



ALL SAINTS' CATHEDRAL CHURCH, NAIROBI

THE ORDER FOR
**HOLY
COMMUNION**

On 13th September 2026

At 11:30 am

TODAY'S TOPIC: THE UNCONQUERED CITIES

Leader: Rev'd Ken Maina

Assisted by: Rose Ndaru

Preacher: Rev'd Peter Mugi

Live Stream by KBC TV, Facebook and YouTube

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

ORDER OF 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 accordingly.*
- III. *The service program is found on the Cathedral Website*
www.allsaintsnairobi.org
[People stand for the procession]

1. WELCOME REMARKS

2. OPENING HYMN: When morning guilds the skies

When morning gilds the skies,
My heart awaking cries:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'
Alike at work and prayer
To Jesus I repair:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'

Does sadness fill my mind?
A solace here I find:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'
When evil thoughts molest,
With this I shield my breast:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'

To God, the Word, on high
The hosts of angels cry:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'
Let mortals, too, upraise
Their voice in hymns of praise:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'

Let earth's wide circle round
In joyful notes resound:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'
Let air, and sea, and sky,
From depth to height, reply:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'

Be this while life is mine,
My canticle divine:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'
Be this the eternal song,
Through all the ages long:
'May Jesus Christ be praised!'

3. THE CALL TO WORSHIP

Minister: The Lord be with you

***All:* And also with you**

Minister: The earth is the Lord's and all that is in it.

***All:* Let the heavens rejoice and the earth be glad**

Minister: Our help is in the name of the Lord.

***All:* Who made the heaven and earth**

Minister: I was glad when they said to me:

***All:* Let us go to the house of the Lord.**

Minister: Praise the Lord.

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

(People Kneel/Sit)

4. PRAYER OF PURITY

Minister: Let us join together in the prayer of purity

***All:* Almighty God, to whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hidden: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of Your Holy Spirit that we may perfectly love You, and worthily magnify Your holy name; through Christ our Lord. Amen.**

5. THE SUMMARY OF THE LAW

Minister: Our Lord Jesus Christ said: The first and great commandment is this: 'Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God is the only Lord. You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, with all your soul, and

with all your mind, and with all your strength.' The second is this: 'Love your neighbour as yourself.' There is no other commandment greater than these.

All: Amen. Lord have mercy and write these laws in our hearts, we pray.

(People stand for the Gloria)

6. GLORIA (sung) (arr. From Subukia mass)

*Utukufu juu kwa Mungu na amani duniani
Kwao watu wenye mapenzi
Watu wenye mapenzi mema
Utukufu juu kwa Mungu na amani duniani
Kwao watu wenye mapenzi
Watu wenye mapenzi mema*

Tunakusifu tunakuheshimu, twakuabudu, tunakutukuza,
Twakushukuru kwa ajili yako, ya utukufu wako mkuu.

Utukufu juu kwa Mungu na amani duniani

Ee Mungu Baba ndiwe Mfalme wa mbinguni Baba Mwenyezi,
Ee Yesu Kristu Mwana wa pekee, mwana kondoo mwana wa
Baba.

Utukufu juu kwa Mungu na amani duniani

Uondaye dhambi za watu, tuhurumie, tusikilize
Tuhurumie mwenye rehema, maombi yetu uyapokee.

Utukufu juu kwa Mungu na amani duniani

Uketiye kuume kwake, Mungu Baba tuhurumie
Kwa kuwa ndiwe pekee yako, pekee yako Mtakatifu.

Utukufu juu kwa Mungu na amani duniani

Pamoja naye Roho Mtakatifu, katika utukufu wake
Anayeishi na kutawala, milele yote Amina.

Utukufu juu kwa Mungu na amani duniani

7. THE COLLECT

Minister: As we stand, let us join in the collect appointed for the fifteenth Sunday after Trinity:

***All:* O God of our ancestors, God of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob. Your Son our Saviour is the way the truth and the life. May he abide in us and enable us to walk in his way, live by his truth, serve in his power, and share in his life. Through the merits of the same Jesus Christ our Lord we pray. Amen.**

(People sit)

8. O.T Reading: Joshua 15:13 – 19, 63

9. CHOIR ANTHEM: O come, let us sing (*Cindy Berry*)

(Text from Psalm 95: 1,2)

O come, let us sing with joy to the Lord,
O come, O come,
O come, let us sing with joy to the Lord,
O come, O come,
Come, bow down before Him kneel and adore Him
And praise Him with music and song.

For He is Holy, Shepherd, Creator and King.
For He is worthy.
For ever His praises I'll sing.
O come, let us sing with joy to the Lord,
O come, O come,
O come, let us sing with joy to the Lord,
O come, O come,
Come, bow down before Him kneel and adore Him
And praise Him with music and song.

Sing unto God the creator, He made the sea and the land.
Sing unto God the Almighty, We are the work of His hands.
We are the work of His hands.
O come, let us sing with joy to the Lord.
Come, let us sing with joy, O come.

Come, bow down before Him,
Kneel and adore Him
And praise Him with music,
And praise Him with music and Song.
Sing to the Lord!

(People stand)

10. GOSPEL READING: Mark 10:17 -31

11. HYMN: *There is a Redeemer*

There is a Redeemer,
Jesus God's own Son,
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
Holy One.

*Thank You, O my Father,
For giving us Your Son,
And leaving Your Spirit till
The work on earth is done.*

Jesus my Redeemer,
Name above all names,
Precious Lamb of God, Messiah,
O for sinners slain.

Thank You, O my Father,

When I stand in glory
I will see His face,
And there I'll serve my King for ever,
In that Holy Place.

Thank You, O my Father,

12. SERMON: THE REV'D PETER MUGI

(People Stand)

13. NICENE CREED

Minister: We stand and confess our faith in the words of the Nicene Creed

**All: We believe in one God, the Father, the Almighty
Maker of heaven and earth, of all that is, seen and unseen.**

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ, the only Son of God, eternally begotten of the Father, God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, of one Being with the Father. Through him all things were made. For us and for our salvation

He came down from heaven; By the power of the Holy Spirit He became incarnate from the Virgin Mary, and was made Man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate; He suffered, died and was buried. On the third day He rose again in accordance with the scriptures; He ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead, and His kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, Who proceeds from the Father and the Son, With the Father and the Son He is worshiped and glorified.

He has spoken through the prophets.

We believe in one holy, catholic and apostolic Church.

We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins.

We look for the resurrection of the dead,

And the life of the world to come. *Amen.*

14. THE INTERCESSION

Minister: Let us pray.

(People kneel/sit)

Minister: May the bishops and leaders of our churches have wisdom and speak with one voice.

***All:* Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Minister: May the leaders of our country rule with righteousness.

***All:* Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Minister: May justice be our shield and defender.

***All:* Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Minister: May the country have peace and the people be blessed.

***All:* Amen. Lord have mercy.**

Minister: May the flocks and herds prosper and the fish abound in our lakes.
All: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**
Minister: May the fields be fertile and the harvest plentiful.
All: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**
Minister: May we and our enemies turn towards peace.
All: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**
Minister: May the love of the Father touch the lonely, the bereaved and the suffering.
All: **Amen. Lord have mercy.**
Minister: May the path of the world be swept of all dangers.
All: **Alleluia. The Lord of mercy is with us.**

15. PRAYERS OF PENITENCE

Minister: Hear the words of challenge and comfort our Saviour Christ says to all who follow him:
If anyone would come after me, let him deny himself, take up his cross, and follow me. For whoever would save his life will lose it; and whoever loses his life for my sake will save it. (*Luke 9: 23-24*)
Come to me all of you who are tired of carrying your heavy loads, and I will give you rest (*Matthew 11:28*)
So, all of you who repent of your sins, who love your neighbours and intend to lead a new life, following the way of Jesus, come with faith and take this Holy sacrament to strengthen you.
Let us reverently confess our sins to Almighty God.
All: **Almighty God, creator of all, you marvellously made us in your image; but we have corrupted ourselves and damaged your likeness by rejecting your love and hurting our neighbours. We have done wrong and neglected to do right. We are sincerely sorry and heartily repent of our sins. Cleanse us and forgive us by the sacrifice of your**

**Son; Remake us and lead us by your Spirit the Comforter.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**

Minister: Almighty God, whose steadfast love is as great as the heavens are high above the earth, remove your sins from you as far as the east is from the west, strengthen your life in His kingdom and keep you upright to the last day; through Jesus Christ our merciful High Priest. **Amen**

All: **Thank You, Father, for forgiveness; we come to Your table as your children, not presuming but assured, not trusting ourselves but your Word; we hunger and thirst for righteousness, and ask for our hearts to be satisfied with the body and blood of Your Son, Jesus Christ the righteous. Amen.**

(People Stand)

16. THE PEACE

Minister: The peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: **And also with you**

Minister: Let us offer one another a sign of peace

17. CONGREGATIONAL SURVEY UPDATE

18. 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

19. OFFERTORY HYMN: There is a name I love to hear

There is a name I love to hear,
I love to speak its worth;

It sounds like music in my ear,
The sweetest name on earth:

*O how I love the Saviour's name,
O how I love the Saviour's name,
O how I love the Saviour's name,
The sweetest name on earth.*

It tells me of a Saviour's love,
Who died to set me free;
It tells me of His precious blood,
The sinner's perfect plea.

O how I love the Saviour's name,

It tells of One whose loving heart
Can feel my deepest woe;
Who in my sorrow bears a part
That none can bear below.

O how I love the Saviour's name,

It bids my trembling heart rejoice,
It dries each rising tear;
It tells me in a still, small voice
To trust and never fear.

O how I love the Saviour's name,

Jesus, the name I love so well,
The name I love to hear!
No saint on earth its worth can tell,
No heart conceive how dear!

O how I love the Saviour's name,

20. THE GREAT THANKSGIVING

Minister: All things come from You O, Lord

All: And of your own have we given to You

(People remain standing)

Celebrant: We remain standing for thanksgiving and remembrance.

Is the Father with us?

All: He is

Celebrant: Is Christ among us?

All: He is

Celebrant: Is the Spirit here?

All: He is

Celebrant: This is our God.

All: Father, Son, and the Holy Spirit

Celebrant: We are His people.

All: We are redeemed

Celebrant: Lift up your hearts

All: We lift them to the Lord.

Celebrant: Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.

All: It is right to give him thanks and praise

Celebrant: It is right and our delight to give You thanks and praise, great Father, living God, supreme over the world, Creator, Provider, Saviour and Giver, from a wandering nomad You created Your, family; for a burdened people you raised up a leader; for a confused nation You chose a king; for a rebellious crowd You sent Your prophets. In these last days you have sent us your Son, your perfect image, bringing your kingdom, revealing your will, dying, rising, reigning, re-making your people for yourself. Through Him you have poured out your Holy Spirit, filling us with light and life. Therefore, with angels, archangels, faithful ancestors and all in heaven, we proclaim your great and glorious name, forever praising you and saying:

All: Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of power and might, Heaven and earth are full of Your glory. Hosanna in the highest.

Celebrant: Almighty God, Owner of all things, we thank you for giving up your only Son to die on the cross for us who owe you everything. Pour your refreshing Spirit on us as we remember Him in the way he commanded, through these gifts of your creation. On the same

night that He was betrayed He took bread and gave you thanks; He broke it and gave it to His disciples, saying, "Take, eat; this is my body which is given for you; Do this in remembrance of me'

All: Amen. His body was broken for us.

Celebrant: In the same way, after the supper he took the cup and gave you thanks; He gave it to them, saying. "Drink this, all of you; this is my blood of the new covenant, which is shed for you and for many for the forgiveness of sins. Do this as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me."

All: Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again.

Celebrant: We are brothers and sisters through His blood.

**All: We have died together, we will rise together,
We will live together.**

Celebrant: Therefore, heavenly Father, hear us as we celebrate this covenant with joy, and await the coming of our Saviour, Jesus Christ. He died in our place, making a full atonement for the sins of the whole world, the perfect sacrifice, once and for all. You accepted His offering by raising Him from death, and granting Him great honour at your right hand on high.

All: Amen. Jesus is Lord.

Celebrant: This is the feast of victory.

All: The Lamb who was slain has begun his reign. Alleluia.

21. THE COMMUNION

People kneel

Celebrant: As our Saviour taught us, we are bold to pray:

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.

Celebrant: We break this bread to share in the body of Christ.

All: Though we are many we share one body, for we all share one bread.

Celebrant: The cup of blessing which we bless,

All: Is a sharing in the blood of Christ.

Celebrant: Draw near with faith and receive

All: Christ is the host and we are His guests.

Celebrant: Christ is alive for ever.

All: We are because He is.

22. AGNUS DEI (From Subukia Mass) (Sung)

Mwana kondoo wa Mungu,

Uondoaye dhambi za dunia

Utuhurumie.

Mwana kondoo wa Mungu,

Uondoaye dhambi za dunia

Utuhurumie.

Mwana kondoo wa Mungu,

Uondoaye dhambi za dunia

Utujalie Amani, utujalie Amani.

The celebrant and his assistants receive the bread and wine.

Celebrant: The body of our Lord Jesus Christ which was broken for you keep your body and soul to eternal life. Take and eat this, in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on Him in your hearts, by faith, with thanksgiving.

Assistant: The blood of our Lord Jesus Christ which was shed for you, keep your body and soul to eternal life. Drink this, in remembrance that Christ's blood was shed for you and be thankful.

i. Kindly note we shall only use the small cups and not the Chalice.

- ii. *The communicants are requested to stand/kneel around the Altar. The Choristers will be served first.*

23. HYMNS DURING COMMUNION:

i. *Master the tempest is raging*

Master the tempest is raging!
The billows are tossing high!
The sky is o'er-shadowed with blackness,
No shelter or help is nigh!
'Carest Thou not that we perish?'
How canst Thou lie a-sleep,
When each moment so madly is threat'ning
A grave in the angry deep?

*'The winds and the waves shall obey My will,
Peace, be still!
Whether the wrath of the storm tossed sea,
Or demons, or men, or whatever it be,
No waters can swallow the ship where lies
The Master of ocean, and earth, and skies:
They all shall sweetly obey My will;
Peace, be still! Peace, be still!
They all shall sweetly obey my will;
Peace, peace, be still!'*

Master with anguish of spirit
I bow in my grief today;
The depths of my sad heart are troubled;
Oh, waken and save, I pray!
Torrents of sin and of anguish
Sweep o'er my sinking soul;
And I perish! I perish! dear Master;
Oh hasten, and take control.

'The winds and the waves shall obey My will,

Master, the terror is over,
The elements sweetly rest;
Earth's sun in the calm lake is mirrored,
And heaven's within my breast;
Linger, O blessed Redeemer,
Leave me alone no more;

And with joy I shall make the blest harbour,
And rest on blissful shore.
'The winds and the waves shall obey My will,

ii. *There is a sound on the wind*

There's a sound on the wind like a victory song,
Listen now, let it rest on your soul.
It's a song that I learned from a heavenly King,
It's a song of a battle royal.

There's a loud shout of victory that leaps from our hearts
As we wait for our conquering King.
There's a triumph resounding from dark ages past
To the victory song we now sing.

*Come on, heaven's children, the city is in sight.
There will be no sadness on the other side.*

There'll be crowns for the conquerors and white robes to
wear,
There will be no more sorrow or pain.
And the battles of earth shall be lost in the sight
Of the glorious Lamb that was slain.

Now the King of the ages approaches the earth,
He will burst through the gates of the sky.
And all men shall bow down to His beautiful name;
We shall rise with a shout, we shall fly!

*Come on, heaven's children, the city is in sight.
There will be no sadness on the other side*

Now the King of the ages approaches the earth,
He will burst through the gates of the sky.
And all men shall bow down to His beautiful name;
We shall rise with a shout, we shall fly!

24. PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

People stand

All: Almighty God, eternal Father, we have sat at Your feet, learnt from Your word and eaten from Your table. We give You thanks and praise for accepting us into Your family. Send us out with your blessing, to live and to witness for You in the power of Your Spirit. Through Jesus Christ, the First Born from the dead. *Amen.*

25. WELCOMING VISITORS

26. NOTICES

27. THE BLESSING

Celebrant: All our problems,

All: We send to the cross of Christ

Celebrant: All our difficulties,

All: We send to the cross of Christ

Celebrant: All the devil's works,

All: We send to the cross of Christ

Celebrant: All our hopes,

All: We set on the risen Christ

Celebrant: Christ the Sun of Righteousness shine upon you and scatter the darkness from before your path: And the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you and remain with you always. *Amen*

28. DISMISSAL

Celebrant: Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

All: In the name of Christ. *Amen.*

29. RECESSIONAL HYMN: Praise him! Praise Him!

Praise Him, praise Him! Jesus our blessed Redeemer;
Sing, O earth, His wonderful love proclaim!
Hail Him, hail Him! highest archangels in glory,
Strength and honour give to His holy name.
Like a shepherd, Jesus will guard His children,

In His arms He carries them all day long;
O ye saints that dwell in the mountains of Zion,
Praise Him, praise Him! ever in joyful song.

Praise Him, praise Him! Jesus our blessed Redeemer;
For our sins He suffered and bled and died.
He, our Rock, our hope of eternal salvation,
Hail Him, hail Him! Jesus the Crucified.
Loving Saviour, meekly enduring sorrow,
Crowned with thorns that cruelly pierced His brow;
Once for us rejected, despised, and forsaken,
Prince of glory, ever triumphant now.

Praise Him, praise Him! Jesus, our blessed Redeemer;
Heavenly portals loud with hosannas ring!
Jesus, Saviour, reigneth for ever and ever,
Crown Him, crown Him! Prophet and Priest and King!
Death is vanquished, tell it with joy, ye faithful!
Where is now thy victory, boasting grave?
Jesus lives, no longer thy portals are cheerless;
Jesus lives, the mighty and strong to save.

NOTICES

CATHEDRAL THIS WEEK (14TH Sept to 19TH 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) Banns of Marriage between

Geoffrey Kuira Maina PCEA Kasarani Church and Linda Sawe of CITAM Karen.

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

c) 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.

d) 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.

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) 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.

g) 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.

h) 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.

i) 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.

j) SINGLE MUMS' (WOMEN OF GRACE)

Fellowship will take place on 3rd October 2026 at 9:00am. All single mothers are invited to register at the Information Tent or through the link provided at the Cathedral website.

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A/C Name: All Saints' Cathedral Church

ABSA Bank, Queensway Branch

A/C No. 0941048099

ii. For CTC payments

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ABSA Bank, Queensway Branch
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