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<p><b>OFFICE HOURS</b></p> <p><u>Weekdays</u> 8:00am-5.00pm</p> <p><u>Saturdays</u> 8:00am-12:00pm</p> <p><u>Sundays</u> 8:00am-2.00pm</p>	<p><b>MASS SCHEDULE</b></p> <p><b>CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> SUNDAYS 6:30am, 8:00am, 10:30am, 6:00pm Youth Mass : 8.00am</p> <p><u>WEEKDAY SCHEDULE</u> Daily: 6.30am &amp; 12:15pm; Tues: 6.30pm</p> <p><u>HOLY HOUR &amp; MASS</u> Thursday preceding the 1st Friday &amp; 1st Friday 6.00pm</p>	<p><b>DIVINE MERCY CATHOLIC CHURCH</b> Sunday: 7:00am Daily Mass: Mon - Sat : 6.30am</p> <p><u>ADORATION/EXPOSITION:</u> Every 1st Sunday of the month - 5.45pm - 7.15pm Every 3rd Friday of the month (Half-Night) - 7.30pm - 10.00pm</p> <p><u>CONFESSION</u> Saturdays : After Morning Mass &amp; Evening : 5.00pm - 7.00pm</p>
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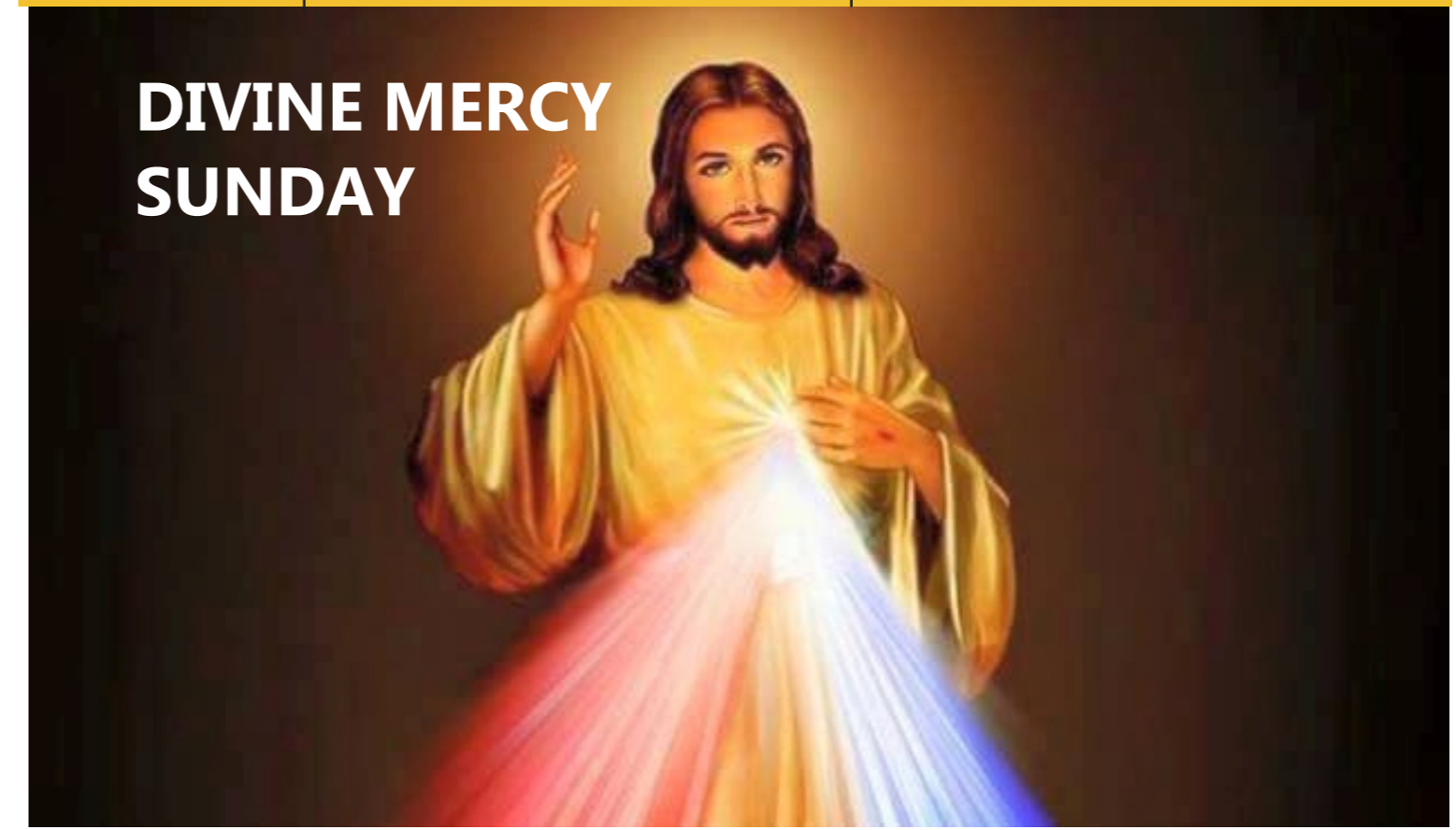
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## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

### PARISH YOUTH COUNCIL ELECTION

The Parish Youth Council will hold its election today after the 8.00am Mass at the Youth Room. All youth groups must be represented by three (3) members of their respective Executive Council.

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**MEDICAL OFFICER WANTED FOR EMPLOYMENT**  
A new Private Clinic in Oyibi is looking for a medical officer (preferably a Catholic) for a full time employment (8.00am - 6.00pm). The doctor should be between 26 - 35yrs living within the environs of Madina, Adenta and Dodowa. Interested Practioners should contact Medical Director for an interview. Call: 0208418440/0244693777

### JOIN THE BIBLE SHARING GROUP

JOIN THE BIBLE SHARING GROUP EVERY SUNDAY, AFTER THE 8.00AM MASS IN ST. PADRE PIO ROOM, UPSTAIRS IN THE ADORATION CHAPEL COMPLEX.

## 2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER, YEAR B

### COMMENTARY ON READINGS

**First Reading:** Members of the early Church were united, heart and soul. No one claimed private ownership of possessions; no one was in want; all shared what they owned for the good of all.

(Acts 4:32-35)

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps. 118)

“ Give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, his love is everlasting.”

Let the house of Israel say,  
"His mercy endures forever."

Let the house of Aaron say,  
"His mercy endures forever."

Let those who fear the LORD say,  
"His mercy endures forever." **Res.**

I was hard pressed and was falling,  
but the LORD helped me.  
My strength and my courage is the LORD,  
and he has been my savior.  
The joyful shout of victory  
in the tents of the just **Res**

The stone which the builders rejected  
has become the cornerstone.

By the LORD has this been done;  
it is wonderful in our eyes.

This is the day the LORD has made;  
let us be glad and rejoice in it.. **Res**

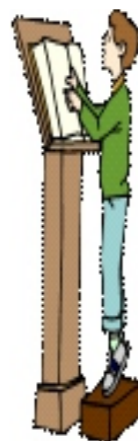
**Second Reading:** Faith in Jesus Christ makes us children of God through baptism. Our faith in Christ and obedience to His commandments enable us to overcome the world of evil.

(1 John 5:1-6)

**Gospel:** On Easter evening, Jesus gave power to His apostles to forgive sins. Thomas was not present and would not believe the resurrection when told. On seeing Jesus a week later, Thomas made his great confession of his faith in the Risen Lord. (John 20:19-31)

### WEEKDAY READINGS & MEMORIALS 2ND WEEK OF EASTER, YEAR B

- Monday** ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD  
Is 7:10-14;8-10/Ps 40/Heb 10:4-10/  
Lk 1:26-38
- Tuesday** St. Fulbert  
Acts 4:32-37/Ps 93/Jn 3:7b-15
- Wednesday** St. Stanislaus  
Acts 5:17-26/Ps 34/Jn 3:16-21
- Thursday** St. Gemma Galgani  
Acts 5:27-33/Ps 34/Jn 3:31-36
- Friday** St. Martin I  
Acts 5:34-42/Ps 27/Jn 6:1-15
- Saturday** Ss. Triburtius, Maximus & Valerian  
Acts 6:1-7/Ps 33/Jn 6:16-21



### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

### 3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER, YEAR B

Acts 3:13-15. 17-19/Ps 4/1 Jn 2:1-5a/Lk 24:35-48

## ROSTER FOR BIDDING PRAYERS/2ND COLLECTIONS

### BIDDING PRAYERS

April 08 Kassena Nankana  
15 St. Matthew Akan Society

### SECOND COLLECTIONS

April 08 125th Anniversary  
15 Men vs Women  
29 Poor and Needy

### MARRIAGE CORNER

#### PUBLICATION OF BANNES

- Emmanuel Nii Saki Sackey & Julia Wellens - Mensah (3)
- Lawrence Nyarko Aduama & Susanna Addotey (3)
- George Quartey & Margaret Anatsui (3)
- Wilmar Leiser & Lily Eseenam Eklou (3)
- Olamide Akorli & Valerie Dargbe (3)
- Leslie Yalley & Monica Broni Banaseh (3)
- Prince Albert Ofori & Peggy Coppar Ofori (2)
- Fui Tsikata & Roberta Ayesha Amadu (1)
- Samuel Addo - Abankwa & Paulina Griffin (1)

#### NOMINATION FOR MOTHER AND FATHER OF THE YEAR 2018 OPEN

All Societies/Groups are to nominate one person each to be Mother of the Year and Father of the Year 2018. Nomination deadlines are 30th April for Mother of the Year and 30th May for Father of the Year.

(Individuals not belonging to any society or group can submit their nominations at the Parish Office.)

#### CRITERIA FOR SELECTION

- Must be a practicing Catholic in good standing.
- Must be happily married or single with tangible reasons.
- Age must be 50 years and above.
- Must belong to at least one (1) society/group in this Parish.
- Must have good qualities of leadership skills that could mentor the youth.
- Must show outstanding commitment to the Catholic faith.
- His/Her activities in the Church must be known/exemplary.

### DIVINE PROVIDENCE SCHOOL OPENINGS

#### ADMISSION OPENED

Divine Providence School under the management of the HDR Sisters, situated at New Legon, Adenta, near Animal Research Institute. Interested parents or who wish to enroll their children for the next academic year are to pick forms and make the necessary arrangements from now to July, 2018 to secure admission. Qualification: Children between the ages of 2-9years,(Creche - Primary 4). Contact: 0207563043

#### TEACHER WANTED

An institution needs a qualified French teacher who has passion for children for immediate employment. Interested persons must live around Madina, Adenta and its environs. Contact: 0207563043 / 0246499111

#### A GARDENER AND SECURITY WANTED

A gardener and a security personnel is needed for immediate employment: applicant must live around Kanda, Cantonments, Dzorwulu, East Legon, Madina and environs. Please contact: 0246499111 or 0207563043

**“AN EVENING WITH  
THE KING”  
coming soon...**

## MEETINGS

### AFTER 8.00AM MASS

- \* Christian Mothers Association
- \*Catholic Men Association
- \* St. Michael Ewe Union - Executives
- \*Welfare Committee

### DURING THE WEEK

#### PPC MEETINGS

- \*DMC, on Monday, 9th April, 2018 at 6.00pm
- \*CTK, on Wednesday, 11th April, 2018 at 6.00pm

### NEXT SUNDAY, 15TH APRIL, 2018

#### \* YCWM

#### \* St. Michael Ewe Union - General

### 125TH ANNIVERSARY PRAYER OF THE CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF ACCRA

O Almighty and Eternal God, Divine Architect and Cornerstone of our Salvation, as we celebrate 125 years of the Catholic Mission in Accra, we give you thanks for the lives of all the early Missionaries, Priests and Lay faithful whose sacrifices have brought our Church this far.

We pray You to look with favour upon our Community of Faith, now the Catholic Archdiocese of Accra. Increase the gifts you have given to our Church so that we, your faithful People, Religious and Clergy, Women and Men, Youth and Children, may grow in holiness of life and be truly ardent disciples of Your Son, Our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

Inspire us anew with a greater outpouring of the Holy Spirit, and fill us with renewed zeal for the universal Church's New Evangelization mission here in our Archdiocese and beyond. May the Holy and Triune God be our Pillar of strength, our inspiration and our guide in the years ahead! Through Christ our Lord and Redeemer. Amen.

**Immaculate Heart of Mary, pray for us!**

**St. Peter Claver, pray for us!**

**St. Martin de Porres, pray for us!**

**All you Holy Martyrs of Uganda pray for us!**

**All you Angels and Saints of God, pray for us!**

## THE LEGAL CORNER

with THE SOCIAL BRIDGE

### WHAT IS AN INJUNCTION?

An injunction is an order of the court directing a person to refrain from doing a particular act or thing or less often to do some particular thing or act. For example, an order not to continue to remain on another person's land or to remove a structure from another's land.

### GOLDEN JUBILEE CELEBRATION - HDR

The Handmaids of the Divine Redeemer (HDR) invites parishioners to the celebration of the Golden Jubilee of

**Sr. Mary Francis Xavier Agbodzanu, HDR**

**Sr. Mary Charles Lwanga Seseny, HDR**

**Sr. Mary Brigid Akosua Agbenyo, HDR**

**Date:** Monday, 9th April, 2018 | **Time:** 9.30am.

**Venue:** Christ the King Church, Cantonments at

## DIVINE MERCY CHURCH

### ROSTER FOR BIDDING PRAYERS & OFFERTORY

April 08 Thursday Borns  
15 Charismatic Renewal  
22 St. Theresa of the Child Jesus



### April SECOND COLLECTIONS

08 125th Anniversary  
15 Day Borns  
29 Poor & Needy

### KEY HIGHLIGHTS OF CTK PPC EXECUTIVE MEETING HELD APRIL 3, 2018

- Parish Youth Council elections to take place after 8am mass on April 8, 2018.
- Parishioners are encouraged to come and support HDR sisters celebrating Golden Jubilee on April 9, 2018 at 9.30am.
- Vocations rally to take place from 12th to 14th April, 2018.
- Parishioners willing and able to host pilgrims for the World Youth Day programme from 27th to 31st July, 2018 are to submit completed forms to the parish not later than June 30, 2018.
- Nominations for Mother of the Year opens from Sunday April 8, 2018 to Monday April 30, 2018.
- Parish 72 hour Adoration takes place from 22nd April to 25th April, 2018.
- All groups and societies are to submit programmes for 2018 as soon as possible. Groups/societies failing to do so will not be eligible for Parish support.
- Groups and societies that have not submitted annual report for 2016 and 2017 should do so ASAP.
- All Heads of groups and societies that have not yet visited poor and needy institutions assigned in 2017 are to do so as soon as possible. The Parish office can be contacted for support to facilitate this charitable work.
- Parishioners are encouraged to pay their levy for the Holy Spirit Cathedral project.
- All Heads/Presidents of groups and societies to submit names of nominees to the following committees ASAP: Social, Welfare, Laity.
- Inauguration of Parish Vocation Club at 8.00am Mass on Sunday, 15th April, 2018.

### APPRECIATION

The Rector of the Common Formation Centre of the SVD and Editorial Team of the CFC FOCUS MAGAZINE wish to express profound gratitude to the Parish community for your support towards the promotion of their annual magazine.

### FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

The death has been announced of **Charles Bartels Kwesi Zwennes**, a parishioner. The burial and memorial Mass comes off on **Thursday, 12th April, 2018** at 7.30am. Interment will be at the Gethsemane Memorial Gardens followed by a reception at the International Conference Centre gardens.