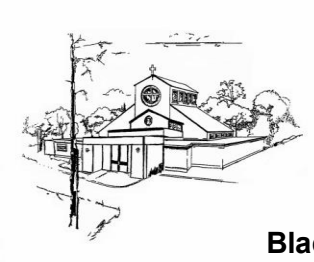
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St. Joan of Arc Masses: Saturday, 4:00pm, Sunday, 9:00am

Daily Mass, Monday-Friday, 8:00am

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29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME — OCTOBER 18, 2026

LITURGY OF THE WORD – October 18, 2026

First Reading *Isaiah 45:1, 4-6*

Give the Lord glory and honor.

Responsorial Psalm *Psalm 96:1, 3, 4-5, 7-8, 9-10*

Second Reading *1 Thessalonians 1:1-5b*

Gospel *Matthew 22:15-21*

LITURGY OF THE WORD – October 25, 2026

Exodus 22:20-26 *Psalm 18:2-3, 3-4, 47, 51*

1 Thessalonians 1:5c-10 *Matthew 22:34-40*

Collections 10/10, 10/11

Thank you for your support

Thank You

☞ Sincere thanks to everyone who participated in the events celebrating the special visit of **His Eminence Peter Cardinal Turkson** to our church St. Joan of Arc/ Black Catholic Apostolate.

Father Kofi is deeply grateful for your presence, your support, and the joy of Christ you shared throughout these celebrations.

May we continue to grow together as a vibrant community of faith, unity and love, with Jesus Christ at the center of all we do.

GOD BLESS YOU ALL ABUNDANTLY!

SJOA/BCA MEETINGS&ANNOUNCEMENT

☞ **SECOND COLLECTION WEEKEND**

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY TODAY

On October 17-18 the Universal Church celebrates World Mission Sunday. This collection helps support the church's mission work in over 1,150 territories worldwide. We assist the Holy Father in his obligation to support the Church in the missions by praying for our missionaries and financially supporting their ministry. Our support of World Mission Sunday makes possible the proclamation of the Gospel, the celebration of the sacraments and service to the poor in mission dioceses.

Please give generously.



☞ **SACRIFICIAL GIVING THIS SUNDAY OCT. 18**

The third Sunday of each month is Sacrificial Giving Sunday for the Black Apostolate. Sacrificial Giving is *in addition* to your regular weekly

OCTOBER MONTH OF THE ROSARY



PRAY THE ROSARY

EVERYDAY FOR PEACE ON EARTH

Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, October 17
4:00pm: - Peg Deukmejian+ req. Paul Dominski
Sunday, October 18
9:00am: -
10:15am: - Francis Vib Sanziri+ req. Catherine Yomoah
- Severo Kobina+ req. Catherine Yomoah
- Robert King+
Monday, October 19
8:00am: -
Tuesday, October 20
8:00am: -
Wednesday, October 21
8:00am: - Kevin Juin (Birthday) req. Althea Solomon
Thursday, October 22
8:00am: -
Friday, October 23
8:00am: -
Saturday, October 24
4:00pm: -
Sunday, October 25
9:00am: -
10:15am: - Francis Vib Sanziri+ req. Catherine Yomoah
- Severo Kobina+ req. Catherine Yomoah

+ deceased

From the rising of the sun
to its setting,
there is no God but our God.
Let us praise the Lord!



Faith Formation



Faith Formation/Religious Education classes are held **every other Saturday from 9:30am-11:00am** for children in grades 1-12.

Next Class is October 17, 2026

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

Fr. Kofi Ntsiful Amissah, *Pastor*
Lucie Diomande, *Parish Secretary*
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