



THE CHURCH Bulletin

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SUNDAY MASS READING

1st Reading - 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a
Psalm - Psalm 23: 1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6
2nd Reading - Ephesians 5:8-14
Gospel - John 9:1-41

RESPONSORIAL PSALM

The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want

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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4th Sunday of Lent (Year A)

Theme: *You were once living in darkness but, through Baptism you are now living in the light.*

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

The man born blind is the hero of today's Gospel. The story has close links with Baptism (enlightenment). "Why was the man born blind? Was it the result of his own sins or the sins of his parents?" Jesus responded: None of the above; but so that the glory and power of God should be made evident, so that our spiritual blindness could be cured. The man born blind was given a completely new life. He experienced the light Christ. St Paul calls the baptised Christian a "completely new person". Washing in the pool of Siloam symbolizes his baptism.

The man born blind recognized Jesus as a prophet. However, the Pharisees did not accept it because if they did, then they would have to accept Jesus and his teaching also. So, they did not even accept that the man was born blind! Prejudice blinded them to

facts. The man born blind insisted that sinners cannot do the things Jesus did. God does not listen to sinners. God listens to those who respect him and do his will. It has never been heard before that anyone cured a man born blind. If Jesus is not from God, he could not have cured the man born blind. Based on his testimony about Jesus, they expelled him from the synagogue. When Jesus heard that he had been expelled, he searched for him; and asked him: "Do you believe in the Son of Man, that is, the Messiah? The man replied, "tell me who he is and I will believe in him.". Jesus said, You have seen him. He is talking with you now. "I believe, Lord," the man said as he fell down in worship before Jesus, whom he called his Lord. He saw also with eyes of faith.

Jesus said, I came to this world so that the blind could see and those who see become blind. The Pharisees asked Jesus, "Do you mean we are blind, too?" Jesus responded: If you were really blind, you would not have sin;

"...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

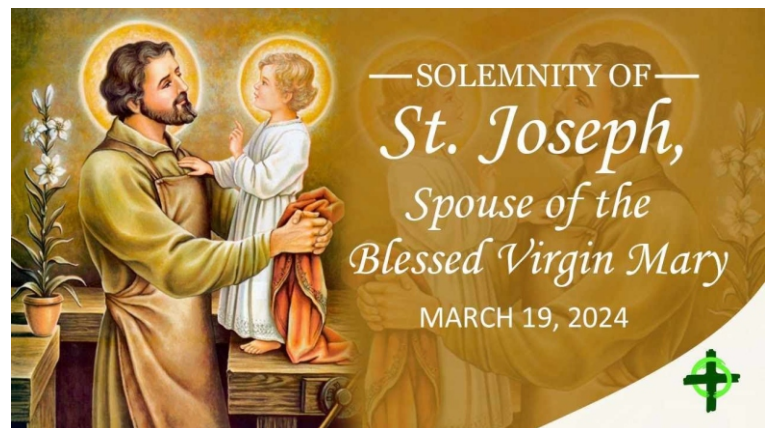
16. St. Michael Ewe Society meets every 2nd Sunday of the month after first Mass. New members are welcome

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

Society Duty Roster

4th Jan	Trinity Northern
11th Jan	St. Michael Ewe
18th Jan	Holy Family Akan
25th Jan	Youth
1st Feb	CMA
8th Feb	STCJS
15th Feb	CCR
22nd Feb	KLM
1st Mar	KSJI&LA
8th Mar	Sunday
15th Mar	Monday
22nd Mar	Tuesday
29th Mar	Wednesday

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



DAILY READINGS

Mon - Isaiah 65:17-21; Psalm 30:2 and 4, 5-6, 11-12a and 13b; John 4:43-54

Tue -Ezekiel 47:1-9, 12; Psalm 46:2-3, 5-6, 8-9 John 5:1-16

Wed - Isaiah 49:8-15; Psalm 145:8-9, 13cd-14, 17-18 John 5:17-30

Thur: 2Sam 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4-5, 27 & 29; Rom 4:13, 16-18, 22; Matt 1:16, 18-21, 24a

Fri: Wisdom 2:1a, 12-22; Psalm 34:17-18, 19-20, 21 and 23; John 7:1-2, 10, 25-30

Sat - Jeremiah 11:18-20; Ps 7:2-3, 9bc-10, 11-12; John 7:40-53

Sun - Ezekiel 37:12-14; Ps 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8; Romans 8:8-11; John 11:1-45

REFLECTION

but because you say, 'We can see', you are guilty. Those who sin, those who refuse to listen, those who are proud, are the really blind people. The Pharisees, who thought they could see, were the real sinners. And the man, born blind, who accepted Jesus was the one who could actually see. Jesus saw a future disciple in the man born blind, and passed over the self-righteous Pharisees who, externally, seemed to be so devoutly religious. We too, may wonder why we were chosen to enter Christ's community when there were many others more fitting.

In the First Reading, God did not choose the older, handsome, stronger, intelligent sons of

Jesse for his mission but the youngest. Whenever God chooses someone for a great mission, he upsets the logical rules of common sense. Samuel thought that the eldest son of Jesse would be chosen but he was not God's choice. God wanted the youngest, the shepherd boy David. God does not look at appearance but the quality of the heart.

The Second Reading reminds us about how we were once living in darkness but, through our Baptism, are now living in the light. We are to live as children of light, and abandon the works of darkness.

MASS SCHEDULE FOR HOLY WEEK, 29TH MARCH – 5TH APRIL

DATE	EVENT	TIME	CHILDREN'S MASS	MASS TIME
29 TH MAR 2026	PALM SUN	7:00 @ Oyarifa Clinic	PALM SUN	After Procession
1 ST APR 2026	CHRISM MASS	10:00 am Cathedral		
2 ND APR 2026	HOLY THURSDAY	8:00 pm.		
3 RD APR 2026	GOOD FRIDAY	2:00 pm Stations of the Cross 3:00 pm Divine Mercy Prayer 3:30 pm - Service		
4 TH APR 2026	HOLY SATURDAY	8:00 pm		
5 TH APR 2026	EASTER SUNDAY Launching of 2026 Fundraising	8:00 am	EASTER	8:30 am
5 TH APR 2026	KRISTOPRAISE	4:00 pm		
6 TH APR 2026	PICNIC	1;00 pm		

KRISTOPRAISE

- Fundraising Activities March
- Publicity and Promotion
- Sale of T-Shirts
- Kristopraise Day - 5th April 2026 (Easter Sunday)

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Part-Time Accounts Officer wanted.

Qualifications: Diploma in Accounting or Degree in Accounting. Partly qualified or fully qualified ICA/ACCA. Minimum of 3 years working exercise

How to Apply:

Interested applicants should submit their CVs to the Union Office or send via WhatsApp to: **0552529529**

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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