



CATHEDRAL Weekly

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JUMAPILI YA 23 YA MWAKA

**A GUIDE TO THE
DAILY READINGS**

MONDAY 10TH SEPTEMBER 2018

SATURDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER 2018



THE HOLY GHOST CATHEDRAL CHOIR after their return to Mombasa from Taveta town, on Sunday 2nd September 2018.

The Choir was promoted to 2nd position in the Diamond Class

**DUTY SCHEDULE
FOR SEPT. 2018**

TODAY

07:00 AM HOLY SPIRIT.
08:00 AM BIKIRA MARIA & ST. BRIDGIT.
09:00 AM ST. MONICA.
10:30 AM YOUTH.
12:30 PM MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER.
05:30 PM ST. PETER & ST. PAUL.

CLEANING OF THE CHURCH :

HOLY SPIRIT, ST PETER & ST. PAUL.

16th SEPTEMBER

07:00AM ALLIANCE OF TWO HEARTS.
08:00 AM ST. BAKHITA & ST. KIZITO.
09:00 AM YOUNG CATHOLIC ADULTS.
10:30 AM ST. MATTHIAS MULUMBA.
12:30 PM ST. LUCEY & ST MICHAEL.
05:30 PM ST. RITA.

CLEANING OF THE CHURCH :

ALLIANCE OF TWO HEARTS & ST. RITA.

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ARCHDIOCESE 2018 - CONTRIBUTION

	JUMUIYAS	TARGET	AMOUNT	BAL.
1.	Holy Spirit	65,000		
2.	St. Charles Lwanga	65,000	47,670	
3.	St. Jude	60,000		
4.	St. Mathias Mulumba	100,000	143,000	
5.	St. Peter	50,000	21,000	
6.	St. Francis	50,000	6,900	
7.	St. Anthony	50,000		
8.	Bikira Maria	50,000	15,000	
9.	St. Lucy	60,000	33,000	
10.	Alliance of Two Hearts	500,000	266,000	
11.	St. Michael	50,000	50,000	
12.	St. Rita	100,000		
13.	St. Angela	10,000		
14.	St. Kizito	70,000	15,000	
15.	St. Bakhita	50,000	5,000	
16.	St. Bridget	20,000	20,000	
17.	St. Benedict	100,000		
18.	St. Paul	50,000	40,200	
	TOTAL	1,500,000	676,270	

MOVEMENTS AND ASSOCIATIONS

1.	Children & Youth	200,000	267,700	
2.	Young Catholic Adults	200,000	125,134	
3.	H.G.C. Choir	100,000	173,554	
4.	Catholic Women	1,000,000	588,152	
5.	Catholic Men Association	2,000,000	17,500	
6.	Charismatic Renewal	20,000		
7.	Marriage Encounter	10,000	14,600	
8.	Families & Individuals		117,000	
	Total		1,186,640	
	Grand total	5,965,000	1,979,910	

Monday 10th Sept. 2018

1 Cor 5:1-8

Ps 5

Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday 11th Sept. 2018

1 Cor 6:1-11

Ps 149

Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday 12th Sept. 2018

The Most Holy Name of Mary
Gal4:4-7

Ps Lk 1, Lk 1:39-47

Mass in the Grotto

Thursday 13th Sept. 2018

St John Chrysostom

1 Cor8:1b-7.11-13

Ps 139

Lk 6:27-38

Friday 14th Sept. 2018

**THE EXALTATION OF
THE HOLY CROSS**

Nm 21:4b-9

(or; Phil 2:6-11)

Ps 78

Jn 3:13-17

Saturday 15th Sept. 2018



OUR LADY OF
SORROWS

September 15th

Our Lady of Sorrows

Heb 5:7-9

Ps 31

Jn 19:25b-27(or;Lk:2:33-35)


ISAYA. 35.4-7a

Waambieni walio na moyo wa hofu, Jipeni moyo msioCOPE; tazama, Mungu wenu atakuja na kisasi na malipo ya Mungu; atakuja na kuwaokoa ninyi .Ndipo macho ya vipofu yatafumbuliwa, na masikio ya viziwi yatazibuliwa.

Ndipo mtu aliye kilema ataruka-ruka kama kulungu, na ulimi wake aliye bubu utaimba; maana katika nyika maji yatabubujika; na vijito jangwani. Na mchanga ung'ao mfano wa maji utakuwa ziwa la maji, nchi yenye kiu itakuwa chemchemi za maji

ZABURI 146

1. Bwana ndiye ashikaye kweli milele,
Huwafanyia hukumu walioonewa.
Huwapa wenye njaa chakula;
Bwana hufungua waliofungwa.

(K) Ee nafsi yangu, umsifu Bwana.

2. Bwana huwafumbua macho waliopofuka,
Huwainua walioinama.
Bwana huwapenda wenye haki,
Huwahifadhi wageni. **(K)**

3 Bwana huwategemeza yatima na mjane,
Bali njia ya wasio haki huipotosha.
Bwana atamiliki milele,
Mungu wako, Ee Sayuni,
kizazi hata kizazi. **(K)**

YAKOBO 2 :1-5

Ndugu zangu, imani ya Bwana wetu Yesu Kristo, Bwana wa utukufu, msiwe nayo kwa kupendelea watu. Maana akiingia katika sinagogi lenu mtu mwenye pete ya dhahabu na mavazi mazuri; kisha akiingia na maskini, mwenye mavazi mabovu; nanyi mkimstahi yule aliyevaa mavazi mazuri, na kumwambia , Keti wewe hapa mahali pazuri; na kumwambia yule maskini, Simama wewe pale, au keti miguuni pangu, je! hamkufanya hitilafu mioyoni mwenu, mkawa waamuzi wenye mawazo mabovu? Ndugu zangu wapenzi, sikilizeni, Je! Mungu hakuwachagua maskini wa dunia wawe matajiri wa Imani na warithi wa ufalme aliowaahidia wampendao?

Aleluya!

Mimi ndimi nuru ya ulimwengu, asema Bwana; Yeye anifuataye atakuwa na nuru ya uzima.

Aleluya

MARKO. 7 :31-37

Yesu alitoka katika mipaka ya Tiro, akapita katikati ya Sidoni, akaenda mpaka bahari ya Galilaya, kati ya mipaka ya Dekapoli. Wakamletea kiziwi, naye ni mwenye utasi, wakamsihi amwekee mikono. Akamtenga na mkutano faraghani, akatia vidole yyake masikioni mwake, akatema mate, akamgusa ulimi, akatazama juu mbinguni, akaugua, akamwambia, Efatha, maana yake, Funguka.

Mara masikio yake yakafunguka, kifungo cha ulimi wake kikalegea, akasema vizuri. Akawaonya wasimwambie mtu lakini kadiri ya alivyoziidi kuwaagiza, ndivyo walivyoziidi kutangaza habari; wakashangaa mno kupita kiasi, wakinena, Ametenda mambo yote vema; viziwi awafanya wasikie, na bubu waseme.

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**ISAIAH 35:4-7a**

Say to those who are of a fearful heart, "Be strong, fear not! Behold, your God will come with vengeance, with the recompense of God. He will come and save you."

Then the eyes of the blind shall be opened, and the ears of the deaf unstopped;

then shall the lame man leap like a deer, and the tongue of the mute sing for joy. For waters shall break forth in the wilderness, and streams in the desert; the burning sand shall become a pool, and the thirsty ground springs of water.

PSALM 146***R. My soul, give praise to the Lord!***

1. It is the Lord who preserves fidelity forever,
who does justice to those who are oppressed.

It is he who gives bread to the hungry,
the LORD who sets prisoners free. **R.**

2. It is the LORD who opens the eyes of the blind,
the LORD who raises up those who are bowed down.

It is the LORD who loves the just,
the LORD who protects the stranger. **R.**

3. The Lord upholds the orphan and the widow,
but thwarts the path of the wicked.

The LORD will reign forever,
the God of zion from age to age. **R.**

JAMES:2:1-5

My brethren, show no partiality as you hold the faith of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Lord of glory. For if a man with gold rings and in fine clothing comes into assembly, and a poor man in shabby clothing also comes in, and you pay attention to the one who wears the fine clothing and say, "Have a seat here, please," while you say to the poor man, "Stand there," or, "Sit at my feet," have you not made distinctions among yourselves, and become judges with evil thoughts? Listen my beloved brethren. Has not God chosen those who are poor in the world to be rich in faith and heirs of the kingdom which he has promised to those who love him?

Alleluia

*Jesus was preaching the Gospel of the kingdom,
healing every disease and every infirmity among the people.*

Alleluia.**Mark 7:31-37**

At that time: Jesus returned from the region of Tyre, and went through Sidon to the Sea of Galilee, through the region of the Decapolis. And they brought to him a man who was deaf and had an impediment in his speech; and they begged him to lay his hand upon him. And taking him aside from the multitude privately, he put his fingers into his ears, and he spat and touched his tongue; and looking up to heaven,

he sighed, and said to him, "Ephphatha," that is, "Be opened." And his ears were opened, his tongue was released, and he spoke plainly. And he charged them to tell no one; but the more he charged them, the more zealously they proclaimed it. And they were astonished beyond measure, saying, "He has done all things well; he even makes the deaf hear and the mute speak."

**MOBILE
TECHNOLOGIES**

A door to door technical team dealing with the following

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Reflection

GOD'S SIGN LANGUAGE

Every Sunday in our church, and in churches all over the world, there is a person who uses sign language to communicate with persons, with disability of hearing and also speaking. A recent development on our T.V screens and in watching movies is the person called a "signer" who communicates information to deaf people, through his hands, eyes and lips. The first reading Isaiah-35:4-7 is using the image of a deaf person to show us what God would one day do for his people.

In the days of the Old Testament we read time and again that the Israelites had shut their ears and no longer listened to the Lord. To-day are we any better to listening attentively to the word of God, and more importantly translating the Word of God into meaningful action? This is the challenge we face to-day as followers of Christ-being faithful to his word, and following the road map which leads us to eternal life.

The writers of the Word of God used the wretched situation of the lame, the blind, the deaf, the epileptics and the lepers as examples to describe our alienation, our separation from God. The healing, in turn of these people is the sign of God's powerful and the presence of his love and care for each one of us.

Therefore we resemble the above unfortunate people who are in dire need of healing and love. Our prayer today, therefore is that the Lord may open our ears to listen to his message.

Lets us not procrastinate, let us remove the stubbornness and hard heartedness from our being and respond to the love of God with generous hearts. God's wonderful works are in signs all throughout the history of humankind, which is the history of our salvation in our favor

ANNOUNCEMENTS

LETTERS OF RECOMMENDATION, FORMS FOR STUDIES, PASSPORTS ETC.

- * Kindly note that you are expected to be members to the Catholic Church by baptism and registration in the parish, and in a Jumuiya, Men/ Women/ Youth organization in the parish.
- * Coming to church on weekdays and Sundays is not a sufficient motive for signing, documents.
- * The forms sometimes stipulates that the person is known to the priest and other leaders.

ARCHDIOCESAN COLLECTION organized by the Children / Youth amounted to Sh 267,700 This is the highest amount collected surpassing other groups, due to serious organization. Thank you all.

CALLING ALL WOMEN Please support the Archdiocesan Fundraising today and the following Sundays in the tent.

CALLING ALL MEN to support the Archdiocesan Fundraising. Please contribute in the tent today before/ after Mass. Today's the Archdiocesan collection is organized by the Charismatic Renewal

JOHN FREDRICK DUJA from the H.G. parish will receive the Diaconate on Saturday 15th September in Nairobi. Those wishing to travel to Nairobi please book your seat Sh2,600 at the parish office for travel on Friday evening.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION FOR COUPLES REGISTERED FOR SEPTEMBER TO DECEMBER
Please meet on Tuesday - 17th September 6:00pm -couples only

ORDINATIONS:
To the priesthood and the diaconate on Saturday 29th September 2018 from 10:00am at Loreto Convent grounds.