



# ALL SAINTS' CATHEDRAL NAIROBI

## The Saints' Vuka Service

### ORDER OF SERVICE

*Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> November, 2024*

*On*

*THE SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE ADVENT*

*(Christ the King)*

*Service Leader: Judah Apela*

**Theme: BE YE TRANSFORMED (Romans 12:2)**

Topic: Christ's Pre-eminence in Daily Work

Preacher: Revd. Josephine Ngahu

*In-person service*

## ORDER OF SERVICE

1. CALL TO WORSHIP / PRAISE & WORSHIP: *Saints  
Worship Team*

*(Congregation stands)*

2. WELCOME REMARKS *(People Stand)*

3. OPENING PRAYER *(People Stand)*

4. CONFESSION *(People Stand)*

Leader: *The Lord be with you*

All: **And also, with you.**

Leader: *We have come together, the people of God, drawn by His Spirit, longing for His Word, to praise the Holy Name of the Lord, to share His glorious news of grace, to pray for our needs and the pain of the world, to rejoice in His love and be sent in His peace. We are heirs of the Father.*

**All: Joint heirs with the Son**

Leader: *Renewed in the Spirit*

**All: Together we are one.**

Leader: *Beloved, if we say we have no sin we deceive ourselves and the truth is not in us. If we confess our sins, in repentance and trust, God is faithful and just, and will forgive us our sins. So let us confess them to our father.*

***(You Can Sit)***

**All: Eternal Father, God of our ancestors, before your power all things tremble but through Your Son, we approach your throne. We have done wrong and neglected to do right; our sins weigh heavily on our hearts: Lord has mercy, count them not against us. Grant us the joy of forgiveness and lighten our hearts with the glory of Christ, who died and rose again for us. Amen.**

### **5. ABSOLUTION (*People Stand*)**

Minister: The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ rejoice at repentance and declare His acceptance. The dead are alive the lost are found. His goodness and mercy will follow you all the days of your life, and you will live in the house of the Lord forever. Amen

***(If The Minister Is Not There)***

***Leader: Lord Of Mercy Grant Us Your Pardon And Peace That  
Cleansed From Our Sins And With Peace In Our Hearts, We  
May Be Free To Serve You Through Jesus Christ Our Lord.  
Amen***

## 6. LORD'S PRAYER

Leader: We will now sit, and as our savior taught us, we are bold to  
pray (*Congregation Sits*)

**All: Our father in heaven; Hallowed be your name,  
Your kingdom come; your will be done on earth as in heaven.  
Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us Lead us  
not into temptation; but deliver us from evil**

**For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours now and  
forever.**

**Amen.**

7. COLLECT FOR THE SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE  
ADVENT

**ALL: Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King; keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen**

*(People Stand)*

8. APOSTLES' CREED

Leader: We stand together with Christians throughout the centuries and throughout the world today to affirm our faith in the words of the Apostle's creed.

All:

**I believe in God, The Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.**

**I believe in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,**

**Born of the Virgin Mary, Suffered under Pontius Pilate,**

**Was crucified, died and was buried: He descended to the dead.**

**On the third day He rose again; He ascended into heaven,**

**He is seated at the right hand of the Father, And He will come to judge the living and the dead,**

**I believe in the Holy Spirit, The Holy Catholic Church The communion of saints, The forgiveness of sins, The resurrection of the body, And the life everlasting. Amen.**

## 9. SHARING OF PEACE

Leader: The risen Christ came and stood among his disciples and said, ‘Peace be with you’. May the peace of the Lord be always with you

**All: And also, with you.**

Leader: Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

## 10. NOTICES:

<b>DAY</b>	<b>ACTIVITY</b>	<b>TARGET</b>	<b>TIME</b>
Mon-Fri	<b>Holy Communion Services</b> (Main Sanctuary)	Everybody	7:00 am
Tuesdays	<b>In-person Bible Study</b> (St. Phillip’s)	Everybody	5:30 pm
Wednesdays	<b>In-person Prayer and healing service</b> (Main sanctuary)	Everybody	5:30 pm
Thursdays	<b>Reap Bible Study</b> (Online)	Youth and Young Adults	7:30 pm
	<b>Student’s Fellowship</b> (Physically)	University, College & TVET students	5:30 pm
Saturday	<b>Vuka bible study</b> (Online)	19 to 24 years	7:45 pm

i. **PODCAST RECORDING** - The Proudly Anglican Pod Cast is recorded every Friday at 3:00PM. Kindly plug in if interested reach out to Capt. Elly on 0716688448 for more details.

ii. **PRAYER MINISTRY**

**ON SUNDAYS:** The clergy and the lay ministers are available for prayers after every service.

- Prayers at the Tent at the Northern Lawn after **7:00am, 8:00am & 9:30am** services.
- Prayers at the Altar after the **Youth, Kiswahili, 11:30am & 6:00PM** services.

**ON WEDNESDAYS:**

- The Cathedral is open for prayers and the clergy are available to pray with any Member of the congregation who needs prayers.
- **Wednesday Prayer & Healing Service** begins at **5:30p.m.** in the **Main Sanctuary.**
- **Cathedral Lunch Hour Services:** On (**Wednesdays & Fridays**) from **1:00pm to 1:45pm** at **ACK Guest House.**

iii. **END OF YEAR THANKSGIVING KESHA** Prayer Ministry is inviting you for the end year Kesha on 29<sup>th</sup> November 2024. from 10:00PM to 5:00AM at the Trinity Auditorium. All are Invited.

iv. **CHILDREN'S MINISTRY:**

- **Children's annual camp will be happening** from **2<sup>nd</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> December.** Parents are encouraged to sign up their children at the registration desk at the CTC or on the website.
- The Children Ministry is registering boys and girls ages **6 to 12yrs** for **Brigade.** Kindly register your child at the Information Tent or at the CTC.

v. **COUNSELING DEPARTMENT** is offering free professional counseling. Kindly register at the Information Tent or call the Cathedral during the week if you need counseling.

- vi. **RING THE BELLS 4** - An Evening of Contemporary Carols. Join Saints' Worship on **7<sup>th</sup> December** at **5:30pm** in the **Trinity Auditorium** for an uplifting night filled with festive music and heartfelt worship as we celebrate the spirit of Christmas together!
- vii. **FAMILY THANKS GIVING SERVICES:** We welcome you for the Family Thanksgiving Services on the Advent Sunday, 1st December across all services to celebrate God's goodness to us since the beginning of the year. We welcome you to bring your thanksgiving gifts as a family, individual, company or as a group.
- viii. **ADVENT CAROL SERVICE WITH PROCESSION, LESSONS AND CAROLS** will be held on Sunday 1st December at 6:00pm. We warmly welcome you together with your families and friends as we mark the beginning of the Advent and Christmas Season. Kindly consider bringing a Thanksgiving gift during on that day.
- ix. **CATHEDRAL FINANCE TEAM** is planning a webinar on the Tax Laws Amendment bill on 30th November at 7:00pm. Please register at the Information Tent for the login details.
- x. **HEALTHCARE CARE PROFESSIONALS** have planned for a webinar on 6th December at 7:00pm. This will be on breast cancer and will feature Dr. Edwin Otieno as the key speaker. Please register at the Information Tent for the login details.
- xi. **UPCOMING SERVICES & EVENTS**

*i. 1st December (All Services) - Family Thanksgiving*

*ii. 1st December 6:00pm - Advent Carol Service*

*iii. 7th December 5:30pm - Ring The Bells Concert*

*iv. 15th December 11:30am - Police Service*

*v. 15th December 3:00pm - Jingle Experience Concert*

*vi. 24th December 6:00pm - Christmas Carol Service*

*vii. 24th December 11:00pm - Christmas Watchnight Service*

*viii. 25th December 7:00am & 10:00am - Christmas Day Services*

*ix. 31st December 8:00pm - End Of Year Prayer Service*



*x. 31st December 11:00pm - New Years' Watchnight Service*

xii.

## 11. READINGS

**First Reading:** Colossians 3:22- 4:1 Barrington Odaka

**Second Reading:** Ephesians 6: 5 - 9 Cece Ng'ang'a

## 12. WELCOMING OF VISITORS/CELEBRATING BIRTHDAYS

*As the Regulars sit, all those who are visiting us to remain standing.*

### 13. OFFERTORY.

*The Minister Invites People To Offer Their Gifts By Using These Details  
(Those With Special Thanksgiving Offering To Come Stand Behind The  
Ushers After The Rest Have Given)*

<b>Safaricom Paybill</b>	Paybill No: <b>303036</b> Acc No: <b>Offertory, Tithes, etc.</b>
	Paybill No: <b>303035</b> Acc No: <b>Children and Teens Centre (CTC)</b>
<b>Airtel Paybill</b>	Paybill No: <b>303035</b> Acc No: <b>Indicate what you are giving for.</b>

14. OFFERTORY SPECIAL: Saints Worship – *(People Stand)*

15. **SONG BEFORE SERMON:** Saints Worship – *(People Stand)*

16. SERMON: Revd. Josephine Ngahu.

17. RE-ACTION & ACTION (Chair Lady/Man)

18. BENEDICTION

19. RECESSIONAL: Saints Worship Chorus & Late Offertory –  
**(People Stand)**

## OUR CONTACTS

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## MAKING PAYMENTS

- i. For Tithes, Thanksgiving, Offertory, Organ Restoration

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A/C Name: All Saints' Cathedral Church

ABSA Bank, Queensway Branch A/C No. 09410