

RESOLUTION FOR THE YOUTH YEAR AUGUST 2026 TO AUGUST 2027

We the Youth of OLA Cathedral Parish after our Annual General Council Meeting (AGCM) organized on 8th August 2026 at the Maryam Center under the theme “Towards Justice and Peace in Ghana; Embracing Synodality ahead of the West African Youth Days” have resolved to;

1. Actively participate in the life and mission of the Church and society in the spirit of synodality. That is; Communion, Participation & Mission.
2. promote peace and reconciliation in our families, parish, institutions and communities.
3. Carry the values of justice, peace and synodality into every space in which we find ourselves and in anticipation of the West African Youth Days.
4. Visit catechumens as a form of membership drive for all base groups in the parish.
5. Intensify social programmes especially every 2nd and last Saturday of the month to bring together the youth to journey in synodality through listening and participation.

Restoration and maintenance of the exploited creation of God

- ♦ Planting of trees at river banks and around our homes.
- ♦ Chiefs at mining areas to ensure ‘galamsey’ free in their territories.
- ♦ Ensuring of clean environment around us
 - a. cleaning of gutters
 - b. stop littering the environment with polyten rubbers and all filth.
 - c. ensuring that the Cathedral is clean both inside and out
 - d. putting all rubbish into the dust bins provided in the Parish.
 - e. ‘Sama Sama’ services needed back at our communities.
 - f. the Cathedral Administrator will make visits to homes of Parishioners to ascertain how they are doing in their homes.

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MASS

MASS AT CHANGLI CHAPEL: 6:15AM THURSDAYS : ADORATION @ 5:00PM MASS @ 6:00PM

SUNDAY	TIME
FIRST MASS	6:30AM— 8:45AM
SECOND MASS	9:00AM— 10:45AM
THIRD MASS	10:45AM—
FOURTH MASS	5:30PM—
CONFESSIONS	7:00AM—8:00AM every Friday or by appointment

TODAY	SUNDAY	August	30	2026
1st Reading	-Jer 20:7-9/ Ps.62:2-6,8-9			
2nd Reading	-Rom 12:1-2			
Gospel Reading	- Mt. 16:21-27			
NEXT	SUNDAY	SEPTEMBER	06	2026
1st Reading	-Ez 33:7-9/ Ps.94:1-2,6-9			
2nd Reading	-Rom 13:8-10			
Gospel Reading	- Mt. 18:15-20			

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ANNOUNCEMENTS ON SUNDAY 30TH AUGUST, 2026

GENERAL PARISH ACTIVITIES

1. Those celebrating birthdays and anniversaries, please come forward for a blessing.
2. Today's second collection is in support of the Laity Week Celebration. Next Sunday second collection will be in support of Priests Welfare.
3. Invite our Parish Laity Council close the week.
4. COSRA will lead the Adoration this Thursday and the singing at the Mass from 5:00pm.
5. The Finance Committee will present the audited financial report from January to June 2026 next Sunday 6th September.
6. They have started forming the Stations of the Cross at the Grotto and so we don't want children around the place because they could push or destroy it.
7. St. Paul Frafra Community have pledged for a Station of the Cross.
8. Leadership expresses with sincere gratitude to an anonymous Parishioner for donating GHC15,000.00 for a Station. May God bless her and her family.
9. **LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS**

First collections	GHC7,269.10
Second collections (Cardinal Dery Beatification)	GHC5,219.50
Sunday Children Liturgy	GHC382.00
Church Dues	GHC1,002.00
Tithes	GHC1,920.00
Thursday Adoration & Mass	GHC409.70
Wedding main col.	GHC976.00
Harvest inflow	GHC14,830.00
10. Most sincere gratitude for your generous contributions. You can pay your Church Dues or Tithes at the Summer hut after the Mass, or the Finance Office during the week days.
11. **CLEANING THE CHURCH**

We are grateful to all the Ethnic groups and Societies for turning out massively at the cleaning of the entire Parish yesterday in line with the Laity Week Celebration, and to all those who performed various roles in church today. WADIOCAS will spearhead the cleaning this Saturday as part of the weeklong activities.

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Couples who have registered for the Mass Wedding in October will continue with their Counseling session after the first Mass at Meeting Hall 3
2. This Tuesday is the commemoration of the care of God's creation and so there will be no morning Mass. All Parishioners are to turnout for us to celebrate in the evening at 6:00pm. This is a directive from the Ghana Catholic Bishops' Conference.
3. Justice and Peace Commission will hold a meeting this Wednesday at 5:00pm prompt under the summer hat
4. The Tamale Archdiocese will be celebrating the Centenary celebration of World Mission Sunday this Saturday 5th September here at the Cathedral on the theme "One in Christ, United in Mission.
5. There will be infants' Baptism on the 5th of September. Interested parents who are also Parishioners can register with the Catechist.
6. Job Vacancy at Alpha-Banas, a preschool at Naa Luro Estate for the position of a Kindergarten Teacher.
7. **PUBLICATION OF MARRIAGE BANNS**

For the third time, we publish the Marriage Banns of Mr. Ernest Baba Anas and Miss Gladys Apuko. They are our Parishioners. Mr. Ernest is a Catechumen for R.C.I.A. Any known impediment to this intended marriage should be reported to the Cathedral Administrator immediately.
8. **FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

We announce formally the demise of the following Parishioners

 - a. Sir Richard Maari Nayasama
 - b. Mr. Paul Kingsley Agbeka and
 - c. Madam Victoria Mensah Henkel.

Funeral details to all the above will be duly communicated.

NB. Invite the Youth Chaplain to introduce the new P.Y.C. executives.

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