

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



The final funeral rites of **Mr. Christopher Kwasi Van Lare**, husband of Dame Mrs. Josephine VanLare are as follows:

No wake-keeping.

Thursday, January 20th, 2022:

Pre-Burial Service at Accra Ridge Church from 8.30am to 9.30am.

Thursday, January 20th, 2022:

Burial, Memorial and Thanksgiving Service from 9.30am.

Internment: Private | **Attire:** White

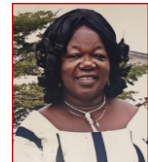
ALL COVID-19 Protocols would be observed.



The death is reported of **Mr. Andrew Bondzie Simpson**, a parishioner, and father of Grace, Faustina and Josephine Simpson, all parishioners, on Saturday, 25th December, 2021. He was a member of the Holy Family Akan Kuo.

Funeral Arrangements would be announced later.

We are sad to announce the death of **Mrs Peggy Odoom**, mother of Mrs Magdalene Cole, all parishioners.



We sadly announce the death of **Mrs. Victoria Yankson**, a parishioner. She was a member of the Christ the King Choir. Funeral Arrangements would be announced later.

The funeral arrangements of the late **Mrs. Crispina Osei**, a parishioner, and a member of the Christ the King Choir are as follows:

Sat. 22nd January 2022: Filing past and Pre-Burial Mass at Christ the King Catholic Church, Cantonments at 7:30 am. Burial Mass follows at 9:00am. Burial will take place at the Madina cemetery, followed by the funeral rites at their family house in Madina.

Sun. 23rd January 2022: Thanksgiving and Memorial Mass at Christ the King Catholic Church, Cantonments at 10:30 am. Final funeral rites at their family house in Madina

We sadly announce the death of **Mr Daniel Adjei**, father of Mr Ben Adjei (soloist). Funeral arrangements are as follows:

Fri. 28th January, 2022 : Wake Keeping at 9:00pm.

Sat. 29th January, 2022 : Burial Service & final funeral rites at "Nkranfo Nkranfo" Nyanyano (Close to Kasoa).

Sun. 30th January, 2022 : Thanksgiving Service at The Spirit Leading Church, Breaku (off the Accra/Winneba Highway).

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2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

SUNDAY, 16TH JANUARY, 2022

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OFFICE HOURS Weekdays 8:00am-5.00pm Saturdays 8:00am-12:00pm Sundays 8:00am-2.00pm	MASS SCHEDULE SUNDAYS 6:30am, 8:30am, 10:30am, 6:00pm Youth Mass : 8.30am WEEKDAY SCHEDULE Daily: 6.30am & 12:15pm; Tues: 6.30am 12:15pm 6.30pm	HOLY HOUR & MASS Thursday preceding the 1st Friday & 1st Friday @ 6.00pm CONFESSION Saturdays : After Morning Mass & 5.00pm (Adoration Chapel)
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PASTORAL STAFF

Very Rev. Fr. Ebenezer Akesseh - Parish Priest (0244727276)
Rev. Fr. Donatus Pallu - Parochial Vicar (024 988 1284)

Rev. Fr. Wisdom Dordunu - Priest in Residence (0244109037)



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TUESDAY TEACHING RESUMES

JOIN US, AS WE CONTINUE WITH THE DISCUSSION ON THE 10 COMMANDMENTS

SPEAKER
Rev. Fr. Donatus Pallu

18 JAN 2022 Christ the King Catholic Church 6:30PM

2ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

First Reading: The prophet's central message is an announcement of salvation for the people of God. He reveals God as Shepherd-King attracting and ever caring for His people Israel. (Isaiah 62:1-5)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps. 96)

“Proclaim his marvelous deeds to all the nations.”

Sing to the LORD a new song;
sing to the LORD, all you lands.
Sing to the LORD; bless his name. **Res.**

Announce his salvation, day after day.
Tell his glory among the nations;
among all peoples, his wondrous deeds. **Res.**

Give to the LORD, you families of nations,
give to the LORD glory and praise;
give to the LORD the glory due his name! **Res.**

Worship the LORD in holy attire.
Tremble before him, all the earth;
Say among the nations: The LORD is king.
He governs the peoples with equity. **Res.**

Second Reading: God's grace has appeared in Christ and set us on the road to salvation by giving us the great gifts of God, especially Baptism, and by calling us to lead lives dedicated to Christ. (Corinthians 12:4-11)

Gospel: John the Baptist foretells, that the Sacrament of Baptism which Jesus will establish will have the purifying and sanctifying action of the Holy Spirit. (John 2:1-11)

WEEKDAY READINGS & MEMORIALS 2ND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

Monday	St. Anthony Abbot 1 Sam 15:16-23/Ps 49/Mk 2:18-22
Tuesday	St. Prisca 1 Sam 16:1-13/Ps 88/Mk 2:23-28
Wednesday	St. Canute 1 Sam 17:32-33,37,40-51/Ps 143/Mk 3:1-6
Thursday	Ss. Fabian (Pope) & Sebastian, Martyrs 1 Sam 18:6-9, 19:1-7/Ps 55/Mk 3:7-12
Friday	St. Agnes of Rome 1 Sam 24:3-21/ Ps 56/Mk 3:13-19
Saturday	St. Vincent of Zaragoza 2 Sam 1:1-4, 11-12, 19,23-27/ Ps 79/ Mk 3:20-21

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

3RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10/Ps 18/1 Cor 12:12-30/
Lk 1:1-4;4:14-21

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

Do Whatever He Tells You

Today's gospel reading is a reading we are likely to hear at a celebration of the sacrament of Holy Matrimony. We are told of Mary attending a wedding with Jesus and his disciples. Since Jewish wedding feasts lasted a week, the groom needed adequate provisions. For one thing, it would be embarrassing to run out of either food or wine. Unfortunately, that was what happened. Mary entreats her son to come to the aid of the couple. She directs the waiters to do whatever Jesus tells them. Their obedience to the words of Jesus averted a looming disgrace.

The statement, “Do Whatever He Tells You,” captures the heartbeat of the life of a disciple. In his 1998 World Youth Day Message, St. Pope John Paul II emphasized three significant points. First, “Do whatever he tells you” means: “listen to Jesus my Son, follow his Word and place your trust in Him. Learn to say 'yes' to the Lord in every circumstance of your life. It is a very encouraging message, of which we all feel the need.”

Second, “Do whatever he tells you” expresses the deepest secret of Mary's life. “Her life has indeed been one great 'yes' to the Lord. A 'yes' full of joy and trust. Mary, full of grace, the Immaculate Virgin, lived her whole life in complete openness to God, in perfect harmony with his will – even in the most difficult moments, which reached their culminating point on the summit of Mount Calvary, at the foot of the Cross. She never withdraws her 'yes,' because she has placed her whole life in the hands of God: 'Behold, I am the handmaid of the Lord; let it be done to me according to your word' (Lk 1:38).”

Third, “Do whatever he tells you” contains the whole life programme that Mary the Teacher carried out as the first disciple of the Lord and that she spells out for us today. It is a life project based on the solid and sure foundation called Jesus Christ.

The words of Mary to the waiters are still her words to us. Mary invites us to a life of obedience in our walk with her son. Many miracles result from obedience to Jesus and the confidence to act on Jesus' words. Our lives are blessed when we do what Jesus tells us. Remember the story of the ten lepers; they were healed because they did what Jesus told them to do; namely, to go and show themselves to the priest (Luke 17:11-17).

The wine that resulted from the waiters' obedience was not just good wine; it was the best! Do not miss out on the best God has to offer because you did not obey his words. Are we ready to do whatever Jesus tells us?

I thank all parents who encouraged and ensured their children participated in our maiden edition of “praying our faith.” I entreat all parents to support us in our efforts to nurture the faith life of our youth as we guide their walk with the Lord.

The Lord bless and keep you.

Fr. Akesseh

SECOND COLLECTIONS

January	16	Men vs Women
	30	Poor and Needy

MARRIAGE COUNSELLING REGISTRATION OPENS

Registration for Marriage Counselling (February - July) session is now open. Interested Parishioners should register at the Parish office before 5th February, 2022.

TRAINING OF MARRIAGE COUNSELLORS

We look forward to enlisting individuals who possess the following basic qualities for training as Marriage Counsellors:

- Should be a practicing Catholic and must belong to a regular Parish or community.
- Should be married for not less than 10years.
- Should have the desire and intrinsic motivation to offer service in the church.

Training is in three parts,

- 1st Training - 26th Feb
- 2nd Training - 28th May
- 3rd Training - 27th Aug

Interested persons should kindly register at the Parish Office.

GRANDPARENTS MEETING

All Grandparents will meet on the 23rd of January after the 8:30 Mass at the Grotto.

SOCIETAL / GROUP MEETING

TODAY

*Y.C.W.M, after the 8:30am Mass at the Parish Office.
*St. Peter the Apostle Dagaaba Union, after the 8:30am Mass at the Grotto.

NEXT SUNDAY

*Christian Mothers Association, after the 8:30am Mass at the St. Anthony room of the Parish Hall.
*Welfare Committee, after the 8:30am Mass at the Parish Office.

WASHROOM RENOVATIONS

Kindly note that the washrooms located at the Parish Hall building are still under renovations. Parishioners are advised to use the washrooms at the Adoration Chapel building (behind the Church), and the Grotto (behind the Parish office). We sincerely apologise for any inconvenience this arrangement may cause.

HARVEST CORNER

DECLARATION OF HARVEST
PROCEEDS WILL BE DONE TODAY AT
ALL MASSES

FINAL STANDINGS

DAY BORN COMPETITION

DAY BORN	AMOUNT	POSITION
SATURDAY	GHS 60,395.00	1ST
THURSDAY	GHS 39,416.70	2ND
TUESDAY	GHS 25,629.40	3RD
FRIDAY	GHS 24,974.30	4TH
SUNDAY	GHS 18,102.60	5TH
WEDNESDAY	GHS 16,804.70	6TH
MONDAY	GHS 16,139.20	7TH

MEN VS WOMEN

WOMEN - GHS 70,287.65

MEN - GHS 68,466.70

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- Any other information that may be deemed relevant by the Board of Directors.

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VACANCY FOR MALE WASHROOM ATTENDANT

Male washroom attendants are needed for immediate employment at the Parish Hall. Interested persons should submit application letter at the Parish Office.