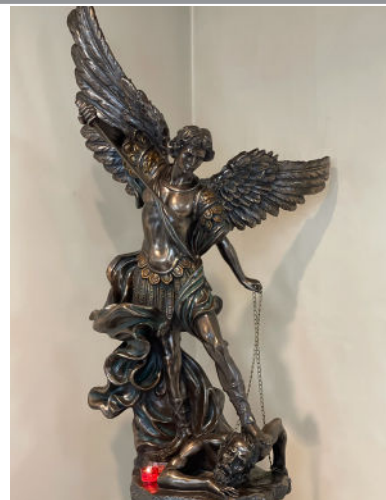


Mass Intentions: Jan. 20-26, 2024

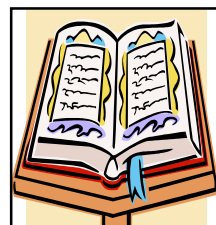
Sat. Jan. 20	6 p.m.	For Melanie Plummer and her children, Shari, Kaniel and Shaline for God's continuous blessings, guidance & protection requested by Melanie Plummer
Sun. Jan. 21	7:30 a.m.	For Tisha George for God's continuous blessings & for God to open doors to employment
	9:30 a.m.	For Melanie Plummer and her children, Shari, Kaniel and Shaline for God's continuous blessings, guidance & protection requested by Melanie Plummer
	12:30 p.m.	For the Coral Bay community
	5:30 p.m.	For Hispanic community of St. John
Tue. Jan. 23 (Coral Bay)	6 p.m.	In thanksgiving to Outsourcing Unlimited Services, Liz Mullarkey & Rob Bryson & Douglas Capdeville
Wed. Jan. 24	6 p.m.	For the repose of the soul of Beverly Biziewski; & in thanksgiving to Alicia Doute & Dan & Lita Daniel
Thu. Jan. 25	7 a.m.	In thanksgiving to Gwen Dagou, Dail Mark & Kristen & Dennis Cortes
Fri. Jan. 26	7 a.m.	In thanksgiving to Scott Killian, Thomas & Georganne Kubic & Paul Tierney



St. Michael Prayer

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle, be our protection against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him we humbly pray; and do thou, O Prince of the Heavenly host, by the divine power of God, cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits who roam throughout the world seeking the ruin of souls. **Amen.**

Daily Readings



Monday: Jan. 22
2 Sm 5:1-7, 10
Mk 3:22-30

Tuesday: Jan. 23
2 Sm 6:12b-15, 17-19
Mk 3:31-35

Wednesday: Jan. 24
2 Sm 7:4-17
Mk 4:1-20

Thursday: Jan. 25
Acts 22:3-16 or
Acts 9:1-22
Mk 16:15-18

Friday: Jan. 26
2 Tm 1:1-8 or
Ti 1:1-5
Mk 4:26-34

Saturday: Jan. 27
2 Sm 12:1-7a, 10-17
Mk 4:35-41

Sunday: Jan. 28
Dt 18:15-20
1 Cor 7:32-35
Mk 1:21-28

Stewardship of Treasure

Jan. 13	6 p.m.	\$570.00
Jan. 14	7:30 a.m.	\$404.00
	9:30 a.m.	\$1,431.00
	12:30 p.m.	\$169.00
	5:30 p.m.	\$62.00

Thank you for your offerings. May God bless you abundantly.



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~ Wish List ~

OLMC Member Birthdays Jan. 20-26

- Agnes Sylvester Jan. 22
- Norma Herman Jan. 22
- Davidson Verdant Jr. Jan. 26
- Patricia O'Connell Jan. 26
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If your birthday is not listed, call the office at 776-6339.

- Upholstering the pews = \$7,000.00

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Parish Announcements

Continue to pray for the members of our body who are sick or suffering both on and off island. May we keep them in our hearts and in our minds. The names of the sick are posted on the bulletin board in the back of the church.

- **SECOND COLLECTION:** The second collection this week is for the Our Lady of Charity Homeless Shelter.
- **PRAYER MEETING:** Prayer Meeting will be held on Thursday, Jan. 25, 2024, at 6 p.m. Please note the change in time for the Prayer Meeting.
- **PALMS FOR ASH WEDNESDAY:** If you have any blessed palms from previous years, bring them to the church office to be used on Ash Wednesday.
- **PERPETUAL ADORATION:** It's not too late to sign up for Perpetual Adoration, which is available 24 hours a day. Come spend some time with the Lord. The sign-up sheet is at the back of the church.
- **MINISTRY FORMS:** Get involved in your church. Ministry forms are at the back of the church with a list of ministries.
- **GIFT SHOP:** As we continue to fund raise for the church, we have some new colors available in our rash guards as well as some of the regular colors. Rash guards are \$40. We also have tumblers available for \$50, water bottles for \$60 and hats for \$20.
- **MEMBER REGISTRATION:** Please fill out a parish registration form if you are not registered or if your information needs to be updated.
- **MASS CARDS:** Parents, please have your child's Mass card signed by a priest, deacon, acolyte or teacher when they attend Mass on the weekend.
- **PANTRY:** Catholic Charities will hold its monthly food drive at Mass on the fourth Sunday of every month. Items include forks, spoons, 6x6 and 9x6 to-go containers, flour, sugar, evaporated milk, beans, Vienna sausage, tuna and other dry and canned goods. For information, call 775-0969.

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Sunday, February 4, 2024

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Introduction to the Liturgy of the Word

Jonah 3:1–5, 10 **The Ninevites turned from their evil way.**
Psalm 25 **“Teach me your ways, O Lord.”**
1 Cor. 7:29–31 **The world in its present form is passing away.**
Mark 1:14–20 **Repent and believe in the Gospel.**

In the first reading we hear today, God sends Jonah to the huge city of Nineveh, where he warns of God’s wrath and calls for repentance. In the Gospel, Jesus comes to Galilee calling for repentance as well. He proceeds to call his first disciples, promising that he would change their lives. They follow immediately, much as the residents of Nineveh turned toward the LORD immediately. As Paul reminds the Corinthians, “time is running out.” Let us realize the urgency with which we’re called to repent and follow the Lord.



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Hurricane Thanksgiving Prayer

December 1-May 31

God, our Father, all the elements of nature obey your command. We praise and thank you for your protection during the hurricane season. We ask you again to guide us through a new year free of earthquakes, floods and other natural disasters. Bless our families and bring peace to all nations. We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, One God, forever and ever. **Amen.**

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Week in Preview

Youth Ministry:
Mondays at 4:30 p.m.

Music Ministry:
Wednesdays at 4:45 p.m.

Charismatic Prayer Group:
Thursdays from 7 p.m.-
8:30 p.m.

Pastor: Father Anthony Abraham
Asst. Pastor: Father Yacob Lonfo
Administrative Assistant: Simonia Dagou
Religious Education Coordinators: Rebecca Sosa & Melchia Athanase
Parish Council President: Liniue Dagou
Deacons: Evans Doway, Peter C. Laurencin, Cassius Mathurin & Michael Jackson Sr.
Acolytes: Hayden Smith & Audy Castillo
Youth Group President: Liandra Dagou
Young Adults President: Shanekua Tyrell



Masses

Weekend

Saturdays: 6 p.m.
Sundays: 7:30 a.m.
9:30 a.m.

12:30 p.m. (CORAL BAY)
5:30 p.m. (SPANISH)

Weekday

Tuesdays at 6 p.m.
(CORAL BAY)

Wednesdays at 6 p.m.
Thursdays & Fridays
at 7 a.m.

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Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays at 5 p.m.; after
Masses; or by appointment

Hours

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Saturdays: 8 a.m. to 7:30 p.m.
Sundays: 6:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Office Hours

Mondays to Fridays:
9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Pastor's Hours

Tuesdays to Fridays:
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