

Weekly Bulletin

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21ST APRIL, 2019

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CHRIST THE KING CHURCH THEME FOR THE YEAR "THE FAMILY THAT PRAYS TOGETHER, STAYS TOGETHER"

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

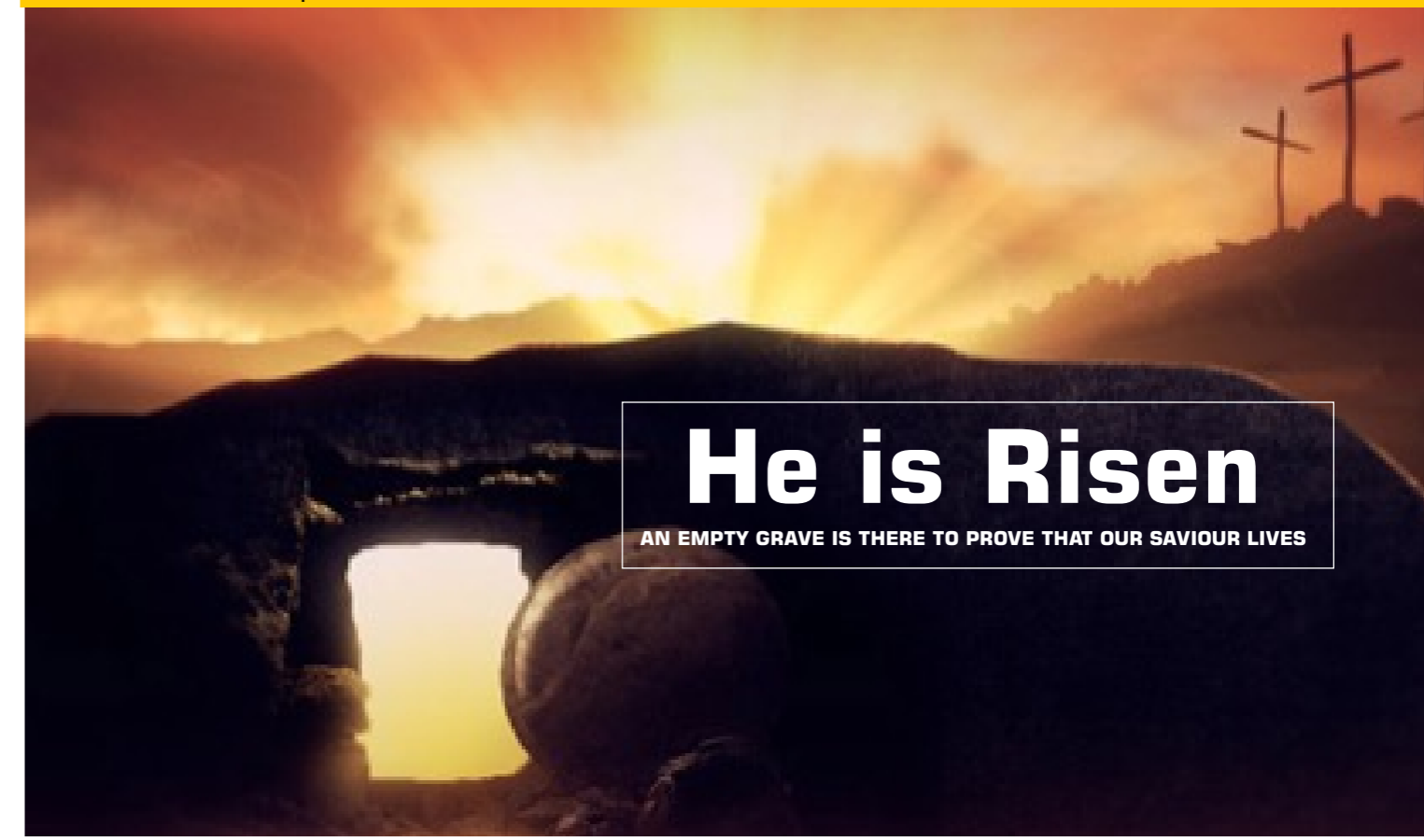
HOLY HOUR & MASS
Thursday preceding the 1st Friday
& 1st Friday 6:00pm

DIVINE MERCY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Sunday: 7:00am
Daily Mass: Mon - Sat : 6:30am

ADORATION / PRAYER SESSION / TEACHING:
* Every 1st Sunday of the month - 5:45pm - 7:15pm
* Every 3rd Friday of the month
(Mercy Seat) - 7:30pm - 10:00pm
* Every other Tuesday - 6.30pm - 7.30pm

CONFESSION
Saturdays : After Morning Mass



He is Risen

AN EMPTY GRAVE IS THERE TO PROVE THAT OUR SAVIOUR LIVES

EASTER MONDAY PICNIC

MONDAY, 22ND APRIL, 2019

Venue: Mary Mother of Good Counsel Church,
+ Morning Mass at CTK
+ Easter Monday Picnic Mass at the Venue

6.30am
10.00am

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EASTER SUNDAY, YEAR C

COMMENTARY ON READINGS

First Reading: Peter affirms that he was witness to the life, death and resurrection of the Lord Jesus whom God has appointed Judge over the living and the dead; that everyone who believes in Jesus will receive forgiveness of sins through His Holy Name. (Acts 10:37-43)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps. 22)

“My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?”

All who see me scoff at me;
they mock me with parted lips, they wag their heads:
"He relied on the LORD; let him deliver him,
let him rescue him, if he loves him." **Res.**

Indeed, many dogs surround me,
a pack of evildoers closes in upon me;
They have pierced my hands and my feet;
I can count all my bones. **Res.**

They divide my garments among them,
and for my vesture they cast lots.
But you, O LORD, be not far from me;
O my help, hasten to aid me. **Res.**

I will proclaim your name to my brethren;
in the midst of the assembly I will praise you:
"You who fear the LORD, praise him;
all you descendants of Jacob, give glory to him;
revere him, all you descendants of Israel!" **Res**

Second Reading: Through baptism, the Christian dies to his sinful and selfish self and is raised to new life which is hidden in Christ now, but will appear in its fullness in the life to come.. (Colossians 3:1-4)

Gospel: When Peter and John heard on Easter morning that Jesus' tomb was empty, they hurried to confirm the story. On seeing the empty tomb, they began to understand what the scriptures had foretold concerning the resurrection of Christ. (John 20:1-9)

WEEKDAY READINGS & MEMORIALS OCTAVE OF EASTER, YEAR C

Monday St. Soter
Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16/Mt 28:8-15

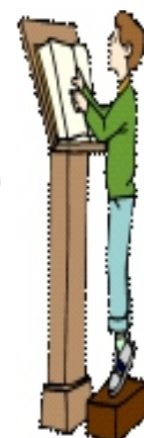
Tuesday St. George
Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33/Jn 20:11-18

Wednesday St. Fidelis
Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105/Lk 24:13-35

Thursday St. Mark, Evangelist
1 Pt 5:5b-14/Ps 89/ Mk 16:15-20

Friday St. Cletus
Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118/Jn 21:1-14

Saturday St. Zita
Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118/Mk 16:9-15



NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

2ND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118/Rev 1:9-11a. 12-13. 17-19/
John 20:19-31

ROSTER FOR BIDDING PRAYERS/2ND COLLECTIONS

BIDDING PRAYERS & OFFERTORY

April 21 Marshhallan Association
28 KSJI

May 05 Marian Choir
12 Parish Youth Council
19 St. Cecilia Choir

SECOND COLLECTIONS

April 21 Men vs Women
28 Poor and Needy

May 05 Thanksgiving
12 Men vs Women
19 Vocation
26 Poor and Needy

MARRIAGE CORNER

MARRIAGE BANNES

1. Samuel Otoo & Evelyn Kpanja (2)
2. Anthony Kumah & Veronica Afua Balakema (2)
3. Daniel Darko Osei & Akua Pinamang Addae (2)

FAMILY CONNECTION

In the Easter Gospel we hear about how the disciples found the tomb empty three days after Jesus' death. We are also told that they do not yet understand the Scriptures or that Jesus had been raised from the dead. That understanding gradually unfolded for the disciples as they began to experience the risen Lord. Similarly, our understanding of Jesus' Resurrection unfolds for us throughout our lives. In the weeks ahead, we will hear how the first disciples moved from confusion, doubt, and skepticism to faith. Their experience can teach us how we too might receive this gift of faith from God.

Gather your family members and ask them to share what they know about the events that happened in the days after Jesus' crucifixion. Invite your family to imagine that they are among Jesus' first disciples. Read together today's Gospel, John 20:1-9. Reflect together on the Gospel with questions such as these: If you had been among the first disciples who heard that the stone had been removed from Jesus' tomb and that Jesus' body was no longer there, what would you think? What did Mary of Magdala, Simon Peter, and the disciple whom Jesus loved think had happened? Recall that this experience is the first indication Jesus' disciples have that he is risen. Throughout the Easter season, we will learn more about how the disciples came to believe that Jesus had been raised from the dead.

Pray together using today's psalm, Psalm 118: "This is the day the Lord has made; let us rejoice and be glad."

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MEETINGS

TODAY AFTER 8.00AM MASS

*Young Christian Workers Movement (YCWM)
*St. Andrew Dagaaba Union

DURING THE WEEK

*PPC Executives, on Tuesday, 23rd April, 2019 at 6.00pm
*Padre Pio Prayer Group, on Wednesday, 24th April, 2019 at 6.00pm at the Adoration Chapel.
*Grandparents Association, on Thursday, 25th April, 2019 after the midday Mass.

NEXT SUNDAY, 28TH APRIL, 2019

*Christian Mothers Association
*Kanda Area Group

PPC GENERAL MEETING RESCHEDULED

The General Meeting of the PPC comes off on Tuesday, 30th April, 2019 at 6.00pm

THANKSGIVING SEND-OFF MASS FOR ARCHBISHOP PALMER-BUCKLE

Parishioners are invited to the Thanksgiving Send-Off Mass for Archbishop Charles Gabriel Palmer-Buckle.
Date: Friday, 26th April 2019
Venue: Holy Spirit Cathedral, Adabraka - Accra
Time: 10:00 am.

CTK CREDIT UNION ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

The Annual General Meeting of the Accra Christ the King Co-op.Credit Union comes off on Sunday, 28th April, 2019 at 10:00am at St. Marian room of the Parish Hall.

CTK BIBLE SHARING GROUP

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

BOOKSTORE OVERSEER WANTED

Must be an HND/1st degree holder. No working experience is required. Interested persons should send their applications to the Parish Office not later than 30th April, 2019

LAITY COMMITTEE

All Societies in the Parish are to send the names and contact details of their leadership nominations to the Laity Committee. Kindly contact Maj. Gen. Clayton Yaache (0246528559) for submission.

ANGELIC CHOIR INVITES YOU

The Angelic Choir invites all youth to join them. Angelic choir, the youth choir of the church rehearses on Saturdays at 3.00pm - 6.00pm and Sundays after the 8.00am Mass till 11.30am. No prior experience is required. Instrumentalists are also welcome to join. Call or WhatsApp: 0268 747 844 / 0244 534 354.

DIVINE MERCY CHURCH

ROSTER FOR BIDDING PRAYERS & OFFERTORY

April 21 St. Vincent de Paul
28 Lectors

SECOND COLLECTIONS

April 21 Poor and Needy

May 05 Thanksgiving
19 Vocation
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PARISH RETREAT TALK AUDIO AVAILABLE - (PRE-ORDER ONLY)

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FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

We regret to announce the death of **Mad. Irene Anima Kwakye**. Funeral arrangements are as follows;
Sat. 27th April, 2018 : Filing Past and burial Mass at 7.00am at Mary Mother of Good Counsel Church, Airport West. Interment will be at the Osu cemetery.
Final funeral rites follows at the church compound.
Sun. 28th April, 2019: Thanksgiving Mass at Divine Mercy Church, Okponglo at 9.00am.

The death has been announced of **Mrs. Mary Ofosuhemaa Afram**, mother of Rosemary Afram, a parishioner. Funeral arrangements are as follows;
Sat. 4th May, 2019: Laying in State at Hse No. P82, Block C, Asante Akyem Patriensa, near the Presbyterian Church.
Sat. 4th May, 2019: Burial Service at Presbyterian Church, Asante Akyem Patriensa at 9:00am. Interment will be at the Presbyterian Cemetery, Asante Akyem Patriensa followed by final funeral rites at the Presbyterian School Park, 1:00pm – 6:00pm.
Sun, 5th May, 2019 : Thanksgiving Service at the Presbyterian Church, Asante Akyem Patriensa, at 9:00am.
Sun. 5th May, 2019: Family gathering at the Presbyterian School Park, 1:00pm – 6:00pm.

The death has been announced of **Mrs. Charity Eunice Afi Seddoh nee Acolatse**, a parishioner. Funeral arrangements are as follows;
10th May, 2019: Filing Past and Pre-burial Mass at Christ the King Church at 7.15am.
11th May, 2019: Burial Mass at Holy Family Catholic Church, Woe, near Keta, Volta Region. Interment will be at the family cemetery at Woe followed by funeral rites at her residence.
19th May, 2019: Thanksgiving Mass at Christ the King Catholic Church, Cantonments at 10.30am