

# Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time February 19, 2012

## TODAY (Green)

Is 43:18-19, 21-22, 24b-25  
2 Cor 1:18-22  
Mk 2:1-12

## NEXT WEEK (Violet)

Gn 9:8-15  
1 Pt 3:18-22  
Mk 1:12-15

Whether one is broken in body or burdened by sin, Jesus heals and forgives. We have only to come. We have only to heal the divisions in our own hearts, to see Jesus and trust in his care, to come to him with openness to the life and healing forgiveness he offers us. Jesus never rests—he always ministers to us. If we who must overcome our own narrowness and open ourselves to his abiding presence.

Living Liturgy

## MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

### February 18, Saturday

6:00 p.m. St. Ann Parish Family

### February 19, Sunday

7:00 a.m. +Reginald Molloy rb Frances Molloy  
9:30 a.m. Priests of the Diocese

### February 21, Tuesday

12:15 p.m. Kennara Charles rb a Friend

### February 22, Ash Wednesday

6:30 a.m. Holy Face of Jesus rb Carolyn Peternel  
12:15 p.m. +Henderick Pascal rb Veronica Pascal  
7:00 p.m. +Octavia Antoine rb Robert & Josephine Roach

### February 23, Thursday

12:15 p.m. Thanksgiving Isha & Hector Alexander  
rb their Family

### February 24, Friday

6:30 a.m. +Francillia Alexander rb Isha Alexander  
6:00 p.m. B'day Donna Lecointe –Prince rb her Mother

### February 25, Saturday

8:30 a.m. B'day Marlon Brathwaite

Ash Wednesday February 22  
Four Masses will be celebrated on Ash Wednesday:  
6:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m. & 7:00 p.m.  
10:30 a.m. Grigg Home for Aged  
Children's Service at 3:00 p.m.

## WEEK IN PREVIEW

Mon. OFFICE CLOSED

Tues 7:00 p.m. Adoration, Teaching, Benediction

Ash Wednesday Masses 6:30 a.m., 12:15 p.m. & 7:00 p.m. Children's Service at 3:00 p.m.

10:30 a.m. Mass at Grigg Home for Aged  
8:30 -11:00 a.m. Deacon Hyacinthe available for  
Prayer and Counseling

Thurs. 7:00 p.m. Deacon Formation Class

Fri. 6:30 a.m. Holy Mass  
8:30-11:00 a.m. Deacon Hyacinthe available for  
Prayer and Counseling

5:30 p.m. Stations of the Cross  
6:00 p.m. Holy Mass

**RELIGIOUS EDUCATION CLASSES**

Sat. 8:30-10:45 a.m. Levels 7, 8, 9, Confirmation  
11:00 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. First Communion and  
Levels 3, 4, 5 & 6

(Please be on time to pick up the students immediately after classes)

**PEW CARDS**

Please do not remove the Pew Cards from the Church.

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

Mon. Jas 3:13-18	Mk 9:14-29
Tues. Jas 4:1-10	Mk 9:30-37
Wed. Jl 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20—6:2	Mk 6:1-6, 16-18
Thu. Dt 30:15-20	Lk 9:22-25
Fri. Is 58:1-9a	Mt 9:14-15
Sat. Is 58:9b-14	Lk 5:27-32

**A LENTEN JOURNEY**

The Lenten journey is a time of sacrifice throughout the Universal Church. Fast and abstinence are to be observed on **ASH WEDNESDAY** and **GOOD FRIDAY**. All Catholics who have reached their 18<sup>th</sup> birthday, and are less than 60 years old are bound to observe the fast, by which they are limited to a single full meal during the course of the day. All Catholics who have reached their 14<sup>th</sup> birthday are bound to observe days of abstinence during which no meat may be eaten. All the Fridays of lent are days of abstinence from meat. Lent is also a season in which prayer, the reception of the sacraments, charity and almsgiving are emphasized.

**PLEASE SUPPORT BISHOP'S APPEAL 2012  
ST. ANN'S GOAL- \$40,000.000**

Our Lenten call is to look back at our cooperation with God's plan and to see those we can help. The annual Bishop's Appeal begins next weekend as we enter the Lenten Season. As such, we prayerfully ask that you join your fellow parishioners in making a sacrificial gift. Your gift will provide needed support to Catholic Charities and its programs of hope and assistance to the truly needy, our four Catholic Schools where our faith takes root in the lives of our young people, and the evangelical outreach to the entire diocese through the Light of Christ Retreat Center, the diocesan youth ministry and the formation of seminarians.

Let us work together for the Kingdom of God!

**St Joseph's High School**

Fr. John Mark, Principal of St. Joseph's High School, will hold meeting at St. Mary's School, Monday, February 27<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 p.m. He wants to encourage parents/guardians to send their students to St. Joseph's High School. He will explain the new initiatives the School has taken and he wants to dialogue with interested parents/guardians.

**MARRIAGE WORLD DAY**

Congratulations to all married couples who celebrated WMD. In particular we congratulate the following couples who have special anniversaries this year.

35 yrs. David & Deborah Jones; Frank & Raphaela Albany  
40 yrs. Herbert & Frederika Leonce; Hilary & Alicia Joseph  
Tyrone V. & Beverly Seales  
45 Yrs. Gilbert & Simone Harlow, Mr. & Mrs. Paul Samuel  
53 yrs. Eldan & Gwendaline Serrant  
60 yrs. Richard & Theresa Murray

The Barrenspot Home Owners Association will meet in the Marian Hall, Saturday, February 25, 2012 at 3:00 p.m.

**MEMORIAL MASS**

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated for Regina Lynch, mother of Eunice George, on Wednesday, February 29, 2012, 5:30 p.m. All are welcome.

**LOVE OFFERING**

The ICM Sisters have made a tremendous contribution to St. Croix. They arrived in 1916, and opened four schools -- St. Patrick's, St. Mary's, St. Ann's and St. Joseph's. We would like to thank them for their love and dedication over the years. In order to assist them in their apostolate, especially in Haiti, the second collection next weekend will be given to them. Please be generous.

## HAPPY 33<sup>rd</sup> ANNIVERSARY

This year marks the 33<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary of St. Lucia's Independence. Congratulations to all St. Lucians, and a hearty welcome to all.

### **BOOKSTORE--JUST ARRIVED:**

Diary of St. Faustina, Concordance to the Diary of St. Faustina; Praying with St. Faustina and the New Roman Missal.

**OUR SICK:** Please keep in the charity of your prayers the sick amongst us. Alberta Hendrickson, Agneta C. Petersen, Magdalene James, Lucinda Pemberton, Mary Denis, Catherine Decembre, Leona Javois, Emile Durant, Yolanda Hector, Pricilla Brown, Doreen Pemberton, Zephryne Thomas, Muriel Campbell, Elden Serrant, Steve Beharry, Olive Alexander, E. Joseph Jones, Abel Javois, Stanislaus Prescott, Marv E. Jon, Frances Allen, Julie Dizon, Irene Prevot, Josephine Prescott, Hyacinthe Bright, Steve Keith, Doreen Henry, Anthony Smith, Catherine Samuel, Larry Cook, Marie Gilbert, Fenton Pierre, Omar Dubois, Frank Albany, Mary Martin, Mary Bishop, Bernadette Koupie, Keith Scantlebury, Centelia Matthews, Claude Steele, Olive Le Cointe, Maria Hall, Weena Mc Farlane, Stephanie Jordan, Derick James, Walter E. Durant Sr., Clementina Tuitt, Mary-Jane Gaston, Joseph Mathurine, Kay Colon, Bernadette Megahy, Melborne Clarke, Celestine Clovis, Troy Jones, Ann Marie Marius, Regina Lynch, Marguerite Bannister, Maurille Philemon, Steve Gardiner, Josephine Browne, Varonica Fleming. Please call the Office to add or remove names from this list.

### MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES

God of all goodness, look with love on those who wait for the safe return of their loved ones who serve in the armed forces of their country. In faith and hope we turn to you for comfort. Grant that we may trust in your mercy and send an angel to sustain us as we await their safe return. We ask this through Christ our Lord.

### SERVING OUR COUNTRY

Fr. Simon Obeng, Fr. Alejandro Sanchez, Fr. Jose Herrera,  
Fr. Eric Hoag, Fr. Cecil Corneille, Sanil-Dale Tison, Darryl D'Souza, Brian Krauser, Gemma Emmanuel, Levi Denios, Natasha & Ivone Alcala, Linus Felix, Camillus Thomas, Erica A. Toussaint, Nareka Selkriege, Agnes Lindsay, Patrick Rivers, Denecia Weekes, Marcus Maximin, Miguel Navarro, Jr., Mariel Chinouyaz, Audin Benjamin, Jane William, Verin Nesbitt Wescott, Michael Moorehead, Brian Halloway, Istomin & Ismael Lampe, John Noel, Pablo Montanez, Jr., Dwayne Thomas, Xandrio Tank Yuk, Robinson Ferdinand, Kimberly John-Baptiste, Kimberly Ferdinand, Mario Mason, Jr., Aaron Thomas, Valence Modeste Kelly, Iulani Greenidge, Anissa Eversley, David Best, Wayne J. Baker, Kareem James, Reginald Antoine, Marvin Delsol, Ismenio Lampe, Brian Peterson, Elsworth Stevenson, Patricia Charles, Terrance Ritter, Lawrence Ritter, Tasha Warner, Shana Antoine, James Frymyre, Kevin Purcell, Emmanuel Maldonado, Denis Duparl, Louis Encarnacion, Pedro Reyes, Patrick Vernon, James Gaston, Fabian Claxton, Collin Joseph, John A. Francis, Jon Megahy, Nyasia Reed, Jason Jaggernaut, Martin Alexis, Joel Gilbert, James Bressendroff, Darnell Noel, Jeffry Centeno, Anthony Camacho, Aubrey Camaho, Austin Carino, Kernatha Auguste, Masline Noel, Darwin Richards, Jeremiah L. Charler, Akeem Greenidge, Ganisia Lashan, Alex Hector, Leslie Pemberton, John & Felicita Matinez-Gines, Henisha Williams, Nkosi Dennie, Jeremye Morgan. Please call the office to add or remove names to this list.