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4TH SUNDAY AFTER EASTER
- APRIL 28, 2024
THE LITURGICAL COLOUR: WHITE

"OUR YEAR OF NEW GLORY".
ISAIAH 40:5

WELCOME TO CHURCH

...that they may be one..." John 17:22

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In this Sanctuary, we switch off our phones during services!!!

7.30 a.m. Holy Communion Service: "A"

- 1. The Processional Hymn: Hymns A&M 299
- 2. The Preparatory Prayer
- 3. The Act of Penitence
- 4. The Collect
- 5. The Epistle: 1 Corinthians 4:14 5:5
- 6. The Gradual: ASCSHC 130
- 7. The Gospel: John 16:5 22
- 8. Hymns A&M 178 (The Collection for Indigent Students' Scholarship Scheme will be taken)
- 9. The Sermon
- 10. The Nicene Creed and Prayer of Intercession
- 11. The Peace
- 12. The Offertory Hymn: ASCSHC 46 (Tithes and Freewill Offerings also)
- 13. The Preparation of the Gifts
- 14. Eucharist Prayer etc. and Communion Proper with Hymn: Hymns A&M 397, 399
- 15. After-Communion Prayers
- 16. The Blessing
- 17. The Announcements
- 18. The Withdrawal Hymn: Hymns A&M 296

9.30 a.m. Mattins: "A"

- 1. The Processional Hymn: Hymns A&M 299
- 2. Praise and Worship Session
- 3. Introit: ASCSHC 128
- 4. The Call to Worship (Versicles and Responses to be chanted)
- 5. Psalm 57 (To be chanted)
- 6. 1st Bible Reading: Nehemiah 1: 1 11
- 7. VENITE, EXULTEMUS
- 8. 2nd Bible Reading: 1 Corinthians 15: 1 28
- 9. Hymns A&M 178
- Creed, Collects and Prayers (Versicles and Responses to be chanted)
- Hymns A&M 199 (The Collection for Indigent Students' Scholarship Scheme will be taken)
- 12. The Sermon
- 13. ASCSHC 46 (Tithes and Freewill Offerings also)
- 14. 40th Birthday Thanksgiving of Mrs. Motunrayo E. Idowu
- 15. The Benediction
- 16. The Announcements
- 17. The Withdrawal Hymn: Hymns A&M 296

THE LORD IS IN HIS HOLY TEMPLE; LET ALL THE EARTH BE SILENT IN HIS PRESENCE. HABAKKUK 2:20.

PLEASE, THIS IS THE HOUSE OF GOD, LET OUR CONDUCTS AND MOVEMENTS BE DONE IN AN ORDERLY MANNER. 1 COR. 14:40.

5.00 p.m. Evensong "A"

- 1. The Opening Hymn: Hymns A&M 29
- 2. Call to Worship
- 3. Prayer and the Lord's Prayer
- 4. Psalm 77 (to be read responsively)
- 5. Bible Reading: John 21:15 25
- 6. Hymns A&M 178

- 7. The Sermon
- 8. Creed and Intercessory Prayers
- 9. ASCSHC 130 (Collection shall be taken)
- 10. Prayer and Benediction
- 11. The Announcements
- 12. The Closing Hymn: Hymns A&M 352

WELCOME: We welcome those who are worshipping with us for the first time today. Please, kindly stand up for recognition as we sing from ASCSHC 68:1. What shall our greeting be: Sign of our unity? "Jesus is Lord"! May we no more defend, Barriers He died to end: Give me your hand, my friend- One Church, one Lord!

We thank Ven. Ayo Atowoju for preaching the Word both at the 7.30 a.m. and 9.30 a.m. Services. May the good Lord continue to uphold and bless your ministry in Jesus name. Amen.

NOTICES:

1. Please kindly use the link below to stream this service on Youtube: Youtube: @allsaintschurchibadan
Other browsers: https://www.youtube.com/@allsaintschurchibadan

2. For members who are not able to come to Church physically, you can please pay your Tithes, Freewill Offerings, Membership Dues and others to the Account of the Church: ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, JERICHO, IBADAN. UNION BANK PLC, ACCOUNT NUMBER: 0008782811. God will continue to prosper the works of your hands as you give unto the Lord in Jesus name. Amen.

BIRTHDAY CELEBRANTS: We rejoice with our esteemed members who are celebrating their birthdays this Week:

Miss Jemima M. Ajagbe	- 28	Mrs. Ore-Oluwa A. Awodele	- 2
Mr. James A. Raiwe	- 28	Mrs. Grace O. Alabi	- 2
Mr. Robert I. Ilofuan	- 28	Chief (Mrs.) Stella Adeogun	-2
Mrs. Olukemi O. Aderemi	- 30	Mrs. V.O. Pedro	-3
	- MAY 1	Mrs. V.O. Ajibade	-3
Mogaji Abidoye Akintola	-1	Mrs. Elizabeth G. Olafusi	-3
Mr. Nnamdi E. Ohanwe	-1		-4
		Master L J Elegbe	-4
Prof. Obafunke O. Denloye	lohi 2		- 4
Miss Anuoluwatomiwa I. Ta	maul - 2	IVIS TOMMOTORY ATT. TRECOMME	

Note: Culled from the Membership Data Base. We pray the glory of the Lord will continue to radiate around you, and, fill you with His presence and peace in Jesus name. Amen.

4. ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, JERICHO, IBADAN ELECTRONICS RADIO BROADCAST WITH LEAD RADIO 106.3 — Please, partner with God for a lifetime testimony. Tune in every Sunday at 6:45 a.m. and repeat broadcast every Wednesday at 7.15 a.m. and be blessed.

5. THE INDIGENT SCHOLARSHIP FUND: Blessed is he who considers the poor; the Lord will deliver him in time of trouble (Psalm 41:1). Please, kindly donate generously into the Indigent Scholarship Fund – UNION BANK PLC Account No. 0008858176. May the blessings be!

6. The yearly **membership dues** were revised to № 5,000 with immediate effect starting in 2023, as decided at the AGM held on Sunday, June 25, 2023. We are enjoined to make any necessary payment towards arrears. Online payments can be made to UNION BANK ACCOUNT NUMBER 0008782811. The Announcer: Secretary, Church Council.

7. This is to inform all members of our congregation that these inspiring books await you at our Church Library:

(a) But for Grace by Tracey Victoria Bateman (b) Double Take by Terry Fowler (c) Making Amends by Janet Lee Barton (d) An Unbreakable Hope by Kristin Billerbeck (e) Trespassed Hearts by Lynn A. Coleman (f) Stacy's Wedding by Aisha Ford. Explore these literary treasures and enrich your Spiritual journey! The Announcer: The Library Committee.

8. CHURCH NEEDS:

a) Equipment for Livestreaming:

i. Sound Mark G25 Pin Mic − №670, 000.

- ii. Camera: Sony A7 111 with Sony Sigma lens 23-240 mm 2.8 №2,100,000.
- iii. Laptop Computer MSI Katana 17 Gaming Laptop: 13th Gen Intel Core i7, GeForce RTX 4060, 17.3" 144Hz FHD Display, 32GB DDR5, 1TB NVMe SSD, USB-Type C, Cooler Boost 5, Win11 Home: Black B13VFK-835US. \$1399.

b) 100KVA Generator for the Church (№ 15m).

9. ENTRANCE EXAMINATION INTO ALL SAINTS' COLLEGE: Entrance Examination into JS 1 comes up on Saturday 8th June, 2024 at 8.00 a.m. prompt at the College premises. Forms are available at the rate of N6,000 in the College, Church Office and All Saints' Church School. The Announcer: Mrs. M.A. Vaughan (Principal).

10. **Crèche**: All Saints' Church School crèche is well equipped and made comfortable for babies from 3 months old. It opens from 7.00 a.m. to 5.00 p.m. Mondays - Fridays. Fees - №15,000 monthly. For more inquiry call the Head Teacher on 08104139987/08032348972.

- 11. Every Unit in the Church should please inform the Minister if any member of our Church is sick. Ministers depend on information from the Church members.
- 12. CONFIRMATION 2024: Eligible and interested members are enjoined to register with the Ministers. Classes will begin shortly.
- 13. Zone A Neighborhood Fellowship meets tomorrow, Monday, 29th April 2024 from 4.00p.m. 5.00 p.m. in the Church Sanctuary. Leader: Mrs. E.O. Aba.

14. MEETINGS:

- a) Women's Group Today after the 7.30 a.m. and 9.30 a.m. Services respectively.
- b) Youth Fellowship Family Meeting Today after Mattins.
- c) Harvest Committee Today after Mattins
- 15. At 5.00 p.m. today, there will be Evening Service. Mr. Taiwo Daramola will preach.

16. NEXT SUNDAY: ROGATION SUNDAY

- 7.30 a.m.: Holy Communion Service: Assistant Minister II
- 9.30 a.m.: Mattins: Assistant Minister II
- 5.00 p.m.: Holy Communion Service: The Celebrant: The Minister
 The Preacher: Mrs. Olufunke Aba

CHURCH ATTENDANCE - 21st April, 2024

CHURCH SERVICES	ATTENDANCE
7.30 a.m. Holy Communion Service	74
9.30 a.m. Holy Communion Service	252
9.30 a.m. Sunday School	65
9.30. a.m. Teenage Ministry	15
9.30 a.m. Jacob and Grace	49
5.00 p.m. Evening Service	7
Mid-week Anointing Service – 24/04/2024	71

WEEKLY ACTIVITIES:

- (a) Tuesday 4.00 p.m.: Bible Study and Prayer Meeting. SINGSPIRATION.
- (b) Wednesday: (i) 12 noon 1.00 p.m. Wednesday Anointing Service.
 - (ii) 4.30 p.m. 5.00 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.

Discussion: Micah Chapter 7. Leader: Assistant Minister II.

(c) Thursday 5.00 p.m.: Women's Group Bible Study and Prayer Meeting.

Topic: God's Promises. Isaiah 41:10 Leader: Mrs. N.N Usoroh.

(d) Friday: Choir Practice - 5.00 p.m.

The Boys' and Girls' Brigade: 5.00 p.m.

(e) Saturday: The Youth Fellowship: 3.30 p.m.

Saturday: Davidic Praise Group meeting at 4.00 p.m.

PRAYER REQUESTS, TESTIMONIES AND THANKSGIVING:

- 1. A female member is thanking God (the all sufficient and Ever-Present) for the gift of life and immeasurable blessings over her life in the past 40 years in the land of the living. Please sing Hymns A&M 216 vs 1 only. (Thanksoffering: №50,000).
- 2. A child of God says "Father, Lord Jesus. I thank you for the journey thus far; looking back, I realise that it is only through your grace that I have not been consumed; your grace has kept and nurtured me; thank you, Jesus. Lord, as I celebrate my Ruby Jubilee, grant me new life, spiritual growth, and transformation; let it open doors to new opportunities; and, most importantly, help me to serve you more effectively in Jesus' name." Please sing ASCSHC 40 vs 5 only.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!!!

We congratulate all those whose birthdays are within last Monday and today. Please, let us sing the Traditional Birthday song for them. We wish you many happy returns in Jesus name. Amen.

DECLARATION FOR THE YEAR

"And the Glory of the Lord shall be revealed in my life, all flesh shall see it together, for the mouth of the Lord has spoken it." Therefore I declare, the year 2024 is my year of New Glory. In Jesus name. Amen.

(Isaiah 40:5).

FROM THE MINISTER'S DESK.
THE WEEKLY MEDITATION.

SUNDAY 28TH APRIL — SATURDAY 4TH MAY, 2024.

THEME: BELIEVER'S ROLE IN THE ONGOING SPIRITUAL CONTEST

THE TEXT: GENESIS 3:15

"And I will put enmity between you and the woman, And between your seed and her Seed; He shall bruise your head, And you shall bruise His heel."

Grace be unto you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

Our text captures the struggle between evil and good right from the inception of creation, the contest between the seed of the woman and the serpent has been ongoing. This struggle persists today as the spirit and the flesh engage in a relentless battle for supremacy. God's love for humanity manifested in Jesus Christ, who came to deliver our souls from the clutches of Satan, the ancient serpent and the deceiver. (1 John 3:8)

According to Genesis 3:15, humanity has been empowered prophetically to crush the head of the ancient serpent. However, the challenges and uncertainties of the modern world, fueled by the activities of Satan, persist. The solution remains unchanged: fix your gaze upon Jesus, the seed of the woman. (Hebrew 12:2)

As members of the church, it is imperative that we embrace God's provision by being born again of an incorruptible seed. 1Peter 1:23

Jesus, the embodiment of this incorruptible seed, decisively crushed the head of Satan, the ancient serpent through the cross. Our victory in this ongoing contest lies in our absolute submission to God and we are empowered to resist the devil. (James 4:7)

Let us play our role in this spiritual battle and stand firm in faith to partake in the triumph already secured by Christ and continue to advance the kingdom of God against the forces of darkness.

And the God of peace will crush Satan under your feet shortly. The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you. Amen. (Romans 16:20).

Do have a glorious week.

Shalom, Shalom!!
The Minister.