

DIOCESE OF ABA NGWA NORTH
(Anglican Communion)
Diocesan Engagement for October - December, 2022.

***“The Blood of Jesus Christ alone
Heals Sin, And His Stripes Heal
Sicknesses”. †N.C.O. Kanu***

OCTOBER

- Sat 1st ***Independence Day***
- Diocesan Women One Day Prayer for the Synod at St. Philips Church Abayi, Ngwa. High School. Time 9:00am
 - Provincial Training/FCS workshop at The Diocese of Isuikwuato /Umunnaochi
 - MU & WG study at the Cathedral by 8:00am
 - Diocesan EFAC prayer secretary @ Ngwa High School by 8:30pm
- Sun 2nd **Trinity XVI.** Pre Synod Sunday Theme: *Loving Without Boundaries*
- Mon 3rd –Tue 4th Prayer: Leadership Training/Retreat for National officers, Provincial/Diocesan prayer coordinators at Enugu (5 Delegates, at 15,000 each)
- Tue 4th Diocesan Synod Retreat at St. Clements Mbutu Umuojima
- Wed 5th Special Prayers for the Synod in all the Churches
- Diocesan EFAC joint Tarry night @ Ngwa High School by 9pm
- Thur. 6th–Sun 9th **DIOCESAN SYNOD. Theme: “Your Labours Shall be In Vain” (John 21:3) Venue: St. Clements Mbutu, UmuojimaOgbu.**
- Sat 8th Diocesan ACM prayer retreat and evangelism at St. Andrew’s Umuikaa-Umueze Time 9:00am
- Tue 11th CCN General Meeting at P.C.N. Time 10:00am
- Fri 14th Diocesan Prayer Squad Vigil at Bishop Afonya memorial, Ariaria
- Sat 15th MU/WG candidates study at the Cathedral. Time: 8:00am
- Dedication of Cathedral Water Project. Time 4pm
- Diocese of Aba Golden Jubilee
- Sun 16th–Fri 21st Withdrawal
- Sun 16th **Trinity XVIII: Theme: Faith At Work**
- Diocesan EFAC joint Fellowship at Ngwa High School. Time 3pm
- Tue 18th St. Luke the Evangelist
- Sat 22nd MU/WG candidates study at the Cathedral. Time: 8:00am
- Diocese of Isiala Ngwa Synod
 - Diocese of Ukwa Women Conference
- Sun 23rd **Trinity XIX: Theme: Walking The Talk**
- Tue 25th Clergy & Wives Workshop.
- Sat 29th Church of Nigeria women celebration at the Cathedral. Time 10:00am
- Diocesan School of Ministry Convocation. Time 11:00am

Sun 30th ➤ Diocesan EFAC leadership meeting at Ngwa High School by 8 am
Trinity XX: Theme: Believing Is Seeing
 Support in all Churches for DIVCON

NOVEMBER

Tue 1st All Saints Day
 Wed 2nd Diocesan EFAC joint Tarry night at Ngwa High School. Time 9pm
 ➤ All Souls Day
 Fri 4th Diocesan Prayer Squad Vigil at Christ Church, ibibi Okpualaby.
 Time 9:pm
 ➤ Burial of Lady Akubure Uzoije at St. Luke’s Amavo, Aba Diocese.
 Sat. 5th MU/WG candidates study at the Cathedral. Time: 8:00am
 ➤ Provincial harvest at the Diocese of Arochukwu Ohafia
 ➤ Weep No More, visit by action and outreach
 ➤ Diocesan EFAC prayer secretary@ Ngwa High School by 8 30 am
 Sun 6th **Trinity XXI: Theme: Making The Most of Our Opportunities.**
 Mon 7th –Fri 11th DIVCON Abuja
 Sat. 12th Diocesan Lay Readers evangelism at the Church of Holy Trinity.
 Time 10am
 ➤ ACM Teachers general meeting at Christ Church World bank.
 Time 10:00am
 Sun 13th **Trinity XXII: Theme: Continuing In Fellowship In And Out Of Season**
 Diocesan Workers Sunday; support for workers welfare be made in all Churches.
 Mon 14th Bible Society of Nigeria Fellowship at St. Paul’s Church Umuocham.
 Thur. 17th Diocesan Staff Meeting at the Cathedral. Time 10:00am
 Fri 18th Burial of Mama Cecelia E. Nwachukwu at the Cathedral. Time 11am
 Sat 19th Clergy Wives Association meeting at the Cathedral. Time 9:00am
 Sun 20th **Sunday Before Advent: Theme: The coming Great and Terrible Day.**
 Diocesan EFAC joint Fellowship@ St James Abayi Ogbuligba by 3pm
 Mon 21st Chideha Kanu’s Birthday
 Wed 23rd Burial of Mama Evelyn Onyebuenyi at St. Stephen’s church Umuobasi Amavo. Time 11am
 Thur. 24th Burrial of Rev. Augustine Alozie at Diocese of Isialangwa South
 Fri 25th Diocesan Clergy Association at St. James, Abayi Ogbuligba Parish. Time 10:00am

- Sat 26th **Eve of Advent**
- Diocesan Council of Knights Exco meeting at the Cathedral. Time 3:00pm
 - Diocesan Widows' Conference at the Cathedral. Time 10:00am
 - Lay Readers Executive Meeting at St. Paul's Church, Umoucham. Time 3pm
 - Arms Prayer Coordinators Retreat Meeting at St. Thomas Umuakpara.
- Sun 27th **ADVENT SUNDAY: Church of Nigeria Advent Sunday Collection in all stations**
- Confirmation at All Saints Cathedral, Abayi Umuocham. Time 8:30am
- Mon 28th Diocesan Prayer Squad leaders' forum at St. Thomas Umuakpara. Time 10:00am
- Provincial Unit Heads Meeting for Budget & Proposal 2023
 - Provincial Official Meeting for presentation of 2023 proposal
- Tue 29th Clergy and Wives Workshop at the Cathedral. Time 10:00am

DECEMBER

- Thur. 1st – Sun 4th Diocesan EFAC Outreach/ Retreat at Holy Innocent Asa Amator
- Fri 2nd Diocesan Prayer Squad Vigil at St. Mathew Umuagbai.
- Diocesan Youth Ministry Praise Night at St. Gabriel's Church Umuode by 9pm.
- Sat 3rd Diocesan Women Executives Meeting at the Cathedral. Time 10:00am
- Diocesan Council of Knights Quarterly Meeting/Carol of 9 lessons at St. Silas Church Ayaba Umueze. Time 10am
 - Diocesan ACM General Variety and End of Year Party at the Cathedral. Time 9:00am
- Sun 4th **ADVENT 1:** Confirmation at St. Augustine's Okpu Umuobo. Time 9:00
- Mon 5th Diocesan Marriage Summit at the Cathedral. Time 10:00 am
- Thur 8th Diocesan Workers Association at St. Georges Aroamano Archdeaconry. Time 10:00am
- Wed 7th – Fri 9th Diocesan National Youth Evangelical Campaign at Umuoyoro Ngwa
- Fri 9th Diocesan Women Tarry Night at the Cathedral. Time 10:00pm
- Sat 10th Diocesan Lay Readers General Meeting/Get Together at St. Paul's Church Umuocham. Time 10am
- Diocesan Youth Ministry Election/ AGM at St. Stephens Umuobasi Amavo. Time 10am.
- Sun 11th **ADVENT 2:** Confirmation at St. Martins Akpaa 1 9:00am
- Diocesan EFAC Joint Fellowship at Ngwa High School. Time 3:00pm

Mon 12 th	Diocesan Prayer Squad Leaders' Forum at St. Barnabas Ayaba-Umueze. Time 10:am
Tue 13 th	CCN General Meeting at P.C.N. Time 10:00am
Wed 14 th	Diocesan Mid-week Prayer and Fasting at St. Philip's Ngwa high School. Time 10.am
Thur 15 th	Diocesan Clerks Association Meeting at T.A.C.P Abayi, Time
Fri 16 th	Burial of Eze Ngwaziem at St. Thomas' Umuakpara. Time 11am
Sat 17 th	Diocesan Women Carol with Nine Lessons at St. Silas Ayaba Umueze ➤ DPS get together 2022 by 2:00pm
Sat 17 th - Sun 18 th	Church of Nigeria 180 th Anniversary and consecration of Bishops at the Cathedral of St. Thomas, Badagry, Lagos.
Sun 18 th	ADVENT 3: Confirmation at Holy Innocent, Asa Amator. Time 9:00am
Mon 19 th	Anglican Church Workers Children Party at the Cathedral. Time 9:00am ➤ Diocesan Church Teachers & Catechist Association at St. Stephen's UmuObasi Amavo Archdeaconry. Time 10:00am
Wed 21 st	Burial of Mamu at Amapu ife. Time 10am
Sun 25 th	CHRISTMAS DAY:
Wed 28 th	Burial of Sir Ben Nwankpa at St. Peter's Mboko Okpulu
Thur 29 th	Burial of Ven. I.C. Ikpeze at St. Andrew's Urata Umuoha, Isiala Ngwa Diocese
Fri 30 th	Diocesan Board, Finance and Appointment Boards Meeting at the Cathedral. Time 10:00am

JANUARY 2023, HIGHLIGHTS

Sun 1 st	CHRISTMAS 2. Theme Naming and Circumcision of Jesus Christ.
Sun.8 th	Epiphany 1: Christ the Anointed - one. The Baptism of Christ.
Mon 9 th – Fri 13 th	Episcopal Retreat at Iburu Ecumenical Centre Agbarah-Otor, Delta State.

**“God expects but one thing of you, and that is that you should come out of yourself in so far as you are a created being made and let God be God in you.”
(Johannes Eckhart)**