

Diocese of St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands
Saints Peter & Paul Cathedral

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Divine Mercy Sunday April 11, 2021

**JESUS,
 I
 TRUST
 IN
 YOU**



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<p>OFFICE HOURS Monday - Friday 8:00AM - 4:00PM Sunday 8:00AM - 1:00PM</p>	<p>SAINTS PETER AND PAUL CATHOLIC SCHOOL (JK-12)</p> <p>PRINCIPAL <i>Mrs. Maria Jules-Daniel, MLIS</i></p> <p>VICE PRINCIPAL <i>Fr. Touchard G. Tignoua</i> 340 774-2199 340 774-5662</p>	<p>ST. ANNE'S CHAPEL Frenchtown P.O. Box 306810, Saint Thomas 00803 Phone 340-714-1101/ Fax 340-714-5231 chapelvi@gmail.com</p> <p>MASSSES Weekend: Saturdays 5:00PM; Sundays 8:30AM Weekdays: Wednesdays and First Fridays 5:00PM</p> <p>CONVENT Franciscan Handmaid of Mary <i>Sr. Mary T. Adenubi</i> <i>Sr. Emerite Kiloba</i> 340-714-1101</p>

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.

Divine Mercy Sunday

First Reading: Acts 4:32-35 They were of one heart and one mind

Psalm 118 **“Give thanks to the Lord for He is good, His love is everlasting.”**

Second Reading: 1 John 5:1-6 Whoever is begotten by God, conquers the world.

Gospel: John 20:19-31 Eight days later Jesus came and stood in their midst.

Today’s Gospel features the story of “doubting Thomas”, the apostle who refuse to believe in the risen Christ until he saw him with his own eyes. But let us not overlook Jesus giving the Holy Spirit to the apostles, telling them “whose sins you forgive are forgiven them.” May we be a forgiving people, calling upon the Holy Spirit, whom we received in baptism, to extend that divine mercy to all in need of forgiveness, to all of us.

MASS INTENTIONS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, APRIL 10, 2021:
 7:00AM- †Sister Angele Metsadjo Rb Sr. Clarisse
 †Hughley Prince Rb Saturday Choir Members
 4:30PM-†Pablo&Theresa Reyes Rb Agnes Harris & fam

SUNDAY, APRIL 11, 2021: DIVINE MERCY
 7:00AM-†Hughley Prince Rb Saturday Choir Members
 10:00AM-†Malachi Clewis Rb Steve Olive and family
 12:00PM -
2:30PM- Divine Mercy Chaplet and Homily

MONDAY, APRIL 12, 2021:
 7:00AM-†Hughley Prince Rb Saturday Choir Members

TUESDAY, APRIL 13, 2021:
 7:00AM-†Hughley Prince Rb Saturday Choir Members

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, 2021
 7:00AM - †Teddy Larsen Rb Pearla Larsen and family
 12:15PM -†Hughley Prince Rb Saturday Choir Members

THURSDAY, APRIL 15, 2021:
 7:00AM -†Hughley Prince Rb Saturday Choir Members

FRIDAY, APRIL 16, 2021:
 7:00AM-†Hughley Prince Rb Saturday Choir Members

SATURDAY, APRIL 17, 2021:
 10:00AM- Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Jerome Feudjio
 4:30PM-†Myrilin Ricardo Rb Myrilin B. Daniel&Lauren Spenser
 †Pablo&Theresa Reyes Rb Agnes Harris & fam
 All deceased family & friends Rb Julita De León

SUNDAY, APRIL 18, 2021:
 9:00AM-†All deceased of Olive&Olivia families Rb Steve Olive and family
 †Elesa Watlington Rb Mr&Mrs. Edwin Olive
 12:00PM -

MONDAY, APRIL 19, 2021:
 7:00AM-Eva Pemberton Rb Mary Pemberton


TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 2021:
 7:00AM-Alana & Elena Ralph Rb Mary Pemberton

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21, 2021
 7:00AM - Rachele Henry Rb Kathleen James
 9:00AM- **Funeral Mass** for †Mr. Knolly Beazer
 12:15PM -†Angela Bonelli Rb Luisa Beers and family

THURSDAY, APRIL 22, 2021:
 7:00AM -Nylann Marius Rb Marie Marius

FRIDAY, APRIL 23, 2021:
 7:00AM-†Randall L. Barnes Rb his wife

SATURDAY, APRIL 24, 2021:
 7:00AM-Humphrey,Hendricks&Larsen fams. Rb Pearla Larsen
 4:30PM-†Agatha&Alexander Williams Rb Carty &Farrington fams.



At the request of Beverly McClendon

**The Vigil light will be lit
in the Cathedral
for**

Dr. Walter & Carrie Rohloff

from April 10-16, 2021

M A S S - S C H E D U L E

<p>WEEKENDS Saturday: 4:30 PM (Vigil Mass) Sunday: 7:00AM, 10:00AM, 12:00 PM (Spanish)</p> <p>WEEKDAYS Monday to Saturday- 7:00AM Holidays: 7:00AM</p>	<p>CONFESSIONS: Saturday: 4:00PM - 4:25PM or by Appointments</p> <p>HOLY HOUR (Discontinued until further notice) Tuesdays: 7:30AM - 12:00PM Fridays: 7:30AM - 12:00PM</p>	<p>DEVOTIONS Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Wednesday before Mass)</p> <p>RELIGIOUS EDUCATION: Every Sunday beginning with the 7:00AM Mass</p>
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ANNOUNCEMENTS

CONDOLENCES: Our condolences go to the family of Mr. Knolly Beazer who passed away on April 4th, 2021. Mr. Beazer was the sacristan for many years at Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral. The Funeral Mass will be on Wednesday, April 21, 2021 at 9:00AM in the Cathedral. May his soul rest in peace.

MASS SCHEDULE: Because of the ordination of Bishop-elect Jerome Feudjio, there will be NO 7:00AM Mass on Saturday, April 17th, 2021, and on Sunday, April 18th, the Mass will be at 9:00AM. Please see the Mass Schedule in this bulletin.

ORDINATION COMMITTEE: The Committee is asking for parishioner who can come to clean and decorate the church on Thursday, April 15th at 9:00AM. Please, call the office for more information.

ALTAR FLOWERS: The altar flowers for last Sunday, April 4th, were donated by Mr. William Daniel in memory of his wife, Mrs. Ulrica Vialet to celebrate her birthday, and Mrs. Cleone Creque.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY: Divine Mercy celebration at the Cathedral will start at 2:30PM. However, there will be no Mass, but only the homily.

LOURDES IN A DAY: The 3rd annual "Lourdes in a Day" event will be at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church on Tuesday, April 13th, at 10:00AM. Confessions, Holy Mass, Holy Water from Lourdes, and Lunch will take place at this event.

EPISCOPAL ORDINATION: The Celebration of the Episcopal Ordination and Installation of Bishop-elect Jerome Feudjio begins with Vespers on Friday, April 16th at 5:00PM in the Cathedral. The Episcopal Ordination will be on Saturday, April 17th, at 10:00AM in the Cathedral. It will be live streamed at Saints Peter and Paul School and at Holy Family Church.

Because of the COVID-19 Pandemic Restrictions, attendance for the Vespers and Ordination will be by invitation only. Invitees will be screened upon entering Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral.

On Sunday, April 18th, at 9:00AM the Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated in Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral; in Saint Croix, on April 24th at Saint Patrick Church; and, in Saint John, on May 2nd at Our Lady of Mount Camel Church.

Live streaming of all the events will be available at www.cathedralvi.org and will be broadcasted locally on EWTN, Channel 7.

NEW AIR-CONDITIONER: We continue soliciting for your contribution to purchase a new air conditioner for our Cathedral. Please, use the envelopes available at the back of the church for your donation toward the Air Condition Fund. Thank you for your participation and generous donation on this very important project.

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CATHOLIC CHARITIES: Catholic Charities of the Virgin Islands is seeking to employ an Administrative Assistant with some accounting experience. They offer: Retirement Plan, Health Insurance, and Paid Vacations. Call 340-777-8518 for further information or email: ccusvi@outlook.com

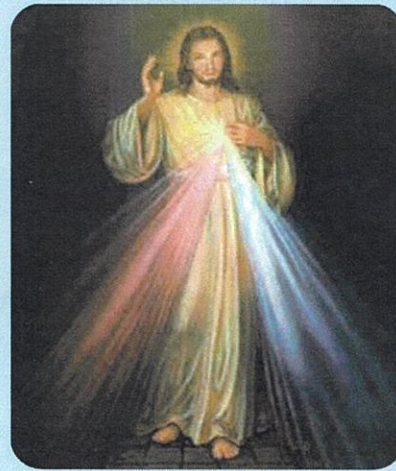
BISHOP'S APPEAL 2021: Your donation to the Bishop's Appeal 2021 helps to support our mission in evangelization. Your contribution helps us to nourish and spread our faith through the Catholic Islander which is a focus of unity for all the Catholics on our four islands. It also helps to support Catholic media, the formation of our seminarian and the development of our diocesan youth ministries. "It is not how much we give, it is how much LOVE we put into giving."

Saint Mother Theresa of Calcutta

SECOND COLLECTION: The second collection this weekend is taken to aid Catholic Education. Next weekend, second collection will go towards Cathedral Maintenance and Enhancement

Divine Mercy Sunday

April 11, 2021



SAINTS PETER AND PAUL CATHEDRAL

- ***2:30PM** Exposition of the Sacrament
- ***3:00PM** Divine Mercy Chaplet

Homilist:

Rev. Fr. David FitzPatrick

The event will include:

CONFESION, ADORATION and BENECTION

ANUNCIOS**PÉSAME:**

Nuestro sentido pésame a la familia del Sr. Knolly Beazer quien falleció el 4 de abril de 2021. El Sr. Beazer fue el sacristán de esta Catedral durante muchos años. La fecha de los servicios fúnebres se anunciará más adelante. Que su alma descanse en paz.

FLORES DEL ALTAR:

Las Flores del Altar del domingo pasado fueron donadas por el Sr. William Daniel, la Sra. Ulrica Violet y la Sra. Cleone Creque.

DOMINGO DE LA DIVINA MISERICORDIA:

La celebración de la Divina Misericordia hoy será sólo en inglés y comenzará con las confesiones a las 2:30PM.

LOURDES EN UN DÍA:

La Orden de Malta invita a todos los enfermos al 3er evento anual "Lourdes en un día". Será en la Iglesia Nuestra Señora del Perpetuo Socorro este martes, 13 de abril, a las 10:00 a.m. La Santa Misa será celebrada por el Padre Eduardo Ortiz. Agua Bendita de Lourdes estará disponible para todos. Las confesiones y el almuerzo tendrán lugar en este evento.

ORDENACIÓN EPISCOPAL:

La celebración de la Ordenación Episcopal y la instalación del obispo electo Jerome Feudjio comienza con la Víspera el viernes 16 de abril a las 5:00 p.m. en la Catedral. La Ordenación Episcopal será el sábado 17 de abril, a las 10:00 a.m. en la Catedral.

Debido a las restricciones de la pandemia covid-19, la asistencia a la Catedral para la Víspera y la Ordenación será sólo por invitación. A todos los invitados se les tomará la temperatura al entrar a la Catedral.

El domingo 18 de abril, a las 9:00 a.m., se celebrará la Misa de Acción de Gracias en la Catedral de San Pedro y Pablo; en Saint Croix, el 24 de abril, en la Iglesia de San Patricio; y, en Saint John, el 2 de mayo, en la Iglesia de Nuestra Señora del Monte Carmelo.

La transmisión en vivo de todos los eventos estará disponible en www.cathedralvi.org y se transmitirá localmente por EWTN, Canal 7.

SEGUNDA OFRENDA:

La segunda ofrenda de este fin de semana se lleva a cabo para la Educación Católica. El próximo fin de semana la segunda ofrenda se destinará al Mantenimiento y Mejora de la Catedral.

NUEVO AIRE ACONDICIONADO:

Seguimos solicitando su contribución para comprar un nuevo aire acondicionado para nuestra Catedral. Por favor, utilice los sobres disponibles en la parte posterior de la iglesia para su donación al Fondo de Aire Acondicionado. Gracias por su participación y generosa donación en este proyecto tan importante.

CARIDADES CATÓLICAS:

Caridades Católicas solicita a un Asistente Administrativo con experiencia en contabilidad. Ofrecemos: Plan de Jubilación, Seguro Médico y Vacaciones Pagadas. Llame al 340-777-8518 para obtener más información o envíe un correo electrónico ccusvi@outlook.com

DIVINA MISERICORDIA**ENTRADA:**

Hoy en las lecturas bíblicas se concluye una idea básica: la Comunidad cristiana como signo de Cristo resucitado. La Iglesia que surge de la Resurrección del Señor y nace del bautismo en el Espíritu es comunidad que vive unida en el amor y atestigua con su vida la victoria de la fe sobre el mal del mundo. Empecemos esta celebración con mucho entusiasmo, cantando con alegría, de pie, por favor.

PRIMERA LECTURA:

La primera lectura nos da una descripción de la primera comunidad cristiana. Ellos dieron testimonio de la resurrección y vivieron juntos en comunidad. Todos pensaban y sentían lo mismo. Escuchemos atentamente.

SALMO RESPONSORIAL:

"DAD GRACIAS AL SEÑOR PORQUE ES BUENO,
PORQUE ES ETERNA SU MISERICORDIA"

SEGUNDA LECTURA:

En esta primera carta de San Juan, el apóstol nos dice que creer en Cristo es: ser hijo de Dios, amar a Dios, vencer al mundo y obedecer los mandamientos. Es el Espíritu quien garantiza la verdad y la eficacia salvadora de la fe.

EVANGELIO:

En la aparición a los discípulos, Cristo les da su paz y también los envía a continuar su misión. La segunda escena es la visita de Cristo a Tomás y la confesión de fe de éste. En preparación para escuchar esta Buena Nueva, nos ponemos de pie y cantamos jubilosamente el Aleluya.

SÚPLICA DEL OBISPO 2021:

Su donación a la Súplica del Obispo 2021 ayuda a apoyar nuestra misión de evangelización. Su contribución nos ayuda a nutrir y difundir nuestra fe a través del 'Catholic Islander', que es un punto de unidad para todos los católicos en nuestras cuatro islas. También ayuda a apoyar a los medios católicos, la formación de nuestros seminaristas y el desarrollo de nuestro ministerio diocesano de la juventud.

"No es lo mucho que demos,
es cuánto AMOR ponemos en dar."

Sta. Madre Teresa de Calcuta

COMUNION ESPIRITUAL

Creo, Jesús mío, que estás real y verdaderamente en el cielo y en el Santísimo Sacramento del Altar. Te amo sobre todas las cosas y deseo vivamente recibirte dentro de mi alma, pero no pudiendo hacerlo ahora sacramentalmente, ven al menos espiritualmente a mi corazón. Y como si ya te hubiese recibido, te abrazo y me uno del todo a Ti. Señor, no permitas que jamás me aparte de Ti.

(San Alfonso de Liguori)



DAILY READINGS

Sunday/Domingo, April 11
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

First Reading: Acts 4:32-35
 Second Reading: 1 John 5:1-6
 Gospel: John 20:19-31

Monday/Lunes, April 12
 First Reading: Acts 4:23-31
 Gospel: John 3:1-8

Tuesday/Martes, April 13
 First Reading: Acts 4:32-37
 Gospel: John 3:7b-15

Wednesday/Miércoles, April 14
 First Reading: Acts 5:17-26
 Gospel: John 3:16-21

Thursday/Jueves April 15
 First Reading: Acts 5:27-33
 Gospel: John 3:31-36

Friday/Viernes, April 16
 First Reading: Acts 5:34-42
 Gospel: John 6:1-15

Saturday/Sábado, April 17
 First Reading: Acts 6:1-7
 Gospel: John 6:16-21

Sunday/Domingo, April 18
THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER
 First Reading: Acts 3:13-15,17-19
 Second Reading: 1 John 2:1-5a
 Gospel: Luke 24:35-48

Prayer to the Divine Mercy

O Lord, behold here before You a soul who exists in this World in order to allow You to exercise Your admirable MERCY and manifest it before heaven and earth. Others may glorify You through their faithfulness and perseverance, thus making evident the power of Your grace. How sweet and generous You are to those who are faithful to You!

Nevertheless, I will glorify You by acquainting others of Your goodness to sinners and by reminding them that Your MERCY is above all malice, that nothing can exhaust it, and that no relapse, no matter how shameful or criminal, should allow the sinner to despair of forgiveness.

I have offended You grievously, O Beloved Redeemer, but it would be still worse if I were to offend You by thinking that You were lacking in goodness to forgive me. I would rather He deprive me of everything else than the TRUST I have in Your Mercy.

Should I fall a hundred times or should my crimes be a hundred times worse than they actually are, I would continue to trust in Your MERCY

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

To whom do I need to offer mercy?

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.

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- Wear face covering all the time in church.
- 2- Maintain social distance of 6 feet.
- 3- The Holy Communion will be taken in the hand.

**SECOND COLLECTION
WILL BE TAKEN AS FOLLOW:**

- APRIL 4, 2021:**
Easter
Cathedral Maintenance and Enhancement
- APRIL 11, 2021:**
Catholic Education
- APRIL 18, 2021:**
Cathedral Maintenance and Enhancement
- APRIL 25, 2021:**
Catholic Home Mission Appeal
Cathedral Maintenance and Enhancement

P 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
- 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
- ULRICA VIALET

ROY SCHNEIDER HOSPITAL



OFF-ISLAND

- BISHOP HERBERT A. BEVARD
- FR. JOHN SOLOMON
- JANET BENSON
- DAVIS CELESTINE
- GABRIELLE DURAND
- DARIL R. EVANS
- DELTA GEORGE
- VERONIQUE GEORGES
- WINIFRED HODGE
- RITA KING
- STEPHANY LOUZAN
- SHANEL NICHOLAS
- JOSEPHINE NOCH
- FELIX O'NEAL
- RAMÓN ORTIZ
- ROSE ROBERTS
- VENIA SAKHRANI
- CYRUS SAMPSON
- CARLOS SÁNCHEZ
- CÉSAR JULIO TIRADO