Adjiringano 2 plots with almost completed 6 apartments complex on 3 floors, each floor with 3 and 2 spacious bedroom units and visitors washroom. All bedrooms have ensuite washrooms.

The building is on one plot, leaving the second plot for further development.

Near KNUST College of Sanitation and Waste Management and Zoomlion office



# THOUGHTS OF A PARISHIONER

LAITY STUDY PROGRAMME 2022

Topic: "Fratelli Tutti and the Practice of Dialogue in Ghana"

Dear Rev. Fathers.

Thank you for the laity week talks. I was at the last Tuesday talk on the topic "Fratelli Tutti and the Practice of Dialogue in Ghana", given by Mr. Kofi Mensah.

I found the approaches given by the speaker for enhancing dialogue very instructive and worth practicing. As the speaker indicated, dialogue fosters peace and harmony instead of the violence and acrimony we see in our homes and in the public.

In my advanced age, I still find the approaches to enhancing dialogue useful to integrate into my daily life. I noted the following approaches according to what the speaker outlined vesterday to enhance dialogue:

- Approach one another
- Speak to each other
- Listen to each other
- Look out for consensus or win-win situation

To achieve this, we have to:

- ♦ Respect one another and each other's views
- Be open and not underrate anyone
- Appreciate people's views and seek to understand their standpoint
- ♦ Allowing people to speak out

I particularly like the last point about allowing people to speak out. I keep telling the young officers I manage to never fear to speak out, for wisdom does not reside in only one particular mind.

It is on this note that I propose that the church should take the issue of dialogue seriously and inculcate the principles and practices in the young ones. We can introduce this at our Sunday schools, and at the Primary and JSS levels. Thank you.

- Mrs. Angela Dannson

# **VACANCY FOR MALE CLEANERS**

Male cleaners are wanted for immediate employment at Christ the King Parish Hall. Interested persons should submit their application letters to the Parish office.

# SERVICED PLOTS FOR SALE

30 serviced plots up for sale at East Legon Hills. Fully gated and titled. Contact details: 0244987423 / 0243163227.



### APARTMENT NEEDED

A parishioner needs a 2 bedroom self contained apartment at La, Teshie, and its environs. Please no agents. Contact 0244 759898 / 0242811297

# SHOP NEEDED

A parishioner needs a container/shop to do good business around Teshie, La, Osu, and areas. Contact 0244 759898 / 0242811297

#### LIVE-IN HOUSE HELP NEEDED

A parishioner is looking for a live-in home helper to do cooking and cleaning, and occasionally oversee children aged 8 and 10. Interested persons should reach out to 0242222233

# Free!!! Health Talk



**Bv Indian Surgeon Specialty: Spine-Neuro** 

Travel Health Support (Indian Medical Tourism Firm) Organizes a Health Talk

Thursday, 4th Aug, 2022 At 12 noon By Dr. Mazda Turel MBBS, M.Ch. (Neurosurgery), Con. Neurosurgeon

Fellowship in Complex & Minimally invasive Spine Surgery, Ruth Univerity Medical Centre, Chicago, USA Fellowstiero-oncology and Skolbased Surgery, Toronto-Western Hospital-on Canada

> Free but Limited Registrations Call or send a WhatsApp to the numbers below +91 9820765695 / +233 261668963

# Weekly-



19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

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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 Rev. Fr. Donatus Pallu - Parochial Vicar (024 988 1284)

(0244109037)





# 15th August 2022

# MASS / ACTIVITIES SCHEDULE

6:30am Mass in the Church

**12:15pm**Mass in the Church

1:00pm - 6:30pm Rosary of Thousand Hail Marys

6:30pm

Mass at the Grotto with Most Rev John Bonaventure Kwofie

# **NOVENA OF PRAYERS**

The Novena to our Lady of Assumption continues, as we prepare for the celebration of the Feast of Assumption. Novena prayers are said at every Mass. Parishioners can also join virtually via WhatsApp, or our Youtube and facebook channels. To receive the Novena via WhatsApp please send a request via the same medium to 050 243 9500.

# 19TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

First Reading: With patience, Israel persevered in faith and never lost hope, either, in times of blessings or in periods of danger. In the end, God delivered Israel and destroyed her enemies. **(Wisdom 18:6-9)** 

#### **RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps. 33)** "Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own."

Exult, you just, in the LORD; praise from the upright is fitting. Blessed the nation whose God is the LORD, the people he has chosen for his own inheritance. Res.

See, the eyes of the LORD are upon those who fear him, upon those who hope for his kindness, To deliver them from death and preserve them in spite of famine. Res.

Our soul waits for the LORD, who is our help and our shield. May your kindness, O LORD, be upon us who have put our hope in you. Res.

Second Reading: By faith Abraham left his homeland not love, and serve God in a particular way. Therefore, we need to knowing where he was going. His faith in God made his use the gifts we have received, such as our lives, talents, and journey meaningful, for, he inherited the things God had education, to accomplish what our master wants from us. promised in a better homeland which is heaven.

(Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19)

Gospel: The life of a disciple must be one of continua watchful preparedness; always ready to serve. As for leaders, that when the day of reckoning comes, the Lord, our Master, will their privileges and responsibilities are greater but so will be find us ready and worthy - to the greater glory of His name. their punishment for unfaithfulness..

(Luke 12:32-48)

# WEEKDAY READINGS

19TH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C

Monday St. Dominic

Ez 1:2-5. 24-28/ Ps 148/Mt 17:22-27

Tuesday St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross

Ez 2:8, 3:4/Ps 119/Mt 18:1-5. 10. 12-14

Wednesday St. Lawrence

2 Cor 9:6-10/Ps 112/Jn 12:24-26

Thursday

St. Clare

Ez 12:1-12/Ps 78/Mt 18:21. 19-1

Friday

St. Jane Frances de Chantal

Ez 16:1-15. 60. 63/Is. 12/Mt 19:3-12

Saturday

Ss. Pontian and Hippolytus

Ez 18:1-10. 13b. 30-32/Ps 51/Mt 19:13-15

**NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS** 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR C Jer 38:4-6; 8-10/Ps 40/Heb 12:1-4/Lk 12:49-53

# FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

Dear Parishioners,

When a man has had a great deal given him, a great deal will be demanded of him; when a man has had a great deal given him on trust, even more will be expected of him.

These words tell us of Jesus' expectations of his disciples. This statement holds for every organization. Listen to any morning show on radio or TV for just 30 minutes, and you will notice the spotlight of accountability on public officials. This statement from Jesus in today's Gospel was in response to a question put to Him by Peter. Jesus had said that His followers should be ready at all times with their lamps lit to welcome the master. Peter wanted to know whether the message was for them.

The apostles had been given much. Not only were they privileged to be the companions of Jesus, but also Jesus would later make them the custodians of the good news of salvation. So Jesus admonished them to be aware of the grave responsibilities to be entrusted to them. It is easy to assume that Jesus' warning was meant for some people. However, if we fully understand the import of being Christian, each of us needs to gird up our loins. Who has not been given a great deal? The father has responsibility over his family; likewise, the mother or the guardian; the President; Members of Parliament, the chief executive; the teacher, the worker, indeed everyone. We need to understand that each human life is a task, a mission to know,

It could be attractive for us to rest on our oars and dally with the need to paddle to the end, thinking, there is time: my master is taking his time in coming. Instead of doing that, let us be faithful and wise; let us gird our loins and keep our lamps burning; so

Thank you for participating fully and actively in the novena to the Precious Blood of our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ. May the drops of that rich fountain continually unite us closely to the love of God and deliver us from all harm. As with all the other novenas, you can pray the novena to the Precious Blood anytime to help you grow spiritually. Yesterday we began another novena in preparation for the feast of the Assumption of our Blessed Mother Mary. I encourage you to pray this novena as we ask Mary, our mother, to intercede for all of us as we bring our prayers of praise and adoration and our petitions and tears to God.

I am looking forward to seeing many of you coming at different times to pray the Rosary of a thousand hail Marys on Assumption day. It will begin at midday and conclude at 6:30 with evening Mass.

The Lord bless and keep you.

I wish you all a blessed Month.

# SECOND COLLECTION

August

07 Thanksgiving

14 Poor and Needy

21 Men vs Women

28 Laity (Arch)

### **BIDDING PRAYERS & OFFERTORY**

August

07 Sacred Heart Confraternity

14 Catholic Men Association

21 YCWM

28 Christian Mothers Association

# **SOCIETAL / GROUP MEETING TODAY**

\*Parish Youth Council, after the 8:00am Mass at the St. Joseph's room (Parish Hall).

\*Sacred Heart Confraternity, after the 8:00am Mass at the St. Maria's room (Parish Hall).

\*Tarcisians, after the 8:00am Mass at the St. Joseph's room (Parish Hall).

#### NEXT WEEK

\*Catholic Men Association, after the 8:00am Mass at the School Canteen.

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

\*Kasena Nankana, after the 8:00am Mass at the Grotto.

\*St. Michael Ewe Union (Executives), after the 8:00am Mass at the Grotto.

#### PARISH HALL COMMITTEE

The Committee will meet today, after the 8:00am Mass at the St. Anthony's room (Parish Hall).

#### MARIAN CHOIR CALLING

Marian Choir invites parishioners to join the choir. The choir sings at the 10.30am Mass and has rehearsals on Mondays & Wednesdays at 6.00pm at the Parish Hall.

#### **VOLLEYBALL TRAINING**

1. Dela Tengey and Annie-Jane Darko (2)

2. Ernest Effah & Charity Oppong (2)

**MARRIAGE BANNS** 

The Sports department of the PYC will resume Volleyball Training on 7th August, 2022 at 3:00pm. Parishioners, especially the youth are encouraged to join.

3. Justice Yao Samaha Mawushie & Peace Afi Deffor (1)

# - Rev. Fr. Donatus Pallu

## LECTORS CALLING, LECTORS CALLING! The CTK Lector's ministry wishes to invite parishoners

**FAITH CORNER** 

FRATELLI TUTTI AND THE QUEST FOR

PEACE AND RECONCILIATION IN GHANA

Ghana is a relatively peaceful country though she has

witnessed a lot of military take overs. Ghana being a

multi-ethnic, multi-lingual, multi-cultural and multi-

religious nation has put in a lot of effort to maintain

The setting up of the National Reconciliation

Commission and the National Peace Council are moves

to heal the wounds from the abuse of human rights in

the past and also face squarely any occurrence in the

present that may threaten the peace we are all enjoying.

In Fratelli tutti, Pope Francis spells out the roles that

individuals, nations and religions must play to establish

the peace that Jesus the Prince of Peace promised

us."Peace" from the Hebrew shalom indicates the

absence of conflict and war. It also means making things

good and also restoring something which is lost or

stolen. Peace is an art that involves and regards everyone

who is ready to play his or her part in restoring order in

Without mincing words, the Holy Father condemns

wars because they destroy the very beauty of creation

most especially human life. He frowns on the few

people who profit from the sufferings of the masses

The many people who are injured not only physically

but spiritually and emotionally must be helped to heal. It

is on this point that the Holy Father calls on world

religions to serve as guides in this healing process.

Religious leaders must echo loudly now more than ever,

their message of peace and not vengeance. Political

leaders must not become witch hunters with the aim of

scoring political points which will only end up

disrupting the developmental process of the nation.

All of us must work for peace.

peace in the life of Ghanaians.

society.

during wars.

who would like to join the ministry to pick and fill out an application form at the Church Office. Thank you and have a blessed day.

# **FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The One Week Observance Mass for the late Madam Veronica Olubunmi Daryanani, mother of Mr Martin Nantwi Kankam, a parishioner comes off on Wednesday, 10th August, 2022 at 8:00am at St. Kizito Catholic Church, Nima. Attire is white.

The death has been announced of Mr. Joseph Yanzu, husband of Mrs Mary Yanzu, both parishioners. The sad event occurred on Friday, 29th July, 2022. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.



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