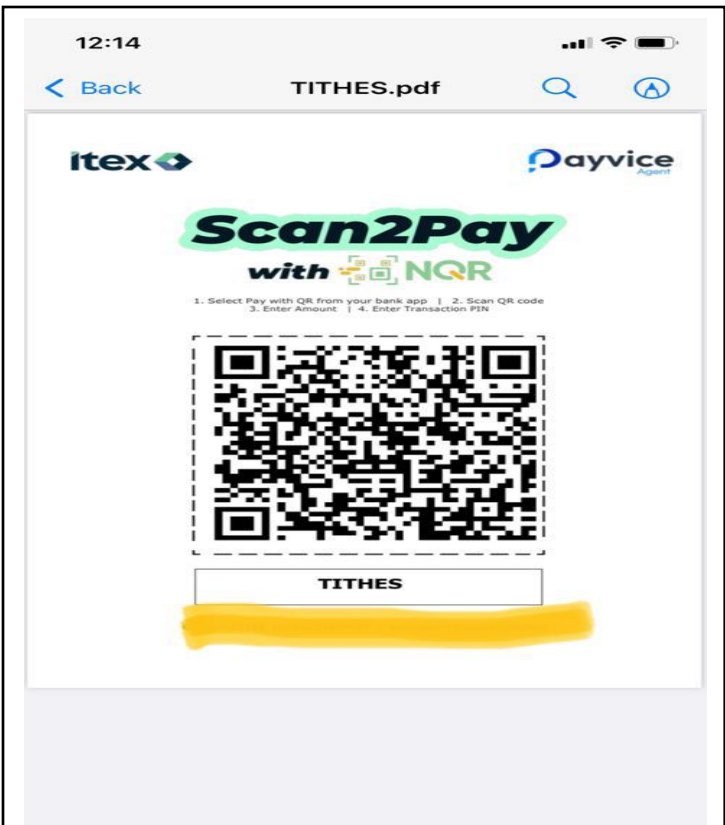
AVMCC DEVELOPMENT FUND ACCOUNT

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27. AVMCC BANK ACCOUNTS DETAILS

BANK	ACCOUNT NUMBER	SORT CODE	PURPOSE
ACCESS	0017948337	044151245	Building Fund Evangelical Fund
WEMA	0120970667	035150695	Offering & Thanksgiving
GTB	0570015856	058152120	Offering & Thanksgiving
FIRST	2025018178	011151841	Harvest <i>(kindly signify the purpose e.g. Family harvest, Youth Harvest etc.)</i>
FIRST	2001350641	011151841	Project Support
STANBIC	9200212515		
IBTC		221150027	First Fruits
GTB	0007899440	058152120	Tithes
ECO	0953002198		Building Fund
ZENITH	1011097083	057150314	Covenant Seed
FCMB	9318228020		AVMCC Choir

WEMA 0122245798 035150695 Endowment Fund

For the New Cathedral Development Account details please refer to page 2 of this bulletin.



## 24. HARVEST NEWS

### THEME - HARVEST OF GOOD FAITH – Matthew 17:20

#### A. Family Harvest for today, Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2024

7.00am: Mr Omolaja Onabokun & Family, Mr Ovie Oghenekaro & Family, Sir Chris Opara & Family, CP Godwin Eze & Family.

10.00am: Mr Osita Iwugo & Family, Mr Afolabi Ogun & Family.

#### B. Clergy Harvest for Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2024

7.00am: The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem & Family

10.00am: The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem & Family

#### C. Family Harvest for Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

7.00am:

10.00am: Mrs Olutoyin Ogedengbe & Family, Prince Olusegun Adedoja & Family.

#### D. Society Harvest for - Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

10.00am : Daughters of Light

#### E. Clergy Harvest for Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

7.00am: The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu & Family

10.00am: The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu & Family

#### F. Society Harvest for - Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

10.00am: YMCA, Charity Band & Ambassadors of Christ.

#### E. 2024 Harvest activities are as stated below. Please block the dates in your calendar.

- |                            |   |                               |
|----------------------------|---|-------------------------------|
| a. Family Harvest          | - | June- Nov 2024                |
| b. Clergy Harvest          | - | June – Nov 2024               |
| c. Society Harvest         | - | June – Nov 2024               |
| d. Area & Diaspora Harvest |   | June – Nov. 2024              |
| e. All Men's Harvest       | - | June 16 <sup>th</sup> , 2024  |
| f. Children Harvest        | - | July 28 <sup>th</sup> , 2024  |
| g. Youth Harvest           | - | Aug 25 <sup>th</sup> , 2024   |
| h. Corporate Harvest       | - | Sept 15 <sup>th</sup> 2024    |
| i. Professional Harvest    | - | Sept. 15 <sup>th</sup> , 2024 |
| j. National Harvest        | - | Sept. 29 <sup>th</sup> , 2024 |
| k. All Women's Harvest     | - | Oct. 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2024  |
| l. All Ministries Harvest- |   | Oct. 13 <sup>th</sup> 2024    |
| m. Adult Harvest           | - | Oct. 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2024  |
| n. Church Leaders Harvest- |   | Nov. 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2024  |
| o. Senior Citizen Harvest  | - | Nov. 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2024  |

- B. 10.00am **HOLY COMMUNION**  
 Celebrant: The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju  
 The Epistle: Tiyan Omo-Idehen  
 The Gospel: The Rev. Fikayo Adenle  
 Preacher: The Dean  
 Intercessor: Johnson Fawole

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 147
  - ❖ Praise & Worship
  - ❖ Preparation to Penitence – Rev. Adefope Adetujoye
  - ❖ The Epistle Romans 12:1-8
  - ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 834
  - ❖ The Gospel: Luke 15:11-32
  - ❖ **SERMON**
  - ❖ Nicene Creed & Intercession
  - ❖ The Peace (Let there be peace)
  - ❖ All Offerings: Choruses
- {First Fruit, Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed, Sunday Offering & All other offerings}
- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
  - ❖ The Administration: CONH 598, 596, 619, 604
  - ❖ The Ablution: CONH 19
  - ❖ Post Communion Prayer
  - ❖ **Thanksgiving:**
    - i. End of the Month Thanksgiving
    - ii. Clergy Harvest: The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem & Family.
    - iii. Family Harvest: (as indicated see page 22)
    - iv. 70<sup>th</sup> birthday thanksgiving of Mr Osita Iwugo and God's numerous blessings.
    - v. Thanksgiving after successful traditional wedding of Ifeoluwa and Ayotunde (children of Late Mr Ayodele Ogunmoyero & Mrs Funke Ogunmoyero) & God's numerous blessings.
  - ❖ Doxology CONH 491 (pg 18)
  - ❖ Benediction
  - ❖ Notices
  - ❖ Diocesan Anthem
  - ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 473

#### C. 2.00pm 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY LECTURE & LAUNCHING OF HISTORY BOOK

#### D. EVENTS AHEAD

1. Christian Mothers Bible Study – Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2024 at 5.00pm. Venue: Lady Chapel.
2. Musical Evangelical Outreach organised by CUBN – Friday, 12<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 @ 5.00pm.
3. Live Stage Drama & Praise organised by Anglican Fellowship – Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> July, 2024 @ 5.00pm.
4. Children's Harvest – Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> July, 2024
5. Youth Harvest – Sunday, 25<sup>th</sup> August, 2024
6. Intersociety Bible Quiz Competition – 1<sup>st</sup> Phase – Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> Sept. 2024 at 2.00pm. (see page 4)
7. Corporate & Professional Harvest – Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2024
8. National Harvest- Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. 2024.
9. Intersociety Hymn Singing – Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> Oct, at 4.00pm.



**2024 AVMCC INTERSOCIETY BIBLE QUIZ  
COMPETITION**

The Annual intersociety Bible Quiz is here again !  
The books and areas of study are:

1. Anglicanism
2. History of AVMCC
3. The books of Ruth and Zechariah in the Old Testament (NKJV)
4. The Epistle to the Romans in the New Testament. (NKJV)
5. 2024 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, 1<sup>st</sup> September by 2pm, and the second phase comes up on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October by 2pm.*

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

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**E. AVMCC SPONSORSHIP OF 2024  
EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES**

1. Sunday June 30, 2024 - Avmcc 60<sup>th</sup> Lecture
2. Sunday July 7, 2024 - Christian Household
3. Sunday July 14, 2024 - Christian Morning Star
4. Sunday July 21, 2024 - Christian Friends
5. Sunday July, 28, 2024 - Children's Harvest
6. Sunday Aug 4, 2024 - Daughters of Light
7. Sunday Aug 11, 2024 - Good Samaritan
8. Sunday Aug. 18, 2024 - Good Shepherd

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**ANNOUNCEMENT**

This is to inform parishioners and other users of our facilities, that may need to have services at the Tent church or reception ceremonies at any of our halls, that decorations must be done the day prior to the event, and must be concluded by 10pm. This is for security reasons amongst others.

Thank You



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## 19. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

- i. Christian Mothers Bible Study comes up on Monday, 1<sup>st</sup> July, 2024 at 5.00pm. Topic: Trust God when you cannot trace Him. Speaker: Band of Peace.
- ii. All women prayer meeting {Cathedral Deanery} Every 1<sup>st</sup> Thursday of the Month. Venue: The AVMCC Main Sanctuary. Time: 5.00pm-6.00pm.
- iii. Bible Study for Christian Mothers - Every 1<sup>st</sup> Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- iv. Fasting & Prayer for Christian Mothers - Every last Monday of the month at 5.00pm.
- v. All Sunday School Children from ages 5years upward meeting every last Sunday between 7.00am – 9.00am.
- vi. Adult Education Programme: This course is for young and old every Monday & Wednesday by 3.30pm at the Vining Hall.

## 20. INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

### A. VACANCIES:

- i. **Personal Assistant, (Male or Female)**  
Computer Literate, Technology and versed person. HND in Business Administration urgently needed at Believers Mentoring Mission, Block 3, Plot 9, Otunba Abass Avenue, Ojota, Ogudu GRA – Phase 2. Submit your applications to the Cathedral Office or call 08033071169.
- ii. **Cleaner:** urgently needed at the above address.

## 21. AVMCC CLINIC

### Specialist/Consultant Clinic days .

Parishioners are hereby informed that the AVMCC Clinic will start operating Specialist/Consultant Clinic days in the clinic in the following areas.

- (1) Cardiology (2) Urology (Prostate etc)  
(3) Gynaecology (4) Neurology

Members or members relative who desire the above specialized health needs should go to the Clinic to Register with their name, phone number and special area of need.

## 22. ANNOUNCEMENT

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

### MEDICAL MINISTRY

Medical ministry AVMCC would like parishioners with Medical background to please join the ministry. Meeting time is 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month

## 2. SENTENCES FOR TRINITY V

### Introductory Sentence

Do not return evil for evil or reviling for reviling, but on the contrary bless, for to this you have been called, that you may obtain a blessing. 1

**Peter 3:9.**

### Collects for the Week:

God, of our forebearers, as Your chosen servant Abraham was given faith to obey Your call and go out into the unknown, so may Your church be granted such faith that we may follow You courageously now and for ever, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Almighty God, without You we are not able to please You. Mercifully grant that Your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts: through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

### Post Communion Sentence

Put on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make no provision for the flesh. **Romans 13:14.**

## 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



4. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY,  
30<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2024

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

- i. Pray for Most Rev. Dr. Henry Ndukuba our Primate, Most Rev. Dr. Olusina Fape our Archbishop and Olusola our Bishop for renewal of anointing for the work of year 2024.
- ii. For the Rt. Revd. Chijioke Oti, his family and all members of the Diocese on the Lake.

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. Lord, make your covenant of peace with us in Nigeria; restore every good thing the enemy has taken away from our Nation.
- iii. Father Lord establish and multiply our Nation in every good work.

C. Prayers for AVMCC Members

- i. Only goodness and mercy of God Almighty shall follow our members all the days of their lives.
- ii. Every spell and yoke upon our marriages is hereby destroyed by the anointing of God.
- iii. This will not be our last Sunday on earth as we receive the grace to do crossover to take over in Jesus Name.

D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Udeoba Family, Udeogalanya Family, Udero Family, Udo Family, Udochukwu Family, Udoh Family, Udoji-Achebe Family, Uduehi Family, Uduji Family, Udukife Family.

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

- i. For Mrs Judith Ajudua, Mr Akinsanya Akinyemi, Mr William Dappa, Mrs Juliet Meghoma, Mrs Omosefe Dike, Mrs Elizabeth Ogunbiyi, Arch Arinze Onyebuenyi, Mrs Ifeyinwa Adesida, Mr Sunday Lewis, Capt Olugboyega Bonojo, Mrs Funmilayo Ajomale 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, Mrs. Gladys Odedairo, Mrs. Beatrice Akinola, Mrs Roseline Anyadikwa, Mr Samuel Chukwudum.



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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  
6 "86" LG Television  
4 "32" Television  
2 Dispenser, 2 DVD Player & 2 TV (for AVMCC Creche)  
40 Sewing Machines @ N80,000 each for Diocesan Vocational Centre, City of God, Ipaja.

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 creche	= 47,800

18. ICT LOUNGE:

Kindly patronize the AVMCC ICT LOUNGE at Adetiloye House (Ground Floor), which opens at 9.00am - 5.00pm on Monday to Friday, for your: Typing, Printing, Photocopy, Scanning, Bulk SMS, Laminating, Tinted Permit, Internet Work, Binding, Scratch Cards (Jamb, WAEC, NECO etc) and Computer Training. *Contact: Call/Whatsapp 07063214646.*



### 15. 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  
Ex 22:29 "Thou shalt not delay to offer the first of thy ripe fruits, and of thy liquors: the firstborn of thy sons shalt thou give unto me"

Deut 12:6 "And thither ye shall bring your burnt offerings, and your sacrifices, and your tithes, and heave offerings of your hand, and your vows, and your freewill offerings, and the firstlings of your herds and of your flocks"

Deut 16:16 "Three times in a year shall all thy males appear before the Lord thy God in the place which he shall choose; in the feast of unleavened bread, and in the feast of weeks, and in the feast of tabernacles: and they shall not appear before the Lord empty":

2 Chron 7:12 "And the Lord appeared to Solomon by night, and said unto him, I have heard thy prayer, and have chosen this place to myself for an house of sacrifice"

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### 16. NOTICE TO DECORATORS AND SANCTUARY USERS FOR EVENTS

To preserve the furniture, fittings and fixtures within the sanctuary, the Church will not allow the use of nails, tacks, staple pins or any other items capable of damaging or defacing the furniture for purposes of installing decorations. Stand-alone decorative items must be used without exception. Decorators and users will be penalized for any damages observed.

The Wardens.

### 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

**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, 30<sup>TH</sup> JUNE, 2024

**THEME:** PLEASING GOD IN WORDS AND DEEDS

**READING:** PSALM 119:17-32; GENESIS 12:1-9; ROMANS 12:1-8; LUKE 15:11-32.

A clean heart is wrought by keeping the commandments of God and doing the things that please God. If a child disobeys his father, he displeases his father. The only way he can please his father is by obeying him. The same is true with God. If we are going to please God, we must obey God.

Note another fact as well. A father cannot reward his child if the child disobeys. The father just cannot grant the child's request, not if he wants to teach him good behavior. Neither can God. The only way we can receive the things we ask is to obey God. He cannot reward our unfaithfulness and disobedience.

If we please God then we must do that which pleases Him. We can not just choose anything and say, "this is to please God." And the reason why, is because there are certain things that don't please him. Through His Word and the Spirit he shows us what is pleasing.

### HOW DO WE PLEASE GOD?

Have you ever considered what pleases God? In Ephesians 5:10, Paul charges his readers with this very task: "Try to discern what is pleasing to the Lord." Jesus Christ is not merely someone to believe in; He is Lord and Master over His people. He has saved us by grace through faith, and He has called us to serve, love, trust, and obey Him (Eph. 2:8-10; James 2:14-26). In other words, we shouldn't think of faith as a basic package of salvation with optional add-ons for devotion. Part of God's purpose in salvation is that we will live in a way that is pleasing to our Savior.

Thankfully, Paul does not leave us on our own to figure out what God wants. In Colossians 1:10-12, as he recounts his prayers for the Colossian church, he unpacks what it looks like to "walk in a manner worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him." Such a walk is comprehensive, touching every dimension of our lives. Yet Paul prays about four ways of living in particular that will help us to please God.

#### 1) Fruitful Living

The first thing Paul prays for is a life that is "bearing fruit in every good work" (Col. 1:10). Christians who bear fruit are those who display the righteousness of Christ in their lives, which overflows in loving service to God and neighbor.



apart from me you can do nothing" (John 15:5). If we would bear fruit, we must remain intimately connected to Christ through all the means of grace available to us—prayer, God's Word, the fellowship of believers, and so on. When we abide in Him, He works in us and through us to produce fruit for His kingdom. Even when we feel useless, inadequate, and incompetent, Christ works through us when we abide in Him. Indeed, He specializes in bearing fruit through weak people.

The inverse is also true: there is no amount of innate gifting or personal goodness of heart that can produce lasting fruit in someone who is not abiding in Christ. Neither is there fruit to be found in those who treat the Lord Jesus as an add-on to their lives. Claims of faith in Christ from people who do not truly abide in Him are simply—and sadly—empty professions, with the result being lives that are indistinguishable from the world and its ways. But for those who cling to Christ, the Spirit will indeed bear fruit (Gal. 5:22–25).

### 2) Knowledgeable Living

Paul also prays that his readers would please the Lord by "increasing in the knowledge of God" (Col. 1:10).

What kind of knowledge is this? It's not the kind that turns us into tadpoles, swimming around with enormous heads and hardly anything else to show for it. It is rather "to comprehend with all the saints what is the breadth and length and height and depth, and to know the love of Christ that surpasses knowledge, that you may be filled with all the fullness of God" (Eph. 3:18–19). Facts and figures and philosophies can be very important, but personal knowledge of the deep riches of Jesus Christ is indispensable. When the Holy Spirit gives us a glimpse of who God is in the Gospel of Jesus, it transforms our hearts and renews our lives. This is the knowledge that pleases the Lord.

You truly love someone, you are not satisfied with a mere static awareness of him or her. You want to grow in your familiarity of that person. So it is with God. We should want to be "increasing" in our knowledge of God because we love Him. We should want to enjoy hearing His Word, because that's how we know Him. We should want to enjoy engaging in conversation with Him in prayer, pouring out our hearts before Him. The knowledge that pleases God goes further, goes deeper, goes harder after that which pleases Him—and He uses it to reveal His transforming power in our lives.

### 3) Powerful Living

Paul prays further that his readers might be "strengthened with all power, according to his glorious might, for all endurance and patience with joy" (Col. 1:11). How do you know if you're living according to this power? Does it manifest in great deeds of strength and miraculous works? No, it is found in "endurance and patience with joy." This is the kind of power that Christ modeled for us when, "for the joy that was set before him," He "endured the cross" (Heb. 12:2, emphasis added). The power of God that resides within us leads us to the kind of steady persistence and quiet, faith-filled confidence that Christ displayed at Calvary. And it is this kind of humble power that is pleasing to our Lord.

## C. Cathedral Youth Chapel Regular Weekly Programmes

- i. 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.
- ii. Please send names of sick and shut-in Elders to the Coordinator Elderly Ministry or the Cathedral office for visitation.

- iii. 2024 Bible Quiz Book – (1) EPHESIANS  
(II) ANGLICANISM

**Quiz competition will take place on Tuesday, 6<sup>th</sup> August, 2024 in the Vining Hall at 10.00am**

## 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<sup>rd</sup> and last Sundays of the month.
- (b) Prison visitation every 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month (c) Meeting comes up every 2<sup>nd</sup> 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





#### 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 DLW Vocational Center, City of God, 10 Majiyagbe Layout, Ipaja.

The form for DLW Vocational Center is out. The programme includes (*Catering, Clothing & Fashion, I.T. Computer, Textile Design, Photography, Shoe & Leather work, Barbing & Hairdressing*). Kindly note that registration forms are available in all Archdeaconry Headquarters and the Dean's Office.

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

Admission to Lagos Anglican Bible College (LABICO) for 2024 Calendar year is ongoing. Please obtain your form at the Church Office or contact: 08033083851. Admission form is N3,000.

#### G. Babington Macaulay Junior Seminary, Ikorodu

The forms for the above school are out at the rate of N20,000. Payment should be made into Zenith Bank Plc: Babington Macaulay Junior Seminary Account No 1015133015. Collect your own at the Cathedral Office and submit at the school.

#### H. Admission to Anglican Girl's College, Ketu-Ijanikin

The form for the school is out at the rate of N10,000.00. 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.

#### i. 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

The forms for the above schools are out at the rate of N15,000. Payment should be made into Union Bank Acct NO 0002516850. Account Name: Lagos Anglican Schools Management Board and Collect the form at the Cathedral Office and submit to the school of your choice.

### 14. MINISTRIES & FELLOWSHIPS

#### A. Children's Ministry

Parents are requested to send their children to the Sunday School with Bibles, Note Books & Birs. 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.

Counselees from overseas (with evidence) who intend to spend a short period in the country for their wedding, undergo crash programmes because of their time

continually find God's power at work within us. His power is not like a cannon, where there's an initial blast that eventually fades away. No, to be in Christ means that we are carried along from start to finish by the power of His glorious might. This is something for which we should be exceedingly thankful.

#### 4) Thankful Living

Finally, Paul prays that we would please the Lord by "giving thanks to the Father, who has qualified you to share in the inheritance of the saints in light" (Col. 1:12).

Those who are most thankful will always be the most joyful—and of all people in the world, God's people have the greatest reason for gratitude. We grasp that our sins are many and that they merit judgment. But in Christ, we do not get what we deserve; we get what Jesus has earned for us. Through the life, death, and resurrection of Jesus, the Father has allowed us to share in the inheritance of all God's people. We have fellowship with God and with all His people, and for this we should overflow with God-pleasing gratitude.

There is no greater gift than the gift of eternal life that is ours in Christ. In response to such a gift, we gladly sing, "Jesus paid it all! All to Him I owe!"<sup>1</sup> There is no higher or more joyful call than to pursue a life in Christ of fruitfulness, knowledge, power, and thankfulness. This is pleasing to the Lord.

#### EXAMPLES OF THOSE WHO PLEASED GOD

Solomon: We Please God When we ASK HIM FOR THE RIGHT THINGS.

**1 Kings 3:9-10** Give therefore thy servant an understanding heart to judge thy people, that I may discern between good and bad: for who is able to judge this thy so great a people? [10] And the speech pleased the Lord, that Solomon had asked this thing.

The wisest man on earth epitomized this traits and he ended up with a blanc check from God.

2. PAUL, TIMOTHY: We Please God When We Are SEPARATED FOR HIM.

2 Tim. 2:4 "No man that warreth entangleth himself with the affairs of this life; that he may please him who hath chosen him to be a soldier." Paul dared the persecutions of His time and pleased God. His son in the Lord Timothy also lived worthy of His calling and wasn't intimidated.

MARY: You Please God When You Are WHOLLY YIELDED TO GOD.

**Hebrews 13:20-21** "Now the God of peace, that brought again from the dead our Lord Jesus, that great shepherd of the sheep, through the blood of the everlasting covenant, [21] Make you perfect in every good work to do his will, working in you that which is wellpleasing in his sight, through Jesus Christ; to whom be glory for ever and ever. Amen."

Mary wouldn't flinch! Even when the husband was going to quietly leave her, her word and deed were corresponding "BE IT UNTO ME, ACCORDING TO YOUR WORD"

4. ENOCH: We Please God When we Are WALKING WITH GOD.

**Genesis 5:24** And Enoch walked with God: and he was not; for God took him.

**Hebrews 11:5** By faith Enoch was translated that he should not see death; and was not found, because God had translated him: for before his translation he had this testimony, that he pleased God.

#### CONCLUSION

**John 15:8** "Herein is my Father glorified, that ye bear much fruit; so shall ye be my disciples."

Why don't we just quit trying to impress God and just please Him in words and deeds. We don't have to try out before God. The Bible say's there is more joy in Heaven over the saving of one soul than all that 99 righteous people can do. All of our activities will not please God as much as one soul Saved.

Soul winning is important and pleasing to God.

#### CALLING ALL ONDO STATE INDIGENES

Please see Bro Ogunmoyero in person or call on 08034881433 or Dr Dayo Omogbehin the Cathedral Warden to update their details for the \*Ondo state indigenes register.\* Time line is July

## 6. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

June 23 – June 29, 2024

7.00 am Holy Communion	867
7.00 am Youth Service	143
7.00 am Sunday School	243
10.00 am Mattins	577
10.00 am Youth Service	123
10.00 am Sunday School	200
Tuesday Bible Study	89
Wednesday Holy Communion	123
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	92

## 7. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

The following Societies will meet immediately in the Church after service:

- *Anglican Fellowship Executive*
- *Lords Labourers Fellowship*

## 8. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

### A. Cathedral Health Centre

#### i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2024

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Pharm  
Dele Ajala, Dr. B. Ibidapo-Obe, Mrs Nkiru Arah.

7.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Arinze Onubogu, Pharm.  
Chief Nwerri, Mrs Olufunke Olatunji, Mrs Chinelo Emenike, Mrs E. Osibajo.

#### ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

7.00a.m-10.00a.m: Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Pharm  
Chie Nwerri, Dr. Olivier Akinola, Mrs Nkiru Arah.

7.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Arinze Onubogu, Pharm.  
Dele Ajala, Mrs Olufunke Olatunji, Mrs Chinelo Emenike, Mrs E. Osibajo, Dr. Remi Oladapo-Sanu.

### B. Security & Traffic Control

#### i. Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June - Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

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 Enujioké, Nwaorgu  
Chinedu, Okedurum Andrew, Gbenga Ojo.

#### ii. Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June - Saturday, 6<sup>th</sup> July, 2024

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

## 11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Trinity VI

July 7

Theme: Godly Love and Worldly lust  
contrasted

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

*Celebrant:* The Dean

*Epistle:* I John 2:8-17

*Layreader* Dorothy Imarhiagbe

*Gospel:* Mark 12:28-34

*The Rev. Fikayo Adenle*

*Address:* The Dean

THE YOUTH SERVICE

*Venue:* The Adetiloye House

*Celebrant:* The Rev. Michael Obembe

*Preacher:* The Rev. Michael Obembe

10.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

DAUGHTERS OF LIGHT ANNIVERSARY

*Celebrant:* The Dean

*Epistle:* I John 2:8-17

*Daughters of Light*

*Gospel:* Mark 12:28-34

*The Rev. Fikayo Adenle*

*Address:* The Dean

6.00 pm: EUCHARIST WITH ANOINTING

*Celebrant:* The Rev. Michael  
Obembe

*Ante Communion Layreader* Bolaji Dania

*Epistle:* I John 2:8-17

*Gospel:* Mark 12:28-34

*Preacher:* Layreader Ada Ejikeme

## 12. BANNES OF MARRIAGE

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

2<sup>nd</sup> NOTICE:

*Mr Joseph Oyedepo & Miss Tobilola Kolawole*

## 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.

### C. Vining Bookshop



Friday, July 5, 2024 Colour: Green  
7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Abraham's Ancestors

Celebrant: *The Rev. Adefope Adetujoye*

Epistle: Genesis 11:10-32 – Lay. F. Ladele

Gospel: Matthew 22:15-22

Hymns: CONH 126, CONH 163, CONH 120

Preacher: *The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. John Aruakpor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Oleh.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Gabriel Elabor Osa, his family and all members of the Diocese of Esan.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Dr. Michael Peters, Mr Adeyinka Adeyemi, Engr Tochukwu Aneke, Mr Chukwudi Onuegbu, Mrs Tolani Famade, Mr Temitope Famade, Mrs Uju Eze, Mrs Chinyere Ofor, Mrs Chinyere Godwin Achodor, Mr Samson Mbakwe, Mr Tochukwu Nwosu, Mrs Adaobi Obuekwe.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Umuokafor Family, Unegbu Family, Unoogu Family, Usman Family, Usman Family, Uthman Family, Utomakili Family, Uwa Family, Uwadueke Family, Uwasomba Family.

6.00pm Choir Practice

Saturday, July 6, 2024 Colour: Green  
7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: A Covenant of blessing

Celebrant: *The Rev. Michael Obembe*

Epistle: Genesis 12:1-20 – Lay. George Nnadi

Gospel: Matthew 22:23-40

Hymns: CONH 123, CONH 435, CONH 189

Preacher: *The Rev. Fikayo Adenle*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Godfrey Ekpenisi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ika.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Victor Okporu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Western Izon.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Oluyomi Akintemi, Mrs Adesola Aladesawe, Mr Olushola Baleen, Mrs Deborah Akingbade, Miss Ugonna Okoye, Miss Chioma Uzor, Mr Richard Okeke, Mr Gboyega Famodimu, Mr Damilola Gbenle, Miss Chinyere Chukwuere, Mrs Christiana Ekwem.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Uwodo Family, Uzebu Family, Uzo Family, Uzochukwu Family, Uzoechi Family, Uzoh Family, Uzoho Family, Uzoigwe Family, Uzoh-Njoku Family, Uzor Family.
- ❖ 70<sup>th</sup> birthday of The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem today

10.00am Meeting with Guild of Stewards  
Seminar Room

1.00pm 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday of Mrs Olutoyin Ogedengbe

4.00 pm Youth Fellowship

4.00 pm Boys' Brigade and Girls' Brigade

4.00 pm Baptism

## 9. LIST OF CENTERS FOR HOME CELL FELLOWSHIP

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

## 10. ACTIVITIES FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 1, 2024 Colour: Green

6.00am Hour of Blessings

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: For we are brethren

Ante Communion: Layreader O. Obisesan

Celebrant: *The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu*  
*The Rev. Michael Obembe*

Epistle: Genesis 10:1-14 – *Lay. Nathan Eze*

Gospel: Matthew 21:12-22

Hymns: *CONH 18, CONH 608, CONH 877*

Preacher: *Layreader Okey-Ogbu*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Geoffrey Chukwunenye, his family and all members of the Diocese of Oru.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Edward Osuegbu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Okigwe.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Oluyemisi Oredugba, Mrs Olutoyin Ogedengbe, Mrs Anulika Onuegbu, Miss Modupe Adebajo, Prince Rufus Ajibade, Mr Nnaemeka Chine, Miss Chiamaka Chidi, Mrs Chidinma Opara, Mrs Bola Ogundare, Mr Abayomi Osunsanya, Mr Ben Mozie, Sir. Michael Udoh.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ufodike Family, Ufomba Family, Ugah Family, Ugbah Family, Ugbechie Family, Ugbor Family, Ugochukwu Family, Ugoji Family, Ugwoke Family, Ugwu Family.

12noon Social Welfare Ministry

6.00pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, July 2, 2024 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Be fruitful and multiply

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Epistle: Genesis 10:15-32 – *Lay. Louisa Nzekwe*

Gospel: Matthew 21:23-32

Hymns: *CONH 116, CONH 548, CONH 491*

Preacher: *The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Emmanuel Maduwike, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ikeduru.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Dr. P.O.J. Imasuen, his family and all members of the Diocese of Benin.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Ven. Adebayo Adenekan, Dr. Obianuju Agbakwu, Mrs Rita Gbolade, Mr Adeoye Ojuoko, Mr Ayodeji Akinhanmi, Mr Ope Jibowu, Mrs Chioma Obialo, Mr Charles Okafor, Mr Victor Tochukwu, Mr Chiagozie Zuruchukwu, Mr Benson Tugbobo, Engr. Tochukwu Chigbo, Miss Omotunde Adewale.
- ❖ Families within the AVMCC Household: Ugwuanya Family, Ugwuegba Family, Ugwuegede Family, Ugwumadu Family, Ugwunaya Family, Ukadigwu Family, Ukadike Family, Ukaegbu Family, Ukatu Family, Ukeje Family.
- ❖ 70<sup>th</sup> birthday of Mr Benson Tugbobo & numerous blessing.

5.00pm - 6.00pm Intercessory Prayer

6.00pm BIBLE STUDY

Wednesday, July 3, 2024

Colour: Red

Saint Thomas the Apostle

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Blessed Believers

Celebrant: *The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Epistle: Hebrews 10:35-11:1 – *Lay B. Dania.*

Gospel: John 20:24-29

Hymns: *CONH 124, CONH 50, CONH 810, CONH 455.*

Preacher: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Prayer Point

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Kingsley Obuh, his family and all members of the Diocese of Asaba.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Christian Ide, his family and all members of the Diocese of Warri.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Ndidi Nwafor, Mr Adewale Adejumo, Mrs Lilian Olajimbiti, Mr Ardel Kyeshak, Mr Sam Mbakwe, Mr Chibundu Onyesoh, Miss Ayo Akideinde, Mr Ejike Obiabaka, Sir Ikechi Uko, Mr Adeniran Fawehinmi, Mrs Nneka Azubuike, Mrs Nuela Izuagba.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Uko Family, Ukoh Family, Ukoha Family, Ukwunna Family, Ukwuoma Family, Ulasi Family, Ulogwara Family, Umealo-Wells Family, Umebuani Family, Umeh Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

6.00pm PRAYER MEETING

Thursday, July 4, 2024 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: An evil project terminated

Celebrant: *The Ven. Azubike Ahubelem*

Epistle: Genesis 11:1-9 – *Lay. Raymond Agu*

Gospel: Matthew 22:1-14

Hymns: *CONH 118, CONH 440, CONH 877*

Preacher: *The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Augustine Ohilebo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Sabongidda-Ora.
- ❖ For the Most Revd. Cyril Odutemu, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ugheli.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mrs Ifeoma Okaro, Mr Olufisayo Olaleye, Mr Marshall Akurokeokia, Mr Okechukwu Ugwuanya, Chief Adebola Ogunsanya, Engr Oluwole Okunromade, Mr Ebuka Agazie, Mr Olufolarin Osisanya, Miss Morenikeji Egbedeji, Mr Oluwasijibomi Alofe.
- ❖ Families within the AVMCC Household: Umejiburu Family, Umejuburu Family, Umeakaibe Family, Umeli Family, Umeokwuchi Family, Umeuzuegbu Family, Umez-Oparah Family, Umezi Family, Umezi Family, Umezi Family, Umezi Family.





## WISDOM / TRUTH FOR THE CHURCH AND THE CONTRACTORS

1. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, let Your Spirit of wisdom hover over the site and take charge of every thought and activity.

*Then wrought Bezaleel and Aholiab, and every wise hearted man, in whom the Lord put wisdom and understanding to know how to work all manner of work for the service of the sanctuary, according to all that the Lord had commanded (Exod 36:1)*

2. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, fill us with wisdom, understanding, knowledge and all kinds of skills needed to build to Your glory.

*And I have filled him with the spirit of God, in wisdom, and in understanding, and in knowledge, and in all manner of workmanship, (Exod. 31:3)*

3. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, saturate the entire atmosphere as we build with wisdom that descend from above.

*This wisdom descendeth not from above, but is earthly, sensual, devilish (James 3:15).*

4. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, let Your fear permeate the heart of everyone that will touch this project.

*There is none greater in this house than I; neither hath he kept back anything from me but thee, because thou art his wife: how then can I do this great wickedness, and sin against God? (Exod. 39:9)*

5. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, we pray that everyone will hand this project with truth and integrity of heart

*And he left all that he had in Joseph's hand; and he knew not ought he had, save the bread which he did eat. And Joseph was a goodly person, and well favoured. (Gen. 39:6)*

### SPEEDY COMPLETION, NO DELAY

1. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, frustrate every mischievous plan to wreak havoc on any member/worker to cause a delay on the project.

*That Sanballat and Gashem sent unto me*

3. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, let Your divine hand be upon this project for unique supernatural speed.

*And the hand of the Lord was on Elijah; and he girded up his loins, and ran before Ahab to the entrance of Jezreel (1Kgs 18:46).*

4. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, stir up the hearts of people in high places to support and work for this project and not against it.

*Then I came to the governors beyond the river, and gave them the king's letters. Now the king had sent captains of the army and horsemen with me (Nehemiah 2:9).*

5. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, fill the hearts of every worker on the site, that no one will be an agent of delay.

*So built we the wall; and all the wall was joined together unto the half thereof: for the people had a mind to work (Nehemiah 4:6).*

### REVIVAL AND MIRACLE SEASON

1. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, wrought wonders that will proclaim Your majestic power in our midst this season.

*Every place that the sole of your foot shall tread upon, that have I given unto you, as I said unto Moses (Josh 1:3).*

2. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, let Your presence be present always to heal and deliver anytime we gather.

*"And it came to pass on a certain day, as he was teaching, that there were Pharisees and doctors of the law sitting by, which were come out of every town of Galilee, and Judaea, and Jerusalem: and the power of the Lord was present to heal them" (Luke 5:17)*

3. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, go before your church and miraculously make a way, and supply every need of this project.

*I will go before thee, and make the crooked places straight: I will break in pieces the gates of brass, and cut in sunder the bars of iron: And I will give thee the treasures of darkness, and hidden riches of secret places, that thou mayest know that I, the LORD, which call thee by thy name, am the God of Israel (Isaiah 45:2-3).*

*That Sanballat and Gashem sent unto me*



5. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, we decree that at every gathering, You will send Your Word to us in power.

***Now when they heard this, they were pricked in their heart, and said unto Peter and to the rest of the apostles, Men and brethren, what shall we do? (Acts 2:37)***

### **SHUTTING THE MOUTH OF SANBALLAT AND TOBIAT GERSHEM**

1. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, disappoint every plan of the enemy over this project, show your strength and power to do the impossible.

***And it came to pass, that when all our enemies heard thereof, and all the heathen that were about us saw these things, they were much cast down in their own eyes: for they perceived that this work was wrought of our God (Nehemiah 6:16).***

2. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, shut up every satanic agent assigned to weaken the hands of the Church.

***Then the people of the land weakened the hands of the people of Judah, and troubled them in building, And hired counsellors against them, to frustrate their purpose, all the days of Cyrus king of Persia, even until the reign of Darius king of Persia (Ezra 4:4-5).***

3. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, close every legal, policy, or religious door opened to attack this project.

***Now when the copy of king Artaxerxes' letter was read before Rehum, and Shimshai the scribe, and their companions, they went up in haste to Jerusalem unto the Jews, and made them to cease by force and power. Then ceased the work of the house of God which is at Jerusalem. So it ceased unto the second year of the reign of Darius king of Persia (Ezra 4:23-24).***

4. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, as far as this work is concerned, raise a standard against everyone who will stand as enemy.

## **REFURBISHMENT PRAYER**

### **INTRODUCTION**

***Except the Lord build the house, they labour in vain that build it: except the Lord keep the city, the watchman waketh but in vain (Psalm 127:1).***

Prayer is the key in any kingdom assignment. As we finally commence the Cathedral refurbishment project, it is important for every member of the Cathedral (and non-members) to be mobilized in prayer.

The following are scriptural prayer points that God has commanded us to pray at our personal prayer time, family altar, every ministry or society time of prayer and fellowship.

Please let us be committed and dedicated to these prayers.

### **THANKSGIVING**

Heavenly Father, we give You thanks for You are so good to us. Your love and mercy towards us in this Cathedral are boundless and immeasurable. We are extremely grateful. Especially, for the commencement of the refurbishment of the Cathedral. You are always working things out for our good, and we trust that this time You will also come through for us. Help us to rest in the truth that You are our Creator and that there nothing impossible for You. Thank You loving and faithful Father, for who You are in Jesus Christ name. Amen.

### **ABUNDANT PROVISION**

1. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, open the floodgate of abundant provisions that will be enough to start and complete the work within the record time.

And God is able to bless you abundantly, so that in all things at all times, having all that you need, you will abound in every good work (2 Corinthians 9:8).

2. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, bless and make every member a channel of blessing

***And they received of Moses all the offering, which the children of Israel had brought for the work of the service of the sanctuary, to make it withal. And they brought yet unto him free offerings every morning (Exod 36:3).***

3. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, let the love of your house fill our hearts to give in abundance as the work goes on.

***And they spake unto Moses, saying, the people bring much more than enough for the service of the work, which the Lord commanded to make (Exod 36:5).***

4. Father in the name of Jesus Christ, we decree that we shall never experience lack and paucity of fund till the work is completed

***And Moses gave commandment, and they caused it to be proclaimed throughout the camp, saying, let neither man nor woman make any more work for the***

