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1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT, YEAR A
"Awaiting His coming! Waiting for fulfillment"

Weekly Bulletin

Year 21, No. 37

27TH NOVEMBER, 2016

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CHRIST THE KING CHURCH THEME FOR THE YEAR

"MERCIFUL LIKE THE FATHER"

OFFICE HOURS

Weekdays

8:00am-5:00pm

Saturdays

8:00am-12:00pm

Sundays

8:00am-2:00pm

MASS SCHEDULE

CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH

SUNDAYS

6:30am, 8:00am, 10:30am, 6:00pm

Youth Mass : 8.00am

WEEKDAY SCHEDULE

Daily: 6.30am & 12:15pm; Tues: 6.30pm

HOLY HOUR & MASS

Thursday preceding the 1st Friday
& 1st Friday 6.00pm

DIVINE MERCY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday: 7:00am

Daily Mass: Mon - Sat : 6.30am

ADORATION/EXPOSITION:

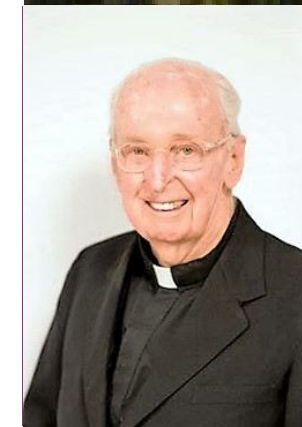
Every 1st Sunday of the month - 5.45pm - 7.15pm

Every 3rd Fridays of the month
(Half-Night) - 7.30pm - 10.00pm



Hope

1st Sunday of Advent



REQUIEM MASS FOR
LATE REV. FR. CHARLES SCHNEIDER, SVD
WED. 30TH NOVEMBER, 2016 CTK AT 6.30PM

1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT, YEAR A

COMMENTARY ON READINGS

First Reading: The prophet foretells that through Jerusalem will come true love and the fulfillment of the everlasting justice and peace of God's Kingdom. (Isaiah 2:1-5)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps 122)

"Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord."

I rejoiced because they said to me,
"We will go up to the house of the LORD."
And now we have set foot
within your gates, O Jerusalem. **Res**

Jerusalem, built as a city
with compact unity.
To it the tribes go up,
the tribes of the LORD. **Res**

According to the decree for Israel,
to give thanks to the name of the LORD.
In it are set up judgment seats,
seats for the house of David. **Res**

Pray for the peace of Jerusalem!
May those who love you prosper!
May peace be within your walls,
prosperity in your buildings. **Res**

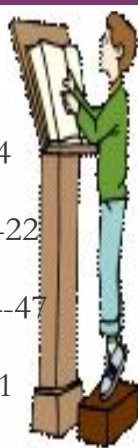
Because of my brothers and friends
I will say, "Peace be within you!"
Because of the house of the LORD, our God,
I will pray for your good. **Res**

Second Reading: St. Paul reminds us that our salvation is near as each day brings us closer to our encounter with the Lord Jesus. Christians should live decent lives, turn away from the darkness of evil and walk in the light of Christ. (Romans 13:11-14)

Gospel: Unlike the days of Noah, when many paid no heed to the coming of the Flood, today Christians must remain on guard because the Lord will come at an hour we do not expect. (Matthew 24:37-44)

MEMORIALS AND READINGS 1ST WEEK OF ADVENT, YEAR A

Monday	Bld. Maria Stollenwerk Is 4:2-6/Ps 122/Mt 8:5-11
Tuesday	St. Hubert Is 11:1-10/Ps 72/Lk 10:21-24
Wednesday	St. Andrew, Apostle Rom 10:9-18/Ps 19/Mt 4:18-22
Thursday	St. Eligius Is 26:1-6/Ps 118/Mt 7:21. 24-47
Friday	St. Bibiana Is 29:17-24/Ps 27/Mt 9:27-31
Saturday	St. Francis Xavier Is 30:19-21. 23-26/Ps 147/ Lk 9:35-10. 1. 5a. 6-8



NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

2ND SUNDAY OF ADVENT, YEAR A
Is 11:1-10/Ps 72/Rom 15:4-9/Mt 3:1-12

ROSTER FOR BIDDING PRAYERS

November 20 Selected Societies
27 St. Vincent de Paul Society

SECOND COLLECTIONS

November 20 Men vs Women
27 Poor & Needy

MARRIAGE CORNER

PUBLICATION OF MARRIAGE BANNES

1. Roland Nii Ofei Ribeiro & Ewoenam Bertha Anku (3)
2. Seth Dzakpasu & Emelia Sitsofe Antonio (2)
3. Abraham Nyuah & Sophia Nkrumah (2)

MARRIAGE COUNSELLING REGISTRATION

Registration for the next session of the Marriage Counselling (January - June 2017) has begun. Interested Parishioners should register at the Parish Office.

TUESDAY TEACHING CORNER

Are you struggling with any form of addiction and need help?
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addictions of various forms".

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Tuesday, 29th November, 2016 at 6.30pm

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS - CTK

Tues. 29th November, 2016

- Novena to the Immaculate Conception

Wed. 30th November, 2016

- Requiem Mass for Late Rev. Fr. Charles Schneider, SVD
@ CTK at 6.30pm

Thurs. 8th December, 2016

- Feast of Immaculate Conception
Mass @ 6.30am, 12:15pm & 6.00pm at Grotto

Sat. 10th December, 2016

- 1st Vespers of 3rd Sunday of Advent @ 6pm
Songs to be led by CTK Choir

Fri. 16th December, 2016

- Christmas Novena begins
- Lepers Concert @ Parish Hall @ 6pm

Sat 17th December, 2016

- 1st Vespers of 4th Sunday of Advent @ 6pm
Songs to be led by Marian Choir

Sun. 18th December, 2016

- Christmas Party for Lepers @ 12noon at the Parish Hall

Tuesday 20th December, 2016

- 46th Anniversary of ordination of Fr. Campbell

Wed. 21st December, 2016

- Family Carol Night @ 6.00pm at the Main Church

Sat. 24th December, 2016

- Nine Lessons & Carols @ 6.30pm
- Holy Mass @ 7.30pm

Sun 25th December, 2016

- Christmas Mass (Normal Sunday Schedule)

Thur. 29th December, 2016

- Holy Hour for all Married Couples @ 6.30pm

Fri. 30th December, 2016

- Feast of Holy Family @ 6.30am, 12:15pm & 6.30 pm
- Renewal of Marriage Vows for all couples at all Masses

Sat. 31st December, 2016

- Holy Hour for Peace @ 9-10pm
- Holy Mass @ 10pm

MEETINGS

MEETINGS TODAY AFTER 8.00AM MASS

- *Christian Mothers' Association
- *Yefri Tete Kroye Kuo, at COCOBOD Club House
- *Vitus Dery Education Fund Committee at Fr. Campbell's Office.
- *All Catechists, at Fr. Campbell's office after the 10.30am Mass.

AREA GROUP MEETINGS TODAY

- *Kanda, 37, Flagstaff House, 441, Ruga Area Group, at Mrs. Quachey's residence at 4.00pm.
- *East Legon, Haatso, Madina, Adenta Area Group, at the Dadsons at 4.30pm prompt. Fr. Ohene will lead a discussion on "INDULGENCE". Kindly come in your numbers. Call 0275760417 for further info or direction.
- *Spintex Bible Sharing Group, at No. 12 Regina Crescent, Golden Gate, Regimmanuel Estate at 4.00pm.

MEETINGS DURING THE WEEK

St. Vincent de Paul Society, on Monday, 28th November, 2016 at 6.30pm.

*PPC Executives, on Tuesday, 29th November, 2015.

MEETINGS NEXT SUNDAY, 3RD DECEMBER, 2016

- *Sacred Heart Confraternity
- *Tarsicians
- *PYC.

FATHER OF THE YEAR 2016 PROJECT

We continue with our passionate appeal to parishioners to enthrone the Sacred Heart of Jesus in their homes and to also join the apostleship of the Sacred Heart through membership of the Sacred Heart Confraternity. Parishioners are nevertheless reminded that all Catholics are devotees of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and must therefore endeavour to attend the First Friday and the Thursday preceding the First Friday Holy Hour Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.

The Catholic Men Association (CMA) is the preserve of adult male parishioners. Participation in CMA activities through registered membership is therefore encouraged and anticipated.

SCHEDULE OF VISITS IN NOVEMBER

SOCIETY	DATE	TIME
St. Cecilia Choir	27/11/16	8.00am
Marian Choir	30/11/12	7.30pm
Catholic Charismatic Renewal	7/12/16	7.30pm
KSI	10/12/16	8.00am
Youth Ushers/Youth Lectors	11/12/13	10.30am

Similar visits will be paid to other societies in the coming months.

HOLY HOUR AND GROTTO DEVOTIONS

Thu. 1st Dec. 2016 - Mass @ 6.00pm followed by Holy Hour
Fri. 2nd Nov. 2016 - Mass @ 6.00pm followed by Holy Hour
Sat. 3rd Nov. 2016 - Grotto Mass @ 4.00pm

DIVINE MERCY CHURCH

ROSTER FOR BIDDING PRAYERS & OFFERTORY

November 27 Christian Mothers
December 04 Sacred Heart Conf.

SECOND COLLECTIONS

November 27 Poor & Needy
December 04 Thanksgiving



CREDIT UNION CORNER

Credit Union Members should note the following important information:

- The Credit Union now opens throughout the week from 8.30am to 4.30pm. The Office is however closed on Saturdays and Public Holidays. On Sundays, the Office is open from 10.00am to 3.00pm.

- The Credit Union will hold its Annual General Meeting today, 27th November, 2016, at the St. Anthony's Room of the Parish Hall at 10.00am. Members are encouraged to be present and on time for this important meeting.

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VACANCY!! VACANCY!! VACANCY!!

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CASU MEETINGS

A. All students of Christ the King School who are Parishioners will meet with the Executives of CASU today, 27th November, 2016 after the 8.00am Mass in the Hall.

B. CASU General Meeting comes off next Sunday, 4th December, 2016 after the 8.00am Mass at the Parish Hall.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENT

The death has been reported of Mad. Lucy Abra Dzoboku. Funeral arrangements are as follows:

Saturday, 3rd December, 2016 - Burial Mass at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Shia, at 9.00am. This will be followed by interment at the public cemetery.

Sunday, 4th December, 2016 - Thanksgiving Mass at Immaculate Heart of Mary Catholic Church, Shia, at 9.00am.

MEMORIAL SERVICE

The 1st death Anniversary of the late Madam Johana Aba Neizer comes of on 4th December, 2016