



## CIC Mass

Loreto Convent, Msongari Chapel

9.15 am

### Fifth Sunday of Lent – Year B

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2024

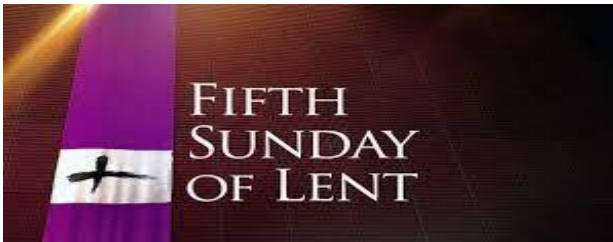
1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Jeremiah 31:31-34

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Hebrews 5:7-9

Gospel: John 12:20-33

Readers: Florence Kimata & Peter Ndegwa

Coordinator: Elmer Noronha



### CCD, PRE – CONFIRMATION AND THE SACRAMENTS OF 1<sup>ST</sup> HOLY COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION.

All CCD, Pre Confirmation and 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion and Confirmation classes will continue after Mass on Sundays 17<sup>th</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> March 2024. There will be NO classes on Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March, being Easter Sunday. All Classes will resume on Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> April.

### 125<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY PRAYER

In commemoration of the 125<sup>th</sup> anniversary of St. Austin's Parish we will recite the attached prayer.

#### CIC Financial Offerings

It is now possible for CIC members to make their financial offerings by transfers to the CIC bank account either using M-PESA or by direct bank transfer, RTGS.



By M-Pesa using NCBA Bank Paybill Number 880100.

Here's how you can do it;

1. Go To M-Pesa Toolkit. Select Lipa Na M-Pesa.
2. Go to Paybill and Enter NCBA Business Paybill number 880100
3. Account No. Enter CIC NCBA Bank Account Number 6464660017
4. Input the Amount to deposit. Enter Your MPesa PIN and confirm your details
5. Click Send.

Make RTGS transfers to CIC NCBA Bank Account Number 6464660017  
Sort Code: CBAFKENX



### MISS A MEAL LENTEN APPEAL

This Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2024 and each Sunday during the season of Lent, a Miss-a-Meal collection (second) will be taken at the chapel door.

CIC members are encouraged to miss one main meal during each week in Lent and donate the equivalent cost of that meal to this appeal. The funds collected will go to the poor and underprivileged, via our Community Concerns programme (CCC).

### COFFEE SERVICE

This Sunday's coffee service has been donated and will be coordinated by Margaret Muchau in thanksgiving.

All members whose surnames begin with the letters G-L are kindly requested to bring snacks to share this Sunday.

### OFFERTORY IN KIND

This Sunday's Offertory in Kind has been donated by Florence Kimata & family We thank them for their generosity that will go a long to feed those in need.

### The Seder Meal – Holy Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024 – 5.30pm.

The Seder is the ritual meal commemorating the events of the Exodus. It is the great Jewish feast that reminds them of their redemption and liberation from slavery. The Seder or Paschal Meal is normally celebrated in the home - here at CIC, we celebrate it as a community. At our Seder Meal we enact, in an adapted form, the Jewish ritual of the Seder. Many of the words, phrases and actions that we "act out" during the meal are the same as those that are used during Mass. Experiencing the Seder, therefore, helps us to have a greater and deeper understanding of the Eucharist. All who have attended our Seder Meal in the past have found it a memorable and enlightening experience, particularly given its timing immediately before we celebrate our Holy Thursday Mass.

To prepare for our Seder, we need to know who is coming in good time. Please ensure that you are organized with all the components for the table, these are A LEG OF LAMB & CARVING KNIFE, A GREEN SALAD, POTATO SALAD/DISH, PASTA DISH, JUICE, WATER, RED WINE (WITH BOTTLE OPENER) ALL SUFFICIENT TO FEED THE NUMBER AT YOUR TABLE

Cost per table KSh3000/= payable upon booking to secure a table. Sign up starts from Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2024 on a first come first served basis. The seating will be 8 or 10 per table. Spaces are limited to 100 persons. Please contact Carole Kobia 0722669774.

Holy Thursday Mass will follow at 7:30PM