



ALL SAINTS' CATHEDRAL CHURCH, NAIROBI

THE ORDER FOR
Morning Prayer

On 19th July 2026

At 11:30 am

The seventh Sunday after Trinity

TODAY'S TOPIC: THE COST OF COMPROMISE

Leader: Rev'd Mithali Ongachi

Assisted by: Winnie Njenga

Preacher: Assistant Provost

Live Stream by KBC TV, Facebook and YouTube

THEME FOR THE YEAR: God Never Fails (Joshua 21:45)

ORDER OF THE SERVICE

NOTES

- i. *This service flows as provided in the programme without announcements.*
- ii. *Families are encouraged to use this liturgy to follow the live stream service and respond according*
- iii. *The service program is found on the Cathedral Website www.allsaintsnairobi.org*
[People Stand during the procession]

1. WELCOME REMARKS

2. OPENING HYMN: This is the day of light

This is the day of light:
Let there be light to-day;
O Dayspring, rise upon our night,
And chase its gloom away.

This is the day of rest:
Our failing strength renew;
On weary brain and troubled breast
Shed thou thy freshening dew.

This is the day of peace:
Thy peace our spirits fill;
Bid thou the blasts of discord cease,
The waves of strife be still.

This is the day of prayer:
Let earth to heaven draw near;
Lift up our hearts to seek thee there,
Come down to meet us here.

This is the first of days:
Send forth thy quickening breath,
And wake dead souls to love and praise,
O vanquisher of death.

(People remain standing)

3. CALL TO WORSHIP

Leader: The Lord be with you.

People: **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.

Leader: We are heirs of the Father;

People: **joint heirs with the son,**

Leader: Renewed in the Spirit,

People: **together we are one**

4. CONFESSION

Leader: If we say we have no sin, we deceive ourselves and there is no truth 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

(People Kneel/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 have 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

Minister: The God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ rejoices at repentance and declares his acceptance. The dead are alive, the lost are found. His goodness and mercy will follow you all the days of our life, and you will live in the house of the Lord for ever. **Amen.**

6. RESPONSES (sung)

Leader: Blessed are those who live in your house:

People: **They will be always singing your praise.**

Leader: Praise the Lord.

People: **The name of the Lord be praised.**

(People Stand)

Leader: Glory to the Father to whom all things began,

All: **Glory to the Son who became the Son of Man, Glory to the Spirit who inspires and renews, The Lord Our God for ever! Alleluia!**

(People remain standing)

(Then the Psalm is sung)

7. PSALM 85 (Benedixisti, Domine)

- 1 Lord thou art become gracious ' unto thy ' land : thou hast turned a'way the cap'tivity of ' Jacob.
- 2 Thou hast forgiven the offence of ' thy ' people : and ' covered ' all their ' sins.
- 3 Thou hast taken away all ' thy dis'pleasure : and turned thyself from thy ' wrathful ' indig'nation.
- 4 Turn us then O ' God our ' Saviour : and let thine ' anger ' cease ' from us.

- 5 Wilt thou be displeased at ' us for ' ever : and wilt thou stretch out thy wrath from one gene'ration ' to an'other?
- 6 Wilt thou not turn again and ' quicken ' us : that thy people ' may re'joice in ' thee?
- 7 Shew us thy ' mercy O ' Lord : and ' grant us ' thy sal'vation.
- 8 I will hearken what the Lord God will ' say con'cerning me : for he shall speak peace unto his people and to his saints, ' that they ' turn not a'gain.
- 9 For his salvation is nigh ' them that ' fear him : that ' glory may ' dwell in our ' land.
- 10 Mercy and truth are ' met to'gether : righteousness and ' peace have ' kissed each ' other.
- 11 Truth shall flourish ' out of the ' earth : and righteousness hath ' looked ' down from ' heaven.
- 12 Yea the Lord shall shew ' loving ' kindness : and our ' land shall ' give her ' increase.
- 13 Righteousness shall ' go be'fore him : and he shall direct his ' going ' in the ' way.

Glory be to the Father, and ' to the ' Son : and ' to the ' Holy ' Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now and ' ever ' shall be : world without ' end. ' A'men.

(People Sit)

8. FIRST READING: *Joshua 13: 8 – 33 Agnes Sajina*

9. SECOND READING: *Luke 10: 1 - 12 Edith Kinuthia*

(People Stand)

10. SONG OF JESUS

(Luke 6:27 – 28; Mathew 25:35 – 36; Luke 7:22 – 23; Luke 10:21)

1. Love your enemies,
Do good to those who hate you,
 2. Bless those who curse you,
Pray for those who abuse you.
 3. I was hungry and you gave me food,
Thirsty and you gave me drink,
 4. A stranger and you welcomed me,
Naked and you clothed me,
 5. Sick and you visited me,
In prison and you came to me:
 6. The blind receive their sight,
The lame walk, the lepers are cleansed.
 7. The deaf hear, the dead are raised:
the good news is preached to the poor
and blessed are those not offended at me.
- Glory to the Father, the Lord of heaven and earth,
Glory to the Son, in whom all things are given.
Glory to the Spirit, in whom the Son rejoices,
Now and for ever. Amen

11. THE APOSTLES' CREED

Leader: We stand with Christians throughout the centuries and throughout the world today, to affirm our faith in the words of the Apostles' 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.

12. PRAYERS

Leader: The Lord be with you.

All: **And also with you.**

Leader: Let us pray

(People kneel and sing)

All: **Ask and it shall be given unto you,**

Seek and you shall find,

Knock and the door shall be opened unto you.

Allelu, alleluia

Leader: As our Saviour taught us, so we pray:

13. THE LORD'S PRAYER (Sung – Arr. Caribbean)

Our Father, who art in heaven, holy be your name,

**Your Kingdom come, your will be done, holy be your name,
holy be your name.**

On earth as it is in heaven, holy be your name,

**Give us this day our daily bread, holy be your name, holy be
your name.**

Forgive us our trespasses, holy be your name,

**As we forgive those who trespass against us, holy be your
name, holy be your name.**

Lead us not into temptation, holy be your name,

But deliver us from all that is evil, holy be your name, holy be your name.

For yours is the kingdom, the power and the glory, holy be your name.

For ever and ever, for ever and ever, holy be your name, holy be your name.

Leader: Show us your mercy, O Lord;

People: **and grant us your salvation.**

Leader: O Lord, guide our President;

People: **and give him your wisdom and justice.**

Leader: May your ministers serve you faithfully;

People: **and your royal people joyfully.**

Leader: In the valley of the shadow of death;

People: **protect us with your rod and staff.**

Leader: Like trees planted by the waterside;

People: **grant us the fruit of your Spirit.**

Leader: Send us out as the salt of the earth;

People: **and as the light of the world.**

Leader: May the earth be filled with your glory;

People: **as the waters cover the sea.**

14. COLLECT FOR THE 7TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

All: **Our God and Father, we praise you for our Saviour Jesus. He saw the needs of all who followed him and had compassion on them, graciously providing for their needs. We pray that you will show compassion on all who seek you today, and abundantly supply their needs according to your riches in glory. Amen.**

PRAYER FOR PEACE

Leader: Almighty and everlasting God, Father of the Prince of peace, in returning and rest we are saved, in quietness and trust is our strength. Grant us the blessing of making peace and the joy of seeking justice. Take from our souls all strain and stress, and let our ordered lives confess, the beauty of your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

PRAYER FOR GRACE

Leader: Almighty God, you have been our guard through the night, keep us in your care through the day; walking in the light, bearing witness to your way, seeking first your kingdom and seeing you in everyone; guide us in the footsteps of your Son, and lead us on the path to your everlasting Day: through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

PRAYER FOR THE NATION

Leader: Almighty God, You rule all nations and direct them according to Your will. We pray that You will guide our president and all leaders of our country, So that they may always use the authority, Which You have given them for the peace of the world, the benefit, honour and development of our nation, and the good of Your holy Church; Through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

PRAYER FOR THE CHURCH

Leader: Almighty and eternal God the only source of power. Grant to our bishops, pastors and all the people of our churches Your health giving Spirit of Grace; And, in order that they may truly please you pour on

them the continual dew of Your blessing; Grant this for the sake of our advocate and Mediator Jesus Christ. **Amen**

A GENERAL INTERCESSION

Leader: O God, the creator and preserver of mankind, we commend to your care our families, our neighbours, friends and all the people of all nations. Enable us by your Holy Spirit to live in love for You and for one another. Comfort and heal all who are in sorrow, need, sickness, or any other trouble. Give them a firm trust in your goodness; help those who minister to them; and bring us all into the joy of your salvation. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

PRAYER OF ST. CHRYSOSTOM

All: **Almighty God, by your grace we have come together at this time to bring our united prayers to you; and you have promised by your Son Jesus Christ, that when two or three are gathered in his name he will be in the midst of them. Fulfil now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the world to come life everlasting; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

15. CHOIR ANTHEM: Bwana ni nani (Arr. Graham Hyslop)

(Words from Psalms 15 vv 1,2 and 84 vv 1,2,4 & 10)

Bwana ni nani atakaye kaa katika hema yako
Bwana ni nani atakaye kaa katika hema yako
Nani atakaye fanya maskani yake katika kilima chako?
Yeye aendae kwa ukamilifu pia na kutenda haki

Yeye aendae kwa ukamilifu pia na kutenda haki

Maskani zako zapendeza kama nini, Ee Bwana wa majeshi
Maskani zako zapendeza kama nini, Ee Bwana wa majeshi
(Amin, Amin)

Ni bora kuliko siku elfu bora kuliko elfu
Ni bora kuliko siku elfu bora kuliko elfu
(Amin, Amin)

Bwana ni nani atakaye kaa katika hema yako
Nani atakaye fanya maskani yake katika kilima chako?
Yeye aendae kwa ukamilifu pia na kutenda haki
Yeye aendae kwa ukamilifu pia na kutenda haki

Heri wa kao nyumbani mwako, daima wana kuhimidi
Heri wa kao nyumbani mwako, daima wana kuhimidi

Bwana ni nani atakaye kaa katika hema yako
Nani atakaye fanya maskani yake katika kilima chako?
Yeye aendae kwa ukamilifu pia na kutenda haki
Hakika siku moja siku moja katika nyua zako.
Hakika siku moja siku moja katika nyua zako.

Bwana ni nani atakaye kaa katika hema yako
Bwana ni nani atakaye kaa katika hema yako
Nani atakaye fanya maskani yake katika kilima chako?
Yeye aendae kwa ukamilifu pia na kutenda haki
Yeye aendae kwa ukamilifu pia na kutenda haki

16. SHARING OF PEACE

(People Stand)

17. HYMN: Will your anchor hold

Will your anchor hold in the storms of life
When the clouds unfold their wings of strife?
When the strong tides lift and the cables strain,
Will your anchor drift, or firm remain?

*We have an anchor that keeps the soul
Steadfast and sure while the billows rolls,
Fastened to the Rock which cannot move,
Grounded firm and deep in the Saviour's love.*

Will your anchor hold in the Straits of fear
When the breakers have told that the reef is near;
Though the tempest rave and the wild winds blow,
Not an angry wave shall our bark o'erflow.

We have an anchor that keeps the soul

Will your anchor hold in the Floods of death
When the waters cold chill our latest breath,
On the rising tide it can never fail,
While our hopes abide within the Veil.

We have an anchor that keeps the soul

When our eyes behold through the gath'ring night
The city of gold, our harbour bright,
We shall anchor fast by the heav'nly shore,
When life's storms are past for evermore.

We have an anchor that keeps the soul

18. SERMON: Assistant Provost

19. OFFERTORY

Details displayed on the screens.

Paybill no. 303036 for offertory, tithes, Organ Fund etc

Paybill no. 303035 for Children and Teens Centre (CTC) Project.

Airtel Paybill 303035: Indicate what you are giving for.

Cash offering using the baskets provided

20. OFFERTORY HYMN: All hail the power of Jesus name

All hail the power of Jesus' name!

Let angels prostrate fall;

Bring forth the royal diadem

And crown him Lord of all.

Crown him, ye morning stars of light,

Who fixed this floating ball;

Now hail the Strength of Israel's might,

And crown him Lord of all.

Crown him, ye martyrs of your God,
Who from his altar call;
Extol the Stem-of-Jesse's Rod,
And crown him Lord of all.

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,
Ye ransomed of the fall,
Hail him who saves you by his grace,
And crown him Lord of all.

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget
The wormwood and the gall,
Go spread your trophies at his feet,
And crown him Lord of all.

Let every tribe and every tongue
Before him prostrate fall,
And shout in universal song
The crowned Lord of all.

Leader: All things come from you O Lord.

People: **And of your own have we given.**

The Minister blesses the offertory/ tithes and gifts received.

21. WELCOMING OF VISITORS

22. NOTICES

23. THE BLESSING

Minister: Now to Him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever. And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always.

Amen

24. RECESSIONAL HYMN: Stand up, stand up for Jesus

Stand up, stand up for Jesus,
Ye soldiers of the Cross!
Lift high his royal banner,
It must not suffer loss.
From victory unto victory
His army he shall lead,
Till every foe is vanquished,
And Christ is Lord indeed.

Stand up, stand up on Jesus!
The solemn watchward hear;
If while ye sleep he suffers,
Away with shame and fear.
Where'er ye meet with evil,
Within you or without,
Charge for the God of battles,
And put the foe to rout.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus!
The trumpet call obey;
Forth to the mighty conflict
In this his glorious day.
Ye that are men now serve him
Against unnumbered foes;
Let courage rise with danger
And strength to strength oppose.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus!
Stand in his strength alone;
The arm of flesh will fail you,
Ye dare not trust your own.
Put on the gospel armour,
Each piece put on with prayer;
When duty calls or danger
Be never wanting there.

Stand up, stand up for Jesus!

The strife will not be long;
This day the noise of battle,
The next the victor's song.
To him that overcometh
A crown of life shall be;
He with the King of Glory
Shall reign eternally.

NOTICES

a) We publish the Banns of Marriage between:

1. Kanyua Mutema & Vivian Nyawira Kamau both of All Saints' Cathedral Church, Nairobi
2. Abisoye Kareem Oshinusi & Loice Tabitha Okuru both of Redeemed Christian Church
3. Abraham Otiende & Aileen Ingati both of All Saints' Cathedral Church, Nairobi

This is the First time of announcing

4. Joseph Christopher Murai of St. Austins Parish, Catholic church & Mary Angela Ng'ethe of All Saints' Cathedral, Church.
5. Nicholas Ochieng Omollo of All Saints Cathedral Church & Pauline Njeri Mbugua of PCEA Imani Church Kinoo

This is the Second time of announcing

If anyone knows any just cause or impediment why these persons should not be joined together in Holy Matrimony; you are to declare it to the Provost

b) PRAYER MINISTRY

- I. **Prayer & Healing Service** on Wednesdays at 5:30p.m in the Main Sanctuary.

- II. **Virtual Prayers:** Please join us for the morning virtual prayers on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays from 5:00am to 5:30am through the link provided on our website
- III. **Cathedral Kesha** will be held on 31st July 2026 from 10:00pm to 5:00am at the Trinity Auditorium. You are all welcome for the Kesha.

c) PASTORAL VISITATION PROGRAM

Is open and the clergy remain available to visit and pray with members in their homes, work places, businesses, projects, farms and any other spaces. If you would like to receive a pastoral visit kindly register through the link provided on the Cathedral website.

d) MOM CONFERENCE 2026:

The Marriage Outreach Ministry (MOM) is pleased to invite all couples to the Annual Couples' Conference 2026 from 17th to 20th October 2026 at Jacaranda Indian Ocean Beach Resort, Diani. The theme is: Forever & Always. The cost for full accommodation and conference will be Ksh 75,200 per couple and day Conference package (own accommodation) will be Ksh 27,200 per couple. All couples are encouraged to visit the Cathedral website or the Information Tent for more details and registration.

e) COUNSELLING MINISTRY:

The Counselling Ministry invites you to a three-day healing and restoration program titled, "Healing the Wounds of the Heart." The program will be held on Thursday 6th August to Saturday 8th August from 8:00am to 1:00pm at the Cathedral. Kindly register at the Information Tent or on our website. We encourage anyone seeking healing, hope, and practical biblical guidance to attend.

f) SENIOR CITIZENS' MINISTRY:

The Senior Citizens' Ministry warmly invites all senior citizens to a meeting to discuss issues affecting the elderly and to explore ways of strengthening fellowship on Saturday 1st August 2026 from 9:00am to 12:30pm.

g) THE CHILDREN'S AND TEENS' CAMP

Will be held from 7th to 11th December 2026 at the Jumuia Resort in Kanamai, Mombasa. The total cost is Ksh. 20,500 payable in instalments via the Cathedral paybill 303036. For more information and registration, please scan the QR code available at the Information Tent, the CTC Atrium or the St. Nicholas Chapel.

h) SOCIAL OUTREACH MINISTRY:

Support our Social Outreach Ministry as we share Christ's love with vulnerable members of our community. Non-cash donations may be given through the Programs Officer, while cash donations can be channeled via the Paybill 303036 A/C name Donations.

i) MARRIAGE ENRICHMENT CONFERENCE

Will take place on 24th and 25th July 2026. The **theme is "Stronger together: Building marriages that Thrive."** All married couples and those who are preparing to get married are invited to register through the link provided at the Cathedral website. Registration fee is Ksh. 3000 per couple payable to 303036 account name: Power Couple Conference.

j) THE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS SECTOR

Invites you to an awareness webinar on Thursday 23rd July 2026 from 7:30pm to 8:30pm. **Theme: The Silent Threat In Our Homes.** For login details please visit the Cathedral website or the Information Tent.

k) ALPHA COURSE:

The All Saints' Cathedral Ministry invites you to a virtual Alpha Course. This is a 12 - week journey exploring the basics of Christian faith in a welcoming, open and respectful environment from 7:15am to 9:15am. Register through the link provided at the Cathedral website.

l) AUGUST MISSION MONTH:

You are warmly invited to the August Mission Month 2026, a month dedicated to reaching out to the community through various outreaches including Children's homes visits, Prisons, Campus ministry, Street evangelism, A way missions and Boda-boda outreach. All interested members are called upon to register through the link provided at the Cathedral Website.

m) SOUND OF PRAISE CONCERT:

The joint Choirs of All Saints' Cathedral invite you to the "Sound of Praise Concert" on 2nd August 2026 from 3:00pm in the Main Sanctuary. You are all welcome.

n) ADULT CONFIRMATION:

Registration is now open for the Adult Confirmation classes. Classes will commence on Saturday, 19th September 2026, from 8:00am. Those wishing to be confirmed are encouraged to register at the Cathedral website and complete their registration before classes begin.

o) CATHEDRAL GUILD:

The Cathedral Guild invites you to visit the Information Tent on Sunday 26th July 2026, where recycled church wine bottles, glasses, jugs and flowers will be available for purchase. Your support will promote environmental stewardship through the Cathedral Guild.

p) SANCTUARY SPRING CLEANING:

The Cathedral Guild warmly invites volunteers to participate in the Spring Cleaning of the Sanctuary on Saturday, 1st August 2026 from 9:00am to 12:30pm.

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MAKING PAYMENTS:

1. For Tithe, Thanksgiving, Offertory, Organ fund etc:

Mpesa Paybill No. 303036

A/C Name: All Saints' Cathedral Church

ABSA Bank, Queensway Branch A/C No. 0941048099

2. For CTC payments:

Mpesa Paybill No. 303035

Account: Your phone number

Bank A/C Name: All Saints Cathedral CTC

ABSA Bank, Queensway Branch A/C No. 2034405894