**OWO DIOCESAN PRAYER CYCLE**

**AUGUST, 2020**

1. Let us thank God for the gift of life, and particularly bringing us into the month of August. Let us thank Him for His daily provision, sound health and protection from all dangers seen and unseen upon members of this Diocese in this period of covid-19 pandemic. Pray that God should give us victory in all our endeavours. Pray for divine turn around in our lives, homes, business, career and in all areas of our lives.

2. Let us pray that God should destroy every power of hindrance in the way of success in the life of every member of this Diocese. Pray for all the private business owners that are members of our Diocese that God should grant them breakthrough beyond their human understanding, pray that our aspirations as an individual will come through, that our joy will know no sorrow, and that our blessings will know no boundary in the mighty name of Jesus Christ.

3. In our fasting and prayer today, Let us pray that the power of God should remove every occurrence of setback, stagnation and manipulation physically, spiritually, mentally, financially, economically, socially, materially etc. In the life of every members of this Diocese, also in all our Churches and communities. . Let us pray that every plan and strategy of the kingdom of darkness against the body of Christ be aborted and that every spirit of prayerlessness and discouragement in the body of Christ be bound in the name of Jesus Christ

4 Let us command in the name of Jesus that the works of the flesh in the lives of the brethren to die: that the efficacious power of the Cross be released to dethrone flesh in our lives and that the life of our Lord Jesus Christ be truly established in the body of Christ. Let pray for all members of this Diocese that God should arise with His power over issue challenging our faith and threatening our existence as children of God. Pray for manifestations of His glory over our Diocese

5. Let us pray that God will show forth His power over our youth and their challenges. Pray that God should strengthen them against moral decays in our society. Pray that limitations will pave way in their lives. Pray for the grace of God to always be upon our children

6. Let us pray for all our children who are at home at this lock down period, that God should keep, protect, guard and guide them, pray that the Lord should give them the spirit of wisdom, knowledge, understanding and revelation to move closer to Him, pray that whenever they will be called back to school, they will be academically sound, mentally fit and spiritually alright. Pray that none of them shall drop out of school. Pray as well for their parents in the area of economy that God in His riches in glory should provide for them.

7. Let us pray that the spirit of quarrel, immoralities, unfaithfulness, infirmities, disagreement, misunderstanding, and intolerance may lose their grips upon all Christian homes and that Christ may be eternally enthroned.

8. Let us pray for our country Nigeria that all the desires, plans, devices, and expectations of the enemy for our country be frustrated and that every satanic curse in the nation fall to the ground and lose it's grip in the mighty name of Jesus Christ.

9. Let us pray that God will grant to His Church the true mind of Christ, forgiving spirit, tolerance, genuine repentance, understanding, submission, humility and brokenness of heart in our Daily service to Him. Let us pray for all our Sunday School Children that favour and grace of God will anchor them in the journey of life. Pray that things will not be wrong for them. Pray that God will give us testimonies over them beyond our efforts.

10. Let us pray that the Lord should give every members of this Diocese rest of mind from any form of adversity. Pray that every enemy working day and night to bring us down shall be cloth in shame. Also pray that the Lord should send you help from above and save you and your family from reproach. Pray that God should guide your steps and make you fruitful.

11. Let us pray against every spirit of anti Christ working against this nation, let us pray that all contrary powers and authorities in Nigeria be confounded and that all negative forces operating in the life of our leaders be bound in the name of Jesus Christ.

12. . Let us pray that the blood of Jesus cleanse our land from every blood pollution and that God through the Holy Spirit should consume all idols, sacrifices, rituals, shrines, and destroy all satanic thrones in our land in the name of Jesus Christ

13. Let us pray for Mama Owo Mrs Florence Ebunoluwa Fagbemi, Clergy /Worker’s Wives and all the delegates in this Diocese as they begin this year’s Women conference today, that God should be with them, protect the homes they left behind, pray that they should come back with fresh auction to function in the vineyard of God. Also pray for all the invited guest speakers, guest of honor, launchers and all well wishers that the blessings of God should be permanent in their lives and none of them shall go back home unrewarded.

14. Let us pray that the gospel of Christ be spread without hindrances and that the unbelieving generations be brought into the fold.

15 Let us pray for all the childless couples in our churches, Diocese and our land at large, pray for those looking for future partners that God should give them the bone of their bones and the flesh of their flesh and that God should restore peace to the unsettled homes.

16. Let us pray for financial breakthrough in our family, church and diocese, that the gate of poverty will not prevail against the Church and that God will open His divine doors of abundance and pour upon us mightily from His inexhaustible blessings.

17. Let us pray that God should put enemy of progress to shame in your life and family. Pray that the grace of God will bring your desires to fulfillment in the name of Jesus Christ.

18. Let us pray that none of our family members will be a victim of corona virus, that God should deliver those that are already victims and that God in his omnipotent power should restore normalcy to our dear country Nigeria

19. Let us pray for divine promotion and upliftment in all aspects of our endeavor, pray that God should remove every garment of reproach from our life, pray that all our burden be miraculously converted to blessings in the name of Jesus Christ.

20. Let us pray for infrastructural development in our land that God should touch the hearts of our political leaders to do the needful and rule with the fear of God, also pray against the spirit of promise and fail in the lives of our political leaders.

21. Let us pray that the enemy of the Church will not prevail against it, and that the Church will not be overwhelmed by the present global challenges and also that God in his infinite mercy will uproot all the tars from the wheat of the Church and lasting peace be eternally restored into the Church.

22. Let us pray for the grace to always be relevant in God's agenda, that our lives will become a centre for God's reign, and that everything needing replacement in our lives be replaced and that every evil stranger in our lives be flushed out in the mighty name of Jesus.

23. Let us pray for unity and oneness of mind among Christian leaders, pastors of different Christian denominations, preachers of the Gospel at all levels, let us pray for the gracious spread of the Gospel of Christ in all the nooks and crannies of our society.

24. Let us pray for every one that matter in our lives that evil counsels and devices against them and their households shall be frustrated by the power in the blood of Jesus Christ. Pray for God’s intervention in their challenges and decree uncommon testimonies to their lives to the glory of His Holy name.

25. Let us pray that God should take away every covenant working against God’s plans and purposes in your life, household and business. Ask for the miracle of God that will turn things around for good in your life and family.

26. Let us pray and commit the coming ember Months to the hands of God that it will be Months of immeasurable improvement, progress, expansion and success. Pray that every purported evil associated with ember Months will not be experienced in your life and family in the name of Jesus Christ.

27. Let us pray that every good intension and dream that our lord Bishop: Rt. Dr Stephen Ayodeji Fagbemi has been pursuing for this Diocese should receive divine boost. Pray that God should renew his strength and increase him in all ramifications.

28. Let us pray for all the retirees, that God should continue to take care of them, pray that their family members will not suffer, pray that in their retirement that they will be in good health. Let us pray that God will grant them favour in payment of their pensions and gratuities, pray that the heaven of abundance will open for them.

29. Let us pray for a quick reopening of our schools from primary to universities that the future of our children will not be paralyzed and that God will continue to make provision for us in all ramifications so as to be able to train our children to enviable heights in life

30. Let us pray that the word of God will easily penetrate into the hearts of our members, that God should bring the lost back into the fold and restore the backsliding, Let us pray that the spirit of quarrel, immoralities, unfaithfulness, infirmities, disagreement, misunderstanding, and intolerance may lose their grips upon all Christian homes and that Christ may be eternally enthroned.

31. Let us pray for all our children that every unknown curses working against them shall be destroyed by the blood of Jesus Christ. Decree and set your children free from every negative things inherited form the family. Pray for the fulfillment of God’s covenant and promises over them.