



THE CHURCH Bulletin

Sunday, October 12, 2025. Vol. 8/Iss. 41

SUNDAY MASS READING

1st Reading - 2 Kings 5:14-17
Psalm - Psalm 98:1, 2-3, 3-4
2nd Reading - 2 Timothy 2:8-13
Gospel - Luke 17:11-19

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

*The Lord has revealed to the nations
his saving power.*

MASS SCHEDULES

Sunday

1st Mass: 6:30 am
2nd Mass: 9:00 am
Children's Mass: 7:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Monday: 6:00 am
Tuesday: 6:00 am
Wednesday: 6:00 am & 7:00 pm
Thursday: 6:00 am
Friday: 6:00 am & 7:00 pm
Adoration: 6:00 pm
Saturday: 6:30 am
Adoration: 6:00 am

Infant Baptism

once every quarter of the year

Confessions

Fridays: 6:00 p.m. - 6:45 p.m.
Saturdays: 7:00 a.m. & 6:00 p.m.
or any day by appointment.

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Theme: God expects gratitude from us for the many blessings we receive from Him

By: Fr Anthony Anomah, C.S.Sp.

As Jesus entered a village, ten male lepers met him. Lepers were treated as outcasts. They were forced to live on the fringes of society, and people looked at them with fear and contempt. They desperately cried out to Jesus to take pity on them. Out of compassion, Jesus told them to go and show themselves to the priests. On their way to carry out His instruction they discovered that they were cleansed and healed. Their unquestioning and trusting response to Jesus' instructions cleansed and healed them. They only needed to show themselves to the priest to be officially declared clean and to be fully re-integrated into "normal" society.

Finding himself cured, only one of them, a Samaritan who belonged to a hated and despised group, an outcast went back "praising God at the top of his voice." He expressed his deepest gratitude to Jesus for what had happened to him. The remaining nine Jews, members of God's chosen people did not come back to express their gratitude to the Lord. Jesus expressed his

surprise: "Were not all ten made clean? The other nine, where are they? It seems that no one has come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner, alien, outsider, godless pagan, heretic, a person who is presumed to be far from God? It was the outcast who was most deeply aware of God's action in his life.

Similarly, Naaman, the Syrian military commander in the first reading, was an outcast, a leper, a non-Israelite, and a pagan, but he returned to thank the Prophet Elisha for curing his leprosy, and as a sign of his gratitude and faith, transferred his allegiance to the God of Israel.

We, too, may have met non-Christians who have a much better sense of God working in their lives than some of us who are "Catholics." The faith of the outcast saved and raised him up to a new life with Christ. His deep insight into what he had experienced had been a saving experience which fully restored his relationships both with God and with his neighbours in the community.

In every society there are people who are marginalised, neglected discriminated against and oppressed, sometimes very openly, sometimes in more subtle

"...Our Lady Seat of Wisdom...Pray for US."

MEETINGS

1. Christian Mother's Association have their general meeting on 1st Sundays of the month after Mass. New members are welcome.

2. Christian Daughters Association meets after Mass every 1st Sunday of the month. New members are welcome.

3. St Theresa of the child Jesus society will be having their monthly general meeting on 2nd Sunday of every month. New members are welcome

4. The Youth have their general meeting on 3rd Sundays of the month after Mass. New members are welcome.

5. The Church Choir meets as follows:

Tuesdays - 7pm
Thursdays - 7pm
Saturdays - 7pm

6. KNOLTA meets as follows:

Saturdays - 3:00pm
Sundays after Mass.

7. Sacred Heart Confraternity meets after first Mass on the third Sunday of every month. First Friday devotion is at 5am every month at the church. New members are welcome

8. Catholic Charismatic Renewal meets for prayer meeting and intercessions as follows: Sundays - 5:00pm and Mondays - 6:00pm

9. Welfare Committee meets every Second Sunday of the month after Mass.

10. All parishioners who have not registered should pick registration forms and fill for their names to be captured in the Day-Group Welfare list.

11. Lectors meet on Saturdays at 6:00pm

12. Church Pastoral Council meets after first Mass on the second Sunday of the month

13. Persons wishing to Join Knight of St John International, should Contact the following numbers: 054 080 2319/ 0543900732

14. CYO meets at 2pm on Sundays. New members are welcome

15. Trinity Northern Society meets every 3rd Sunday of the month after first Mass. New members are welcome

16. St. Michael Ewe Society meets every 2nd Sunday of the month after first Mass. New members are welcome

17. Holy Family Akan Society meets every 3rd Sunday after first Mass. New members are welcome.

Society Duty Roster

5th Oct	Monday
12th Oct	Tuesday
19th Oct	Wednesday
26th Oct	Thursday
2nd Nov	Friday
9th Nov	Saturday
16th Nov	Sunday
23rd Nov	CCR
30th Nov	Youth
7th Dec	CMA
14th Dec	STCJ
21st Dec	KLM
28th Dec	KSJI&LA

****Please Note: Now it is only on Sundays that groups will be on duty for prayer of the faithful and offertory.**

Saints/Memorials of the Week



Wednesday

Memorial of Saint Teresa of Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church



Friday

Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop and Martyr



Saturday

Feast of Saint Luke, Evangelist

DAILY READINGS

Mon - Romans 1:1-7; Psalm 98:1bcde, 2-3ab, 3cd-4; Luke 11:29-32

Tue - Romans 1:16-25; Psalm 19:2-3, 4-5; Luke 11:37-41

Wed - Romans 2:1-11; Psalm 62:2-3, 6-7, 9; Luke 11:42-46

Thur: Romans 3:21-30; Psalm 130:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6ab; Luke 11:47-54

Fri: Romans 4:1-8; Psalm 32:1b-2, 5, 11; Luke 12:1-7

Sat - 2 Timothy 4:10-17b; Psalm 145:10-11, 12-13, 17-18; Luke 10:1-9

Sun - Exodus 17:8-13; Psalm 121:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2; Luke 18:1-8



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The Church Health Committee

in Collaboration with the

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S COUNCIL

presents

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS



THEME:

EVERY STORY IS UNIQUE AND EVERY JOURNEY MATTERS

SUN.

19TH OCT, 2025

TIME: 9 AM - 2 PM

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**SCREENING
AND
EDUCATION**



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but equally hurtful ways. What is our attitude towards them? As followers of Jesus, we need to promote the dignity and rights of people who are “different” by reason of culture, religion, life-style choice, or any physical or mental disability. Yes, like the Samaritan, we all need to be cleansed, to be healed, to be made whole.

In the Second Reading from the Second Letter of Paul to Timothy, Paul admonishes Timothy to remember the hardships he had to endure for preaching the Good News. However, “they cannot chain up the God's news. Nothing and no one can stop it. Paul bears his chains with pride and joy because God will always be faithful to His people.

Roster for October 2025 Rosary Devotion

Day	Morning Mon-Fri - 5:30 am Saturday - 5:45 am Sunday - 6:00 am	Evening Sun/Mon/Tue/Thurs/Sat - 7:00 pm Wed & Fri. - 6:30 pm
Sunday	ALL	CCR/Christian Mothers/ Sunday Born
Monday	Morning Mass Devotees	Christian Mothers/CCR/ Monday Born
Tuesday	Morning Mass Devotees	St. Theresa/Choir/Ga/ Tuesday Born
Wednesday	Morning Mass Devotees	KLM/ Alleluia Ensemble/ Wednesday Born
Thursday	Morning Mass Devotees	KSJI/LA/Choir/ Thursday Born
Friday	Morning Mass Devotees	Ewe/Alleluia Ensemble/Sacred Heart/Friday Born
Saturday	Morning Mass Devotees	Akan/Trinity Northern Group/Saturday Born

SECOND COLLECTION IN AID OF EDUCATION FUND

Date: Sunday, 26th October 2025

For cheque or bank transfer, send to:

Our Lady Seat of Wisdom Catholic Church Oyarifa

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2nd Collections in October 2025

5th Oct. - Thanksgiving
12th Oct. - Formation of Religious
19th Oct. - Mission Sunday
26th Sept - Education Fund

PRAYERS CORNER

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I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible.

I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages.

God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made.

For us men and for our salvation, he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures.

He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father.

He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets.

I believe in One, Holy, Catholic and Apostolic Church.

I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

ANIMA CHRISTI

Soul of Christ, sanctify me

Body of Christ, save me

Blood of Christ, inebriate me

Water from the side of Christ, wash me

Passion of Christ, strengthen me

O good Jesus, hear me

Within thy wounds, hide me

Suffer me not to be separated from thee

From the malignant enemy defend me

In the hour of my death call me

and bid me come unto thee,

that with thy saints I may praise thee

forever and ever. Amen.



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