UNMEN yesterday killed one policeman at a checkpoint in An-

Two others were injured in the attack, while a security van was set ablaze.

Local sources said three policemen were gunned down by the assailants.

In Kogi, one worshipper was killed, two abducted from a church.

The Nation gathered that the Anambra attack happened around 9am on Ukaegbu-Ezeiweka Road in Onitsha, the state's commercial city.

Police spokesman Ikenga Tochukwu confirmed the at-

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tack, saying a policeman and two others died in the attack.

"The command has mobilised more men to some of the flashpoints and they are on the trail of those hoodlums, he said.

The Kogi church attack happened in the Okedayo area of Kabba as worship was underway.

Police spokesman William Aya said operatives would apprehend and prosecute the perpetrators.

Mr Kayode Akanbi, a worshipper who was present when the gunmen came, said, "I was interpreting the pastor's message when the gunmen entered from the main entrance and

raised their guns. They shot rapidly and everybody started scampering for safety."

According to him, two of the oldest members were abducted and taken away by the gunmen.

He said also that the gunmen killed a 45-year-old worshipper, adding that the spouse of one of the two abducted worshippers and another male worshipper sustained gunshot injuries.

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