

ST ANSELM'S
PARISH
PRESENTS
A NIGHT UNDER THE STARS

DINNER

DANCING

LIVE - ENTERTAINMENT

•DEC• 02 2023

7PM - 11PM

TICKETS \$75

CONTACT PARISH OFFICE @
324-1325 FOR MORE DETAILS

Knights of Columbus Council 10415

Knights of Columbus Council 10415 is launching it's first Annual Essay Competition in the following categories: Primary, Junior High, Senior High, Adult Division & Knights of Columbus Division. There are different Topics for each division. The competition is opened to male and female students. Application forms are available at the Parish Office.

Prayer of the week

I surrender my life to you, Jesus, day by day, hour by hour, minute by minute, as I continue to learn about your word. Thank you, Lord Jesus Christ, for loving me and dying on the cross for my sins, without which I would be lost in my self-righteousness. Amen.

The Parable of the Talents

Matthew 25:14-30

D A D H Q A Y O P G W T Y S Y
E D B B A E T A Y O E H P D M
N Q K I N P R N P A T H W R W
I I A R L A P R E R D A O A E
A X U G B I O I O L B W R W E
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J T E E E E T Y H E U T H T I
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St. Anselm is a Catholic faith community centered in the Eucharist, seeking to live the love of God through worship, word and service.

"Since you were faithful in small matters, come, share your masters joy."

"The Lord said: I think thoughts of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place." (Jeremiah 29:11, 12, 14)

November 19th 2023
Harvest Sunday
33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
1st Reading Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31
2nd Reading 1 Thessalonians 5:1-6
Gospel Matthew 25:14-30

November 26th 2023
Christ The King
1st Reading Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17
2nd Reading 1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28
Gospel Matthew 25:31-46

Most Rev. Patrick C. Pinder, S.T.D., C.M.G. KC*HS, Archbishop of Nassau.
Fr. Noël Clarke, Parish Priest
Rev. Mr. Ricardo Demeritte, Deacon

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MASS SCHEDULE:  
SUNDAYS: 7.00am & 9.00am  
WEEKDAYS: 6.15 am  
Wednesdays - Adoration at 5.30pm & Mass follows  
HOLIDAYS: 8.00 a.m.  
Bible Study Monday 6.15pm—  
Virtual (CONFESSIONS:  
SUNDAY: by appointment)

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BAPTISMS:
Call Parish Office to arrange

A WARM AND LOVING WELCOME TO ALL OUR VISITORS!

Please come again and if you would like to become a member, our contacts are listed above.

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*To our members, We always thank God for all of you and continually mention you in our prayers!*

## Let us Pray

Father, your Son accepted our sufferings to teach us the virtue of patience in human illness. Hear the prayers we offer for our sick brothers and sisters. May all who suffer pain, illness or disease, realize that they are chosen to be saints and know that they are joined to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world. Amen. **Paul Barnett Sr., Rosemary Black, Guy-Phillipe Berlin, Donnalee Colebrooke, Sonia Darville, Patricia Deane, Carol & Sylvia Edgecombe, Michael Farrington, Patricia Higgs, Hartman Johnson, Daphne Kerr, Edward Kerr, Patricia Knowles, Paula Lundy, Ida Major, Dellareese McPhee, Drucilla Moss, Vanessa Moss, Agatha Pratt, Prashad Pratt, Martha Roberts, Kyandre Sands, Jayde Smith, Mable Smith, Lucinda Symonette, John Tucker, Anastina Wilson and Jacinta White, the imprisoned, the homebound, the hospitalized and persons in the Geriatrics Hospital. (If you, or a member of your family ill, or if you know of a parishioner that is ill, please notify the parish office).**

### Daily Scripture Reading

**20 November 2023 – Monday**

**1st Reading: 1st Maccabees 1: 10-15, 41-43, 54-57, 62-63**

**Resp Ps: 119: 53, 61, 134, 150, 155, 158**  
**Gospel: Luke 18: 35-43**

**21 November 2023 – Tuesday**

**The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**1st Reading: Zechariah 2:14-17 or 2 Maccabees 6: 18-31**

**Resp Ps: Luke 1 or Ps.: 3: 2-3, 4-5, 6-7**  
**Gospel: Luke 19: 1-10**

**22 November 2023 – Wednesday**

**St. Cecilia, Virgin, Martyr**

**1st Reading: Hosea 2:16b, 17cd, 21-22 or 2 Maccabees 7: 1, 20-31**

**Resp Ps: 45 or Ps.:17: 16cd, 5-6, 8b and 15**  
**Gospel: Matt. 12:46-50 or Luke 19: 11-28**

**23 November 2023 – Thursday**

**St. Clement I, Pope & St. Columban, Abbott**

**1st Reading: 1 Maccabees 2: 15-29**

**Resp Ps: 50: 16-2, 5-6, 14-15**  
**Gospel: Luke 19: 41-44**

**25 November 2023 – Friday**

**St. Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, Martyr & Companions, Martyrs**

**1st Reading: 1 Maccabees 4: 36-37, 52-59**  
**Resp Ps: 1 Chronicles 29: 10bcd, 11abc, 11d -12a, 12bcd**

**Gospel: Luke 19:45-48**

**25 November 2023 – Saturday**

**St. Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin & Martyr**

**1st Reading: 1 Maccabees 6: 1-13**

**Resp Ps: 9: 2-3, 4 & 6, 16 & 19**  
**Gospel: Luke 20: 27-40**

**Happy Birthday Greetings to:** Bettye Rolle, Stephen Mackey (Today) Marilyn Wright, Brenda Thompson, Nicholas Smith (Mon) Natasha Rolle, Nicholette Brooks, Marsha Treco (Tues) Loretta Rahming, Paula Williams, Anya Williams, Frederick Laing (Wed), Carol Young, Monica Rahming, Georgina Pennerman, Bonji Gaitor, Kenton Dawkins (Fri) Anthony Ingraham, Jude Treco (Sat). **and all celebrating this week!**

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### ~Commentators&Lectors~

#### 33rd Sunday In Ordinary Time/Harvest Sunday– 19th November

7:00am Verdel Ferguson 1st Reader  
Twana Lockhart 2nd Reader/Commentator

9:00 am Julie Bingham 1st Reader  
Chaunece Saunders 2nd Reader/Commentator

#### Christ the King Sunday– 26th November

7:00am Alexia Edgecombe 1st Reader/Commentator  
Lee Doris Duncombe 2nd Reader

9:00 am Jean Gomez 1st Reader  
Rebecca Bingham 2nd Reader/Commentator

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**Get on the BUS. Friday 24th November at St. Thomas More Parish, from 7 pm to 10 pm. Bus transportation will leave the parish grounds at 6.30pm. For further information and waiver forms kindly contact the Parish Office.**

### Retired & Elderly Advent Day of Reflection

Advent Reflection will be held on Friday 8th December from 9:30 am to 3:00pm, at Emmaus Center. Donation is \$20, per person. Kindly contact Hilda Tucker or Rosalie Strachan for more information.

### NIGHT UNDER THE STARS!

December 2nd, 2023. GET YOUR TICKETS NOW!!  
\$75.00

## Reflecting on the Word What Is Entrusted Us

The Gospel parable is about a man entrusting his servants with his property, and the point it makes concerns the need for fidelity in caring for what belongs to the master. God our master has left us with the earth, not to do with it what we want but to care for it even as we live off of its abundant riches. God created the land to support living things: What will happen when God returns to find so much land strip-mined, strip-cleared, eroded, and burdened with toxic waste? God created the waters to support living things: What will happen when God returns to find the oceans and rivers polluted with our garbage and chemical by-products? God created the air to support living things: What will happen when God returns to find smog and holes in the ozone? God created plants and animals to live on this wonderful earth and revel in its beauty: What will happen when God returns to find so many of them driven to extinction by our destructive practices? “Father of all that is good, keep us faithful in serving you.” May we learn to care better for the Master’s goods so that when the Master returns, we will hear those blessed words: “Well done! Come and share your master’s joy.” Men and women bear a unique responsibility under God to safeguard the created world and by their creative labor even to enhance it. Safeguarding creation requires us to live responsibly within it, rather than manage creation as though we are outside it. The human family is charged with preserving the beauty, diversity and integrity of nature as well as fostering its productivity. **U.S. Bishops, Renewing the Earth, 1991 Gerald Darring**

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## Wedding Anniversaries

*Davon & Richan Munnings celebrating their 2<sup>nd</sup> on Monday 20<sup>th</sup>*  
*Dellareace & Alonzo McPhee celebrating their 26<sup>th</sup> on Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup>*  
*Mario & Sonia McPhee celebrating their 21<sup>st</sup> on Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup>.*

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## Dates and Times to Remember

Solemnity of Christ the King **Sunday, 26th November** 7 am & 9 am Masses.

1st Sunday of Advent **3rd December** 7am & 9am Masses.

2nd Sunday of Advent **10th December** 7am & 9am Masses.

3rd Sunday of Advent **17th December** 7am & 9am Masses

4th Sunday of Advent **24th December/Christmas Eve** One Mass **9am & 9pm** Carols led by Cantors followed by Mass.

Christmas Day **Monday, 25th December** 9am Mass

St. Stephen Proto Martyr **Tuesday, 26th December** 8am Mass (Boxing Day)

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## Prayer to Avert Storms

*Our Father in Heaven through the intercession of Our Lady of Prompt Succor, spare us during this Hurricane season from all harm. Protect us and our homes from all disasters of nature. Our Lady of Prompt Succor, hasten to help us. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.*