



ALL SAINTS' CATHEDRAL CHURCH, NAIROBI

THE ORDER FOR

HOLY COMMUNION

On 11th October 2026

At 11:30 am

THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

TODAY'S TOPIC: MAKE ROOM FOR GROWTH

Leader: Rev'd Jandson Njoroge

Assisted by: Samuel Wainaina

Preacher: Winnie Njenga

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: Morning has broken

Morning has broken
Like the first morning;
Black-bird has spoken
Like the first bird.
Praise for the singing!
Praise for the morning!
Praise for them springing
Fresh from the Word!

Sweet the rain's new fall
Sunlit from heaven,
Like the first dewfall
On the first grass.
Praise for the sweetness
Of the wet garden,
Sprung in completeness
Where His feet pass.

Mine is the sunlight!
Mine is the morning
Born of the one light
Eden saw play!
Praise with elation,
Praise every morning,
God's re-creation
Of the new day!

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 Taita Mass)

Leader: Tukufu

People : Tukufu kwa Mungu juu

Leader: Amani!

People: Na Amani duniani

Leader: Kwa watu wenye mapenzi

People: Wenye mapenzi mema

Leader: Kwa watu wenye mapenzi

People: Wenye mapenzi mema

Leader: Sifa!

People: Sisi tunakusifu

Leader: Heshima!

People: Sisi tunakuheshimu

Leader: Tunakuabudu

People: Sisi tunakuabudu

Leader: Tunakuabudu

People: Sisi tunakuabudu

Leader: Tukufu!

People: Sisi tunakutukuza

Leader: Shukrani!

People: Sisi tunakushukuru

Leader: Kwa jili ya utukufu

People: Utukufu wako mkuu

Leader: Kwa jili ya utukufu

People: Utukufu wako mkuu

Leader: Ee Mungu!

People: Ee Bwana Mungu

Leader: Ee Baba!

People: Mfalme wa Mbinguni

Leader: Ee Mungu Baba

People: Mungu Baba Mwenyezi

Leader: Ee Mungu Baba

People: Mungu Baba Mwenyezi

Leader: Ee Bwana!

People : Ee Bwana Yesu Kristu

Leader: Ee Mwana!

People: Kristu Mwana wa pekee

Leader: Mwana wa Baba

People: Mwana kondoo wa Mungu

Leader: Mwana wa Baba

People: Mwana kondoo wa Mungu

Leader: Mwokozi

People: Mwenye kuondoa dhambi

Leader: Huruma

People: Dhambi za dunia

Leader: Utuhurumie

People: Pokea Ombi letu

Leader: Utuhurumie

People: Pokea Ombi letu

Leader: Ee Yesu!

People: Kwani ndiwe Bwana

Leader: Ee Kristu!

People: Kwani ndiwe Bwana

Leader: Ee Yesu Kristu

People: Ndiwe peke yako Mkuu

Leader: Ee Yesu Kristu

People: Ndiwe peke yako Mkuu

Leader: Umoja!

People: Pamoja na Roho Mtakatifu

Leader: Milele!

People: Katika Utukufu

Leader: Tukufu wa Mungu Baba

People: Kristu anaishi

Leader: Tukufu wa Mungu Baba

People: Kristu anaishi

7. THE COLLECT

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

All: **Father, in the name of Jesus, We thank you for teaching us that the greatest commandment is to love you and to love**

our neighbours. Though we often fall short of this requirement, our confidence and trust is in Jesus Christ our Lord who alone is able to form us to be what we ought to be. So help us Lord, for the glory and honour of your name. Amen.

(People sit)

- 8. O.T Reading: Joshua 17:14-18 – Samson Dere**
- 9. CHOIR ANTHEM: The heavens are telling (Josef Haydn)**
(Text from Psalm 19)

The heavens are telling the glory of God.
The wonder of His work displays the firmament,
The wonder of His work displays the firmament.

Today that is coming speaks it the day,
The night that is gone to following night,
The night that is gone to following night.

The heavens are telling the glory of God,
the wonder of His work,
The wonder of his work displays the firmament.
The wonder of his work displays the firmament.
In all the lands resounds the word,
Never unperceived, ever understood,
Ever, ever, ever understood,

In all the lands resounds the word,
never unperceived, ever understood,
Ever, ever, ever understood, ever,
ever, ever, ever understood.

The heavens are telling the glory of God, the wonder of his work,
The wonder of his work displays the firmament,
The wonder of his work, displays the firmament,
displays the firmament
The wonder of his work displays the firmament, the firmament.
The wonder of his work, the wonder of his work displays

Displays the firmament,
the wonder of his work displays the firmament,
The wonder of his work, the wonder of his work displays,
Displays the firmament.
The heavens are telling the glory of God, the wonder of his work
Displays the firmament displays the firmament,
displays the firmament,
The wonder of his work, the wonder of his work displays
Displays the firmament. The heavens are telling the glory of God
The wonder of his work displays displays the firmament,
displays the firmament
Displays the firmament, displays the firmament.

(People stand)

10. GOSPEL READING: Matthew 25:14-30 - Clergy

11. HYMN: *The King of love my Shepherd is*

The King of love my Shepherd is,
Whose goodness faileth never;
I nothing lack if I am His
And He is mine for ever.

Where streams of living water flow
My ransomed soul he leadeth,
And where the verdant pastures grow
With food celestial feedeth.

Perverse and foolish oft I strayed,
But yet in love He sought me,
And on His shoulder gently laid,
And home rejoicing brought me.

In death's dark vale I fear no ill
With Thee, dear Lord, beside me;
Thy rod and staff my comfort still,
Thy cross before to guide me.

Thou spread'st a table in my sight;
Thy unction grace bestoweth;
And O what transport of delight

From Thy pure chalice floweth!

And so through all the length of days
Thy goodness faileth never;
Good Shepherd, may I sing Thy praise
Within Thy house for ever.

12. SERMON: Winnie Njenga

(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. 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

18. OFFERTORY HYMN: *O Jesus, I have promised*

O Jesus, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;
Be Thou for ever near me,
My Master and my friend;
I shall not fear the battle
If Thou art by my side,
Nor wander from the pathway
If Thou wilt be my Guide.

O let me feel Thee near me;
The world is ever near;
I see the sights that dazzle,
The tempting sounds I hear;
My foes are ever near me,
Around me and within;
But Jesus, draw Thou nearer,
And shield my soul from sin.

O Let me hear Thee speaking
In accents clear and still,
Above the storms of passion,
The murmurs of self-will;
O speak to reassure me,
To hasten, or control;
O speak, and make me listen,
Thou guardian of my soul.

O Jesus, Thou hast promised
To all who follow Thee
That where Thou art in glory
There shall Thy servants be;
And, Jesus, I have promised
To serve Thee to the end;

O give me grace to follow
My master and my friend.

O let me see Thy footmarks,
And in them plant mine own;
My hope to follow duly
Is in Thy strength alone.
O guide me, call me, draw me,
Uphold me to the end;
And then in heaven receive me,
My Saviour and my Friend.

19. 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.

20. 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.

21. AGNUS DEI (From Taita Mass) (Sung)

Mwana, Mwana Kondoo wa Mungu

Uondoaye, uondoaye

Dhambi za dunia

Dhambi za Dunia

Utuhurumie

Utuhurumie

Mwana, Mwana Kondoo wa Mungu
Uondoaye, uondoaye
Dhambi za dunia
Dhambi za Dunia
Utuhurumie
Utuhurumie

Mwana, Mwana Kondoo wa Mungu
Uondoaye, uondoaye
Dhambi za dunia
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.*

22. HYMNS DURING COMMUNION:

i. God will take care of you

Be not dismayed whate'er betide,
God will take care of you;
Beneath His wings of love abide,
God will take care of you.

God will take care of you,

*Through ev'ry day, o'er all the way;
He will take care of you,
God will take care of you.*

Thro' days of toil when heart doth fail,
God will take care of you;
When dangers fierce your path assail,
God will take care of you.
God will take care of you,

No matter what may be the test,
God will take care of you;
Lean, weary one, upon His breast,
God will take care of you.
God will take care of you,

ii. Anayekula mwili wako

Anayakula mwili wako
Na anywaye damu yako
Anaishi ndani yako
Ye hatakufa milele

*Yesu wangu, nakuomba
Nishibishe na mwilio
Nayo damu yako ninywe
Japo sistahili mimi.*

Ndani yangu mwokozi yumo,
kwa mwili na damu yake.
Ni rafiki yangu kweli,
Nami sitamwacha kamwe.
Yesu wangu, nakuomba

Alikuja kutuokoa
Tuliokuwa dhambini
Kwa kifo chake, msalabani,
Naye 'katupa uzima.
Yesu wangu, nakuomba

Yesu wangu, unibariki,
'nifundishe njia zako

'nipe moyo, wa shukrani,
nitembee nawe leo.
Yesu wangu, nakuomba

23. 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.*

24. WELCOMING VISITORS

25. NOTICES

26. 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*

27. DISMISSAL

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

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

28. RECESSIONAL HYMN: *Now thank we all our God*

Now thank we all our God,
With hearts and hands and voices;
Who wondrous things has done,
In whom His world rejoices:
Who from our mother's arms
Has blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love,
And still is ours to-day.

O may this bounteous God
Through all our life be near us,
With ever joyful hearts
And blessed peace to cheer us;
And keep us in His grace,
And guide us when perplexed,
And free us from all ills
In this world and the next.

All praise and thanks to God,
The Father now be given,
The Son, and Him who reigns
With them in highest heaven,
The one eternal God,
Whom earth and heaven adore,
For thus it was, is now,
And shall be evermore.

NOTICES

a) BANNS OF MARRIAGE BETWEEN

- I. Henry Terrence Were and Mercy Shitolwa both of All Saints Cathedral Church
- II. Lawi Obiyo Mawira of All Saints' Cathedral and Jane Njeri Kabuga of PEFA Church- Matasia

This is the First time of announcing

- III. Samuel Ochieng Okello and Sandra Chepchumba Kiptoo both of All Saints' Parish Antrim, Northern Ireland

This is the Third 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, Wednesday and Fridays** from 5:00am to 5:30am through the link provided on our website.

c) PRAYER SERVICE FOR CANDIDATES

We invite all Grade 6, Grade 9 and Form 4 Candidates for the Prayer for Candidates Service, which will be held on 18th October 2026 at the Main Sanctuary from 3:00pm. Let us join together and commit the candidates to the Lord ahead of the National Examinations.

d) CHILDREN PARENTING WEBINAR

The Children's Ministry warmly invites all parents, guardians and caregivers to a virtual meeting on Friday 16th October 2026 from 7:30pm to 9:00pm. Theme: **“Effective Communication with Pre-Teens.”** This will be an opportunity to learn practical ways of communicating and strengthening relationship with them. To register, please visit Cathedral website or visit Information Tent.

e) MEMBERSHIP

Membership classes will commence on 17th October 2026, from 8:30am for Saturday classes and for weekday classes on 21st October 2026 from 5:30pm. Please register on the Cathedral website.

f) THE HEALTH PROFESSIONALS' WEBINAR

The Health Professionals invites all women to a virtual informative session on Breast Cancer Prevention, early detection and survivorship on Thursday 22nd October 2026 at 7:30pm. All interested members are encouraged to register on the link provided at the Cathedral website or at the Information Tent.

g) WOMEN OF HOPE (WIDOWS) RETREAT

Will be held on 31st October 2026. Theme: **“Finding Identity Beyond Marriage.”** Cost is Kshs. 1,000. All widows are encouraged to register through the link provided on the Cathedral website or at the Information Tent. Paybill 303036 account: WHO Retreat.

h) BOYS' RITE OF PASSAGE PROGRAM

This year's Boys' Rite of Passage will take place from 17th November to 29th November at All Saints' Cathedral Primary School – Madaraka. The fee is Ksh. 25,000, payable through Pay Bill 303036, ACCOUNT-Initiation & boys name.

To register kindly visit our website and follow the link provided: <https://bit.ly/481KkWG>. For more details, please visit the Information Tent.

i) 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 Kshs. 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.

j) 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.

k) CATHEDRAL GUILD

Invites all members for an open day today after the service where they will be selling and displaying their merchandise. We call upon you to support the Guild Ministry. For more information please visit their tent at the Southern Lawn.

OUR CONTACTS

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A/C Name: All Saints' Cathedral Church

ABSA Bank, Queensway Branch

A/C No. 0941048099

ii. For CTC payments

Mpesa Paybill No. 303035 A/C: Your phone number

Bank A/C Name: All Saints Cathedral CTC

ABSA Bank, Queensway Branch

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