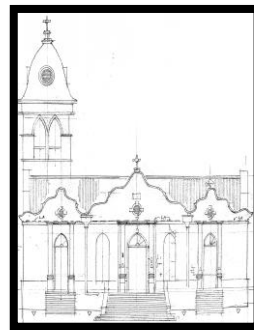




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*Jesus,
I Trust in You.*



Mass Schedule

Monday through Friday.....8:00 a.m.
Saturday (Vigil).....6:00 p.m.
Sunday.....8:30 a.m.

Devotion

Adoration (Temporarily on hold)
Wednesday8:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Novena to O.L.P.H.
Wednesday..... 8:00 a.m.

Novena to Sacred Heart of Jesus
First Friday.....8:00 a.m.

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Rev. Mr. Tony Murray

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Parish Accountant: Penrose Gardiner
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SPYM Director: Nereida Washington
Music Director: Alvin Milligan

Sacristans

Nancy A. Soto
Patricia Santiago

ICM Sisters

Sr. Claina Letang
Sr. Florine Bailey
Sr. Mary Dasari

Temporary Office Hours:

Tues - Thurs & Fri: 9 - 12 & 12:30 - 4 pm

SCHOOL DIRECTORY

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

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Assistant Principal

Ms. Lydia Davis

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Sr. Mary Dasari, ICM
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Ms. Hermitta Florent

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Closed

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Ms. Penrose Gardiner

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DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, April 10,

6:00 PM. - Enid Gustave, Birthday Blessings/Enid Gustave

SUNDAY, April 11, Divine Mercy Sunday

8:30 AM. - Kesha L. Tatum, Birthday Blessings and Good Health/
 Vilma C. Johnson

MONDAY, April 12,

8:00 AM. + Catherine & Carl Messer, Repose of Soul/ Laurel
 Hecker

TUESDAY, April 13

8:00 AM. + Sr. Germaine Convey, Repose of Soul/Duval family

WEDNESDAY, April 14

8:00 AM. - Leroy James, Grace of Healing/Aqueda (Nina)
 Sarante

THURSDAY, April 15

8:00 AM. - Grace & Elias Ben, Birthday Blessings/Grace Ben

FRIDAY, April 16,

8:00 AM. + Ann E. Abramson, In Loving Memory/Family

SATURDAY, April 17

6:00 PM. - Francis & Carol Millets, 50th Wedding Anniversary/
 Carol Millets
 Geralda Pickering, Birthday Blessings/ G. Pickering

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY:	Acts 4:32-35 1Jn 5:1-6 Jn 20:19-31
MONDAY:	Acts 4:23-31 Jn 3:1-8
TUESDAY: <i>Saint Martin I, Pope & Martyr</i>	Acts 4:32-37 Jn 3:7-15
WEDNESDAY:	Acts 5:17-26 Jn 3:16-21
THURSDAY:	Acts 5:27-33 Jn 3:31-36
FRIDAY	Acts 5:34-42 Jn 6:1-15
SATURDAY:	Acts 6:1-7 Jn 6:16-21

PRAY FOR THE SICK & SHUT-INS

Please pray that they may find comfort and healing in Christ.

Steve Alexander, Olivia Anger, Nicholas Andrew, Marilyn Bailey, Eric Belcher, George Bondieumaitre, Debra Bruce, Virginia Burke, Fred Calvillo, William Carino, Ninon Gussman Carr, Norma Carillo, Paulette Christopher, Victorino Cruz, Matthew Donelley, Anna D'Souza, Norma Dyer, Harold Fisher, Sr., Kimberly Fludd, Johnetta Goodloe, Sarah Gordon, Dr. Amy Hardin, Enis Hilaire, Urla Isaac, Lidia Jiminez, , Eleanor Johnson, Alma John, Ann Joseph, Electra Joseph, Rose Joseph, Edwin Josiah, Jeannie Krigger, T'Agho Lopez, Chamarla Louis, Felina Artigo, Gwendolyn Lucas, Kathleen Smith-Maccow, Marla Matthew, Carlos Matus, Luz Melendez, Beverly Nesbitt, Bevon Nicholas, Marilyn Nicks, Ann Parris, Fr. Simon Peter, Geralda Pickering, Michelle Gibbs Riviere, Carmen Russell, Henrietta Sandy, Jose Manuel Santana, Gwen Skeoch, Martha Lena St. Juste, Eric Thomas, Juan Valentin, Cletina Tuitt, Vincent Urgent, Inez Walker, Deacon Oliver Washington, Ann Weikel, Inez Williams, Simeon Williams, Curtis Williams, Joseph Wilson, Ingerborg McIntosh, William Lang, Anita Pulpul & Kemit Lewis, Noel Lercana & Bertille Samuel, Lewis Eugene, & Vilma C. Johnson, Fanny Andrews Clarke. Kesha Tatum.

(Please call the Church Office to add or remove names to/from this list Church)

MASS ATTENDANCE – APRIL 03 & 04, 2021

Saturday 6:00pm Holy Mass 80 **Sunday** 8:30am Holy Mass 133. Total 213 :

Preserve the Past Campaign in Progress

Our Church restoration project is in progress and your contribution is still welcome. Please call the church office or contact a minister of hospitality for the contribution envelope.

SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 2021

Easter Offering	Apr.. 03-04
School Support.....	Apr.03-04
Maintenance Fund.....	Apr.10-11
Capital Impro.....	Apr.17-18
Catholic Home Mission	Apr. 24-25

Announcements



Seven Days Sanctuary Lamp Devotion

The Sanctuary Lamp which burns in the Sanctuary of our church, the reminder of the Lord's Presence in the Most Holy Eucharist, will burn from April 11, to April 17, For God's protection and blessings upon Sr, Claina Letang, ICM and Family requested by Sr. Claina Letang, ICM

Divine Mercy

Divine Mercy Cenacle will be held this Sunday at 3:00 PM in the church.

2021 Christmas Raffle Books

Due to the Coronavirus, we moved our raffle drawing to Christmas Day. The Raffle Books are available at both School and Church offices. Also available at the rear of the Church this weekend after Holy Masses. This is the only major fundraiser for our parochial school. We rely on your support for its success. We thank you in advance.

Bishop's Appeal

Your gift to the Bishop's Appeal 2021 supports the soup kitchens that are part of the Catholic Charities program. Last year 162,321 meals and hundreds of nights of shelter for the homeless were provided to the poor through your generosity.

For your convenience, you may choose to make a pledge now and spread your payments over several months. Donations may be made in the form of cash, check or credit card. **Please fill out the form in the brochure and make your checks payable to "Diocese of St. Thomas"**. Please see the brochure for further information. Thank you!
Brochures are available at the rear of the Church.

Bishop's Holy Mass of Thanksgiving

Following the Episcopal Ordination of Bishop Jerome Feudjio, there will be Holy Mass of Thanksgiving on Saturday April 24, at 10:00 AM here in our parish. Sign Up Sheets are available at the rear of the church for those are planning to attend. This is necessary due to Covid 19 restrictions.

Religious Education Program: Registration in progress

Religious Education Program's Registration is in progress please register your child. Applications are available at the rear of the Church.

Next Weekend Readers: 4/17 & 18, 2021

6:00 PM. **Holy Mass** – Ann Doute

8:30 AM. **Holy Mass** – Eloise Benjamin

Ministers of Hospitality

6:00 PM **Holy Mass**- Edna Abramson & Rosie Sackey

8:30 AM **Holy Mass**: - Monica Plante, Alma John, Xaria Hinkson & Janet DeGannes

Bulletin announcements must be submitted to the Church Office by Wednesday at noon

Parish Information

Sacrament of Baptism

Fourth Sunday of each month. Please register your children at the Church Office. Present a copy of the child(ren) birth certificate(s). Classes for parents & godparents are on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Tuesday from 6:00 p.m. until 7:00 p.m. each month.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please make arrangements with parish priest 6 months before your wedding.

Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) Classes

Classes are held every Sunday during the school year and begin with attendance and instruction in the classroom at 8:30 a.m. followed by Mass at 10:00 a.m.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Classes

RCIA is the journey of faith by which interested persons become members of the Roman Catholic Church. The program instructs adults to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church through Baptism and/or Confirmation and Holy Communion. To register, please call the church office at (340) 772-0138.

Sacrament of Penance

Confession is the sacrament that allows us to admit our faults and develop humility, but the most profound part is we get to experience Christ's gift of mercy.

Weekdays..... 15 min. before Holy Mass

Weekends..... 30 min. before Holy Mass

Funerals

All funeral services begin at 10:30 a.m. Viewings at 9:30 am. No funerals are held on weekends. Arrangements must be made with the Church before funeral arrangements with the funeral home.

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Please call the rectory at (340) 772-0138 whenever a family member or friend is seriously ill or hospitalized.

Parish Registration

Parishioners who are 18 years and older are invited to register at the Church Office as well as become active and contributing members. We would like to maintain an up-to-date listing of all St. Patrick parishioners. Registration also helps in providing quick services for the request and proof of miscellaneous church letters for individuals, Baptism, Confirmation, etc.

From the desk of Fr. Boniface

My Dear Parishioners,

Today is 'Divine Mercy Sunday.' Our Lord Jesus Christ appeared to Sr. Faustina in the 1930's and promised that he would bestow his Divine Mercy to any sinner that totally repents his/her sins, no matter how grave and our Lord would not refuse any soul that seeks his mercy. On numerous occasions during his revelation to Sr. Faustina, Jesus asked that a feast day be dedicated to the Divine Mercy and that this feast be celebrated on the Sunday after Easter. Therefore, on April 30th 2000, when Pope John Paul II canonized Sr. Faustina, he said, "It is important then that we accept the whole message that comes to us from the word of God on this Second Sunday of Easter, which from now on throughout the Church, will be called 'Divine Mercy Sunday.'" This Sunday invites us to contemplate the mercy of God. We experience this Divine Mercy very tangibly in the Sacrament of Reconciliation.

For this reason, today is also the feast of the Sacrament of Reconciliation as Jesus gives authority to his disciples to forgive sins saying, "Receive the Holy Spirit. Whose sins you forgive are forgiven them, and whose sins you retain are retained." This is a Divine power given to his disciples and handed down to his Church and to our priests. The priest - who takes the place of the 'disciples' of Jesus today does not grant pardon of sins. He absolves sins in the name of the Church. That is, he frees the penitent from guilt and blame when he says in the formula of absolution the following: "God, the Father of mercies, through the death and the resurrection of his Son has reconciled the world to himself and sent the Holy Spirit among us for the forgiveness of sins; through the ministry of the Church may God give you pardon and peace, and I absolve you from your sins in the name of the Father, and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."

Blessed Divine mercy Sunday to you all!

SAINT PATRICK'S MINISTRIES & REPRESENTATIVES

- Altar Servers: Deslin Simmons & Patricia Santiago
- Readers: Jeanne Garcia
- Saint Patrick Choir/Song leading: Alvin Milligan
- EMHC: Jeanne Garcia & Sally Cunningham
- SPYM: Nereida Washington
- Charismatic Prayer Group: Anna Doward
- Legion of Mary: Jeanne Garcia
- Sacred Heart Society: Julia Pankey
- Men's Fellowship: (TBD)
- Decoration & Cleaning Ministry: Marian Francois, Winifred & Mae Louise
- Home Visitation Ministry: Eloise Benjamin
- Ministry of Hospitality (Greeters/Ushers): Dorothea Cools
- Social & Event Planning: Nicole Vidal

Prayer of Saint Francis

Lord make me an instrument of your peace, not so much seek to be consoled as to console;
Where there is hatred let me sow love. to be understood as to understand;
Where there is injury, pardon. To be loved as to love
Where there is doubt, faith. For it is in giving that we receive-
Where there is despair, hope. and it's in pardoning that we are pardoned.
Where there is darkness, light. And it's in dying that we are born to
And where there is sadness, joy. eternal life. Amen.
O divine master grant that I may

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