

PASTORAL CARE

Sacrament of Confession: Every Saturday from 6.00pm to 7.00pm

Sacrament of Baptism of Infants: *First Saturday of every month. Please call at the Church's office for a baptismal form. Instructions: Thursday preceding the date for baptism.*
Visitation of the Sick and Aged: *Thursdays at 7.00 am. Contact the office if you have a sick or aged Person(s) to be visited.*

Sacrament of Marriage: Arrangements must be made **at least six months to a year** with the priests. The couple or one of them must be a registered member of the Church for **at least 6 months.**

Consultation of Priests: Monday, Tuesday Wednesdays (In the Evenings) Time: 6.30 - 8.00 pm. In case of any emergency call on the Priest.

Church office hours: Mon. to Thur.:10am -2pm & 5 pm - 8pm: Sat. 6 pm to 8p: Sun: 9 am -1.30: Friday: Off Duty

SUNDAY MASS: FIRST MASS - 7:00AM AT STM,
SECOND MASS - 9:30AM AT SJF

NEXT SUNDAY: Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Singing: First Mass: Youth Choir
Second Mass: Ave Maria

Offertory: *First Mass: Achimota Town*
Second Mass: Amalgamated

WEEKDAY MASS

Tuesday	6:15am
Wednesday	6:15am
Thursday	6:15am

UPCOMING EVENT

- Deanery Crusade 18th to 20th September
- October: Rosary month
- Laity week 29th September to 6th October

SLOGAN: St. Thomas More: Besohwe! St. Thomas More: Justice and Truth!!
St Thomas More: Pray for us!!!

SLOGAN: St John Fisher: Besohwe!
St John Fisher: Justice and Truth!!
St John Fisher: Pray For Us!!!

THANKS FOR WORSHIPPING WITH US. HAVE A BLESSED WEEK.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. There is Bible sharing this and every Wednesday at STM at 7:00pm.
2. Alogboshie community will meet at their usual place at 4pm today.
3. Christian Village community will meet after the first Mass at their usual place.
4. A professional cleaner is needed for immediate employment. Contact the church office.
5. A female house help aged between 30-45years is urgently needed for employment. Please contact these numbers if you qualify; 0208191328, 0244624169.
6. There are some missing items in the church office. Contact the office during working hours to collect them if you have misplaced anything.

QUIZ

Answer to last week's: THE PRIEST

This week's: WHO ORDAINS THE POPE?

QUOTE

If you wish success in life, make perseverance your bosom friend, experience your wise counsellor, caution your elder brother, and hope your guardian genius.

Joseph Addison

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WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



15TH SEPT, 2013: TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME- C
THEME FOR THE WEEK: REPENTANCE



TODAY'S READINGS

1st Reading: Ex 32:7-11, 13-14

When the Israelites provoked God by making and worshipping a molten calf, the Lord in His mercy relented and forgave the people their sins.

Responsorial Psalm: 51:3-4, 12-13, 17, 19
I will arise and go to my father.

2nd Reading: 1Tim 1:12-17

Paul confesses that he was a sinner and had committed terrible sins, yet God had shown him mercy through Christ Jesus to give other sinners hope in God's salvation

Gospel: Lk 15:1-32

The parable of the lost sheep is a powerful example of the unconditional love and great mercy God displays towards sinners. This is yet another reason why none should despair attaining salvation.

Reflection

The truth about salvation is that we find eternal life not so much because of what we do or have, or bring, but because God has "GIVEN" it to us. It is in the nature of God to love, but when we express faith in Jesus Christ, then we come into full possession of his grace.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

❖ Mon 16th Sept, 2013 (St Cornelius)

1 Tim 2:1-8; Ps 28:2, 7-9;
Lk 7:1-10

❖ Tues 17th Sept, 2013

1 Tim 3:1-13; Ps 101:1-3, 5-6;
Lk 7:11-17

❖ Wed 18th Sept, 2013

1 Tim 3:14-16; Ps 111:1-6; Lk 7:31-35

❖ Thur 19th Sept, 2013

1 Tim 4:12-16; Ps 111:7-10; Lk 7:36-50

❖ Fri 20th Sept, 2013

1 Tim 6:2-12; Ps 49:6-10, 17-20
Lk 8:1-3

❖ Sat 21st Sept, 2013(St. Matthew)

Eph 4:1-7, 11-13; Ps 1:2-5;
Mt 9:9-13

22ND SEPTEMBER, 2013
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

1st Reading: Am 8:4-7

Resp. Ps : 113:1-2, 4-8

2nd Reading: 1 Tim 2:1-8

Gospel : Lk 16:1-13

