REFLECTIONS FOR THIS SUNDAY

"12TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR"

FIRST READING:--A reading from the Book of Zechariah (12:10-11)

The prophet predicts of a person whose death, inflicted by the people of Jerusalem, will be a source of grace for them.

RESPONSE :- For you my soul is thirsting, O God, my God.

SECOND READING: - A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Galatians (3:26-29)

St. Paul tells the Galatian converts that having been baptized into Christ, they are clothed with him, are children of God, and are all one in Christ Jesus

GOSPEL :-A reading from the Holy Gospel according to St Lk (9:18-24)

Jesus is revealed to the Apostles as the Messiah, and Jesus predicts his passion, death and resurrection. He also tells them that suffering will be part of the lives of his followers too.

वर्ष का बारहवॉ रविवार

पहला पाठः नबी,जकर्या का ग्रन्थ १२:१०-११

नबी ,जकर्या येरूषलेम की विजय का वर्णन करते हुए कहते हैं कि येरूषलेम के निवासियों ने जिसे छेदा है, वे उसी की ओर देखेगे। सन्त योहन के सुसमाचार में माना गया है कि यहाँ क्रूस पर आरोपित मसीह की चर्चा है।

अनुवाक्यः हे ईश्वर, तू ही मेरा ईश्वर है। मेरी आत्मा तेरे लिए तरसती है।

दूसरा पाठःगलातियों के नाम संत पौलुस का पत्र ३:२६-२९

मनुष्य का इतिहास हमें बताता है कि भेदभाव के कारण दुनिया में कितना अन्याय किया गया है। सन्त पौलुस गलातियों को समझाते हैं कि जिन लोगों ने मसीह को धारण किया, उनमें भेदभाव नहीं होना चाहिए।

सुसमाचारःसन्त लूकस का सुसमाचार 9:18-24

मसीह की विजय अनिवार्य थी, किन्तु वह अपने शत्रुओं को बलप्रयोग द्वारा नहीं हराना चाहते थे। अपने प्राण समर्पित कर और पुनर्जीवित हो कर अपने अनुयायियों को अनन्त जीवन प्रदान करना यही उन्हें उचित लगा।

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HOLY FATHER'S INTENTIONS FOR THE MONTH OF JUNE

General Intention: That a culture of dialogue, listening and reciprocal respect may prevail among the nations.

Missionary Intention: That in these areas where the influx of secularization is strongest, Christian communities may learn to effectively promote a new evangelization.

Co-pastors : Rev. Fr. Shyju Xavier Rev. Fr. Umesh Ekka

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK

"Desire earnestly always to suffer for God in everything and on every occasion"

St. Teresa of Avila

READINGS OF THE WEEK

24/Mon Is 49:1-6, Ps 139; Acts 13:22-26 Lk 1:57-66,80 25/Tue Gen 13:2,5-18; Ps 15; Mt 7:6,12-14 26/Wed Gen 15:1-12,17-18; Ps 105; Mt 7:15-20 27/Thu Gen 16:1-12,15-16;Ps 106 Mt 7:21-29 28/Fri Gen 17:1,9-22; Ps 128; Mt 8:1-4 29/Sat Acts12:1-11; Ps 34; 2Tm4:6-18Mt 16:13-19

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SUMMER MASS TIMINGS

SATURDAYS:

Cathedral: 6.30 p.m. Sunday Anticipated Mass (English) (Weekday Masses at 6.00 a.m., 1:00 p.m. and 6.30 p.m.)

SUNDAYS:

| Cathedral : | 06.30 a.m. | _ | English |
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| | 07.30 a.m. | _ | Malayalam |
| | 09.00 a.m. | — | English |
| | 10.15 a.m. | — | Hindi |
| | 11.30 a.m. | | English |
| | 04.30 p.m. | | Hindi |
| | 06.30 p.m. | _ | English |
| Carmel : | 07.30 a.m. | | Hindi |
| Mater Dei : | 07.00 a.m. | _ | Hindi |
| ISI : | 07.00 a.m. | — | Hindi |

Apostolic Nunciature : 07.30 & 10.00 a.m.—English

REFLECTION:

In the first reading, Zechariah prophesies an event that would take place centuries later - the piercing of the side of Jesus. And from this wound 'blood and water came out' (Jn 19: 34). In this event we see Jesus going beyond his mandate. He gave away even the last drop of his blood, and water - a symbol of Baptism- for the forgiveness of sins (Zech 13:1), our sins.

That is why the Lord asks of his faithful followers: to go beyond. Beyond our normal prayer life, beyond giving of our time and money, beyond our family... to give till it hurts. We ought not to be concerned only with this earthly life, but with the eternal life that awaits us.

Is it right to make distinctions when I am giving of my time and money? The answer lies in the Second Reading, where St Paul clearly says: 'All of you are one in Christ Jesus' (Gal 3: 28). So let us not distinguish by class and creed, 'insiders' and 'outsiders.' Let us give generously to whoever needs it most. Let not our own comfort and pleasure come in the way of giving of ourselves to others.

Have I gone beyond the call of duty, as the Lord expects me to? Is there someone he is asking me to serve right now?

PARISH NEWS

CHURCH SUPPORT FUND:

Every Sunday you can pay your monthly Church Support Fund to the members of the Catholic Association outside the Church.

CONFERRAL OF THE SACRAMENTS:

The sacraments of Holy Communion and Confirmation will be conferred on our children on 27th July and 03rd August respectively. There will be special classes for these children in the month of July.

COMMON CATECHETICAL PROGRAMME:

It has come to our notice that there there are some parishioners who have not received the Sacrament of Confirmation and other Sacraments due to some reason. We have been making efforts to trace them and provide them with the necessary catechesis required for the reception of the Sacraments. As it is not possible for us to individually cater to them, we would like to hold a special catechetical programme for such candidates. Kindly contact the Parish Fathers.

DIOCESAN EDUCATION SCHEME:

Application forms for the Diocesan Education Scheme for the current academic year 2013-2014, are available at the Parish Office. The last date for the receipt of completed application forms is 31st July, 2013.

SOUVENIR-2013:

To mark the occasion of the Parish Mela which was held in the month of April, a Souvenir will be brought out on the Parish Feast day, i.e. on 22nd September, 2013. As it is a Parish venture, your contributions by way of advertisements, short complimentary messages, etc. will surely go a long way in making this a grand success. As always we look forward to your cooperation and support.



"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you."

पल्ली सूचनाएँ

संस्कारों का क्रियान्वयन पवित्र परमप्रसाद और दुढिकरण संस्कार हमारे बच्चों को २७ जुलाई २०१३ और ३ अगस्त २०१३ क्रमशः प्रदान किया जायेगा। हम सचीबद्ध किये गये बच्चों के माता-पिता को स्मरण दिलाते है, कि जुलाई महीने में आयोजित धर्मशिक्षा की कक्षा में उनके बच्चों की नियमित उपस्थिति अनिवार्य है, अन्यथा उन्हें संस्कार ग्रहण करने के लिए अयोग्य घोषित कर दिया जायेगा ।



पल्ली वेबसाइट

हमें आपको सूचित करते हुए अपार खुशी हो रही है कि पिछले फरवरी माह में औपचारिक रूप से प्रारम्भ की गयी पल्ली वेबसाइट को ५० हजार से भी अधिक लोगों ने देखा। हमारा प्रयास यहीं है कि हम इसे वर्तमान समाचारों एवं सूचनाओं के साथ ज्ञानप्रद बनाये रखे । आपके मूल्यवान परार्मशों एवं प्रार्थना के लिए हम आपका धन्यवाद करते है। जानकारियाँ प्राप्त करने के लिए कृप्या पल्ली वेबसाइट अवश्य देखे।

सोविनियर-२०१३

आपको सुचित किया जाता है कि अप्रैल माह में आयोजित पैरिश मेला को यादगार बनाने के लिए एक सोविनियर २२ सितम्बर २०१३, पल्ली पर्व के दिन निकाला जायेगा । आप विज्ञापनों, शुभकामना संदेशों द्वारा इस अच्छे कार्य में अपना योगदान दे सकते है । अधिक जानकारी के लिये काथलिक सभा के सदस्यों से संपर्क करें।

धर्मशिक्षा कार्यक्रम

हमारी जानकारी के अनुसार कुछ पल्लीवासियों ने पवित्र दृढ़िकरण संस्कार और अन्य दूसरे संस्कार अभी तक किसी कारणवश ग्रहण नहीं किये है । इसलिए हमारी तरफ से यह प्रयास है कि हम आप लोगों को पवित्र संस्कार ग्रहण करने हेतू पूर्ण रूप से तैयार करे कृपया अधिक जानकारी के लिए पल्ली पूरोहितों से सम्पर्क करें।

धर्मप्रान्तीय शिक्षा स्कीम

२०१३-२०१४ के क्पवबमेंद म्कनबंजपवदे बीमउम के फॉर्म पल्ली कार्यालय में उपलब्ध है । जमा करने की आखिरी तारीख ३१ जुलाई २०१३ है।

