

Chief Simeon Adekunle Akinlonu FCCA FCA, FCTI



**TRIBUTE TO MY FRIEND**

It is with heavy heart that I write this tribute to my beloved brother, friend and Chaplain, Reverend Olaseinde Akinrodoye, a true child of God and a General in the Lord's army. Reverend was an amiable man of God whose exemplary life was a challenge to so many. Unlike many others, I had the unique privilege of knowing him not just as my Chaplain, but as my childhood friend. I recall with fond memories our time together as pupils at St. Stephen's Primary School, Oke Aluko, Ondo. It was my singular privilege to be the bestman at his wedding to Remi as far back as 1970.

You were such a wonderful friend to me. Your sincerity of heart in all our years of friendship is a rare quality which I will sorely miss. Your willingness to make sacrifices for others, including me, was nothing but exemplary. It is true that life is not measured by its duration but by its donation. Your life truly exemplified this dictum. Yours was a life of purpose dedicated to the service of humanity.

I take solace in the fact that your departure is merely a transition to the glory that lies beyond the grave. I am privileged to have met you while you were on this side of the great divide. Live on, Reverend Olaseinde Akinrodoye!

  
CHIEF SIMEON ADEKUNLE AKINLONU

# CHRIST LOVERS' CIRCLE

## SAINT STEPHEN'S CATHEDRAL CHURCH

OKE - ALUKO ONDO

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Our Ref.....



Date JANUARY 15, 2018.....

Your Ref.....

*MOTTO: WITH GOD ALL THING ARE POSSIBLE LK 1:37*

### CONDOLENCE MESSAGE

The entire members of Christ Lovers' Circle received with shock, sadness and unbelief the news of the death of the society's president and pioneer chaplain, the Reverend Olasehinde Akinrodoye whose demise was announced on Wednesday 13th of December, 2017.

The demise of the Reverend Akinrodoye will no doubt create a big vacuum, which will be very difficult to fill in the society and the church considering his socio-economic and religious contributions to the growth and development of the society and the church.

We cannot forget so soon the various positive innovations he introduced to the society which culminated into the reformation of the society spiritually and also accountable management of financial resources.

The society will continue to remember him for his humility, love and kindness to all, particularly the down trodden, indisposed and the poor. His annual birthday celebrations and his gifts to the physically challenged are testimonies of his philanthropic life. The church shall not forget in haste his important roles as co-ordinator of Lagos Harvest.

We thank God for a life well spent by him in God's vine yard and his contributions to humanity and the church. May Almighty God grant his soul eternal rest. Amen

Adieu Chief Priest and True Churchman.

Mr. R.A. Akinmurele  
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18<sup>th</sup> January, 2018.

*The Akinrodoye Family,*

Our Dear Family,

**LETTER OF COMMISERATION**

We received the news of the home call of our former Church Warden, *Rev. Olaseinde Akinrodoye* with surprise and also with gratitude to God for a good Christian life and fulfilled Ministry.

Though, we are laden with heavy heart, as we join the family in mourning the great loss, we give glory to God for a good Christian life and fulfilled Ministry. We are therefore comforted by taking solace in the belief that he has gone to rest in the bosom of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ.

May the Almighty God, give you the fortitude to bear the loss and may his soul rest in peace and rise in glory in Jesus name. Amen.

May God continue to be with you and keep you.

Yours In His Service,

**TUNJI AKINWANDE**  
Parish Council Secretary

  
**VEN. C. E. O. AKINGBESOTE**  
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The Head and Members  
Reverend Olaseinde Akinrodoye Family  
Ondo City  
Ondo State

Dear Sirs/Mas,

## CONDOLENCES ON TRANSITION OF OUR BELOVED REVEREND OLASEINDE AKINRODOYE

On behalf of the Lagos Zonal Harvest Sub-Committee, St. Stephen's Cathedral Church, Ondo and on our own behalf, we write to express our heartfelt sympathy and condolences on the recent demise and call to glory of your patriarch and our beloved Reverend Olaseinde Akinrodoye.

We received the news of his demise with shock; Reverend Akinrodoye was a father to many in and outside the Church of Nigeria, Anglican Communion. His devotion to God and passion to serve the will of God in his generation was very infectious. We are all living testimonies to the impact of his life and ministry. While we are all saddened by his demise, we take solace in the fact that God's word assures us that "blessed are the dead which die in the Lord from henceforth...that they may rest from their labours; and their works follow them". (Revelation 14:13)

We are sure this must be a very difficult time for your family. While there are no words to soothen your pains, please know that our thoughts and our prayers are with you. May the God of all comfort (2 Cor. 1:3-4) comfort your hearts in this season and grant you fortitude to bear this irreparable loss.

Yours in His Service,  
LAGOS ZONAL HARVEST SUB-COMMITTEE,  
ST. STEPHEN'S CATHEDRAL CHURCH  
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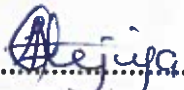
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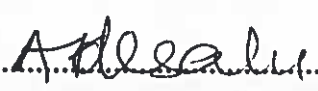
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