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Vol. 20/11/44/2024

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, 17th Nov. - Saturday, 23rd Nov. 2024

Second Sunday before Advent

Theme: The Coming of the Lord

Sub-Theme; This is the Lord's Doing

PAN DIOCESAN WORSHIP, 11th ANNIVERSARY OF
ANGLICAN FELLOWSHIP & LANDMARK HARVEST

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

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

1. SERVICES FOR SUNDAY – 17TH Nov., 2024

A. 7.00 am HOLY COMMUNION
PAN DIOCESAN WORSHIP &
LANDMARK HARVEST

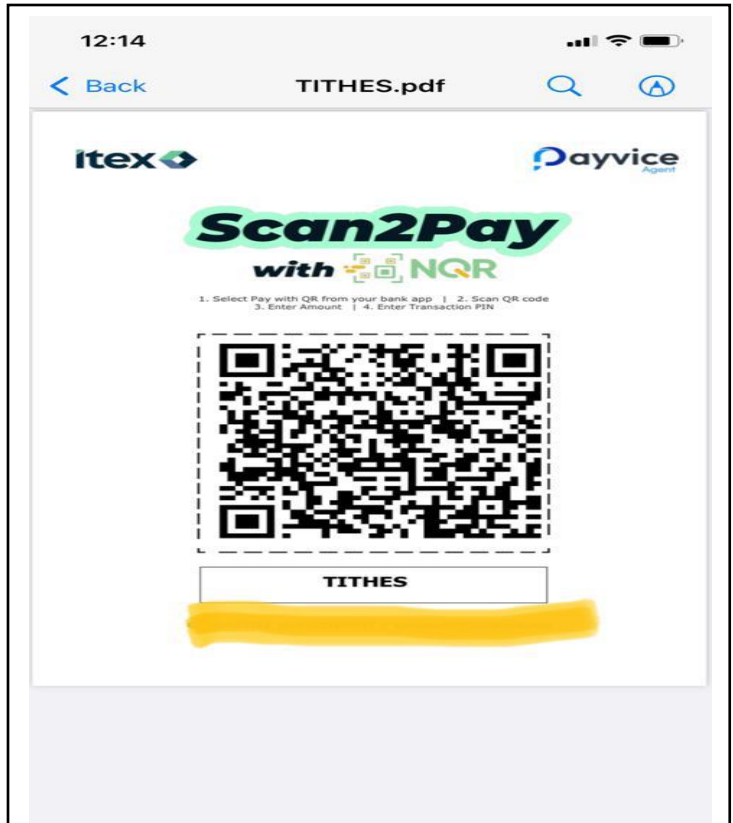
Celebrant: The Dean
Epistle: Layreader E. Osibajo
The Gospel: The Rev. Adefope Adetujoye
Preacher: The Dean
Intercessor: The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 193
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence–The Ven. Dr. B. Okere
- ❖ The Epistle I Thess. 5:1-11
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 197
- ❖ The Gospel: Matthew 13:24-32
- ❖ 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 624, 607, 641, 619
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 192
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ Thanksgiving
 - i. Landmark Harvest Thanksgiving
 - ii. Family Harvest*(as indicated page 22)*
 - iii. 31st Wedding Anniversary of Engr. & Mrs Chuks Ikedinma, 60th birthday of Lady Paula & God's numerous blessings.
 - iv. 40th Wedding Anniversary of Sir. Paul & Lady Ene Obla and God's numerous blessings.
 - v. 20th years memorial thanksgiving and 74th post humous birthday of the late Ezinne Rose Clinton Njimezi, mother of Sister Peace Njimezi & God's numerous blessings on the family she left behind.
 - vi. Thanksgiving after burial of Late Ezinne Felicia Ajunwa (Mother of Mrs Amarachi Diala) and journey mercies.
- ❖ Doxology CONH 491
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 189

WE WELCOME ALL OUR FIRST TIMERS IN JESUS NAME. WE REQUEST THAT YOU PLEASE MOVE TO THE LADY'S CHAPEL AFTER THE SERVICE WHERE OUR EVANGELICAL TEAM IS WAITING TO ATTEND TO YOU. REMAIN BLESSED AND RAPTURABLE.

AVMCC DEVELOPMENT FUND ACCOUNT

Account Name: AVMCC Development Fund
Account Number: 1021733207 Sort Code: 033154512
Branch Address, UBA Plc, 51A Adeniyi Jones Str. Ikeja.
USSD CODE: BILLER CODE: 40195



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22. AVMCC BANK ACCOUNTS DETAILS

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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.



21. HARVEST NEWS THEME - HARVEST OF GOOD FAITH – Matthew 17:20

A. Family Harvest for Sunday, 17th November, 2024

7.00am: *Capt. Gabriel Ade Ayeni & Family, Engr. Chuks Ikedinma & Family, Mr Emmanuel Echeta & Family, Mr Raymond Agu & Family, Capt. Ogbogu & Family, ESV Gladstone Opara & Family, Mr Edwin Ihemadu & Family, Sir. Paul Obla & Family, Chief Godwin Omene & Family, Mr Samuel Okagbue & Family, Mr Chimezie Aboyim & Family, Mr Benson Tugbobo & Family, Mr Femi Omoniyi & Family, Mrs Georgina Bamigboye & Family.*

10.00am: *Mr Obidike Okorochoa & Family, Otunba Olufemi Ogunyemi & Family, Mrs Remi Onabolu & Family, Mr Laolu Akintobi & Family, Mr Adedayo Olowoniyi & Family, Mr Adeniyi Olowoniyi & Family, Mr Abiodun Olowoniyi & Family, Mr Yombo Adesulu & Family, Mr Kolawole Osinoiki & Family, Sister Yemisi Owadokun & Family, Engr. Ayodeji Akinhanmi & Family, Faseminikan Jolaoluwa & Family, Mrs Margaret Adebisi-Ogungbesan & Family, Chief Gbolade Sanya & Family, Mr A.B. Kuku & Family, Mrs Grace Ikomi & Family, Mr Bayo Opadiran & Family, Mr Kehinde Okeowo & Family, Mrs Omolola Fakeye & Family, Arc. Deji Ojuri & Family, Dr. Folorunso Adelumo & Family, Mr Olamide Poluyi & Family, Chief Olorunda Akinwande & Family, The Ven. Luyi Akinwande & Family, Mr Kene Anekwe & Family, Mrs Tolulope Oyedapo & Family.*

B. Society Harvest for Sunday 24th November. 2024

7.00am *Dean's Society*

10.00am: *Dean's Society*

C. Family Harvest for Sunday, 24th November, 2024

7.00am: *The Agbaras Family, Engr. Sunny Ozigbo & Family, Mr Olufemi Peters & Family, Chief Mrs Ebilah & Family, Mr Hope Osueke & Family.*

10.00am: *Otunba Tunji Adekoya & Family, Mr Oluwasogo Faola & Family, Prof. Bomi Ogedengbe & Family, Engr. Johnson Adeyoye & Family, Prince Babasola Jaiyeola & Family, Mr Feyisara Fadahunsi & Family, Mr Christian Obianagha & Family, Mrs Florence Ogunbiyi & Family, Mr Muiyiwa Olagoke & Family, Mr Obidike Okorochoa & Family, Pharm. Dele Ajala & Family, Capt. Kola Abejide & Family, Chief Gbenga Akinnawo & Family, Mr Abiodun Folowosele & Family.*

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

a. Family Harvest - June- Nov 2024

B. 10.00am HOLY COMMUNION PAN DIOCESAN WORSHIP, 11TH ANNIVERSARY OF ANGLICAN FELLOWSHIP & LANDMARK HARVEST

Celebrant: The Dean
The Epistle: Anglican Fellowship
The Gospel: The Rev. Adefope Adetujoye
Preacher: The Dean
Intercessor: The Rev. Fikayo Adenle

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 195
- ❖ Praise & Worship
- ❖ Preparation to Penitence–Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu
- ❖ The Epistle I Thess. 5:1-11
- ❖ Gradual Hymn: CONH 196
- ❖ The Gospel: Matthew 13:24-32
- ❖ **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 503, 788 (I), 184, 65
- ❖ The Ablution: CONH 192
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ **The Anniversary:**
 - i. Anglican Fellowship Anthem
 - ii. Rededication of Members
 - iii. Anglican Fellowship, Patrons/Patroness & The Church
- ❖ **Thanksgiving**
 - i. Landmark Harvest Thanksgiving
 - ii. Family Harvest*(as indicated page 22)*
 - iii. 70th birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Adebimpe Kuku and God's numerous blessings.
 - iii. 70th birthday thanksgiving of Mrs Oluremi Onabolu and God's numerous blessings.
- ❖ Doxology CONH 491
- ❖ Benediction
- ❖ Notices
- ❖ Diocesan Anthem
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 186

C. EVENTS AHEAD

1. DLW 25th Anniversary Elder's Day – Monday, 18th Nov., 2024 @ 1.00pm at AVMCC.
2. DLW 25th Anniversary Women's Day – Tuesday 19th Nov., 2024 @ 1.00pm at AVMCC.
3. 25th Anniversary Thanksgiving– Wednesday 20th Nov., 2024 @ 12.00noon.
4. Diocesan Harvest – Sunday, 24th Nov. @ 2.00pm
5. DLW Triumphant Convocation – 27th Nov – 29th Nov. 2024 at 6.00pm.
6. Bishop's Harvest - Sunday, 1st Dec, 2024.
7. Diocesan Christian Mothers Christmas Party on Monday, 9th December, 2024.
8. DLW Christmas Carol - Sunday, 15th Dec. 2024 at 5.00pm sponsored by Master Energy.
9. Christmas Day Service / Special Birthday Gift to Jesus - Wednesday, 25th December, 2024.



10. Watchnight Service – Tuesday 31st Dec. 2024 at 9.00pm.
11. New Year Service – Wednesday, 1st January, 2025.

E. AVMCC SPONSORSHIP OF 2024 EVENSONG BY SOCIETIES

1. Sunday Nov. 17, 2024 – Lord’s Labourers
2. Sunday Nov. 24, 2024 – Diocesan Harvest
3. Sunday, Dec. 1, 2024 - Lord’s Vessels
4. Sunday, Dec. 8, 2024 - Torchbearers
5. Sunday, Dec. 15. 2024 – DLW Christmas Carol
6. Sunday, Dec. 22, 2024 - YMCA
7. Sunday, Dec. 29, 2024 - YWCA

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F. 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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ANNOUNCEMENT

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

H. 7.00a.m & 10.00am - YOUTH SERVICE PAN DIOCESAN WORSHIP & LANDMARK HARVEST

Celebrant: The Rev. Michael Obembe
Preacher: The Rev. Michael Obembe
Theme: The Coming Day of the Lord

Epistle for 7.00am: Olajumoke Oladipo

Epistle for 10.00am: Dorcas Chidi

- ❖ Opening Hymn: CONH 193
- ❖ The Preparation to Penitence
- ❖ The Epistle: I Thess. 5:1-11
- ❖ The Gospel: Matthew 13:24-32
- ❖ Nicene Creed
- ❖ Offerings: Worship Songs

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

- ❖ The Eucharistic Prayers
- ❖ The Administration: Worship Songs
- ❖ Post Communion Prayer
- ❖ Exhortation & Intercession
- ❖ Interactions
- ❖ Thanksgiving
- ❖ Landmark Harvest
- ❖ Youth Anthem
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- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 189



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18. CHRISTIAN MOTHERS

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

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IMPORTANT NOTICE

KINDLY TAKE CARE OF YOUR BELONGINGS IN THE CHURCH PLS

20. INFORMATION FOR MEMBERS

(a) OBITUARIES

- i. We announce the passing into glory of our Father , Mr Godwin Ohiara of AVMCC Choir (Aged: 78years). Burial arrangements will be announced later.

(b) Economic Empowerment Programme

- i. Soft Selling Skills Masterclass on Saturday, 23rd November, 2024 at 9.00am @ Seminar Room, 1st Floor, Vining House.
- ii. Leadership Masterclass on Saturday, 30th November, 2024 at 9.00am. @ Seminar Room, 1st Floor, Vining House.

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25TH ANNIVERSARY OF DIOCESE OF LAGOS WEST - PROGRAMME

- 1. PAN Diocesan Worship – Sunday, 17th Nov., 2024 at 7.00am & 10.00am.
- 2. YOUTH SUMMIT – Sunday, 17th Nov. 2024 at 2.00pm at Bola Memorial Church, Ikeja.
- 3. Elderly Program – Monday, 18th Nov. 2024 at 1.00pm – AVMCC Vining Hall.
- 4. Church Social Responsibility - Tuesday, 19th Nov. 2024 at 10.00am at Lasuth, Ikeja
- 5. Women’s Program – Tuesday, 19th Nov. 2024 at 2.00pm at AVMCC.
- 6. Turning of the SOD – Wednesday 20th Nov. 2024 at 10.00am at CPA, Ikeja

- I. 6.00 pm. **EVENSONG**
Cantor: *The Rev. Michael Obembe*
Cantor: *Layreader Kike Akinyemi*
Preacher: *Layreader Ray Agu*
Sponsor: *Lords Labourers*
Organist: *Dr. Chinedu Odinigwe*

- ❖ Processional Hymn: CONH 397
- ❖ Call to Worship
- ❖ Praise Worship
- ❖ Lesson: John 8:31-End-*Lords Labourers*
- ❖ Hymn: CONH 291
- ❖ Short Exhortation & Prayer
- ❖ Offerings Choruses
(a) First Fruit (b Tithes, Building, Covenant Seed & Sunday Offering
- ❖ Thanksgiving
- ❖ Closing Prayer
- ❖ Withdrawal Hymn: CONH 131

2. SENTENCES FOR SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

Introductory Sentence

I am the bread of life: whoever comes to me shall not hunger, and whoever believes in me shall never thirst.

John 6:35.

Collects for the Week:

Gracious God, Your Son came to bring us good news and power to transform our lives: grant that when He comes again as judge we may be ready to meet Him with joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Post Communion Sentence

Then I remembered what the Lord had said: John baptized with water but you will be baptized with the Holy Spirit. **Acts 11:16.**

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 mightv name of

4. PRAYER POINTS FOR TODAY – SUNDAY, 17TH NOVEMBER, 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 increased wisdom and renewed vision to pastor the flock of God.
- ii. For the Rt. Revd. Dr. Steven K. Akobe, his family and all members of the Diocese of Kabba.

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. Pray for Nigerian economy for restoration.
- iii. Pray that God shall expose perpetrators of wickedness and evil in Nigeria and the whole world.

C. Prayer for AVMCC

- i. That all the blessings in the word of God shall be our portions.
- ii. That as the year 2024 is running to an end the grace and mercy of God shall not run to an end in our lives.
- iii. That the Lord shall frustrate every enchantment and divination against every member of AVMCC.

D. Prayers for individual Families within the AVMCC Household

Ogunlade Family, Ogunlela Family, Ogunlesi Family, Ogunleye Family, Ogunmoyero Family, Ogunnowo-Bolaji Family, Ogunnubi Family, Ogunniran Family, Ogunsanya Family, Ogunsola Family.

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

- i. For Mr Nnaemeka Onyemaizu, Mr Akinyele Durojaiye, Mrs Lynda Echeta, Mr Victor Ayoola, Mrs Nkechi Godson, Mrs Cynthia Maduneme, Mr Oladapo Jaiyeola, Mr Paul Opaaje, Mrs Abigail Soyemi, Mr Somtochukwu Oruche, Mr Daniel Oyenuga, Ms Olubunmi Ladeinde, Mr Obidike Okorochoa, Mr Collins Nwadigo 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 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.



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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
- 4 "60" Inch Television
- 1 Sony XDCAM PMW-EX3 Camera for AVMCC Media
- 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
VINYL FLOOR CARPET	= 469,220
Premium underlay for crèche	= 47,800

19.



I. COMMITTEE'S & MINISTRIES REPORTS

This is to inform the above that the next Vestry Meeting will hold on Sunday 23rd February, 2025. Kindly send the report of your activities for the year 2024 to the Cathedral Office on or before Monday, 9th December, 2024. The report must be signed.

J. NAMES OF CURRENT PRESIDENT & SECRETARIES & THEIR PHONE NUMBERS

This is to inform all Societies that the Vestry Meeting will hold on Sunday, 23rd February, 2025. Kindly send the names of your current Presidents, Secretaries & their phone numbers to the Cathedral Office to enable us update the 2025 Vestry Report latest by Monday, 9th December, 2024.

K. 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
Now and for eternity. Amen

5. THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

SUNDAY, 17th NOVEMBER, 2024

THEME: THE COMING OF THE LORD

READING: PSALM 76; ZEPHANIAH 1:14-18;
1 THESSALONIANS 5:1-11;
MATTHEW 13:24-32.

As we begin to draw near the Advent Sunday, our themes for preceding Sundays shall begin to prepare our minds for the Lord's return, not as a baby in the manger that we celebrate at Christmas, but as Judge. One of such preparatory topics is the one for today - The Great Day of the Lord.

It appears germane to start this discourse with a popular chorus:

Will you be ready when the Lord shall come? 2x

I will be ready 3x

When the Lord shall come

I will be ready 3x

When the Lord shall come

The Day of the Lord or The Great Day of the Lord was in the Old Testament time called the Day of Yahweh among the Israelites. It was a popular belief in Israel during the time of Prophet Amos that God would come to destroy the pagan nations and save Israel - Woe unto you that desire the day of the LORD! to what end is it for you? The day of the LORD is darkness, and not light. -Amos 5:18. If we read down the lines, we would see how God through the prophet shunned the congregational worship of Israel because of idolatry and injustice, He described their songs as noise.

Take away from Me the noise of your songs, For I will not hear the melody of your stringed instruments. 24 But let justice run down like water, And righteousness like a mighty stream. vv. 23-24

Other Old Testament prophets such as Zephaniah and Joel in particular shared this thought in their prophetic works.

That day is a day of wrath, a day of trouble and distress, a day of wasteness and desolation, a day of darkness and gloominess, a day of clouds and thick darkness, -Zephaniah 1:15

And I will bring distress upon men, that they shall walk like blind men, because they have sinned against the LORD: and their blood shall be poured out as dust, and their flesh as the dung. -Zephaniah 1:17. Verses 8-9 present idolatry, violence and deceit as reasons for



Prophet Joel witnessed the physical invasion of Jerusalem with grasshoppers that threatened their existence. He did not take it as a freak of nature, as you and I are naturally disposed to doing. He saw it as a warning from God and based on it to predict the coming of the day of the Lord as a great military invasion, similar to an invasion of grasshoppers (find time to read Joel 2:1-17 for details). Of course, the Babylonian army came and invaded the land and destroyed the temple and the walls of Jerusalem.

Common to all these prophecies was a latent hope anchored on repentance. So, the Day of the Lord from the Old Testament perspective, as per the prophecies, can be summarized to mean two things.

1. A day of God's anger and judgment against sinners
2. A day of restoration and joy for repentant sinners. Zeph.3:16-17 tells us that much -

In that day it shall be said to Jerusalem: "Do not fear; Zion, let not your hands be weak. The Lord your God in your midst, The Mighty One, will save; He will rejoice over you with gladness, He will quiet you with His love, He will rejoice over you with singing."

The New Testament sees the Day of the Lord as the day of the LORD's Return, in which He will do two things:

1. Judge the living and the dead
2. Establish His endless kingdom with the Saints.

Our creeds remind of this fact every time we gather.

So, we can add that it is equally a day of judgment and of salvation. Paul tells us in 1 Cor.5:5 that a repentant sinner's soul may be saved in the day of the Lord. 1 Thess.5:2 and 2 Pet.3:10 tell us that the day of the Lord shall come like thief in the night.

Jesus gave us a very comprehensive handout on this subject matter in Matt.24, but let us just take only 4 verses of it for our concluding meditation and lesson:

"But of that day and hour no one knows, not even the angels of heaven, but My Father only. But as the days of Noah were, so also will the coming of the Son of Man be. For as in the

C. Cathedral Youth Chapel Regular Weekly Programmes

- i. Strictly Feminine - Every 3rd Saturday of the month.
- ii. Just 4 Guys – Every 3rd Saturday of the month at 3.00p.m
- iii. Youth Fellowship every Saturday by 3.00pm.

Sunday:7.00am. & 10.00am. Services

Venue: Youth Chapel (2nd Floor, Adetiloye House)

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

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

D. Elderly Ministry

All Senior Citizens are welcome every first 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. **2025 Bible Quiz Book – The Book of Zechariah**

E. Evangelical Ministry

i. Monthly Meeting

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

ii. Home Fellowships:

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

iii. Visitation:

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

F. Prisons & Hospital Ministry

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

G. Intercessory Ministry

This Group meets for prayers every Tuesday from 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



D. AVMCC Guest House

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

E. 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.*

F. 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.

G. 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.

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 & Biro. Please instruct your children to remain in the Sunday School and not wander about looking for things to buy. Children are better and safer in the Sunday School.

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.

Counsellors from overseas (with evidence) who intend to spend a short period in the country for their wedding,

What is the learning point from both the Old and New Testaments' perspectives of the Great Day of the Lord? - BE PREPARED AND DON'T BE CAUGHT UNAWARE.

2 Pet.3:10-11 throws a challenge; but the day of the Lord will come as a thief in the night; in the which the heavens shall pass away with a great noise, and the elements shall melt with fervent heat, the earth also and the works that are therein shall be burned up. Seeing then that all these things shall be dissolved, what manner of persons ought ye to be in all holy conversation and godliness?

The main reason our faith gets weakened is because of the delay in the LORD's coming. Of course, the Bible warns in 2 Peter 3:3-4 that scoffers will come in the last days, walking according to their own lusts, and saying, "Where is the promise of His coming? For since the fathers fell asleep, all things continue as they were from the beginning of creation." Doubters' scoff and contempt change nothing about the sure return of Christ on that Great Day of the Lord.

The Lord is not slack concerning his promise, as some men count slackness; but is longsuffering to us-ward, not willing that any should perish, but that all should come to repentance. -2 Peter 3:8-9.

For those of us who may be standing, the admonition for us is very simple and it is on that note we will conclude the meditation:

"Therefore do not cast away your confidence, which has great reward. For you have need of endurance, so that after you have done the will of God, you may receive the promise: "For yet a little while, And He who is coming will come and will not tarry.

Now the just shall live by faith; But if anyone draws back, my soul has no pleasure in him." Heb.13:35-38

On the Lord's day
On the Lord's day
Only true believers

6. ATTENDANCE FOR PREVIOUS WEEK

November 10 – November 16, 2024

7.00 am Holy Communion	765
7.00 am Youth Service	221
7.00 am Sunday School	342
10.00 am Mattins	605
10.00 am Youth Service	127
10.00 am Sunday School	220
Tuesday Bible Study	89
Wednesday Holy Communion	123
Wednesday Prayer Meeting	76

7. MEETINGS THIS WEEK

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

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

8. CATHEDRAL ROSTER

A. Cathedral Health Centre

i. Personnel on Duty this Sunday, 17th Nov., 2024

7.00a.m-10.00am: Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Dr. B. Ibadapo-Obe, Pharm. Dele Ajala, Pharm. Y. Olorunsola, Mrs Gina Okolo.

7.00am-2.00pm: Prof. I. Akinsete, Dr. Arinze Onubogu, Pharm. Chief Nwerri, Mrs E. Osibajo, Sis. Boladuro Ajibola.

ii. Personnel on Duty Next Sunday 24th Nov., 2024

7.00a.m-10.00am: Dr. M. Akinlemibola, Dr. B. Ibadapo-Obe, Pharm. Deji Osinoiki, Pharm. (Mrs) Yomi Osinoiki, Mrs Nkiru.

7.00am-2.00pm: Dr. Arinze Onubogu, Pharm. Ranti Adedeji, Mrs Bola Awobiyi, Sis. Nike Adefila.

B. Security & Traffic Control

i. Sunday 17th Nov. - Saturday, 23rd Nov. 2024

Omotola Onakoya, (**Captain**), Goke Uthman; (**Assistant Captain**), Ogunleye Adeboboye, Adeyemi Muyiwa, Segun Adeniji, Chioma Obi, Juliet Chimezie, Akinniran O. Temidayo, Rita Osibodu, Olusegun Esan, Michael Enujioke, Nwaorgu Chinedu, Okedurum Andrew, Gbenga Ojo, Ola Matins, Newman Ekwegh, Helen Adewale.

ii. Sunday 24th Nov. - Saturday, 30th Nov. 2024

Funso Fagbuyiro, (**Captain**), Helen Arhagba (**Assistant Captain**), Adeyemi Muyiwa, Goke Uthman, Helen Arhagba, Caroline Omowhara, Chukwuemeka Osaka, Bolaji Dania, Funmi Ladele,

11. SUMMARY OF SERVICES FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Sunday before Advent November 24

Theme: The Way to Eeternal Life

Colour: Green

7.00 am: HOLY COMMUNION

Celebrant: The Ven. Abiodun

O moyelu

Epistle: Hebrews 9:24-28

Layreader Ray Agu

Gospel: John 10:7-18

The Rev. Fikayo Adenle

Address: The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju

THE YOUTH SERVICE

Venue: The Adetiloye House

Cantor: The Rev. Michael Obembe

Preacher: The Rev. Michael Obembe

10.00am: MATTINS

MEN & WOMEN OF GRACE ANNIVERSARY

Cantor: The Rev. Fikayo Adenle

O.T. Reading: Amos 5:18-24

Men & Women of Grace

N.T. Reading: John 10:7-18

Men & Women of Grace

Address: The Rev Adefope Adetujoye

2.00pm: DIOCESAN HARVEST

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.

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

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



Friday, November 22, 2024 Colour: Green
7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Bowing to God's majesty
Celebrant: The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju
For the Epistle: Dan. 4:34-37-Lay. D. Imarhiagbe

Gospel: Luke 18:1-8
Hymns: CONH 18, CONH 641, CONH 474
Preacher: The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Most. Revd. Alexander C. Ibezim, his family and all members of the Diocese of Awka.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Ndubuisi C. Obi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Nnewi.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Cosmas Obiajulu, Mr Kingsley Uba, Mrs Joy Obimman, Chief Adeola Sanya, Prince Sylvester Dugbo, Barr. (Mrs) Uche Ezue, Miss Nneka Ngwe, Mr Kingsley Onwuchuruba, Miss Tolani Opanubi, Mr Chukwunonso Okoye, Mr Samuel Ajudua, Mr Olakunle Akingbade, Mr Gilbert Akinrimisi, Mrs Ifeoma Etuka, Mrs Sarah Nwile, Mrs Victoria Eze, Mrs Chineze Ezeocha, Mr Precious Ilo, Mrs Risikat Faseyiku, Mr Ngozi Isiguzo, Mrs Eunice Nwabueze, Mr Nonso Obi, Mrs Obiageli Obu, Mrs Philomena Azu-Okwuedoe.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Okelana Family, Okenile Family, Okenwa Family, Okeowo Family, Okere Family, Okereke Family, Okerulu Family, Okesanya Family, Okeugo Family, Okey-Ilo Family.

6.00pm Choir Practice

Saturday, November 23, 2024 Colour: Green
7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Desecration
Celebrant: The Rev. Adefope Adetujoye
For the Epistle: Dan. 5:1-4 -Lay. Esther Randle
Gospel: Luke 18:9-14
Hymns: CONH 14, CONH 608, CONH 878
Preacher: The Rev. Fikayo Adenle

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt Revd. Dr. Samuel C. Ezeofor, his family and all members of the Diocese of Aguata.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Miss Omolere Bonojo, Miss Ijeoma Chiemelie, Mr Zenith Emenike, Mrs Ella Chibuzor, Mr Elozonachukwu Nzekwe, Mrs Adetutu Ayeni, Mr Chinedum Okoronkwo, Mr Oladele Olalekan, Mr Olanrewaju Afuye, Miss Udoka Okenwa, Ms Onuwahagbe Omokhodion, Nathaniel Fwangkat, Daniel Fwangkat, Mrs Ngozi Ufomba, Mr Oluwapelumi Ologunde, Mrs Olusola Ijogun, Mrs Henrietta Elijah.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Okezie Family, Okigbo Family, Okikiayo Family, Okiya Family, Okocha Family, Okofu-Rowland Family, Okogbue Family, Okoh Family, Okojie Family, Okoli Family.

11.30am 60th birthday of Adeleke Agbola

3.00 pm Youth Fellowship
4.00 pm Boys' Brigade and Girls Brigade

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, November 18, 2024 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: The Kingdom of God is forever

Ante Communion: Layreader

Celebrant: *The Ven. Abiodun Omoyelu*
The Rev. Yinka Akinpeju

For the Epistle: Dan. 4:1-3 – *Lay. Esther Alofe*

Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

Hymns: *CONH 397, CONH 641, CONH 120*

Preacher: *Layreader*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Dr. B. J. Adeyemi, his family and all members of the Diocese of Badagry.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Godwin Odubena, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ijebu-North.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Oluseyi Olufunwa, Mrs Irene Kanu, Miss Abigail Odeneye, Mr Adebajo Osinubi, Miss Olamide Kilo, Mrs Mabel Okunromade, Miss Vivian Dibuah, Mr Olaolu Akintobi, Mrs Ifunaya Chinwendu-Michael, Mrs Sarah Ayileye, Mr Anthony Elekeokwuri, Dr. Eddy Ikediugwu.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Oguntola Family, Oguntuase Family, Ogunwumi Family, Ogunye Family, Ogunyemi Family, Ogunyomade Family, Oguta Family, Ohagwa Family, Ohaka Family, Ohazurume Family.

12.00noon Social Welfare Ministry

1.00pm DLW 25TH ANNIVERSARY
ELDERLY GATHERING

3.00pm Standing Committee Meeting

6.00pm Choir Practice

Tuesday, November 19, 2024 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: The Spirit of the Holy God is in You

Celebrant: *The Rev. Fikayo Adenle*

For the Epistle: Daniel 4:4-18- *Lay. Sola Peters*

Gospel: Luke 17:1-10

Hymns: *CONH 16, CONH 369, CONH 810*

Preacher: *The Rev. Adefope Adetujoye*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. B. C. A. Johnson, his family and all members of the Diocese of Mainland.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Nathaniel .O. Ogundipe, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ifo.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Charles Akunne, Mrs Chinwe Chibueze, Mrs Omobolaji Adeniji, Mrs Joyce Oshokare, Miss Omodesola Awokoya, Mr Adeniyi Onayemi, Mr Chukwudi Ofodule, Dr. Obianuju Mbaneme, Mr Olusina Olusina, Mr John Okeke, Mr Chijioke Onyechere, Mr Kola Sodiya, Miss Bimbo Ayomidele, Mrs Faith Okoli, Mr Olagoke Uthman.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ohlara Family, Ohieku Family, Ohiomah Family, Ohiomoba Family, Ohiomokhare Family, Ohomele Family, Ohuabunwa Family, Ohurucho Family, Ojarojade Family, Ojekunle Family.

2.00pm DLW 25TH ANNIVERSARY
WOMEN'S PROGRAM

Wednesday, November 20, 2024 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Dreams, Visions and their interpretations

Celebrant: *The Ven. Dr. Benjamin Okere*

For the Epistle: Daniel 4:19-27- *Lay. B. Dania*

Gospel: Luke 17:11-19

Hymns: *CONH 123, CONH 269, CONH 509, CONH 877*

Preacher: *The Dean*

Prayer Point

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Samuel O. Ogundeji, his family and all members of the Diocese of Egba West.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Dr. J. A. Atere, his family and all members of the Diocese of Awori.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Mr Chidubem Obio, Mrs Adedoyin Olugbogi, Mrs Chiwendu Nwabasili, Mr Nnaemeka Onukwube, Mr Izuchukwu Onukwube, Mr Ogbonnaya Obah, Mr Ifeanyi Oriuwa, Mrs Stella Worgu, Mr Uzezi Idhalama.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Ojelabi Family, Oji Family, Ojirika Family, Ojo Family, Ojoye Family, Ojukwu Family, Ojuoko Family, Ojuri Family, Okaekwu Family, Okafor Family.

8.00am Vining Intercessor's Visitation

10.00am DLW 25TH ANNIVERSARY
TURNING OF THE SOD

12.00noon DLW 25TH ANNIVERSARY
THANKSGIVING

5.00pm DLW 25TH ANNIVERSARY
BOOK LAUNCH & DINNER

6.00pm PRAYER MEETING

Thursday, November 21, 2024 Colour: Green

7.00am Holy Communion

Theme: Fulfilment of King Nebuchadnezzar's dream

Celebrant: *The Rev. Michael Obembe*

For the Epistle: Daniel 4:28-33– *Lay. S. Okeke*

Gospel: Luke 17:20-37

Hymns: *CONH 126, CONH 802, CONH 458*

Preacher: *The Ven. Azubuike Ahubelem*

Prayer Points:

- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Dr. Babatunde F.R. Ogunbanwo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Ijebu South West.
- ❖ For the Rt. Revd. Dr. Owen C. Nwokolo, his family and all members of the Diocese of Niger.
- ❖ For these members of the Cathedral who are celebrating their Birthdays today: Engr. Ifeanyi Obiako, Miss Olawunmi Gboyega, Mr Adeyemi Odedina, Miss Favour Ikegwuonu, Arc. Adedeji Ojuri, Mrs Charlotte Olumide, Mrs Nneka Okoli, Mr Omotayo Amachree, Mrs Jessica Oguechuba.
- ❖ For these individual Families within the AVMCC Household: Okagbue Family, Okame Family, Okaro Family, Oke Family, Okeahilam Family, Okebata Family, Okechukwu Family, Okediran 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

