ALL SAINTS' CATHEDRAL, NAIROBI

The Saints' Vuka 11:30AM

SERVICE

Sunday, 8th November 2026

On

THE THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

Service Leader:

Whitney Lubidu

2026 Theme: God Never Fails (Joshua 21:45)

TOPIC: CITIES OF REFUGE

Preacher: Rev. Ignitius Malimo

In-person service

ORDER OF SERVICE

1. CALL TO WORSHIP: ***SaintsWorship Team***

(Congregation stands)

2. WELCOME REMARKS *(People Stand)*

Good morning, brothers and sisters in Christ.
A warm welcome to our VUKA Worship Service on this Third Sunday before Advent. As we approach the end of the liturgical year, we are reminded of God's faithfulness, Christ's return, and our eternal hope.
Today's theme is "Cities of Refuge," drawing from Joshua 20:1–9 and Hebrews 6:17–20. While the world offers temporary distractions, God's promises remain unchanging, and Jesus is our steadfast anchor. As we begin our service today ask yourself: Where do you run when life gets difficult? Let us choose to find our true refuge in Christ, arise, and worship the Lord with joyful hearts. May the Lord bless us as we worship Him. Amen.

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.*

(People 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. ***(People Sit)***

INTRODUCTORY STATEMENT: "Abraham is the father of all: as Scripture says, I have made you the father of many nations (Romans 4:16)"

Leader: *Let* Us Join In The Collect Appointed For The Third Sunday Before Advent

All: **Almighty Father, In The Name Of Jesus Who Lived And Ministered In The Cities Of His Day, Equip We Beseech You, Your Servants Who Minister In Urban Settings, Give Them Love And Unity Of Purpose In Their Evangelistic And Pastoral Tasks, That People Of All Walks Of Life May Know Jesus And Live Their Lives For Him And For His Glory. Through Jesus Christ Who Healed The Sick, Sought The Lost, Raised The Dead, Fed The Hungry And Challenged The Rich To Share Their Wealth. Amen**

8. APOSTLES' CREED *(People Stand)*

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 andearth.
I believe in Jesus Christ His only Son, our Lord who wasconceived 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: Introductory statement – "Our Lord Jesus Christ Promises His Peace To All Who Trust In Him". He Says In **Romans 5:1** *"Therefore, since we have*

been justified through faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ."

Leader*:* May the peace of the Lord be always with you.

All: **And Also Be With You**
Leader: Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

WELCOMING OFVISITORS

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

10. NOTICES:

DAY	ACTIVITY	TARGET	TIME
Wednesdays	**In-person Prayer and healing service** (Main sanctuary)	Everybody	5:30 pm
Thursday	**Imarika Kwa Maombi Online Prayers**	Everybody	5AM to 6AM
	Thursday : Campus Radiate **(Physical)**	University, College & TVET students	5:30 pm
	Friday: Proudly Anglican Podcast Recording	Everybody	3PM
Saturday	**Vuka bible study (Online)**	19 to 24 years	8:00pm

i. PRAYER MINISTRY

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

- Prayers at the Altar after the Vuka 9:30AM and 11:30AM services.

THIS WEEK:

- The Cathedral is open for prayers and the clergy are available to pray with any Member of the congregation who needs prayers.
- Lunch Hour Service at the Guest House from 12:45PM to 1:45PM.

- Imarika Kwa Maombi Every Thursday from 5:00AM to 6:00AM please join the community WhatsApp through this link https://chat.whatsapp.com/JNg7VO4QJTW7Faok1mm10m
- Prayer & Healing Service: On Wednesdays at 5:30p.m. at the Main Sanctuary.

JOIN THE PROUDLY ANGLICAN PODCAST TEAM - Are you passionate about sharing the Anglican faith and engaging in meaningful conversations? Proudly Anglican Podcast is inviting VUKA members to join the team! Podcast recordings take place every Friday from 3:00 PM. You can serve as a moderator, feature as a panelist, or join our production team if you are gifted in camera operation, photography, video editing, audio production, or podcast event management. We'd love to have you on board as we create inspiring content together. To see what we're all about, check out our previous Proudly Anglican Podcast episodes on the All Saints' Cathedral, Nairobi YouTube Channel. Speak to Billy Bilaso after the service if you're interested.

CALL TO SERVE - All youth and young adults who feel called and are willing to serve in any ministry are encouraged to register. Kindly sign up with Elly, the Youth Coordinator, or visit the registration desk at the auditorium entrance immediately after the service. Let us all take part in serving and growing together.
CAMPUS RADIATE – We welcome all Campus students and Alumnus for a very powerful Fellowship Every Thursday from 5:00PM, Check out for the starting date.
VUKA ONLINE Bible Study is happening every Saturday from 8PM -9:00PM, lets plan to grow together in God's word. Check out for the Starting date.
G2G FUNDAY - Join us for the highly anticipated G2G Fun Day on Saturday, 5th December 2026, from 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM at All Saints Primary, Madaraka! this exciting event brings together all G2G and All Saints Youth members for an unforgettable day of fellowship, team building, and energetic Inter-G2G competitions. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to connect, compete, and grow in community - we look forward to seeing you there!
THE SOCIAL OUTREACH MINISTRY has organized an economic empowerment activity through a farm visit to Fred's Ranch, Kajiado, on 14th November 2026. Participants will learn about poultry, dairy farming, irrigated agriculture, silage making, and yoghurt production at a cost of Ksh. 2,500 per person, inclusive of transport, entry fees and lunch. For more details, please visit the Information Tent.
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 & boy's name. For registration kindly visit our website or the Information Tent.
LIVE STREAMING: We are pleased to inform the congregation that we shall be Live Streaming the Adult 7:00am, 9:30am, and 11:30am Sunday services on Face Book and You Tube. The National Broadcaster KBC will continue Livestreaming 11:30 am as it has been doing. Please share this with your loved ones
THE CATHEDRAL ICT PROFESSIONALS will be hosting a webinar on Thursday,

November 19th, 2026 from 7:30pm on Cybersecurity 101: The Dos and Don'ts." The speaker is Shiphrah Wairima - CEO, Founders Haus Africa. To register please visit the Cathedral website or use the QR Code at the Information Tent.

11. READINGS

First Reading: **~ Joshua 20:1- 9~ Barrington Adaka**

Second Reading: **Hebrews 6:17 - 20 ~ Linsey Masinde**

12. OFFERTORY: *(Saints Worship)*

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	Paybill No: **303035** Acc No: **Children and Teens Centre (CTC)**
Airtel Paybill	Paybill No: **303035** Acc No: **Indicate what you are giving for.**

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)

13. PRAISE AND WORSHIP: (Vuka Saints Worship) – (People Stand)

14. SERMON: Rev. MALIMO

15. ACTION AND REACTION

16. BENEDICTION

17. RECESSIONAL: *(Vuka Saints Worship)*

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