

# Weekly Bulletin

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23RD FEBRUARY, 2020

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## CHRIST THE KING CHURCH THEME FOR THE YEAR

LET US REJOICE, FOR NOW IS THE ACCEPTABLE YEAR OF THE LORD - cf Is 61.2

### 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: 6:30am, 12:15pm & 6:30pm

### GROTTO DEVOTIONS

Every 1st Saturday of the Month at 4:00pm

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

**CONFESSION**  
Saturdays : - After Morning Mass  
- 5:00pm - 7:00pm at Confession Room at Adoration Chapel

### EYE EXAMINATION EXERCISE

Marriset Vision Care will be at the church premises (Parish Hall) on 1st & 8th March, 2020 for eye examination exercise. All types of designer frames and modern lenses are available at a very highly subsidised prices. call 0243579621 / 0208129286

A licensed parishioner is looking for a job as a driver. Call 0557798918 / 0262156580

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- Our very own Kids' Corner for one hour.
- 50% off the second room.

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## Christ the King Catholic Church, Accra BOOKSHOP

### OPENING SCHEDULE

MON. - FRI.  
8.00AM - 5.00PM

SUN.  
8.00AM - 2.00PM

SAT.  
8.00AM - 12.00PM  
(Closes at 6.00pm on 1st Saturdays)

### CHRIST THE KING BOOKSHOP IS OPENED TO THE GENERAL PUBLIC

Visit the bookshop for all your Religious books, Sacramentals, gift cards and many other items .

Mobile Money service is also available. Call : 0302775645 for further information.



## 26TH FEBRUARY 2020

Mass Schedules: 6:30a.m | 12:15p.m | 6:30p.m

Venue: Christ the King Catholic Church, Accra

### CHURCH DUES PAYMENT

Parishioners are kindly encouraged to pay their yearly dues at the parish office. The yearly dues is GHc24.00.

### CHRIST THE KING INT. SCHOOL

#### CTK SCHOOL CALLS ON ALL ALUMNI

The Christ the King School would like to have the database of all Alumina. In view of this all old students of the school are entreated to pick up a form at the Parish office and register.

**ADULT CATECHISM CLASS: EVERY MONDAY AT 6.00 PM AT ST MARIA GORETTI ROOM (FORMER YOUTH ROOM)**



## 7TH SUNDAY IN ORD. TIME, YEAR A

### COMMENTARY ON READINGS

**First Reading:** We are called upon to avoid enmity, revenge and grudge against our neighbour. As God is holy, so also should we endeavour by his grace to be holy. (Leviticus 19:1-2, 17-18)

**RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps. 103)**  
“The Lord is kind and merciful.”

Bless the LORD, O my soul;  
and all my being, bless His holy name.  
Bless the LORD, O my soul,  
and forget not all His benefits. **Res.**

He pardons all your iniquities,  
heals all your ills.  
He redeems your life from destruction,  
crowns you with kindness and compassion. **Res.**

Merciful and gracious is the LORD,  
slow to anger and abounding in kindness.  
Not according to our sins does He deal with us,  
nor does He requite us according to our crimes. **Res.**

As far as the east is from the west,  
so far has he put our transgressions from us.  
As a father has compassion on his children,  
so the LORD has compassion on those who fear Him. **Res.**

**Second Reading:** The community of baptized Christians is built into Christ, like stones into one Temple erected to give glory to God. For this reason, the Christian faithful must avoid all manner of divisions. (Corinthians 3:16-23)

**Gospel:** Jesus commands us to avoid retaliation against our enemy but love them instead. By loving those who hurt us, we prove ourselves worthy to be called the children of God. (Matthew 5:38-48)

### WEEKDAY READINGS & MEMORIALS 7TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A

**Monday** St. Caesarius  
Jas 3:13-18/Ps 19/Mk 9:14-29

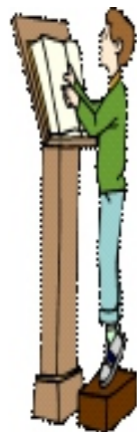
**Tuesday** St. Walburga  
Jas 4:1-10/Ps 55/Mk 9:30-37

**Wednesday** **ASH WEDNESDAY**  
Jl 2:12-18/Ps 51/Cor 5:20-6:2/  
Mt 6:1-6. 16-18

**Thursday** St. Leander  
Dt 30:15-20/Ps 1/Lk 9:22-25

**Friday** St. Hilarius  
Is 58:1-9a/Ps 51/Mt 9:14-15

**Saturday** St. Aubin  
Is 58:9b-14/Ps 86/Lk 5:27-32



### NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

**8TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR A**  
Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Ps 51/Rom 5:12-19 or 5:12. 17-19/  
Mt 4:1-11

## ROSTER FOR BIDDING PRAYERS / 2ND COLLECTIONS

### BIDDING PRAYERS & OFFERTORY

#### 23rd February 2020

6:30am Crusaders for Christ  
8:00am CTK Choir  
10:30am February Borns  
6:00pm St. Theresa of the Child Jesus  
Youth February Borns

#### 1st March 2020

6:30am Grandparent Asso.  
8:00am Sacred Heart Conf.  
10:30am Christian Mothers  
6:00pm Lectors  
Youth Youth Lectors

#### 8th March 2020

6:30am Padre Pio  
8:00am Yefri Tete Kroye Kuo  
10:30am St. Andrew Dagaaba Union  
6:00pm Catechist  
Youth CYO

### SECOND COLLECTIONS

23rd February 2020 - Poor and Needy

1st March 2020 - Thanksgiving  
8th March 2020 - Vitus Dery  
15th March 2020 - Men vs Women  
22nd March 2020 - Communication (Arch)  
29th March 2020 - Poor and Needy

### MARRIAGE CORNER

#### MARRIAGE BANNS

1. Kwame Osei Agyeman-Duah & Godfreyda Efuwa Nyame (2)
2. Isaac Klutse Mudor & Rosemary Tsikudo (1)

### SOCIETAL CALL FOR MEMBERSHIP

### KNIGHTS AND LADIES OF ST. JOHN INT.

As part of their membership expansion drive, the Knights and Ladies Auxiliary of St. John of CTK Parish wishes to invite interested parishioners who are Communicants to apply for membership. For more information, call 0244760650 | 0249341650 | 0243442066

### MARIAN CHOIR

Are you looking for something to do in the Church? Then come join the MARIAN CHOIR and let's celebrate our SILVER JUBILEE together and make HISTORY. You are warmly welcome.

Marian! Sing to Her Glory

### LEGION OF MARY

The society invites all young ones and youth to join the QUEEN OF FAMILY AND QUEEN OF LITTLE SOULS and adults to join the MARY MOTHER OF CHRIST THE KING

The group meets on Sundays after the 8.00am Mass at the St. Vincent de Paul room, upstairs of the Adoration Chapel.

The group embarks on activities such as prayer and evangelism through Home and Hospital visitation, visit to Correctional Homes etc...

## MEETINGS

### AFTER 8.00AM MASS TODAY

\*Kanda Area Group  
\*Christian Mothers Association  
\*Laity Committee, at St. Maria Goretti room (old Youth Room) of the Adoration Chapel building.

### AREA GROUP

\*East Legon, Madina, Adenta, Haatso Area Group, today at Ama Danso's residence, behind the Ecobank at Firestone, Madina. Call: 0208123405 for directions. Rev. Fr. Ohene will be in attendance.

### MEETINGS DURING THE WEEK

\*PPC Executives, on Tuesday, 25th February, 2020 at 6.00pm at the Parish Office.

### MEETINGS NEXT WEEK, 1ST MARCH, 2020

\*Parish Youth Council  
\*Sacred Heart Confraternity  
\*Tarcisians

## HEALTHY LIVING FAIR

A fair aimed at encouraging and promoting natural healthy life.

**Date:** 1st March 2020 | **Time:** 8:30am - 3:30pm  
**Venue:** Fatima Gardens, CTK

### INVITATION TO PARTICIPATE IN INTERNATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS 2020

The Department of Pastoral Ministry & Evangelisation of the National Catholic Secretariat invites interested participants to the International Eucharistic Congress 2020 (IEC2020) scheduled for 13th - 20th September 2020 in Budapest, Hungary. The IEC 2020 is themed "All my springs are in you" - Psalm 87:7.

The price packages for the trip is as follows:

Early Bird = USD2,700.00 (till 31st March 2020)  
Standard = USD3,000.00 (till 30th June 2020)  
Later - Comer = USD3,500.00 (till 31st July 2020)

Interested Catholics may request for a Registration Form by sending a mail to gcbc2017nec@gmail.com upon payment of a non-refundable fee of GH¢100.00 to the MTN Mobile number: 0547864012 (Sr. Juliana Omudu). For further enquiries, kindly call 0547864012 / 0504229911 / 0208921654.

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS ROSTER

#### 6:00PM EACH DAY

#### WEEK 1

Stations 1 - 4	Catholic Students Union (CASU)
Stations 5 - 9	Catholic Organisation for Social and Religious Advancement (COSRA)
Stations 10 - 14	Knights and Ladies of St. John Int.
Songs led by	: St. Cecilia Choir

## UPCOMING PROGRAMMES

### 26th February 2020

Ash Wednesday

### 29th February 2020

Retreat for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion at the Youth Formation Centre, Lashibi

### 21st March 2020

Seminar for all Lectors at the Catholic Institute of Business and Technology (CIBT)

### 27th - 28th March 2020

World Youth Day Celebration

## THE TUESDAY TEACHING CORNER

### TOPIC FOR NEXT SESSION

# "BIBLE STUDY"

**Tues. 25th February 2020 | 6.30pm**  
**Christ the King Catholic Church, Cantonments**

### PARISH HALL CHAIRS NEEDED

The Parish hall is sourcing for a supplier of 500 quality plastic chairs (Life time original brand). Parishioners/suppliers interested with stock/links to supply should submit a sealed Pro-forma Invoice to the Parish office.

### OFFICE SPACE AVAILABLE FOR RENT

Office spaces available for rent at the Jubilee Office Complex and the Book Store Building. Interested persons should kindly contact the front desk or call 0302775645

### APPRECIATION

The family of the late Frederick Yao Alipui wish to express our sincere appreciation to the entire parish community for your love and support to us during our time of grief. God bless you all.

### FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The funeral arrangements of the late Arch. Edmund Opoku Taylor, husband of Mrs. Comfort Taylor, both parishioners are as follows:

**Saturday, 14th March 2020:** Filing Past and Burial Mass at Christ the King Catholic Church, Cantonments from 7:00am - 11:00am. Burial will take place at Gethsemane Memorial Garden (Shiashi).

Final funeral rites will be held at the Police Social Centre between 1:00pm - 6:00pm.

**Sunday, 15th March 2020:** Thanksgiving Mass at Christ the King Catholic Church, Cantonments at 8:00am followed by a reception at his residence between 12:00midday - 5:00pm.

**PARAPHERNALIA FOR WORLD YOUTH DAY  
2020 CELEBRATION WILL BE ON SALE  
BY THE YOUTH AFTER ALL MASSES**