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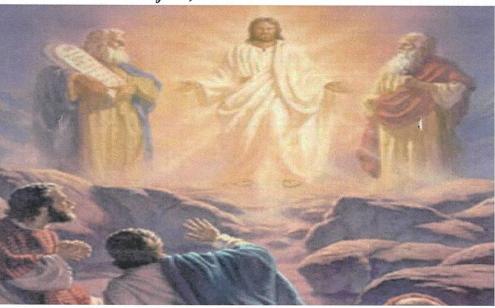
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Second Sunday of Lent
February 28, 2021

"This is my beloved Son, listen to Him."



Mark 9:2-10

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Wednesdays and First Fridays 5:00PM

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MISSION STATEMENT

To continue the ministry of Jesus Christ by:

Preaching the Good News to a Caribbean Community in keeping with the vision of the Roman Catholic Church. Furthering the faith of God's people with sound teaching and meaningful liturgies in keeping with the apostolic tradition. Promoting and implementing inclusive strategies to meet the needs of the populations that worship at Saints Peter & Paul Cathedral.

Second Sunday of Lent

Genesis 22:1-2,9a,10-13,15-18 The sacrifice of Abraham, our father in faith.

"I will walk before the Lord, in the land of the living." Psalm 116

Romans 8:31b-34 God did not spare his own Son.

Mark 9:2-10 This is my beloved Son.

In today's difficult first reading, Abraham proves his faithfulness to God, trusting the LORD completely, unlike Adam and Eve, who had turned away. God blesses Abraham with descendants too numerous to count. Each of us is one. Indeed, each of us is blessed because Jesus, God's only Son, made the ultimate sacrifice for us and now intercedes for us. In the Gospel, he is transfigured in glory, a sign of his future place at God's right hand.

MASS INTENTION

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2021:

7:00AM-†Tyler Yannone Rb Pia & Anapia Brunt

4:30PM-†Jerrylin Sylvester Rb Lorelei Farrington

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 2021:

7:00AM-†Tyler Yannone Rb Pia & Anapia Brunt

10:00AM-†Jules M.Olive Rb Steve Olive and family

12:00PM-PedroJosé Castillo-González(Birthday) Rb

his Godmother

MONDAY, MARCH 1, 2021:

7:00AM-†Clothile Andrea Bryan Rb Steve, Virginia Olive and family

TUESDAY, MARCH 2, 2021:

7:00AM-+Viola & +Thomas Blake Rb a friend

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 3, 2021

7:00AM - Hughley Prince Rb Steve, Virginia Olive and family

12:15PM-Msgr. Jerome Feudjio

THURSDAY, MARCH 4, 2021:

7:00AM-Cassi Laudat(Special Intention) Rb Randolph Laudat

FRIDAY, MARCH 5, 2021:

7:00AM- Special Intention Rb M.Pascale Duplan

SATURDAY, MARCH 6, 2021:

7:00AM-†Richard Pierre Rb M.Pascale Duplan

4:30PM-†Jules Marcel Olive Rb Steve, Virginia Olive and family

SUNDAY, MARCH 7, 2021:

7:00AM-Charlotte Banks (Birthday)Rb Lillia King

10:00AM-Martin Emanuel Jr. (Birthday) Rb Kim Emanuel -Keith Smith Rb Cinthia Smith

12:00PM-

MONDAY, MARCH 8, 2021:

7:00AM-In thanksgiving Rb Mr & Mrs Edwin Olive -Te'Shawn Adams(Special Intention)Rb Agatha Turnbull

TUESDAY, MARCH 9, 2021:

7:00AM-Aurea Olive(Birthday) Rb Pete & Becky Ledee

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 10, 2021

7:00AM -Msgr. Jerome Feudjio 12:15PM -Fr. Neil Scantlebury

THURSDAY, MARCH 11, 2021:

7:00AM-Juan DeJesús(Birthday)Rb his wife & daughter

FRIDAY, MARCH 12, 2021:

7:00AM-

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WEEKENDS

Saturday: 4:30 PM (Vigil Mass) Sunday: 7:00AM, 10:00AM, 12:00 PM (Spanish)

WEEKDAYS

Monday to Saturday- 7:00AM Holidays: 7:00AM

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 4:00PM - 4:25PM or by Appointments

HOLY HOUR

(Discontinued until further notice) Tuesdays: 7:30AM - 12:00PM Fridays: 7:30AM - 12:00PM

DEVOTIONS

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Wednesday before Mass)

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

Every Sunday

beginning with the 7:00AM Mass

ANNOUNCEMENTS

WELCOME:

Welcome to Father Francis Aning Amoah who will be ministering in the Diocese of Saint Thomas.

LENTEN SEASON:

-Every Friday during Lent, there will be meditation on the Stations of the Cross at **4:30PM** in English. The same devotion will be conduct in Spanish at **5:30PM**. All are invited.

-During Lent, there will be a noon Mass in addition to the morning Mass on **Wednesdays**. (7:00AM and 12:15PM).

-Every Saturday there will be confessions at the Cathedral (3:45PM).

FOOD FOR THE POOR:

Please, remember to bring non-perishable food for the poor in our community next weekend, first weekend of the month.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY:

This year, the Divine Mercy Sunday celebration will take place at Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral.

SECOND COLLECTION:

The second collection this weekend will be taken up for the Priests' Retirement Fund. Next weekend second collection will go towards the Music Ministry.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES:

Please, pick up your box of envelopes for offerings at the church office, at the end of each Mass. Every year, envelopes are printed to be used by our active parishioners. Please, do not use the envelope number that does not belong to you. Thank you for your understanding and continued support. Online donation is available at www.cathedralvi.org. Log on our Website and click Donate.

JOB OPENING:

In order to effectively maintain the facilities of all our parishes in Saint Thomas, the Diocese of Saint Thomas is advertising a job position for a **Physical Plant Manager**.

*The applicant must be skilled in plumbing, electrical

repairs, masonry and carpentry.

*Housing will be provided; salary negotiable.

*The applicant must contact Msgr. Jerome Feudjio at 340-774-0201 or 340-775-1650.

TAX LETTER REQUEST:

Email your request for tax letters to cathedralvi@gmail.com or Bbarnes@cathedralvi.org. Please, include your NAME, ADDRESS, and ENVELOPE NUMBER. Everyone who has requested letters, can pick them up at the church office. Thank you for your continued support.

PRAYERS

ACT OF CONTRITION

O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended You, and I detest all my sins, because I dread the loss of heaven and the pains of hell, but most of all because they offend You, my God, who are good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve, with the help of Your grace, to confess my sins, to do penance and to amend my life.

Amen.

ST. MICHAEL THE ARCHANGEL

Saint Michael the Archangel,
defend us in battle. Be our protection
against the wickness and snares of the devil.
May God rebuke him, we humbly pray;
and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly Host,
by the power of God, cast into hell
Satan and all the evil spirits,
who wander through the world
seeking the ruin of the souls.

Amen

PRAYER DURING LENT

God of time and eternity, You bless us with this holy season of Lent for the remembrance and renewal of the way of life we embraced in Baptism.

Grant us a season of good and honest labor.

Prosper the work of our hands, and support us when our efforts fail.

Whether at the first hour or at the eleventh hour, may all of us enter into this privileged time of prayer, fasting, and the sharing of charity.

We ask this through Christ our Lord.

Amen

OUR CHURCH AND OUR SCHOOL ARE SAFE ENVIRONMENTS:

We are all committed to the protection of the children in our institutions. If you notice any harmful behavior toward our children, do not hesitate to contact us as soon as possible.

Thank you







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Fasting

Almsgiving

SECOND COLLECTION WILL BE TAKEN AS FOLLOW:

FEBRUARY 27-28, 2021:

Priests' Retirement Fund

MARCH 7, 2021: Music Ministry

MARCH 14, 2021: Catholic Education

ORACIÓN POR LA UNIDAD DE LOS CRISTIANOS

Dios Todopoderoso y Eterno, Tu reunes las ovejas dispersas y cuidas de los que has reunido. Mira con amabilidad a todos los que siguen a Jesús, tu Hijo.

Los has marcado con el sello de un bautismo, ahora, hazlos uno en la plenitud de la fe y únelos en el vínculo del amor.

Lo pedimos por medio de Cristo nuestro Señor.

Amén.

PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA:

¿Cómo puedo transfigurar mi vida en esta Cuaresma? ¿Qué voy a hacer para mostrar la transfiguración que Jesús ha hecho en mí?

NUESTRA IGLESIA Y NUESTRA ESCUELA SON AMBIENTES SEGUROS:

Todos estamos comprometidos con la protección de los niños en nuestras instituciones. Si nota algún comportamiento nocivo hacia nuestros hijos, no dude en ponerse en contacto con nosotros lo antes posible. Gracias





Orar

Ayunar

Donar

SEGUNDO DOMINGO DE CUARESMA

ENTRADA:

En este segundo domingo de Cuaresma, el Evangelio refiere la Transfiguración del Señor. La Transfiguración de Cristo nos enseña que tenemos que seguirle por el camino de la cruz, si queremos llegar con él a la gloria de la resurrección. Pidámosle en esta Misa la gracia de una entrega total, aún hasta la muerte, si esa es su voluntad. De pie, por favor, para recibir a los ministros de esta eucaristía.

PRIMERA LECTURA:

La primera lectura, tomada del libro del Génesis, nos presenta a Abrahán, Padre de los creyentes. Dios le probó hasta lo último pidiéndole a su único hijo, Isaac. La fe y la obediencia de Abrahán le hicieron merecedor de las bendiciones del Señor. Escuchemos con atención.

SALMO RESPONSORIAL:

"Caminaré ante el Señor, en la tierra de los vivos."

SEGUNDA LECTURA:

En la carta a los romanos, de la cual está tomada la segunda lectura de hoy, Pablo canta en un himno triunfal nuestra esperanza en la salvación que Dios Padre nos da por su Hijo Jesucristo. El Padre ha entregado a su propio Hijo y por su Muerte y Resurrección viene a nosotros toda gracia.

EVANGELIO:

El evangelista Marcos, de quien está tomada la lectura evangélica de hoy, adelanta ya en vida de Jesús y antes de su pasión y muerte la plena comprensión que del misterio de Cristo dio a los Apóstoles la fe pospascual. El segundo domingo de Cuaresma nos presenta la Transfiguración de Cristo con Moisés y Elías. Pedro, Santiago y Juan, estuvieron presentes en esta maravillosa escena como preparación a la Pasión y Muerte del mismo Jesús. Es por el camino de la cruz que llegamos a la resurrección.

COMUNIÓN ESPIRITUAL

Mi Jesús, creo que Tú estás presente en el bendecido Sacramento. Te amo por encima de todas las cosas y te deseo en mi alma. Puesto que ahora no puedo recibirte en el Sacramento, ven espiritualmente a mi corazón. Te abrazo y me uno totalmente a Ti; no permitas que nunca me aparte de Ti

(St. Alphonsus de Liguori)



DAILY READINGS

Sunday/Domingo, February 28 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

First Reading: Genesis 22:1-2,9a,10-13,15-18 Second Reading: Romans 8:31b-34 Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

Monday/Lunes, March 1

First Reading: Daniel 9:4b-10 Gospel: Luke 6:36-38

Tuesday/Martes, March 2

First Reading: Isaiah 1:10,16-20 Gospel: Matthew 23:1-12

Wednesday/Miércoles, March 3

First Reading: Jeremiah 18:18-20 Gospel: Matthew 20:17-28

Thursday/Jueves March 4

First Reading: Jeremiah 17:5-10 Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

Friday/Viernes, March 5

First Reading: Genesis 37:3-4,12-13a,17b-28a Gospel: Matthew 21:33-43,45-46

Saturday/Sábado, March 6

First Reading: Micah7:14-15,18-20 Gospel: Luke 15:1-3,11-32

Sunday/Domingo, March 7 THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

First Reading:Exodus 20:1-17or20:1-3,7-8, 12-17 Second Reading: Corinthians 1:22-25 Gospel: John 2:13-25

LENTEN SEASON SCHEDULE

LENTEN SEASON BEGINS FEBRUARY 17, 2021

STATION OF CROSS EVERY FRIDAY

4:30PM SPPC English 5:00PM StANNE English 5:30PM SPPC Spanish

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

SATURDAY, MARCH 27, 2021

4:15PM SPPC Blessing of Palms 4:30PM SPPC Vigil Mass

SUNDAY, MARCH 28, 2021

7:00AM SPPC Blessing of the Palms followed by Mass

8:30AM StANNE

10:00AM SPPC Blessing of the Palms followed by Mass 12:00PM SPPC Blessing of the Palms followed by Mass

THURSDAY, APRIL 1, 2021

HOLY THURSDAY OF THE LORD'S SUPPER -Bilingual

6:00PM SPPC Mass of the Lord's Supper followed by

the Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

until 9:00PM.

FRIDAY, APRIL 2, 2021 FRIDAY OF THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION – (GOOD FRIDAY)

12:00PM SPPC 3:00PM SPPC

5:00PM SPPC - Spanish

LIVING STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN SPANISH – Procession will begin from Hurley Funeral Home at 4:00pm followed by the celebration of the Lord's Passion in Spanish in the Cathedral

EASTER SUNDAY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

SATURDAY APRIL 3, 2021 HOLY SATURDAY

6:00PM SPPC Easter Vigil Mass – Bilingual

SUNDAY APRIL 4, 2021 EASTER SUNDAY

7:00 AM SPPC 8:30AM St ANNE 10:00AM SPPC

12:00PM SPPC - Spanish

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

How can I transfigure my life this Lent? What will I do to show the transfiguration Jesus has made in me?

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the blessed Sacrament. I love You above all things and desire You in my soul. Since I cannot now receive You in the Sacrament, come spiritually into my heart. I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You; do not permit me ever to be separated from You.

(St. Alphonsus de Liguori)



OBSERVANCE DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Please, be announced that during this Pandemic, there are regulations to follow by everyone:

- 1- Temperature will be taken to every person coming to Mass.
- 2- Wear face covering all the time.
- 3- Maintain social distance of 6 feet.



PASTORAL SERVICES FOR THE COMMUNITY

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Baptisms are generally held on the last Sunday of the month. Requests for a different date and time will be honored to the extent possible. Parents and sponsors who have not yet received the required baptismal instruction are expected to do so by attending our baptismal preparation program. Call the Parish Office well in advance so that class arrangements can be made.

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Anyone wishing to have his or her wedding celebrated at Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral must contact the Church Office 9-12 months prior to the celebration by calling 340-774-0201 or through our webpage at www.cathedralvi.org and, talk to a priest for pre-wedding counseling. The Sacrament of Matrimony is generally celebrated on a Saturday between the hours of 11:00AM and 2:00PM. Please, contact the Pastor if you would like a different time for your wedding. (Note that Saturday mornings are reserved for cleaning and decorating the church.)

FUNERAL MASSES:

Funeral Masses at Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral are held on the designated day at 9:30AM. The Funeral Program should read "Christian Burial". If you would like a different time, please contact the pastor. Viewings will not take place inside the Cathedral. Funerals are not generally held on weekends (Saturday or Sunday). Thank you for your cooperation.

SICK & SHUT-INS:

If anyone in your family is ill, please inform the Parish. Give us their name so we can pray and minister to them.

HOME OR NURSING HOME

LENO ABRAHAM JENVILLE ANDREWS **EDWIN ARROYO** KNOLLY BEAZER MONICA BIRKLEY OLMAN C. CONNELL HILDA DANIEL RITA DUNCAN DONALD FRANÇOIS JOKATA GARCÍA MERCEDES GARCÍA WILFRED GARDIER ALFREDO GASKIN ERIC GRAF ESONIA HASSELL JOHN HENLEY JOSEPH HODGE WILBUR LEWIS **GWYNNETH MOOLENAAR** HUGO MOULON JOSEPH MORRELL ARACELY NICHOLSON CAROLINE PARSONS LEIDA PIZARRO SONIA PIZARRO HENRY J. RICHARDSON PHYLLIS RODNEY RAFAELA SANES PETRONA STANISLAUS CECILIA HILL-THOMAS JOHN H. VENZEN

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