

# Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time June 17, 2012 Father's Day

## TODAY (Green)

Ez 17:22-24  
2 Cor 5:6-10  
Mk 4:26-34

## NEXT WEEK (White)

Is 49:1-6  
Acts 13:22-26  
lk:1:57-66.80

*"This is how it is," Jesus says in this gospel, Yet there is no single way to describe the "kingdom of God." Jesus uses two similar parables to teach us that the kingdom is realized in the intersection of our own work (plant the seed) with God's work (the mystery of life growing and bearing fruit). The Good News is that God's kingdom is assured—the scattered seed will yield a harvest, the tiny seed will grow into a large plant. "This is how it is"!*

*Living Liturgy*

## MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

**6:00 p.m.** June 16, Saturday  
St. Ann Parish Family

**7:00 a.m.** June 18, Sunday  
B'days Petula & Lo'Mar Alexander

**9:30 a.m.** +Mary Valmond

**12:15 p.m.** June 19, Tuesday  
+Henry and +Estelle rb their Family

**6:30 a.m.** June 20, Wednesday  
B'day Rita Marciano rb Sacred Heart Soc.

**12:15 p.m.** June 21, Thursday  
B'day Kato Pascal rb Veronica Pascal

**6:30 a.m.** June 22, Friday  
+Rosita Van Heyningen rb her Family

**8:30 a.m.** June 23, Saturday  
+Audrey Tang Yuk rb Family

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. 1 Kgs 21:1-16	Mt 5:38-42
Tues. 1 Kgs 21:17-29	Mt 5:43-48
Wed. 2 Kgs 2:1,6-14	Mt 6:1-6,16-18
Thurs. Sir 48:1-14	Mt 6:7-15
Fri 2 Kgs 11:1-4,9-18,20	Mt 6:19-23
Sat. 2 Chr 24:17-25	Mt 6:24-34

## WEEK IN PREVIEW

<b>Mon.</b>	<b>OFFICE CLOSED</b>	
<b>Tues.</b>	7:00 p.m.	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, Teaching and Benediction
<b>Wed.</b>	8:30-11 a.m.	Deacon Hyacinthe available for Prayer and Counseling Service at Grigg Home for Aged
	10:30 a.m.	
<b>Fri.</b>	8:30-11 a.m.	Deacon Hyacinthe available for Prayer and Counseling
	5:30 p.m.	Holy Hour with Evening Prayer and Benediction
<b>Sat.</b>	There will be no Religious Ed. Classes until September	

## PEW CARDS

**Please do not remove the Pew Cards from the Church.**

## **FOOD FEST TO HELP THE HUNGRY**

Catholic Charities of the Virgin Islands (CCVI) will host the Virgin Islands First Festival of Food at the St. Croix Agricultural Fair Grounds on Sunday, August 12, 2012. All Cooks, Food Lovers, Organizations, Clubs, Church Groups and Associations are invited to participate, as they too will have an opportunity to raise funds by marketing the traditional Foods and Crafts of the country they wish to represent. Interested persons are asked to call Daisy Lafond, 773-0132 or Laurine Parrilla, 778-1227.

## **To the Fathers of St. Ann's Parish Family**

*God bless you this Father's Day  
May the Blessings of the Lord always rest upon you  
in Love, in Peace,  
in Joy, in Wisdom and in Strength.*

## **Happy Father's Day**

**Msgr. Michael Kosak**

**Rev. Simon Peter Opira**

**Bishop's Appeal 2012  
Donor analysis-June 5, 2012**

Parish	# of Donors	Total Pledged	Parish Goal	% of Goal
St. Ann STX	99	\$23,290	\$40,000	58%

Last year, 224 parishioners contributed to the Bishop's Appeal. Please make every effort to make a donation. Remember what Jesus said: "What you do for the least of my brethren, you do unto me" Mt 25:45

### Bookstore:

Graduation Cards, Sunday Missals, One Volume of Sunday and Daily Missals. St. Ann Song Book (Blue cover \$5.00) Penny Catechism-\$4.00 and Black Wooden Rosaries now available. Come see-Come browse!

### YOUTH WEEKEND RETREAT

**V.I. Catholic Diocesan Youth Ministry** will be hosting a Youth Weekend Retreat, to Encourage, Energize, and Encounter Christ. The retreat will be held at St. Gerard's Hall, Frederiksted, June 29 -July 1, 2012. Registration of \$25 includes meals and T-shirts for a purchase of \$10 each. The Youth Retreat includes praise and worship, dancing, games, presentations, workshop and bond building activities for ages 14-19 years. For more information, call Susan Eversley-Wells **778-1352 /772-2280.**

### **St Joseph High School School Year 2012-2013**

Register now and get 50% discount on registration fee.  
For more information, please call (340)692-2455

### Peter's Pence Collection

Next week our diocese will take up the Peter's Pence Collection, which provides the Holy Father with the funds he needs to carry out his most important charitable works. The proceeds benefit the most disadvantaged victims of war, oppression, and natural disasters. Through your generosity, we can cast the peace of Christ upon the world.

**The V.I. Dept. of Sports, Parks and Recreation** announces its Summer 2012 and Youth Sports Program, June 25 to August 3, for ages 7 to 15 years, from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m.

#### **D. C. Canegata:**

Baseball, Cheerleading, Softball (Girls), Tennis, Volleyball.

**John H. Woodson:** Basketball (Boys) and Boxing

**Central High:** Basketball (Girls) Basketball (Elite)

**Frederiksted Pool:** Marine Sports

The five week Program fees are \$75 except Tennis and Marine Sports, \$100. For more information, contact Carita Stevens or Ivor James at 773-0160 or 773-0271 immediately as registration began May 21.

### **CHRISTIAN STEWARDSHIP:**

Your giving is the key to the success of the church plans and programs. To help us meet our obligations, please pray about **TITHING** and becoming **GOOD STEWARDS** by obtaining *Offeratory Envelopes* (available in the Marian Hall) as a weekly reminder to support your church.

**Diaconate Ordination of Benjamin Parrilla** will be held at Holy Cross Catholic Church, July 7, 2012, at 11:00 a.m. Everyone is invited!

**OUR SICK:** Please keep in the charity of your prayers the sick amongst us. Molly Callender, Doris Encarnacion, Alberta Hendrickson, Agneta C. Petersen, Magdalene James, Lucinda Pemberton, Mary Denis, Catherine Decembre, Leona Javoire, Emile Durant, Pricilla Brown, Doreen Pemberton, Zephrine Thomas, Muriel Campbell, Elden Serrant, Steve Beharry, Olive Alexander, E. Joseph Jones, Abel Javoire, 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, Fenton Pierre, Omar Dubois, Mary Bishop, Bernadette Koupie, Keith Scantlebury, Centelia Matthews, Claude Steele, Olive Le Cointe, Maria Hall, Stephanie Jordan, Derick James, Walter E. Durant Sr., Clementina Tuit, Mary-Jane Gaston, Joseph Mathurine, Kay Colon, Bernadette Megahy, Melborne Clarke, Celestine Clovis, Troy Jones, Ann Marie Marius, Marguerite Bannister, Maurille Philemon, Steve Gardiner, Varonica Fleming, Stephen Williams, Monika Schoenbohm, Yvonne Monroe, Martha Campbell, Anna Lindo, Desmond Etienne, Joseph Plant, Charles Gilbert 111, Mervyn Tyrell, Linda White, Joseph Mathurine, Kianna Ireland, Mama Dou Johnson, Francis Davinci, Peter Joseph John, Theresa Larichere, Junie Matthews, Louis Lawrencin, Grace Xavier. 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. 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 Hallway, 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 Jaggernauth, Martin Alexis, Joel Gilbert, James Bressendroff, Darnell Noel, Jeffrey 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, Jeremy Morgan, Sasha Chastanet, Eduardo A. Molina. **Please call the office to add or remove names to this list.**