

Upcoming events around the Archdiocese

The next Marriage Preparation is scheduled to start on Wednesday, September 3rd, 2025. A small donation of \$150 per couple is required which includes text books
Venue: Emmaus Centre, Fox Hill
Time: 7:00pm –9:00pm. Applications are available via the Archdiocesan website (<http://archdioceseofnassau.org/familylife>) or the parish office.

The Jubilee Prayer

*Father in heaven,
may the faith you have given us
in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother,
and the flame of charity enkindled
in our hearts by the Holy Spirit,
reawaken in us the blessed hope
for the coming of your Kingdom.*

*May your grace transform us
into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel.*

*May those seeds transform from within both
humanity and the whole cosmos
in the sure expectation
of a new heaven and a new earth,
when, with the powers of Evil
vanquished,
your glory will shine eternally.*

*May the grace of the Jubilee
reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope,
a yearning for the treasures of heaven.*

*May that same grace spread
the joy and peace of our Redeemer
throughout the earth.*

*To you our God, eternally blessed,
be glory and praise for ever.*
Amen.

Prayer for the Week

Dear God, thank you for your incredible power and work in our lives, thank you for your goodness and blessings on us. Thank you for your great love and care. Thank you for your sacrifice so that we can have freedom and life. Forgive us when we don't thank you enough, for who you are, for all you do, for all you have given. Help us to put our eyes and our hearts back on you. Renew our spirits, and fill us with your peace and joy. We love you and we need you, this day and every day. We praise and thank you, only for you are you worthy! In the name of Jesus, Amen.

Discipleship 101

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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.

“You are the Christ, the Son of the living God!”

These are the ones who, living in the flesh, planted the Church with their blood; they drank the chalice of the Lord and became friends of God.

29th June 2025
Sts. Peter and Paul, Apostles

1st Reading: Acts 12: 1-11
Resp Ps: 34 4-5, 6-7, 8-9
2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18
Gospel: Matthew 16:13-19

6th July 2025
14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

1st Reading: Isaiah 66: 10-14c
Resp Ps: 66: 1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16 and 20
2nd Reading: Galatians 6: 14-18
Gospel: Luke 10:1-12, 17-20



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


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

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.

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.

Leonard Bain, Shimonte Bain, Guy-Philip Bain, Paul Barnett Sr., Angnist Burrows, Donnalee Colebrooke, Laurie Curtis, Carol & Sylvia Edgecombe, Michael Farrington, Brian Fernander, Larry Higgs, Patricia Higgs, Monique Johnson, Creola Kelly, Daphne Kerr, Ancilla Knowles, Annette Knowles, George Knowles, Patricia Knowles, Terrance Knowles, Ida Major, Dellareese McPhee, Supt. Buchanan Moncur, Christina Moss, Drucilla Moss, Saintalus Paul, Tanya Pinder-Carey, Agatha Pratt, Martha Roberts, Jayde Smith, Juanita Symonette, Jacinta White, Nancy Wilmott, Anastina Wilson, the imprisoned, the homebound, the hospitalized and persons in the Geriatrics Hospital. (If you or a member of your family is ill, kindly contact the Parish Office.)

Daily Readings

30 June 2025 – Monday
1st Reading: Genesis 18: 16-33
Resp Ps: 103:16-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11
Gospel: Matthew 8:18-22

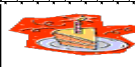
1 July 2025 – Tuesday
St. Junipero Serra, Priest, Missionary
st Reading: Genesis 19:15-29
Resp Ps: 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12
Gospel: Matthew 8:23-27

2 July 2025 – Wednesday
1st Reading: Genesis 21:5, 8-20a
Resp Ps: 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13
Gospel: Matthew 8:28-34

3 July 2025 – Thursday
St. Thomas, Apostle
1st Reading: Ephesians 2: 19-22
Resp Ps: 117:16c, 2
Gospel: John 20:24-29

4 July 2025 – Friday
1st Reading: Genesis 23:1-4, 19; 24: 1-8, 62-67
Resp Ps: 106: 16-2, 3-4a, 46-5
Gospel: Matthew 9: 9-13

5 July 2025 – Saturday
St. Anthony Mary Zaccaria, Priest
& St. Elizabeth of Portugal
1st Reading: Genesis 27:1-5, 15-29
Resp Ps: 135:16-2, 3-4, 5-6
Gospel: Matthew 9: 14-17



Happy Birthday Greetings to...

Ronald Pierre, Yasmine Davis, Ashton Edgecombe, Kim Sturup (Today) Jacinta White, Lennox Brozozorg , Demaggio Reckley, (Mon) Chaunece Bastian (Tues) Brian Davis, Doan Davis (Wed) Mischa Prabhu, Keion Thompson, Leonard Thompson, Ayden Cleare, Vincente Demeritte, King Munroe, Anthony Miller, Stafford Armbrister (Thurs) Marlon Miles, Phoenix Knowles, Sidnea Ferguson, Timothy Williams, Brenda Kerr, Matthew Pintard-Newry (Fri) Rhayne Darville, Juanita Symonette (Sat). and to all celebrating this week!

St. Peter & St. Paul - 29th June 2025

7am
1st Reader– F. Eugene Torchon-Newry
2nd Reader/Commentator - Twana Lockhart

9am
1st Reader - Jean Gomez
2nd Reader/Commentator - Derry Ferguson

14th Sunday in Ordinary Time, 5th July 2025

7am
1st Reader - Lana Edgecombe
2nd Reader/Commentator - Alexia Edgecombe

9am
1st Reader - Dr. Francis Williams
2nd Reader/Commentator - Kevin Fernander

Prayerful Sympathy

The Parish community expresses prayerful sympathy to F. Eugene Torchon-Newry and Family on the death of his mother, Francoise Torchon-Newry who died on May 30th, in Ottawa, Canada. Funeral services to be announced. May she rest in peace.

Peter and the Love the Church is Founded On

Jesus chose Peter as the rock on which the church is founded, and so Peter’s life is an exemplar for us of the way our lives should be lived. At the other extreme is Judas, who is an example of the worst in human life. But here is a perplexing thing: both Peter and Judas are guilty of the same sin. Each of them betrayed Christ. Now you might think that the difference between Judas and Peter is that Peter repented and Judas did not. But actually Judas repented too. He confessed his sin to the Jewish authorities, and he repented what he had done. So what exactly is the difference between Peter, who represents for us the love on which the Church is founded, and Judas, who represents the worst lack of love? In the Gospel Reading of the reunion between Peter and Jesus after the resurrection, Jesus asks Peter – and asks him three times, “Peter, do you love me?” And what Peter says in response is, “Yes, Lord, I do love you” – and he says it in answer to Jesus three times, once for each time Peter denied Christ. And isn't this just where Peter and Judas differ? Finding himself a betrayer, Judas let go of the love he had had for Jesus and threw himself away, as an ugly, broken thing. But Peter, who wept bitterly over his denial of Jesus, didn't collapse or give up afterwards. And so he never stopped loving Jesus either. And that is why Jesus elicited from Peter the profession of love -- because it was true. Peter did love him. Peter always loved him. In the broken world we live in, this is the paradigm of loving: holding on, never letting go, never ceasing to love even in the midst of the evil we do. This is the standard by which human loves are to be measured. The gates of hell cannot prevail against this love. The church is founded on it. Finding himself sinful, Judas killed himself. Finding himself similarly sinful, Peter cleaved to Christ. Peter let nothing, not even his own sins, introduce any distance between him and the Lord he loved. That is the difference between Peter and Judas. And that is why Peter is the rock on which the church is founded.

~Eleonore Stump~

Wedding Anniversary

Randolph & Sanchina Rodgers who celebrated 13 years on Monday July 23rd
Bertram & Nicara Johnson celebrating their 3rd on Wednesday July 2nd

Thank You!

The Fundraising Committee expresses a heartfelt Thank you to all who supported the Sip & Paint last evening. Your continued support to our fundraising efforts are greatly appreciated.

SVDP- The St. Vincent De Paul Society expresses a heartfelt thank you to those persons who helped in any way to make the Souse Out held yesterday a success. Your contributions and assistance are greatly appreciated.

Second Collection

A second collection will be taken immediately after the general offering next Sunday, July 6th for Peter's Pence. Please be as generous as your means will allow.

Prayers 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.