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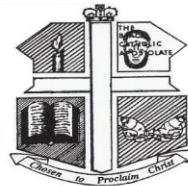
Father Kofi Ntsiful-Amissah, Pastor

Black Apostolate Mass – Sunday, 10:15am

St. Joan of Arc Masses: Saturday, 4:00pm, Sunday, 9:00am

Daily Mass, Monday-Friday, 8:00am

THE BLACK CATHOLIC APOSTOLATE



PALM SUNDAY

APRIL 13, 2025

LITURGY OF THE WORD – April 13, 2025

First Reading: Isaiah 50:4-7

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24

My God, my God, why have you abandoned me?

Second Reading: Philippians 2:6-11

Gospel: Luke 22:14 – 23:56

LITURGY OF THE WORD – EASTER: April 20, 2025

Acts of Apostles 10:34a, 37-43

Psalm 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23

Colossians 3:1-4

John 20:1-9



DID YOU KNOW?

Palm Sunday is the day in which Jesus enters Jerusalem; his last journey into the city before his death. Jesus rode into Jerusalem on a donkey. This choice of travel is very symbolic as Jesus wanted to show all the people that He came in peace. History shows that when a king rode into a city on a horse, he was entering for war. If a king came into a city on a donkey, he was coming in peace.



SJOA/BCA

MEETINGS_ANNOUNCEMENTS



STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT EVERY FRIDAY:

-Rosary at 5:15pm

-Stations of the cross at 5:45pm.

All are welcome!

GOOD FRIDAY COLLECTION

On Good Friday we will take up the annual collection for the Holy Land to help support the struggling Catholic community in the Middle East and protect Christianity's holiest places. Please give generously.

EASTER FLOWERS

Envelopes for Easter flowers are available at the back of the Church. If you are making a donation in memory of someone, kindly write the name on the envelope.



MASS SCHEDULE 2025

4/17 HOLY THURSDAY	7:00pm
4/18 GOOD FRIDAY	
<i>Stations of the Cross</i>	5:45pm
<i>Celebration of the Lord's Passion</i>	6:30pm
4/19 HOLY SATURDAY	8:00pm
4/20 EASTER SUNDAY	9:00am & 10:15am



MASS INTENTIONS



Saturday, April 12

4:00pm:

Sunday, April 13

9:00am: Arthur Clemenzi + req. Family

10:15am: Fidelia Opara & Oluchi Ubani Birthday
Walterine Fraser-Hall + req. Prescott Family

Monday, April 14

8:00am:

Tuesday, April 15

8:00am:

Wednesday, April 16

8:00am:

HolyThursday, April 17

8:00am:

Good Friday, April 18

8:00am: No Mass

HolySaturday, April 19

4:00pm: No Mass

Sunday, April 20: EASTER

9:00am

10:15am:

Deceased +

God does not abandon us
but brings us into the light.
With grateful hearts
we come before
our merciful God.

THE HOUSE OF THE LORD

Be thoughtful, be silent, be reverent



FAITH FORMATION



Faith formation/religious education classes are held every other Saturday from 9:30am-11:00am for children in grades 1-8.

Next class April 26, 2025

BCA Faith Formation is looking for volunteers to assist in our program. We meet for class approximately two Saturdays a month. The hours for volunteering are from 9:15am to 11:00am.

If you are interested in volunteering please contact **Dawn Hewitt** for additional information.

Call 518-463-0378 or sjoabcashfaith@gmail.com

IS SOMEONE IN NEED OF PRAYER?



Light a candle for that special person you promised to pray for. Candles are **\$5.00** each and are in the small Chapel behind the main Sanctuary. Please put your payment in the marked box by the church entrance.

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MASSES

SATURDAY VIGIL MASS: 4:00pm

SUNDAY MASSES: 9:00am

10:15am (Black Apostolate)

DAILY MASS: 8:00am (Monday-Friday)

RECONCILIATION: Saturday 3:30pm

BAPTISM: Every first Saturday of the month.
Please call for an appointment.

MATRIMONY: Arrangements should be made 6-8 months in advance and prior to scheduling a reception.

FUNERAL MASSES: Will be scheduled at 9:00am.

In the event of the death of a parishioner, please call the Funeral Home. The funeral director will notify the parish office and arrangements will be made for a funeral Mass and burial.

STAFF

Lucie Diomande, Parish Secretary

Dawn Hewitt, Religious Education Coordinator

Martin Amissah, Music Director, Black Apostolate