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ACCOMMODATION ASSISTANCE NEEDED URGENTLY

A parishioner who lost his job as a result of the COVID-19 pandemic is looking for free accommodation for his family. Any one who can be of help should please call the Parish Office 0245276017

DO YOU NEED A DRIVER?

A parishioner is looking for a job as a driver. Interested persons should call 0557798918.

SECAM FUNDRAISING

Parishioners who wish to donate towards the 19th SECAM Plenary Assembly can do so at the Parish Office. A receipt will be issued on payment.

PARISH YOUTH COUNCIL
CHRIST THE KING CATHOLIC CHURCH, CANTONMENTS
presents

EXCURSION TO MOUNT AFADJATO

RATE: 150GH

23RD JULY 20 **22**

ACTIVITIES:
Mountain Climbing Visit to Tagbo Falls Site Seeing & Many More

For information kindly contact Michael Sofo (0543003023)

PRECIOUS BLOOD OF CHRIST

AWARENESS MONTH

Almighty and eternal God, you have appointed your only-begotten Son the Redeemer of the world, and willed to be appeased by his Blood. Grant we beg of you, that we may worthily adore this price of our salvation, and through its power be safeguarded from the evils of the present life, so that we may rejoice in its fruits forever in heaven. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Weekly Bulletin

Year 27, No. 16

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

SUNDAY, 17TH JULY, 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, 8:00am, 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)

PASTORAL STAFF

Very Rev. Fr. Ebenezer Akesseh - Parish Priest (0244727276) | Rev. Fr. Wisdom Dordunu - Priest in Residence (0244109037)
Rev. Fr. Donatus Pallu - Parochial Vicar (024 988 1284)

LAITY STUDY PROGRAMME: 2022 AD

Theme :

"Fratelli tutti and COVID – 19: Pastoral Opportunities and Challenges in Ghana:"

Sun. July 17, 2022 All Masses	Launch of 2022 Laity Study Programme and Sale of Booklets
Tues. July 19, 2022 6.30pm	Getting Familiar with the Holy Father's idea of Universal brotherhood and social friendship
Tues. July 26, 2022 6.30pm	Fratelli Tutti and the practice of dialogue in Ghana
Tues. Aug 02, 2022 6.30pm	Fratelli Tutti and the quest for peace and reconciliation in Ghana
Tues. Aug 09, 2022 6.30pm	Fratelli Tutti, the COVID-19 pandemic and the Church's preferential option for the poor
Tues. Aug 16, 2022 6.30pm	Fratelli tutti: Pastoral opportunities and challenges for the Church in Ghana
Tues. Aug 23, 2022 6.30pm	Practical activities to celebrate our participation in universal brotherhood and social friendship
Sun. Aug 28, 2022 All Masses	Thanksgiving Mass and Annual Laity Week Collection



NOVENA TO THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF CHRIST

23rd - 31st July, 2022

16TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

First Reading: Abraham entertained three strangers, not knowing that he was entertaining God. Abraham's hospitality was rewarded, for his wife Sarah was promised a son the following year. (**Genesis 18:1-10**)

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps. 15)

“He who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord.”

One who walks blamelessly and does justice; who thinks the truth in his heart and slanders not with his tongue. **Res.**

Who harms not his fellow man, nor takes up a reproach against his neighbour; by whom the reprobate is despised, while he honors those who fear the LORD. **Res.**

Who lends not his money at usury and accepts no bribe against the innocent. One who does these things shall never be disturbed. **Res.**

Second Reading: St. Paul tells his converts that the mystery of God's plan of salvation, kept hidden from all eternity, is now revealed in Jesus Christ. (**Colossians 1:24-28**)

Gospel: When Jesus visits the two sisters, Martha gets busy with the hospitality while Mary sits listening to Jesus; and when Martha complains, Jesus insists that Mary's choice is the more essential for eternal salvation. (**Luke 10:38-42**)

WEEKDAY READINGS

16TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

Monday	St. Camillus de Lellis Mi 6:1-4.6-8/ Ps 50/Mt 12:38-42
Tuesday	Ss. Justa and Rufina Mi 7:1-9/Ps 48/Mt 11:20-24
Wednesday	St. Apollinaris Jer 1:1.4-10/Ps 71/Mt 13:1-9
Thursday	St. Lawrence of Brindisi Jer 2:1-3. 7-8. 12-13/Ps 36/Mt 13:10-17
Friday	St. Mary Magdalene Jer 3:14-17/Jer 31/Jn 20:1-2. 11-18
Saturday	St. Bridget of Sweden/BVM Jer 7:1-11/Ps 84/Mt 13:24-30

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

17TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

Gn 18:20-32/Ps 138/Col 2:12-14/Lk 11:1-13

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her.

Hospitality is an essential Christian virtue. The first reading tells us of how Abraham and Sarah's hospitality to angels in the guise of strangers was rewarded by God, who blessed them with a son in their old age. These visitors did not come begging Abraham for a favour. It was Abraham who anticipated their needs and stepped out to serve them. He and his wife, Sarah, promptly started preparing a lavish meal to refresh their guests. Their hospitality was generously rewarded. God, speaking through the guests, promised Abraham and Sarah they would have a son! Make hospitality your way of life. Hebrews 13:2 tells us, *Do not forget to show hospitality to strangers, for by so doing some people have shown hospitality to angels without knowing it.* In his letter to Titus, Paul emphasizes the necessity of hospitality. For one to qualify to be an elder of the Christian community, he ought to have demonstrated that he practiced hospitality (Titus 1:8).

The gospel passage about the daily comings and goings in a home picks up the hospitality theme. It also adds the importance of listening to Jesus as a necessary virtue demanded of disciples. When Jesus visits Mary and Martha, Martha sets out to attend to His needs while Mary sits at the feet of the Lord, listening to him speak. When Martha complains about Mary's actions, Jesus responds: *Martha, Martha, you are anxious and worried about many things. There is need of only one thing. Mary has chosen the better part and it will not be taken from her.* Jesus cautions us about the dangers of being so distracted by our doings that we miss hearing God's Word. In other words, He prioritizes hearing God's word over preoccupation with all other concerns. By his answer, Jesus encourages Mary to continue listening to him, even though this means not helping with what in their socio-cultural milieu is regarded especially as women's work.

In many ways, our culture has adopted the norm that values productivity and busyness over reflection and listening, forgetting that reflection and listening hold the key to sustained productivity and fruitfulness. By noting that Mary had chosen the better part, Jesus reminds us that the true disciple sits at His feet and listens to Him. Sometimes the Martha in us can stand up when we become preoccupied with doing things for the Lord but relegate sitting at His feet to the background.

Fr. John Bartunek, in his book "The Better Part," notes that "The crucial sign that we may be following Martha's footsteps a little too closely is a waning life of prayer. When we skimp on our prayer life, on that precious time that we spend, as Mary did, 'at the Lord's feet listening to him speaking,' we need to stop and check our spiritual vital signs. Maybe we have let ourselves become so 'distracted with all the serving' that we have forgotten why we should be serving at all."

May what we do this week flow from the time we spend with God.

The Lord bless and keep you.
Have a blessed week.

Fr. Akeseh

SECOND COLLECTION

July 17 Men vs Women
24 Poor & Needy

BIDDING PRAYERS & OFFERTORY

July 17 Eucharist Ministers
24 Ushers

SOCIETAL / GROUP MEETING TODAY

***St. Peter the Apostle Dagaaba Union**, after the 8:00am Mass at the Grotto
***St. Michael Ewe Union (General)**, after the 8:00am Mass at the Grotto
***Young Christian Workers Movement (YCWM)**, after the 8:00am Mass at the Parish Office.
***East Legon, Madina, Haatso, Adenta Area Group**, at Divine Mercy Catholic Church, Okponglo at 4:30pm

NEXT SUNDAY

***Christian Mothers Association**, after the 8:00am Mass at the St. Anthony's room (Parish Hall).
***Welfare Committee**, after the 8:00am Mass at the Parish Office.

ADULT CATECHESIS

Adult Catechism class (for 1st Communion and Confirmation) is held for parishioners who are 18yrs and above. The class is held on every Monday at 6:00pm at the St. Maria Goretti room, upstairs of the Adoration Chapel building. Registration for the new class is ongoing at the Parish Office.

FIRST COMMUNION CARDS READY

Parishioners who received First Communion on Corpus Christi Sunday (19th June 2022), can now pick up their baptismal cards from their Catechists.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The death has been announced of **Gilbert Kodzo Alipui**, a parishioner, which sad event occurred on Saturday, 11th June 2022, after a short illness. Funeral arrangements are as follows;
Friday, 22nd July 2022: Burial Mass at 7.30am at Christ the King Parish, Accra.
Sunday, 24th July, 2022: Memorial Mass at 10:30am at Christ the King Parish, Accra.

The death has been announced of **Crusading Engineer Robert Woode**, which sad event occurred on Saturday, 1st July 2022, after a short illness. He was the husband of Mrs Juliana Woode a parishioner. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

FAITH CORNER

THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF JESUS

The month of July is dedicated to the Precious Blood. The feast of the Precious Blood of our Lord was instituted in 1849 by Pius IX, but the devotion is as old as Christianity. The early Fathers say that the Church was born from the pierced side of Christ, and that the sacraments were brought forth through His Blood.

The Precious Blood which we worship is the Blood which the Saviour shed for us on Calvary and reassumed at His glorious Resurrection; it is the Blood which courses through the veins of His risen, glorified, living body at the right hand of God the Father in heaven; it is the Blood made present on our altars by the words of Consecration; it is the Blood which merited sanctifying grace for us and through it washes and beautifies our soul and inaugurates the beginning of eternal life in it.

From Genesis 4:10, we meet the vengeful blood of Abel against his brother Cain after the latter had committed fratricide.

In Exodus, we meet the saving power of the blood of the one year old unblemished lamb on the Passover Night as it was smeared on the doorposts and lintels of the house of the Israelites.

In John 1:14, "the Word became flesh and dwelt among us." Can there be any flesh without blood? This blood attached to the flesh of baby Jesus, Mother Church reminds us, will have its first spillage on the day baby Jesus was named and circumcised (Cf. Lk 2:21).

Luke 22:44 tells us of Jesus' experience on Mount Olivet. We see the holy face of Jesus crimsoned with blood during the agony in the garden.

Then finally in John 19:34, the very precious blood of Jesus together with water will ooze forth after his side is pierced with a lance.

It is this PRECIOUS BLOOD that wrought our salvation. It is at the cost of this PRECIOUS BLOOD that you and I have been bought.

As a Church, we prepare ourselves for the devotion of the Precious Blood of Jesus Christ. Devotion to the Precious Blood is not a spiritual option, it is a spiritual obligation, and that not only for priests, but for every follower of Christ.

Devotion includes veneration, invocation and imitation. We are to venerate by adoring and showing deep gratitude to Jesus who shed his blood for us. We are to invoke upon the power contained in the Blood of Jesus in solving our problems and we are to imitate the character of Jesus who is humble to the point of sacrificing himself. Let us ready ourselves for this powerful devotion from Saturday 23rd July to Sunday 31st July, 2022. May the Blood of Jesus make all the impossible situations of your life possible. Amen

- Rev. Fr. Donatus Pallu

MARRIAGE COUNSELLING REGISTRATION OPEN

Registration for the next marriage counselling session (July-December) has begun. Interested couples should register at the Parish office. Counselling begins on **Sunday, 24th July, 2022**

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS cont..



The death has been announced of **Madam Edith Theresa Addo**, a parishioner, which sadly occurred on 19th June 2022 at the 37 Military Hospital. She was 77yrs. Requiem Mass will be held on Saturday, 30th July 2022 at 7.30am at Christ the King Catholic Church, Accra.