

2nd October, 2025

To our Dear Friends,

RENOVATION OF THE CATHEDRAL CHURCH

Greetings in the name of our Lord Jesus Christ.

I write this passionate appeal to you on behalf of our church community at **St. Mary Catholic Cathedral, Oke Padre, Ibadan, Oyo State, Nigeria.**

I resumed office as the Cathedral Administrator on **Tuesday, 29th February, 2024**, with a mandate to give the Cathedral a significant face lift to birth its real character. With support from some friends, we have done so much at the Rectory, the adjunct building and the offices.

Now, we desire to resume work inside and around the church building so that the Cathedral may assume its proper identity. Hence, we solicit your support.

We thank you for your generosity in the past, and **we equally promise to use your donation for the exact purpose it was given.** Be assured of our daily prayers for your family, as we entrust you to the care and protection of the Holy Spirit.

PROPOSED COST OF THE PROJECT					in Naira	
1.	Carpentry	4,907, 000.00	6.	CHANDELIER (2 LARGE) & (13 SMALL)	1,975,000.00	
	Materials	4,107, 000.00	7.	STUCCO PILLAR WORKS (24)	7,360,000.00	
	Labour	800, 000.00	8.	LIFE SIZE SACRED PICTURES (12) & MATERIALS FOR DEDICATION FITTINGS	3,180,000.00	
2.	Painting	7,986,000.00	9.	VESSELS	4,760,000.00	
	Materials	7,136, 000.00	10.	VESTMENT	4,928,000.00	
	Labour	850, 000.00	11.	ALTAR ART WORKS	4,453,000.00	
3.	Electrical Installations	4,197, 500.00	12.	EXPANDED POLYSTERENE CEILING	10,897,000.00	
	Materials	3,397, 500.00	13.	CONCRETE STAMPED FLOOR AROUND CHURCH BUILDING, RECTORY & CHAPEL OF PERPETUAL ADORATION (865spm @ 10,500sqm	20,975,000.00	
	Labour	800, 000.00				
4.	Closed-Circuit TV (24 Channel s	1,290, 000.00	14.	SIDE ENTRANCE GAZEBOS (2)	2,640,000.00	
	Materials	1,170, 000.00	15.	TELEVISION SCREENS FOR PROJECTION (70 inch, 5)	5,250, 000.00 935,000.00 a piece	
	Labour	120, 000.00				
5.	Public Address System	18,480,000.00	16.	OTHER WORKS (PROVISIONAL) (Materials and Labour)	2,400,000.00	
	JBL Acoustic Auditorium speakers (4 pairs)	10,800,000.00				
	Sound Prince Speakers (3 pairs)	3,980,000.00	17.	CLEANING AND DECOMMISSIONING	800,000.00	
	Amplifier (2)	2,300,000.00		Removal of Scaffold and Other Site Materials	550,000.00	
	Microphones (4)	1,400,000.00		Cleaning	250,000.00	
TOTAL COST OF PROJECT -----N106,478,500.00						
Parish Account: St. Mary Cathedral, Oke Padre, Ibadan - Union Bank, 0004740299						

The Lord who sees all that is done in secret will reward you. Amen.

SIGNED:

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