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welfare of the Archdeaconry staff in our parishes. Please issue your cheque to the LAGOS ARCHDEACONRY. The Lord will bless and enrich you as you donate generously.

20. EVENTS IN THE WEEK

- (a) Sunday May 8th 2011: Harvest Lunch
(b) Diocesan Youth's Glorious Night: Tagged "My Dry Bones Shall Rise Again" which is slated to take place at The Good Shepherd Church Marine-Beach on Friday 13th May, 2011. by 10p.m-5.00a.m
(c) Saturday May 14th 2011: Memorial Service.
(d) Centenary Fellowship: The Annual Sunday School/Bible Quiz Competition sponsored by the Centenary Fellowship will hold on Sun., 15th May, 2011 in the Church Hall immediately after the 10a.m. service.
(d) 10th years in mind of Late Mama Mrs. Stella Adeyinka Bamidele Okenla J.P. who died on 15th May 2001 would be celebrated on 15th May 2011 during the 10.00a.m. service. Mama was the former Matron of Busy Bees Society and foundation member of Ladies Auxiliary Association. May her soul continue to have eternal rest.

21. EVENTS NEXT WEEK

- (a) The death is announced of Mrs. Josephine Adunola Adebola of Lady Worker's League at the age of 81yrs.

Burial Arrangements:

Wednesday 18th May, 2011: Wake at City Club, Raufu Williams Crescent of Adisa Bashua off Adelabu Surulere by 5.00p.m.

Thursday 19th May, 2011: Funeral at St. Paul's Church, Breadfruit by 10.00a.m. Outing: Sunday May, 22nd 2011 at 10.00

(b) HOME CALL

The death is announced of Pa T.A. Braithwaite on Monday 2nd of May in London. Aged 82 yrs.

Funeral Arrangements:

Tuesday & Wednesday 17th and 18th May, 2011: Service of Songs

Thursday 19th May, 2011: Wake at Osborne Road, Ikoyi by 6.00p.m.

Friday 20th May, 2011: Burial Service at St. Paul's Church Breadfruit by 10.00a.m. Outing: Sunday May 22nd 2011 at 7.30a.m.

22. EVENTS AHEAD

(a) Prayer Convocation: This is a programme of The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion). The Diocese of Lagos will hold its own on Thursday 26th-Sat. 28th May. Venue (Residential) at Faith Plaza, Bariga from 4.00p.m. on Thur 26/05/11 free Accommodation at the Endurance Building, registration, lectures and materials are free. Accommodation at the HOPE BUILDING and feeding can be arranged specially.

23. **WARNING !!!**: Worshippers are hereby called to be conscious of 'strange' faces in any given service. Those 'strange' face may pose unusually friendly but he may be a pick pocket when you notice beware of what you have with you. Don't ask such faces to handle your baby or bag for you if they move at an unnecessary time watch out for your pocket. As usual come to the altar with your bags and other essentials.

THE DIOCESE OF LAGOS

(Anglican Communion)

Welcome to
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WEEK NINETEEN

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EASTER II

LITURGICAL COLOUR: WHITE

HON. LANRE OGUNLESI

Vergor

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Vicar's Warden

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THE MOST REV. E.A. ADEMOWO PhD, OON

BISHOP OF LAGOS

&

ARCHBISHOP ECCLESIASTICAL PROVINCE OF LAGOS

[THE BOOK OF COMMON PRAYER – CHURCH OF NIGERIA]**EASTER II****Theme: Living For Christ In a Corrupt Society****Celebrant: The Revd. Akinwale Kayode****1. Opening Hymn: C.H. 31**

2. Introductory Sentence: *“Since therefore Christ suffered in the flesh, arm yourselves with the same thought, for whoever has suffered in the flesh has ceased from sin, so as to live for the rest of the time in the flesh no longer by human passions but by the will of God.” – 1Peter 4:1&2.*

3. The Preparation - Page 373

* Collect for Purity - Page 374

* Gloria In Excelsis - Page 374

4. Act Of Penitence

* Summary Of The Law – Absolution – Pages 377-380

* Collect for Easter II – Page 155

5. Ministry Of The Word* O.T. Reading: **Leviticus 11:43-47**– Mrs. C.O. Makinde* Epistle: **1Peter 4:1-11**– Mr. Remi Makinde* **Gradual Hymn: C.H. 356 Pt 1*** Gospel: **Luke 10:38-11:13**– The Revd. Canon S.P. Mesimo* **Sermon: The Revd. G.O. Afolabi*** **Hymn: C.H. 160 – Building Fund**

* Nicene Creed – Page 381

6. The Intercession – Celebrant**7. The Ministry Of The Sacrament**

* The Peace – Pages 390 & 391

* **Offertory Hymn: C.H. 366**

* Offertory Prayer - Page 392

8. Eucharistic Prayer I - Pages 391-395 & 399-400**9. Prayer Of Humble Access** - Page 400**10. Invitation Before Administration** - Pages 400-401**11. The Administration: Voluntaries****12. After Communion*** Post Communion Hymn: **C.H. C.S. 12 – Mission Seed**

* Post Communion Sentence: *“But the Lord answered her, “Martha, Martha, you are anxious and troubled about many things; one thing is needful, Mary has chosen the good portion, which shall not be taken away from her.” – Luke 10 41.*

* The Lord’s Prayer - Page 403

* Thanksgiving Prayer - Page 404

13. Altar Call: Presentation of 2011 Harvest Season Launching**Envelopes****14. Notices****15. Hymn Before Benediction: MHB 69 (Kneeling) – Page 19.****16. Benediction****17. Withdrawal Hymn: C.H. 373**

To remind, please be informed that today, Sunday’s May 8th Harvest Launching ceremonies will be held at the 7.30a.m. service, but majorly at the 10.00a.m. YORUBA MATTINS SERVICE. We are proud to list below, afresh, our 2011 HARVEST 11 (ELEVEN) eminent LAUNCHERS today, MAY 8TH, 2011:

1. Pre-eminent Professor (Sir) Adetokunbo Lucas
(THE PARAMOUNT CHIEF LAUNCHER & Reader of 1st Lesson),
2. Professor O.O. Hunponu-Wusu – CHIEF LAUNCHER
3. Professor S.O. Jeboda – CHIEF LAUNCHER
4. Professor N.O. Hollist – CHIEF LAUNCHER
5. Professor H..O. Adeyemi-Doro – CHIEF LAUNCHER
6. Revd. Canon Professor Babajide Lucas
(CHIEF LAUNCHER & The Day’s Preacher)
7. Professor Bode Lucas – CHIEF LAUNCHER
8. Professor A.A. Sobande – CHIEF LAUNCHER
9. Associate Professor Afolabi Lesi – CO-CHIEF LAUNCHER
10. Associate Professor (Mrs.) F.A. Oredugba
(CO-CHIEF LAUNCHER & Reader of 2nd Lesson)
11. Associate Professor (Mrs.) O. Lesi – CO-CHIEF LAUNCHER

In order to further achieve inclusiveness at our 2011 Harvest Launching today, Sunday, May 8th 2011, your Harvest Committee felt encouraged to have delivered SPECIAL LAUNCHERS INVITE to 47 Societies, Association, and Service Groups in SPCB. May God bless our performance effort today, Sunday, May 8th, 2011.

As death could not hold JESUS captive so will all our ordained BLESSINGS and MIRACLES, that have been held captive, be divinely delivered and bestowed unto each and everyone of us, this Easter Season, in Christ Jesus ! Amen.

Alleluia Christ is Risen. The Lord is risen, indeed. Alleluia.

Festally yours

OTUNBA AYODEJI AGBOOLA AWOFOESO

HARVEST CHAIRMAN

MHB 69

1. This, this is the God we adore,
Our faithful, unchangeable Friend;
Whose love is as great as His power,
And neither knows measure nor end.
2. `Tis Jesus, the first and the last,
Whose Spirit shall guide us safe home;
We’ll praise Him for all that is past,
And trust Him for all that’s to come.

OUR 2011 HARVEST SEASON (104TH ANNIVERSARY)
CELEBRATIONS TEES – OFF TODAY !

Dearly beloved BREADFRUIT FAMILIES

THE MANDAMUS OF ANNUAL HARVEST CELEBRATION.

“While the earth remains, seed time and harvest, cold and heat, summer and winter, and day and night shall not cease.”

It is in PERFECT OBEDIENCE to the above-quoted command in Genesis 8, verse 22, and also in Deut. 16, verses 13-14, that we are OBLIGATED to observe the joyful celebrations of ANNUAL HARVESTING to our Lord God, in gratefulness for His preservation. provisions, and spiritual empowerment of us all and for eternity.

Annual Harvest Celebrations in St. Paul’s Church, Breadfruit, Lagos attains ONE HUNDRED AND FOURTH anniversary, this year, 2011; and your Harvest Committee is D.V. purposed, (in this my quinquennium) at attaining sustained superlativeness in all ramifications of SPCB’S annual harvest performance.

AND AS WE LAUNCH OUR 2011 HARVEST SEASON TODAY,
MAY 8TH.

The Harvest Committee expects a MOST ROBUST PARTICIPATION (filling our sanctuary, with your attendance to over flowing) at all our publicized 2011 calendar of Harvest Celebration Elemental events, beginning with LAUNCHING OF OUR 2011 HARVEST SEASON today, Sunday, May 8th 2011. Breadfruit Families have been apprised of the novel innovation of using our God-given 8 PROFESSORS AND 3 ASSOCIATE PROFESSORS, as a most intuitively-conceptualized deployment of these SPCB academic power-house of excellence, as amplification for our 2011 Harvest Theme of “Tearful sowing for Bountiful Harvest“. The Harvest Committee is grateful for the enabling encouragement from our Vicar and Archdeacon of Lagos Diocese, to making inspirationally-sightful the procession and recession (with the Choir and the clergy) of our robed Professors and Associate Professors at the 10.00a.m. Yoruba Mattins today, 8/5/2011.

We all have been admonished to appropriate God’s promises as “true disciples of Jesus Christ” (apologies to Rt. Revd. Dr. Segun Okubadejo). Thus, your Harvest Committee implores you all, not to “observe the wind (and wait for all conditions to be favourable); otherwise we will “not soul; for if we regard the clouds, we will not REAP”. Therefore, God’s command is that we should “cast our bread upon the waters, because we will assuredly find it after many days”. (Eccl. 11:1&4). May we all be fruitful vessels in the hands of God, our creator, as we make an exceeding success of our 2011 Harvest Season, beginning today, May 8th, 2011.

9.00A.M.: BIBLE TEACHING SERVICE

TOPIC: Abuse of God’s Grace : (ii) Sexual immorality & Impurity (Lasciviousness)

TEXT: 1Corinthians 5:1-6

Text: To teach that desire for sexual immoralities is an abuse of God’s Grace for our Christians life.

CONDUCTOR:

10.00A.M: ISIN OWURO – IFILOLE ODUN IKORE 2011

(OJO ISINMI KETA LEHIN AJINDE)

AKORI: FIFI EKUN FUNRUGBIN FUN OPO IKORE

OLUDARI ISIN: THE REVD. CANON S. P. MESIMO

EKO KIKA KINI: LEFITIKU 11:43-47–PROFESSOR (SIR)
ADETOKUNBO LUCAS

EKO KIKA KEJI: 1 PETERU 4:1-11–ASSOCIATE PROF.
(MRS) F.A. OREDUGBA

ONIWAASU: THE REVD. CANON PROFESSOR BABAJIDE
LUCAS

ETO IDUPE:

(I) LATE MRS. SUSSANA TINUBU AJAYI (NEE
ADEFOWOPE) 11 YRS. IN MIND AND ISRAEL SUNDAY
AJAYI 29 YRS. IN MIND.

(II) 1 YR. IN MIND LATE CHIEF MRS. C.A. ADEKOYA.

SEE 2011 HARVEST LAUNCH PAMPHLET

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13. Year 2011 Women's Youths' Competition: Old Province 1

Church of Nigeria: The Essay Competition which is opened to boys & Girls would begins at Parish Levels and proceed thereafter to the Archdeaconry, Diocesan, and Provincial Levels.

Essay Topics and Classes:

Primary Six:

Essay Topic: Children are the Heritage of the Lord (Not more than 150 words). **Objective Test:** 30 questions on knowledge of Anglicanism.

JSS 3: Essay Topic: Remember Thy Creator in the days of thy youth. (Not more than 250 words) **Objective Test:** 45 questions on knowledge of Anglicanism.

Senior Secondary 3: Essay Topic: Out of a man's heart flows the Virtue of life (Not more than 50 words) **Objective Test:** 60 questions on knowledge of Anglicanism.

Dates of The Tests: **Parish Level** – Saturday 7th May, 2011.

Archdeaconry Level – Saturday 4th June, 2011

Diocesan Level – Saturday 6th August, 2011

Provincial Level – Saturday 20th August, 2011

Final Level – Saturday 3rd September, 2011

14. In Memory

Mrs. Sussana Tinubu Ajayi 6th December 1909-14th Feb. 2000 she was a member of Busy Bees and their chaplain. Chief Israel Sunday Ajayi (14th May 1911-12th April 1982). He was a member of the defunct Men's Association and a Layreader.

15. CLERGY RETIREMENT SCHEME: It has been observed that a lot of retired clergymen live in abject poverty, to this end, the Church authority has decided to institute a fund to alleviate the condition of such. Thro this end, all serving clergymen are to contribute the sum of N10,000 each and all parishioners N1,000 each to the fund. Kindly join the team and God will remember you for good.

16. SCHEDULE FOR HOSTING OF COMMUNITY HYMN SINGING 2011

January – Church Choir **August**– Girls Brigade– 50th Anniversary

February – (Vestry Meeting) **September** – YMCA

March - Breadfruit Ark Fellowship **October** – Bright Family

April – (Easter Sunday) **November** – Oredugba Family

May – Banki Braithwaite Family – 80th Birthday of their late father

June – YMAA **July**- Akin Martins Family. **December** – (Christmas)

You can book against next year 2012. **Please Contact: (a) Revd. G.O.**

Afolabi–08058512302/07028115492 **(b) Mr. H.A.O. George**

08023407600/017759078 and (c) Mr. Remi Adeneye – 08023063531/

/08059977490. Kindly indicate which month you will like to sponsor,

17. CLERGY APPRECIATION:

The time has come for your clergy to be appreciated. Last year you did wonderfully. It is hoped we will perform better this year God bless you as you give in Jesus' name. This year let us all have hands in this laudable endeavour.

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ATTENDANCES LAST WEEK

	<u>M</u>	<u>W</u>	<u>B</u>	<u>G</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>COMM</u>
7.30am:	41	27	7	4	79	56
10.00a.m:	155	141	38	56	390	-
Sunday School:						

CLINIC ROSTER FOR MAY, 2011

DOCTORS: DR. ROTIMI COKER, DR (MRS.) YINKA COKER, AND DR. G.O. OREDUGBA,

NURSES: MRS. A.O. OBITAYO, AND MRS. M.S. OSHOLOWU

PHARMACISTS: MRS. O. BRIGHT

DISPENSER ASSISTANT: MISS. O. AJALA

MEDICAL RECORD: MRS. E.I. TAYLOR.

DAILY BIBLE READING FOR WEEK 20

"The Word of The Lord stands Forever"

Monday 9/05 (Day 129) – Num.17-18, Psalm 55.

Tuesday 10/05 (Day 130) – Num. 19, Psalm 56-57.

Wednesday 11/05 (Day 131) – Num. 20, Psalm 58-59

Thursday 12/05 (Day 132) – Num. 21, Psalm 60-61.

Friday 13/05 (Day 133) – Num. 22, Psalm 62-63.

Saturday 14/05 (Day 134) – Num. 23, Psalm 64-65.

Sunday 15/05 (Day 135) – Num. 24, Psalm 66-67.

PRAYER POINTS

1. Give God praise and honour for making you see this day of the Lord.
2. Ask God to visit you with divine favour as you appear before Him today.
3. Pray that you will never go empty handed from His presence.
4. Ask God to give you the grace to live for Christ in a Corrupt Society.
5. Pray for the Harvest Launching holding today. Ask for the joy of the Lord to fill our hearts and this Church.
6. Pray that your life will manifest God's glory in the land of the living.
7. Pray for the Archdeacon, Clergy & members of Victoria Island Archdeaconry.
8. Birthday Prayers for: Bolaji Banjo, Ayodele Coker, A.J. Ogunyemi, Adejumo Adespla Macaulay, Tolu Awosusi, Aarinola Lesi, Oluwaseun Olokeogun, and M.I. Sanyaolu.

Collect For Easter II

God of Peace, who brought again from dead our Lord Jesus Christ, that great shepherd of the sheep, by the blood of the eternal covenant, make us perfect in every good work to do your will, and work in us that which is well pleasing in your sight, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Isinmi Keji Lehin Ajinde

Olorun Alafia, Eniti o mu Jesu Kristi Oluwa wa pada kuro ninu oku, eniti ise Olusoaguntan nla eje majemu ayeraye. Se wa ni pipe, ninu ise rere gbogbo, lati le se ife Re, ki o si se ninu wa, eyi ti o dara ni oju Re, nitori Jesu Kristi Oluwa wa. Amin.

THINK ABOUT THIS !

GOD CONTD.

When we trust God completely, we need fear no man, no situation, no circumstance.

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God can hear our faintest cry and our weakest prayer above the fiercest storm.

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When you get to the end of your rope, be thankful – God is there.

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Our security is not in channels that change, but in the one Source that remains constant.

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Where is the center of God? Is it not just as much in the center of our very being as anywhere else in the universe?

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We glorify God best by a joyful, radiant, loving and grateful spirit.

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God is nearer than your every breath, larger than your greatest need, and more dependable than your strongest doubt.

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Every sunrise is a new message from God, and every sunset is His signature.

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Spring is God’s way of dramatically reassuring man, colourfully redecorating the earth, and joyfully rekindling our faith.

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A garden is a partnership between two hands and God.

(From The Writings of WILLIAM ARTHUR WARD)

TOTAL COLLECTION AS AT SUNDAY 1st May, 2011

1. Sunday Collection	N57,260
2. Tithe.....	N326,224
3. Church Dues.....	N53,300
4. Communion Offertory.....	N3,050
5. Mission Seed Offering.....	N23,365
6. Hour of Divine connection.....	N3,805

7. Thanksgiving

- Birthday and Wedding Thanksgiving.....	N2,400
- End of the Month Thanksgiving.....	N60,800
- Thank You Jesus.....	N1,000
- Covenant Offering.....	N1,000
- Easter Thanksgiving.....	N7,000
- Graduation Thanksgiving: Miss Titi Sobande.....	N48,150

Burial Service of Late Mrs. Ebum Adebola George

Communion Offertory.....	N18,220
Mission Seed Offering.....	N13,110
Outing Service.....	N7,740
8. Ladies & Girls Guild Thanksgiving.....	N38,190
9. Sales of Harvest Pamphlet.....	N8,250
10. Hiring of Church Hall.....	N80,000
11. Hiring of Church Bus.....	N20,000
12. Cheque Exchange – Church Band.....	N10,000
13. For The Needy.....	N10,500
14. Building Fund.....	N39,170

Tithe

<u>No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>	<u>No.</u>	<u>Amount</u>
11 – 2,200		404 – 10,000		O.O.O. – 55,000	
42 – 3,200		721 – 10,824		Wk 18 – 001 – 3,000	
49 – 50,800		1000 – 1,000		Wk 18 – 002 – 7,000	
76 – 3,000		1010 – 6,800		Wk 18 – 003 – 12,000	
100 – 9,000		1219 – 2,000		Wk 18 – 004 – 4,000	
101 – 1,600		1686 – 50,000		Wk 18 – 005 – 50,000	
106 – 32,500		A.O.S – 500		Wk 18 – 006 – 4,600	
114 – 1,000		FLORENCE23 – 500		Wk 18 – 007 – 1,200	
132 – 1,000		J.F.O. – 1,000			
281 – 2,000		PRINCE23 – 500			

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18 ATTENTION! ATTENTION!! ATTENTION!!!

Parishioners interested in learning how to play any of the instruments on the orchestra should indicate their interest with the following parishioners (a) Mr. Seun Iziomo (b) Mr. Tosin George (c) Dr. Toyin Oredugba (d) Mrs. Omowunmi Ogunlesi, and (e) Mrs. Yetunde Ladega.

19. Donation To Your Archdeaconry: We hereby solicit for your support to our Archdeaconry to enable us plant churches, support weaker churches in the Diocese, your empowerment, medical facilities and

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LIVING WATER 19 /2011

It Is All About Service

We must know and admit that our lives are given to us on loan. God is the loaner, we are the loanees. Each day, as you get out of bed to discover you are still alive, thank your maker and then set out to pay the rent you owe or the loan you took.

That rent is service know that we are born to serve; just as every loan granted by the Financial Institution is meant to run a project, every life is sent to address a need. You are sent by God as a solution to a confusion on earth. Unfortunately, Many are adding to the confusion instead of helping to reduce them.

However, to be able to pay the rent and service the need, you must discover yourself and also discover your purpose.

Render service to humanity. Your service to God means service to humanity. It means doing all you can to alleviate human sufferings and putting smiles on people's faces. No one will remember you for your material acquisitions but for the lives you touched.

Render service to your immediate family and yourself. It is important to emphasize that your first responsibility is rendering service to humanity, to your spouse and children. Do not fail at home, for charity they say begins at home.

You must also take very good care of yourself so you can live long to render the useful services your are sent here for. I command every affliction to leave your life and destiny in Jesus' Name. Stay blessed.

Have a blessed and victorious week

The Revd. Canon S.P. Mesimo
Your Assisting Priest

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13th May, 2011

Day 133

7.00a.m.: Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Revd. Canon S.P. Mesimo

Epistle: II John 1-13

Gospel: Luke 5:12-26

Prayer Points

1. Pray for divine grace upon. **Shepherds Insurance Brokers.**
2. Birthday Prayer for: A. O. Adeneye, Tolani Haastrup, S.A. Olu Odejayi, Segun Ogunjobi, Adeoye Sobande, Ibiyinka Akin-Johnson, Kemi Korede and Ademola Ade-Serrano.

6.00p.m.: Intercessory Meeting

14th May, 2011 – Eve of Trinity

Day 134

1. Pray for divine blessings upon **O. Adekoya & Co.**

2. Birthday Prayer for: O.I. Akintuire, Oludolapo Ajayi, and Temilola Okenla,

4.00p.m.: Girls and Boys Brigade Practice

15th May, 2011–Choral Communion (Easter III)

Day 135

7.30a.m.: Holy Communion

Theme: The Resurrection and the Life

Celebrant: The Revd. Canon S.P. Mesimo

Sermon: The Revd. Akinwale Kayode

O.T. Reading: 1 Kings 17:17-24 – Mrs. Jumoke Braithwaite

Epistle: 1 Corinthians 15:1-11 – Mr. Bolaji Ayorinde

Gospel: John 11:17-27 – The Revd. G.O. Afolabi

Intercession: Celebrant

9.00a.m.: Bible Teaching Service

Topic: Abuse of God's Grace (iii) Anger

Text: Numbers 20:1-12

Aim: To teach that even while we are given the grace to perform any Christian duty, we should not anger in performing such duties.

Conductor:

10.00a.m.: Choral Communion

Theme: Labourers In The Vineyard Of God

Celebrant: The Vicar

Sermon: The Vicar

O.T. Reading: Proverb 14:16-35– Mrs. Yetude Ladega

Epistle: Romans 1:12-20– Arc. O.P.A. Ladega

Gospel: Luke 14:28-35 – The Revd. Akinwale Kayode

UPPER ROOM

GENERAL NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

EXHORTATION FOR THE YEAR 2011

Exhortation: “Obey”

Response: “And Prosper”

1. Greetings

(a) All worshippers are welcome into this sanctuary for the year 2011. We thank God for His mercies shown us in the past especially the year 2010. As we come to meet the Lord this year, let us rededicate our lives anew to Jesus Christ. Each time we enter this sanctuary, give thanks to Him, invite His presence, pray to Him for revival from sin to righteousness. Let us pray that our coming this year will attract divine intervention in our lives. Jesus has said, Ask, and it will be given you; seek and you will find; knock, and it will be opened to you. For everyone who asks receives, and he who seeks finds, and to him who knocks it will be opened. (Matt. 7:7&8). Have confidence in the promise of our Lord Jesus that if we ask for bread we shall not be given a stone or when you ask for a fish, you will not be given a serpent (Mt. 7:9). Trust the Lord for His goodness and mercy, come to Him with a clean heart and be sure IT IS WELL. Constantly pray the prayer of Jabez (see 1 Chronicles. 4:9-10) God will bless you this year, He will enlarge your border, His hand will keep you from harm. Amen

(b) **Welcome: We welcome The Revd. Canon Prof. Babajide Lucas and Prof. (Sir) Adetokunbo Lucas to our Harvest Lunching. We pray that in the Heavenly Harvest you will not be found wanting In Jesus’ Name . May the Lord bless you and your family.**

(c) We welcome and greet all visitors and friends and all members of our Congregation today, *Sunday 8th May, 2011*. We pray that God will make this week a week of joy, success, breakthroughs, prosperity, protection, achievement, good health, grace, and direction of God, by the power of the Holy Spirit in Jesus Name. **Please kindly see the stewards or clergy for the membership form.**

2. (a) THEME FOR THE YEAR 2011

PERFECT OBEDIENCE (Isaiah 1:19) “If you are willing and obedient, you shall eat the good of the land.”

(b) God’s Assurance For The Year 2011

Jesus said to them, Truly, I say to you, in the world, when the son of man shall sit on His glorious throne, you who have followed me will also sit on twelve thrones, judging the twelve tribes of Israel. And everyone who has left houses or brothers or sisters or father or mother or children or lands, for my names sake will receive a hundredfold and inherit eternal life. (Matt. 19:28-9)RSV.

(c) Memory Verses For The Year 2011

“Come now, let us reason together says the Lord; though your sins are like scarlet, they shall be as white as snow though they are red like

(E) Summary: Endowment Account as at 1/5/2011:

- Pledges (EKB’s):	154 Units	770,000
- Cash (EKB’s):	239 Units	1,195,000
- Cheques (EKB’s):	3813 Units	19,065,000
- Cash Donations/Gifts:	(9 Legal entities)	15,816.50
- Bequests (WILLS)	-	-
- Earned Interest (in 2008)	N/A	207,936.51
- Earned Interest (in 2009)	N/A	913,527.00
- Earned Interest (in 2010)	N/A	683,337.69
New (E) Sub-Totals	4206 Units etc.	N22,850,644.70

(F) Status of EKB transactions as at 1/5/2011:

Target EKB Units	: +391,370
Less EKB Units paid for by cash	: - 239
Less EKB Units paid for by cheques	: - 3813
Less EKB Units pledged for	: - 154
Investable EKB Units remaining	:+ 387,164

(G) Explanatory/Motivational Notes:

- Each Unit of the EKB costs N5000, irrespective of category:
- Start building your INDESTRUCTIBLE heavenly riches by investing **NOW** in the SPCB Endowment Fund !
- Donations, Gifts and Bequests (material and real estate WILLS to our church) are also credible to SECURE YOUR ETERNITY!
- Remembering what God SAVED YOU FROM will make you EXTRAVAGANT in your LOVE and YOUR GIVING
- “We have as TREASURE WITHOUT END, whatever, LORD, to THEE we LEND” – C.H. 553- 7
- FAITH is a spiritual dimension to life. Give careful thoughts to your ways. (acts and deeds) ! ENSURE YOUR NAME IS FOUND IN THE “BOOK OF LIFE” !
- Open my eyes, O Holy Spirit, and help me discern the **LASTING** from the **PASSING!**
- This ALTRUISTIC GODLY-ACT will make you an overcomer, escaping the SECOND DEATH! (Revelation 21:6-8). Delight in GIVING TO OUR GREAT TRIUNE GOD !

Thank you and may God bless you with heavenly riches, again in 2011, and beyond, according to Matthew 6:19-25, Matthew 25:29; Luke 12:33-34; II Corinthians 9:6-15, & Lk.18:29-30. **THINE, NOT OURS, IS THE KINGDOM, THE POWER AND THE GLORY! REMEMBER IT, AND YOU WILL PROSPER!** The Harvest Committee lays no claim to perfection! Please (dear parishioners) feel free to offer your advisories

**Otunba Ayodeji Agboola Awofeso (Signed),
DIVINELY-INSPIRED INITIATOR, SPCB HARVEST INDUCED
ENDOWMENT FUND (2008).**

SPCB HARVEST-INDUCED ENDOWMENT FUND(2008);

1/5/11 Update: using listings in 13/7/08 bulletin as Foundation

The Components:

- Eternity Kingdom Bonds (EKB's) (TO POWER OUR SUCCEEDING (Pledges and Payments); GENERATION WITH
- Endowment Donations & Gifts; & THIS DREAM SEED)
- Bequests (WILLS made to our Church)

(A) EKB PLEDGES MADE as at 1/5/2011:

<u>S/N</u>	<u>Names</u>	<u>Desire Category</u>	<u>No. of Units</u>	<u>Value (N)</u>
1.	Mr. & Mrs. Dapo Ayorinde	JOSEPH	40	200,000
2.	Mr. Bolaji O. Banjo	LEVI	50	250,000
3.	Otunba & Olori A.A.Awofeso	JOSEPH	20	100,000
4.	Mr. & Mrs. Bolaji Cole	REUBEN	20	100,000
5.	Mrs. Omolara M. Bright	REUBEN	10	50,000
6.	Anonymous	-	6	30,000
7.	Mr. & Mrs. Abraham O. Oyewole	LEVI	8	40,000
(A) Sub-Totals:			<u>154 Units</u>	<u>N770,000</u>

(B) EKB Cash Donations as at 1/5/2011:

48. Nos. Sub-Totals B/F from listings beginning from 13/7/08 bulletin:.....239 Units N1,195

New Entries (None)

(B) Sub-Totals: **239 Units N1,195,000**

(C) Endowment Cash/Cheques Donations/Gifts (update):

as at 1/5/2011

10. Nos. Sub-Totals B/F (from listings beginning from 13/7/08 bulletin).....N15,816.50

New Entries (None)

(C) Sub-Totals (Payments by 8 persons+ Corporate SPCB) **N15,816.50**

(D) EKB Cheque donations as at 1/5/2011:

47. Nos. Sub-Totals B/F from listings beginning from 13/7/08 bulletin): **2473 Units N12,365,000**

New Entries (None)

* 49 2009 SPCB Corporate..... 300Units N1,500.000

**50 2010 SPCB Corporate.....1040 Units N5,200.000

(D) Sub-Totals: **3813 Units N19,065,000**

(*) **2009 DEPOSITS OUTSTANDING (N1,500,000)**

(**) **2010 DEPOSITS OUTSTANDING (N5,200,000)**

Total Cumulative Deposit Outstanding (N6,700,000)

crimson, they shall become like wool. If you are willing and obedient, you shall eat the good of the land.” (Isaiah 1:18-19).

(d) Prayer For The Year 2011

God our father, we adore you and worship you, we know that your grace has brought us to see another year. The new year is a gift to us, we say be thou exalted, we pray to you to bless us this new year, we don't know what the year holds but we know you hold it and you are in control. Make this year a year of obedience to your word and your ways. Help us to be faithful and to serve you faithfully and sacrificially this year. May we never fail, fall or falter this year. We pray through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

3. Birthdays:

(a) Birthday Today: Bolaji Banjo, Ayodele Coker, A.J. Ogunyemi, Adejumbi Adespla Macaulay, Tolu Awosusi, Aarinola Lesi, Oluwaseun Olokeogun, and M.I. Sanyaolu.

(b) Birthdays within the Week: We also congratulate all those whose birthdays fall within the week.

4. Perfect Obedience – Pray and Promise

Pray always to God to help you live an obedient life, a life worthy of His Glory throughout this year.

5. Visitors To The Parish:

If you are worshipping with us for the first time, we heartily welcome you in the name of Jesus Christ. We invite you to meet the Wardens or the Clergy after the service for details about this Church. You can make it your Church of worship. God bless you. Amen.

6. Sunday School Bible Study: We implore all parishioners to be part of this every Sunday for a refreshing time in God's presence. The 7.30a.m. worshippers are enjoined to wait behind while the 10.00a.m. worshippers are to come earlier. It is usually between 9.15 and 9.50a.m.

7. TITHES: Malachi 3:10 “Bring the full Tithe into the storehouse, put me to the test” says the Lord of host, “if I will not open the windows of heaven and pour down for you an overflowing blessing” ***Do Not Rob GOD***”

8. LEAVE LEGACY: You can leave landed property, buildings, share certificates for the church in your will, it's a life long memorial. May God grant us All many fruitful years here on earth. Amen. Matt 6:19-21.

9. THE VICAR: The Vicar will be in U.K. between 4th of June and 14th of June. Courtesy of a member of the Church.

10. WOMEN'S COLUMN

(a) **Do it in God's Way:** - Engagement Unit. It was mandated that every Parish should have Engagement Unit in view of this, *Mrs. Yetunde Ladega* has been chosen to be the Co-ordinator for our Parish. If you are interested you should please see the coordinator for necessary briefing.

(b) The Diocesan Drama group and women's Faith Voices are looking for new members to join the groups any interested women should please come and obtain the form to fill. Thanks.

(c) Diocesan Women of Grace Annual Retreat will hold at Faith Plaza on 14th May 2011 starting at 10a.m. prompt. Please take note and attend. Attendance will be taken Church by Church.

(d) Year 2011 Charity Day will hold by the grace of God on 21st of May, 2011. For this year the women of this church are going on Missionary Outreach to the Destitute Centre at Ikorodu. We need your co-operation so that the missionary outreach will be a memorable one to the needy. Fairly used material for both men, women, and the children to wear. Salt, Omo, writing materials exercise books, plastic pails, bowls, slippers, biscuits, baskets, shoes, electrical appliances.

(e) May 22nd, 2011: Diocesan Clergywives 30th anniversary at Kings Church Enu-Owa.

(f) Diocesan Clergywives Fellowship will hold June 4th by 1.00p.m. at St. James' Church, Ibeju Lagos.

(g) Archdeaconry Bible Quiz will hold on June 12th at St. Paul's Church Breadfruit after the service. Bible Quiz for the Diocese will hold on June 18th so the representative of our Church must get ready. Books for study are Nehemiah – Ole Testament and Thessalonians – N.T

(h) By the grace of God, Lagos Archdeaconry women are to visit the Female Prison at Kirikiri. During the quarterly meeting of the Archdeaconry the material shared for women of St. Paul's is as follows.

(i) 1 bag of Rice (ii) 4 dozen of carat soap, 5 dozen of rubber slippers, and 1½ canon soap. (iii) **Drugs:** Paracetamol Tab 2x1000 2 plastic, Paracetamol Syrup 1x1000 1 plastic, Whitfield ointment 10 tubes, cough syrup 1litter-1 plastic, Izal 1 gallon, Always sanitary pads-normal 10x6 and Vitamin C Syrup 1x2 lit. So please donate generously to the female Prison at Kirikiri.

(j) **Church of Nigeria Anglican Communion Endowment Fund for Women & Girls' Organizations**, This endowment is not a means to amass wealth for the Church of Nigeria, Anglican Communion. Rather, it is a means to fulfill an end unto the glory of God. We are looking forward to Women's work in the Church of Nigeria, Anglican Communion in the next decade.

Physical Projects: *A Provincial complex which will house the Province of Church of Nigeria, Women's Office which will be the nerve center of all Women's work in the Church of Nigeria, Anglican Communion. This complex will also have a guest house and other befitting infrastructure.

* Training centers for skill acquisition in areas of need.

Spiritual Outreaches

* Prayer networking on the web for the Nation and other global issues.

* Community Outreaches in unreached zones.

Charitable Gestures: * Assistance to growing Dioceses.

* Emergency relief to areas of disaster etc. in and outside the country.

* Fostering equitable Spiritual and Physical Growth in Women's work in the Diocese. * Scholarship awards to indigent pupils and students.

* Financial empowerment to women in unreached zones.

The journey of a thousand kilometers starts with a step. Huge sums of money is needed to achieve the above, however by the time you put your own contribution, the huge sum is less what you have contributed.

Therefore the Lord is just waiting for you to bell the cat and the train will start its journey. Jump on this train and be a part of what God is about to do and unfold in your own generation.

(k) Building Project: To the Glory of God, the Women and Girls' organization has embark on Building Project i.e. The Church Hall and the vicarage at Adeba-Lakowe Ibeju Lekki. The foundation stone was laid on Tuesday 21st of December 2010 by His Grace The Archbishop and Dean of the Church of Nigeria work has gone through the stages of reinforcement from work setting out of blocks linted and the casting of the first floor concrete columns. Lot of funds will still be needed to complete this project. We are being called to help the work of God, in view of this in our last meeting of the women, it was decided that each one of us should contribute at least N5,000 to the project. Our target is N1.300million naira, so please write your cheque to St. Paul's Church Breadfruit or pay cash to Mrs. Tomi Ladejo for record purposes. Thank you and God bless all of us as we answer to the call. Amen.

11. Church of Nigeria Anglican Communion Women's and Girls' Organization Endowment Fund Contd.:

- (1) Dr. Mrs. Yinka – N2,000 (13) Mrs. Kofo Oredugba – N2,000
- (2) Lady Olabisi Ayoku–N25,000(cheque) (14) Mrs. Dosumu – N1,000
- (3) Mrs. Olubunsi Laja – N5,000 (15) Mrs. Motolani Hastrup – N2,500
- (4) Mrs. Iyabo Adesina – N5,000 (16) Mrs. Foluso Meadows – N5,000
- (5) Mrs. C. Ibitayo Famakinwa–N2,500 (17) Mrs. Iyabo Adesina – N5,000
- (6) Mrs. R.O. Obanubi – N5,000 (18) Mrs. Tolu Akinyemi – N2,000
- (7) Mrs. Funmi Ibironke – N5,000 (19) Mrs. Irene Enitan Ayorinde–N5,000
- (8) Mrs. Tola Adeneye – N5,000 (20) Mrs. J.L. Williams – N5,000
- (9) Mrs. Okubule – N2,000 (21) Mrs. Ibilola T. Adeyemi – N2,000
- (10) Mrs. Tinu Ogunlana N2,000 (22) Mrs. C.O. Shatimehin – N2,000
- (11) Mrs. Bunmi Sodipo – N5,000 (23) Mrs. C.A. Osunkoya – N5,000
- (12) Mrs. A.T. Okusanya – N1,000 (24) Mrs. A.O. Obitayo – N2,000

Please donate generously to these endowment fund. Pay your own donation to Mrs. Fadeke Akin-Johnson or Mrs. Tomi Ladejo. Thank you

12. Donation Towards Women Project Anglican Church of Divine Providence At Adeba-Lakowe, Ibeju Lekki.

1. Mrs. Ruth Awobiyi – N5,000 (12) Mrs Yetunde Ogunsan – N10,000
2. Mrs. Tomi Ladejo – N10,000 (13) Mrs. R.A. Adedipe – N10,000
3. Mrs. Modupe Allen – N10,000 (14) Mrs. Iyabo Ogun – N5,000
4. Mrs. Margaret Kolawole – N5,000 (15) Mrs. Taiwo Adebesein – N5,000
5. Mrs. Folasade Williams – N10,000 (16) Mrs. Emily Ogidan – N5,000
6. Mrs. Funmi Ibironke – N5,000 (17) Mrs. Bosede Mesimo–N2,000
7. Mrs. Fadeke Akin-Johnson–N5,000 (18) Mrs. S.Y. Akinsemoyin –N5,000
8. Mrs. V.O. Olagbaiye – N5,000 (19) Mrs. F.A. Taylor – N5,000
9. Mrs. Ronke Okanlawon – N5,000 (20) Mrs. Tayo Adeyemo – N10,000
10. Temidayo Olaofe – N10,000 (21) Mrs. C.A. Osunkoya – N5,000
11. Mrs. A.O. Obitayo – N2,000. Women please pay your donation to Mrs. Tomi Ladejo or address your cheque to St. Paul's Breadfruit.

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