



Most Rev. Jerome Feudjio
BISHOP

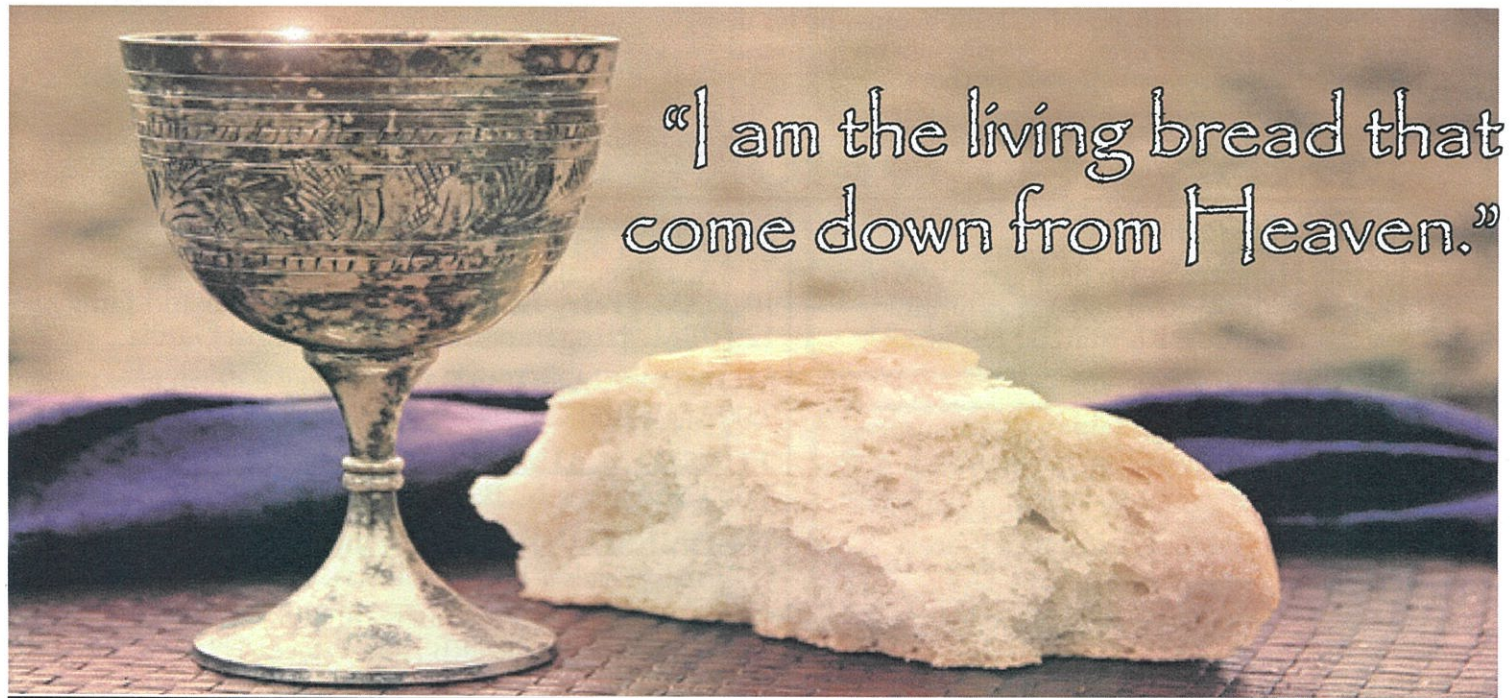
Diocese of St. Thomas in the Virgin Islands Saints Peter & Paul Cathedral

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August 8, 2021



BISHOP

Most Rev. Jerome Feudjio

PAROCHIAL VICARS

Rev. Fr. Robert Kenfack

Rev. Fr. Andrew Lesko

DEACONS

Rev. Mr. Wilfredo Acosta

Rev. Mr. Frank Kearney

Rev. Mr. José Vázquez

OFFICE HOURS

Monday - Friday
8:00AM - 4:00PM

Sunday
8:00AM - 12:00PM

SAINTS PETER AND PAUL CONVENT

340-774-0201 ext. 23

Daughters of the Holy Family

Sister Clarisse Doungmene

Sister Adele Gatsi

Sister Sylvérine Fola

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.

SAINTS PETER AND PAUL CATHOLIC SCHOOL (JK-12)

PRINCIPAL

Mrs. Maria Jules-Daniel, MLIS

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Friday 8:00AM - 4:00PM

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ST. ANNE'S CHAPEL Frenchtown

P.O. Box 306810, Saint Thomas 00803

Phone 340-714-1101/ Fax 340-714-5231

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MASSES

Weekend: Saturdays 5:00PM; Sundays 8:30AM

Weekdays: Wednesdays and First Fridays 5:00PM

CONVENT

340-714-1101

Franciscan Handmaid of Mary

Sr. Mary T. Adenubi

Sr. Emerite Kiloba



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NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Exodus 16:2-4,12-15 Strengthened by that food, Elijah walked to the mountain of God.
 Psalm 34 **“Taste and see the goodness of the Lord.”**
 Second Reading: Ephesians 4:17,20-24 Walk in love, just like Christ.
 Gospel: John 6:24-35 I am the living bread that come down from Heaven.

Today we continue hearing Jesus explain to the disciple, the curious, and the skeptical that he is the bread of life, sent from Heaven to give his body so that we may have life forever. First, we hear Elijah, one of the greatest figures in the centuries before Christ, literally pray for death because of his desperate circumstances. He is saved by an angel of the Lord, who gives him what he needs to sustain him on his journey to God. May we today be nourished by God’s word so that we may be sustained on our own journeys.

MASS INTENTIONS SCHEDULE

SATURDAY, AUGUST 7, 2021:

7:00AM-†Linda Henderson Rb St. Patrick’s Manor
 †Jovenel Moise Rb Haitian Community
 4:30PM- Special Intention Rb Marcial LaPlace

SUNDAY, AUGUST 8, 2021:

7:00AM-†Jovenel Moise Rb Haitian Community
 10:00AM-†Jules M. Olive Rb Mr & Mrs Steve Olive
 12:00PM -Special Intention Rb Uranie LaPlace
 †Eugenio Garcia Rb Loraimi Garcia

MONDAY, AUGUST 9, 2021:

7:00AM-Lorelei Farrington (Birthday) Rb Mom, Michael & Marc

TUESDAY, AUGUST 10, 2021:

7:00AM-†Margaret Donovan Rb St. Patrick’s Manor
 †Jovenel Moise Rb Haitian Community

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 11, 2021

7:00AM-†Mary Nolan Rb St. Patrick’s Manor
 †Jovenel Moise Rb Haitian Community
 12:15PM-†James Sibilly II Rb his mother & brothers

THURSDAY, AUGUST 12, 2021:

7:00AM-†Lawrence Armour Rb St. Patrick’s Manor
 †Jovenel Moise Rb Haitian Community

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13, 2021:

7:00AM -†Joan Dorner Rb St. Patrick’s Manor
 †Jovenel Moise Rb Haitian Community

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 2021:

7:00AM-Marie Renald (Birthday) Rb herself

SUNDAY, AUGUST 15, 2021:

7:00AM-Special Intention Rb Marcial LaPlace
 10:00AM-†Terry Larsen Rb Pearla Larsen and family
 12:00PM -†Eugenio Garcia Rb Loraimi Garcia

MONDAY, AUGUST 16, 2021:

7:00AM-†Paul Colman Rb St. Patrick’s Manor

TUESDAY, AUGUST 17, 2021:

7:00AM-†James N. Brewster Rb a friend

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 18, 2021

7:00AM-†Evelyn Helfrich Rb St. Patrick’s Manor
 12:15PM-Deceased members of Reyes, Lake and Pascua families Rb Agnes Reyes-Harris & family

THURSDAY, AUGUST 19, 2021:


7:00AM-†Irene Burger Rb St. Patrick’s Manor

FRIDAY, AUGUST 13, 2021:

7:00AM - †Gerald Gray Rb St. Patrick’s Manor

SATURDAY, AUGUST 14, 2021:

7:00AM-†Kenve Heff Rb St. Patrick’s Manor
 4:30PM-Elizah and Andrew Douglas, Jr. Rb Antonia St.Catherine-Douglas



At the request of his mother
**The Vigil light will be lit
 in the CATHEDRAL
 for blessings to**
ONER RENALD
 from August 7-13, 2021
in celebration of his birthday

MASS - SCHEDULE

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 TO OUR VISITORS:

We welcome visitors in our church today. If you are interested to register as a member, please contact the Church office by calling 340-774-0201. We sincerely thank you for worshipping with us today. We assure you of our prayers.

GIFT SHOP:

Candles are available a for \$5 each. Gift Shop opens every Wednesday and Friday, from 9:00Am to 4:PM. Thank you for your continued support and understanding.

SAINTS PETER AND PAUL SCHOOL:

Our Catholic School is announcing registration for the 2021-2022 Academic Year. Please, call the school office to schedule testing or for additional information. 340-774-2199 or 340-774-5662. Or by email to: info@spps.edu.vi Act now, classes are filling up fast!

TEACHING POSITIONS AVAILABLE:

Saints Peter and Paul Catholic School is hiring teachers for the academic year 2021-2022. If you wish to teach in a peaceful environment, conducive to learning, call our School Office at 340-774-2199 for further information.

ALTAR FLOWERS:

This week, the flowers for the Altar were donated by Peola Harrigan, in celebration of her 80th Birthday. Last Friday, the flowers for the Altar, for †Joseph Schulerbrandt Funeral Mass, were donated by Gail Schulerbrandt.

SECOND COLLECTION:

The second collection this weekend is taken up for Catholic Education. Next weekend, the second collection will go towards Catholic Education. Thank you for your support.

NEW AIR-CONDITIONER:

We continue to solicit your contributions for the new air conditioning system. Up to Wednesday, August 4, 2021, we have \$53,735.00 collected for the \$90,000.00 air conditioner. Thank you for your generous donation to this very important project.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES:

Please, pick up your box of envelopes for offerings at the **Hospitality Lounge**. Listed below are a few of envelopes boxes to be picked up:

1. Vernelda Alexander	189
2. Denarise Henry	221
3. Rafelina Amonte Díaz	250
4. Grisella Fuigenaro	249
5. Rasaura Valcencia	260
6. Angelys Acosta	264
7. Lucius Chernie	38
8. Samantha Boodman	88
9. Baldemiro Aquino De Jesús	143
10. Diego/Ernestina Hernández	351
11. Everlyn Boschulte	461
12. Alice Matthew	500
13. Maria A. Versovski	169

Thank you for your understanding and continued support of our parish.

CHANCERY

APPOINTMENTS AND TRANSFERS OF PRIESTS

“As you sent me into the world, so I sent them into The World.” (John 17: 18). “It was not you who chose me, but I who chose you and appointed you to go and bear fruit that will remain” (John 15: 16).

Faithful to the mission received by the Church from her founder, and handed over to the Apostles and their successors, the Bishops, after consultations, meditation and prayer for Divine illumination, your excellency, Most Reverend Jerome Feudjio, Bishop of the Diocese of Saint Thomas, VI by the grace of God and the solicitude of the holy Father Francis, have thereby taken the following decisions:

Episcopal Curia:

The Bishop: **Most Rev. Jerome Feudjio**
 Vicar General a tempus: **Rev. Fr. Patrick E. Lynch**
 Diocesan Chancellor: **Rev. Fr. Robert Kenfack**

Diocesan Services:

Diocesan Finance Officer: **Mr. Warren Bush**
 Bishop's Appeal Coordinator: **Ms. Bernadette Patrick**
 Director of the Diaconate Program: **Rev. Fr. John K. Mark**
 Coordinator of Child Protection Program: **Ms. Marie Pascale Duplan**
 Director of the Office for Worship: **Rev. Fr. John K. Mark**
 Diocesan Coordinator of:

-the Service of Charities: **Rev. Fr. Andrew Lesko**

-Youth Ministry: **Rev. Fr. Touchard G. Tignoua**

Haitian Ministry: **Rev. Fr. Kerly François**

Catholic Charismatic Renewal Services: **Rev. Fr. Anthony Abraham**

Transfers and appointments of Priests:

*Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral:

Parochial vicar: **Rev. Fr. Andrew Lesko** (in studies in Rome)

*Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish:

Parish Priest: **Rev. Fr. John Kennedy Mark**

*Our Lady of Mount Carmel Parish, Saint John:

Parish Priest: **Rev. Fr. Anthony Abraham**

*Holy Family Parish:

Parish Priest: **Rev. Fr. Boniface Twaibu**

Parochial vicar: **Rev. Kerly François**

*Holy Cross Parish, Christiansted:

Parish Priest: **Rev. Fr. Patrick Lynch**

Parochial vicar: **Rev. Fr. Yacob Fopa Lonfo**

*Saint Joseph Parish, Kingshill:

Parish Priest: **Rev. Fr. Eduardo Ortiz Santiago**

Parochial vicar: **Rev. Fr. John Fewel**

*Saint Patrick Parish, Frederiksted:

Parish Priest: **Rev. Fr. Francis Aning Amoah**

Parochial vicar: **Rev. Fr. Touchard Goula Tignoua**

*Saint Patrick School: **Rev. Fr. Touchard Goula Tignoua**

*Saint Ann's Chapel:

Administrator: **Rev. Fr. Robert Kenfack**

*Priest Sick: **Rev. Fr. Simon Peter Opira**

*Pastor Emeritus(Retired): **Msr. Michael Kosak**

*Diocesan Master of Ceremony: **Rev. Fr. John Mark**
Mr. Steven Olive

With prayerful and best wishes, I remain

Devotedly yours in Christ,

Most Reverend Jerome Feudjio

Bishop of the Diocese of Saint Thomas in the Virgin Islands.

HURRICANE PRAYER:

God, our Father, all the elements of nature obey your commands. Keep us safe from dangers of hurricanes and all other natural disasters. Let us always feel the presence of Your love. May we be secure in Your protection and turn our fears into praise of Your goodness. We ask this, Father, through Your Son, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with You, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever. **Amen**

ANUNCIOS

BIENVENIDA A NUESTROS VISITANTES:

Damos la bienvenida a los visitantes en nuestra iglesia hoy. Si usted está interesado en saber más acerca de nuestra parroquia o quiere registrarse como miembro, por favor, póngase en contacto con la oficina de la Iglesia llamando al 340-774-0201.

TALLER DE BIBLIA:

Todos los feligreses de habla hispana están invitados al **Taller de Biblia** todos los martes a las 5:30PM en el Salón de Hospitalidad. Recuerden traer su biblia y libreta para tomar notas.

TIENDA DE REGALOS:

SEGUNDA OFRENDA:

La segunda ofrenda será para la Educación Católica. El próximo fin de semana, la segunda ofrenda se destinará para la Asunción y el Mantenimiento de la Catedral. Gracias por su apoyo.

NUEVO AIRE ACONDICIONADO:

Continuamos solicitando sus contribuciones para el nuevo sistema de aire acondicionado. Hasta el miércoles 4 de agosto de 2021, tenemos **\$53,735.00** recaudado para el costo total de \$90,000.00. Gracias por su generosa donación a este proyecto tan importante.

SOBRES PARA OFRENDAS:

Por favor, busque su caja de sobres para ofrendas en el Salón de Hospitalidad. Cada año, se imprimen sobres para ser utilizados por nuestros feligreses **activos**. Por favor, no utilice el número de sobre que no le pertenece.

A continuación se enumeran algunas de las cajas de sobres que quedan por buscar:

1. Rafelina Amonte Díaz	250
2. Grisella Fuigenaro	249
3. Rasaura Valcencia	260
4. Baldemiro Aquino De Jesús	143
5. Diego/Ernestina Hernández	351
6. Maria A. Versovski	169

Gracias por su comprensión y apoyo continuo a nuestra parroquia.



19NO DOMINGO ORDINARIO

ENTRADA:

Domingo tras domingo somos atraídos aquí para adorar a Dios, para escuchar su palabra y recibir a Cristo en la Eucaristía. Jesús nos recuerda en el Evangelio que, al igual que sucede con todas las cosas buenas, este impulso de venir cada domingo nos viene del Padre.

En nuestra celebración de hoy, démosle gracias a Dios por el don maravilloso de la fe, que alienta nuestra vida y nos anima a emprender la misión de Cristo.

LITURGIA DE LA PALABRA:

Hoy seguimos escuchando a Jesús, que les explica a los discípulos, a los curiosos y a los escépticos que Él es el pan de vida bajado del cielo, que se entregará por nosotros para que tengamos eternamente la vida. Pero primero escuchamos a Elías, una de las grandes figuras de los siglos anteriores a Cristo, pidiendo concretamente la muerte debido a sus circunstancias desesperantes. Un ángel del Señor lo salva y le da lo que necesita para sustentarlo durante su caminar hacia Dios. Que hoy la palabra de Dios nos alimente y nos sustente en nuestro propio caminar.

SALMO RESPONSORIAL:

“HAZ LA PRUEBA Y VERÁS QUÉ BUENO ES EL SEÑOR.”

ORACIÓN PARA PROTECCIÓN DE HURACANES:

Dios, Padre nuestro, todos los elementos de la naturaleza obedecen tus mandamientos. Manténnos a salvo de los peligros de huracanes y todos los demás desastres naturales. Déjanos sentir siempre la presencia de Tu amor. Que estemos seguros de Tu protección y convierte nuestros temores en alabanza de Tu bondad. Pedimos esto, Padre, a través de Tu Hijo Jesucristo, que vive y reina contigo, en la unidad del Espíritu Santo, un solo Dios, por los siglos de los siglos. **Amén.**

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

PREGUNTA DE LA SEMANA:

¿De qué manera recibir a Jesús en la Eucaristía me fortalece para mi caminar?
¿Cuándo he necesitado un segundo empujoncito para poder continuar?

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

AUGUST 8, 2021:
Catholic Education

AUGUST 15, 2021:
Assumption
Cathedral Maintenance & Enhancement

AUGUST 22, 2021:
Solidarity for the Church in Africa

AUGUST 29, 2021:
Youth Ministry

OFFERTORY / OFERTORIO

Last week's offertory amounted to:
La ofrenda de la semana pasada sumó a:

\$3,689.00

Second Collection
\$1,310.50

Thank you for your donation.
Gracias por su donación.

MASS INTENTIONS:

Mass Intention envelopes are available in the Church Office. Intentions will not be taken over the telephone. Please ensure that you give your telephone number; if the date you requested is already taken, you will receive a call from the Office to assign a new date. Please, put your \$10 donation inside the envelope, seal it, and take it to the Church Office. Dates are available on a **First Come - First Served** basis.

TABERNACLE LIGHT:

The Church is pleased to light the Tabernacle Candle on behalf of your family or loved ones either in the Cathedral or the Chapel. This Vigil Light will be lit in their honor for one week, starting on Saturday. Please, put your \$25 donation in the Devotional Light Envelope, complete the necessary information, and submit it to the Church Office.

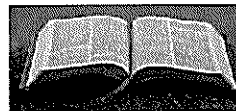
E-GIVING:

Please, fill out the E-Giving Enrollment Form at the Church Office if you prefer to send your offertory donation automatic payments from:

- * your checking/Saving account.
- * your Credit or Debit card.
- * to pay using PayPal.
- * a Bank-to-Bank transfer.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK:

How does receiving Jesus in the Eucharist strength me on my journey?
When have I needed a second nudge to go on?



DAILY READINGS

Sunday/Domingo, August 8
NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: 1 Kings 19:4-8
Second Reading: Ephesians 4:30; 5:2
Gospel: John 6:41-51

Monday/Lunes, August 9
First Reading: Deuteronomius 10:12-22
Gospel: Matthew 17:22-27

Tuesday/Martes, August 10
Saint Lawrence
First Reading: 2 Corinthians 9:6-10
Gospel: John 12:24-26

Wednesday/Miércoles, August 11
First Reading: Deuteronomius 34:1-12
Gospel: Matthew 18:15-20

Thursday/Jueves August 12
First Reading: Joshua 3:7-10a,11,13-17
Gospel: Matthew 18:21; 19:1

Friday/Viernes, August 13
First Reading: Joshua 24:1-13
Gospel: Matthew 19:3-12

Saturday/Sábado, August 14
First Reading: Joshua 24:14-29
Gospel: Matthew 19:13-15

Sunday/Domingo, August 15
ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY
First Reading: Revelations 11:19a; 12:1-6a,10ab
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-27
Gospel: Luke 1:39-56

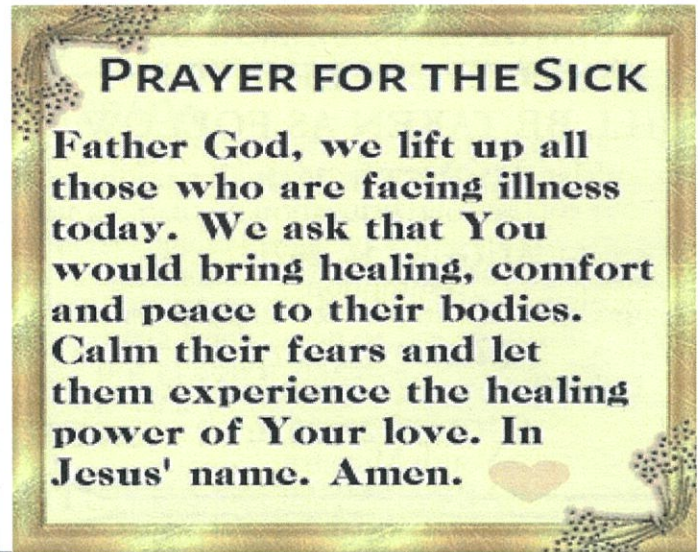
**OUR CHURCH AND OUR SCHOOL
ARE SAFE ENVIRONMENTS:**

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.

OBSERVANCE DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

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

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



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
- EDITH LEBLANC
- GWYNNETH MOOLENAAR
- HUGO MOULON
- JOSEPH MORRELL
- ARACELY NICHOLSON
- CAROLINE PARSONS
- LEIDA PIZARRO
- SONIA PIZARRO
- WALTON RAVARIERE
- PHYLLIS RODNEY
- CYRUS SAMPSON
- 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
- MIRIAM GARCIA RIJO
- DELTA GEORGE
- WINIFRED HODGE
- RITA KING
- STEPHANY LOUZAN
- JOSEPHINE NOCH
- FELIX O'NEAL
- RAMÓN ORTIZ
- ROSE ROBERTS
- VENIA SAKHRANI
- CARLOS SÁNCHEZ
- CÉSAR JULIO TIRADO