



ALL SAINTS' CATHEDRAL CHURCH, NAIROBI

THE ORDER FOR
Morning Prayer

On 6th September 2026

At 11:30 am

THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

TODAY'S TOPIC: SETTING THE BOUNDARIES

Leader: Rev'd Ken Maina

Assisted by: Francis Thiiru

Preacher: Rev'd Peter Mugi

Live Stream by ASC: 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: God of the morning

God of the morning, at whose voice
The cheerful sun makes haste to rise,
And like a giant doth rejoice
To run his journey through the skies;

O, like the sun, may I fulfil
The appointed duties of the day,
With ready mind and active will
March on, and keep my heavenly way.

Give me thy counsel for my guide,
And then receive me to thy bliss:
All my desires and hopes beside
Are faint and cold, compared with this.

(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 75 (Confitebor tibi)

- 1 Unto thee O God do ' we give ' thanks : yea unto ' thee do ' we give ' thanks.
- 2 Thy Name also ' is so ' nigh : and that do thy ' wondrous ' works de'clare.
- 3 When I receive the ' congre'gation : I shall judge ac'cording ' unto ' right.
- 4 The earth is weak, and all the in'habiters there'of : I bear ' up the ' pillars ' of it.
- 5 I said unto the fools, Deal ' not so ' madly : and to the ungodly, ' Set not ' up your ' horn.
- 6 Set not up you ' horn on ' high : and ' speak not ' with a stiff ' neck.
- 7 For promotion cometh neither from the east nor ' from the ' west : nor ' yet ' from the ' south.
- 8 And why? ' God is the ' Judge : he putteth down once and ' setteth ' up an'other.

9 For in the hand of the Lord there is a cup and the ' wine is ' red : it is full mixed, and he ' poureth ' out of the ' same.

10 As for the ' dregs there'of : all the ungodly of the earth shall ' drink them and ' suck them ' out.

11 But I will talk of the ' god of ' Jacob : and ' praise ' him for ' ever.

12 All the horns of the ungodly also ' will I ' break : and the horns of the ' righteous shall ' be ex'alted.

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 15:1 – 12 Gina Achieng

9. SECOND READING: Revelation 21:12 – 14 Angela Diko

(People Stand)

10. SONG OF THE MESSIAH

(Gen 12:3, Deut 18:15f., 2 Sam 7:12, Isaiah 53:4, Daniel 7:13-22)

1. Jesus the Seed of Abraham blesses the nations:
2. Jesus the Prophet like Moses frees the oppressed:
3. Jesus the Lord of King David leads his people:
4. Jesus the Servant of the Lord suffers and saves:
5. Jesus the Son of Man destroyed and raised.

Glory to the Father, to the Son and to the Holy Spirit;

As it was in the beginning, is now and ever shall be. 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 Mwangi)

**Our Father in heaven,
Holy 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.
Do not bring us to the test
But deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power and the
Glory are yours,

Now and for ever. Amen

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 FOURTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

***All:* Father, You are the Alpha and Omega, supreme over all that you created. We acknowledge your presence in all the difficult situations we encounter from time to time. Help us, we pray that in all our achievements we would learn the**

humility of Jesus who gave up heavenly privileges for our sake. And that in all our difficulties, we would recognize your Lordship. Through Jesus our Lord. Amen. 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: Ye shall dwell in the land (John Stainer)

(Text from Ezekiel 36:28, 30,34 – 35; Psalm 136:1)

Ye shall dwell in the land that I give to your fathers;
His mercy endureth for ever,
And ye shall be my people, and ye shall be my people,
and I will be your God
His mercy endureth for ever,
I will multiply the fruit of the tree, and the increase of the field.
His mercy endureth, endureth for ever.
Give thanks unto the Lord,
Give thanks unto the Lord, His mercy endureth for ever.

And the desolate land shall be tilled, whereas it lay desolate,
Whereas it lay desolate, in the sight of all that passed by.
And they shall say, and they shall say,
This land that was desolate, this land that was desolate
Is become like the garden of Eden,
This land that was desolate is become like the garden of Eden.
Give thanks unto the Lord, give thanks unto the Lord.
His mercy endureth for ever, for ever, His mercy endureth for ever.
For ever, for ever.

Oh blessed is the land of God, where Saints abide for ever;
Where golden fields spread far and broad,
where flows the crystal river:
Oh blessed, thrice blessed,
The strains of all its holy throng
With ours today are blending;
Thrice blessed is that harvest song which never hath an ending.

Oh blessed, thrice blessed, Oh blessed is that land of God
Where Saints abide for ever;
Where golden fields spread far and broad,
Where flows the crystal river: Oh blessed, thrice blessed
The strains of all its holy throng With ours today are blending;
Thrice blessed is that harvest song Which never hath an ending,
Thrice blessed is that harvest song Which never hath an ending'
Which never hath an ending, which never hath an ending.
Amen

16. SHARING OF PEACE

17. BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

18. FINANCIAL UPDATES

(People Stand)

19. HYMN: *My faith has found a resting place*

My faith has found a resting place,
Not in device nor creed;
I trust the Ever-living One,
His wounds for me shall plead.

*I need no other argument,
I need no other plea,
It is enough that Jesus died,
And that He died for me.*

Enough for me that Jesus saves,
This ends my fear and doubt;
A sinful soul, I come to Him,
He'll never cast me out.

I need no other argument,.....

My heart is leaning on the Word,
The living Word of God,
Salvation by my Saviour's name,
Salvation through His blood.

I need no other argument,.....

My great Physician heals the sick,
The lost He came to save;
For me His precious blood He shed,
For me His life He gave.

I need no other argument,.....

20. SERMON: Rev'd Peter Mugi

21. OFFERTORY

[The Minister invites people to offer their gifts by using the details displayed on the screens and on the last page of the service programme]

Paybill no. 303036 for offertory, tithes, Organ Fund

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

Airtel Paybill 303035: Indicate what you are giving for

Cash offering using the bags provided.

22. OFFERTORY HYMN: *Standing on the promises*

Standing on the promises of Christ my King,
Through eternal ages let His praises ring;
Glory in the highest I will shout and sing,
Standing on the promises of God.

Standing (standing on the promises)
standing (Standing on the promises)
Standing on the promises of God my Saviour;
Standing (standing on the promises)
standing (Standing on the promises)
I'm standing on the promises of God.

Standing on the promises that cannot fail,
When the howling storms of doubt and fear assail,
By the living Word of God I shall prevail,
Standing on the promises of God.

Standing (standing on the promises)

Standing on the promises I now can see
Perfect, present cleansing in the blood for me;
Standing in the liberty where Christ makes free,
Standing on the promises of God.

Standing (standing on the promises)

Standing on the promises of Christ the Lord,
Bound to Him eternally by Love's strong cord,
Overcoming daily with the Spirit's sword,
Standing on the promises of God.

Standing (standing on the promises)

Standing on the promises I cannot fall,
Listening every moment to the Spirit's call,
Resting in my Saviour as my All-in-all,
Standing on the promises of God.

Standing (standing on the promises)

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.

23. THANKSGIVING PRAYERS

24. WELCOMING VISITORS

25. NOTICES

26. 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

27. RECESSIONAL HYMN: Alleluia! Sing to Jesus

Alleluia! sing to Jesus!
His the sceptre, his the throne;
Alleluia! his the triumph,
His the victory alone:

Hark! the songs of peaceful Sion
Thunder like a mighty flood;
Jesus out of every nation
Hath redeemed us by his Blood.

Alleluia! not as orphans
Are we left in sorrow now;
Alleluia! he is near us,
Faith believes, nor questions how:
Though the cloud from sight received him,
When the forty days were o'er,
Shall our hearts forget his promise,
'I am with you evermore'?

Alleluia! Bread of angels,
Thou on earth our food, our stay;
Alleluia! here the sinful
Flee to thee from day to day:
Intercessor, Friend of sinners,
Earth's Redeemer, plead for me,
Where the songs of all the sinless
Sweep across the crystal sea.

Alleluia! King eternal,
Thee the Lord of Lords we own;
Alleluia! born of Mary,
Earth thy footstool, heaven thy throne:
Thou within the veil hast entered,
Robed in flesh, our great High Priest:
Thou on earth both Priest and Victim
In the Eucharistic feast.

NOTICES

CATHEDRAL THIS WEEK (7TH Sept to 12TH Sept)

- I. Morning Holy Communion Service (Monday to Friday) from 7.00am to 7.45am.**
- II. Senior Citizens H/C Service: On Wednesdays at 10:00am in the Main Sanctuary.**
- III. Lunch Hour Services: On Wednesdays and Fridays from 1:00pm to 1:45pm at ACK Guest House.**

a) 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 to Fridays**

from 5:00am to 5:30am through the link provided on our website

b) MASS WEDDING:

All Saints' Cathedral will be holding a Mass Wedding on Saturday, 12th December 2026 at 10:00am. We warmly invite all eligible couples who would like to have their marriage solemnized in church to register. For more details visit the Information Tent after the service or speak to Rev'd. Ignitius Malimo for more information.

c) ADULT CONFIRMATION:

Registration is now open for the adult confirmation classes. Classes will commence on Saturday, 19th September 2026, at 8:00am. Those wishing to be confirmed are encouraged to register on the Cathedral website. For more details, please visit the Information Tent.

d) PRE-MARITAL CLASSES:

Pre-marital classes will commence from 11th September to 13th November 2026. Participants are required to attend physically every Friday from 5.30pm. Please register at the Information Tent or on our website.

e) THE AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY OF KENYA'S HARVEST FESTIVAL SERVICE

Will take place on 20th September at 11:30am. We kindly encourage you to give donations of dry foods and agricultural produce to be shared to designated children's homes. Donation envelopes and harvest bags are available as you exit.

f) WOMEN'S MINISTRY:

Trinity Ladies' Dinner will be held on 11th September at the Cathedral from 6:00pm. The theme is "From Doubt to Faith." All young ladies 20 to 35 years are invited to register through the link provided on the Cathedral website. The cost is Ksh 1,300 payable to paybill 303036account-TL Dinner.

g) TEE CALSSES - TERM 3:

The Theological Education by Extension (TEE) classes will open on 13th September 2026. Candidates who will like to join are invited to visit the Information Tent for registration. For purchase of the book you are encouraged to consult TEE leaders for the guidance.

h) VUKA CAMP MWANGAZA 2026:

Vuka members aged 19 to 25 years, including university students, recent graduates and young professionals are officially invited to attend Camp Mwangaza 2026. This year's camp will take place from 9th to 12th October 2026 at Word of Life Diani under the theme: "God Never Fails." The total cost for the event is Kshs. 15,500. For registration, please visit the Information Tent or the Cathedral website. Payments should be processed through M-Pesa Paybill No. 303036 account name Camp Mwangaza.

i) SANCTUARY SPRING CLEANING:

The Cathedral Guild warmly invites all volunteers to participate in the Spring Cleaning of the Sanctuary every first Saturday of the month from 9:00am to 12:30pm.

j) 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 installments 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.

k) BOYS' INITIATION CAMP:

All Saints' Cathedral KAMA invites boys to transformative Boys' Initiation Camp, designed to guide and prepare them for the journey into responsible Christian manhood starting on 17th to 27th November 2026. The cost is Kshs. 25, 000 per boy. Venue: All Saints' Cathedral school, Madaraka. Please register through the Cathedral website.

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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