



# Nigerian Igbo Catholic Community

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## *Mass Bulletin* *Sunday September 30, 2012*

### OUR PRIESTS

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**Mission Statement:** The NICC shall provide an environment for all Igbos in the Baltimore Metropolitan area to worship in their native language, Igbo, and to cultivate a lasting fraternal community whereby moral and Christian values are cherished. The organization shall also provide spiritual guidance to Igbo children and facilitate the assimilation of newly arrived Igbos into local parishes.

**Community Worship:** Last Sunday of every Month

**Place:** St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church, 4414 Frankford Ave., Baltimore MD 21206, Time: 1:30 P.M.

**NICC Coordinating Council Meeting:** The Council meets on the Sunday preceding the Igbo mass from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m. at St. Anthony of Padua Catholic Church Rectory.

## ORDER OF MASS

**Ukwe Mbata:** Bianu Ndi enyi M nile...

**Ukochuwku:** Umunna m Ka Anyi Kwado Onwe Anyi Nke Oma Maka Emume Nke Yukaristia.  
Onyenweanyi Mee Ebere ...

**1<sup>st</sup> Reading:** Ihe Ogugu E wetara n'akwukwo Onu Ogugu

Ch. 11: 25-29

**Aziza:** Isi Okwu: O bu n'ih i gbachitere m ka i ji choo ka m kwusi ha  
Psalms (Abuoma) Ch. 18: 8, 10, 12-14. Az. 9  
Atumatu nke Onyenweanyi na-enye obi anuri

**2nd Reading** Ihe Ogugu e wetara n' Akwukwo Ozi Jemis di aso Ch 5 vs 1-6

Isi Okwu: Aku na uba unu alaala n'iyii.

*Aleluya, aleluya!* Onyenweanyi okwu gi bu ezi okwu. Weere ezi okwu gi doo anyi aso. *Aleluya!*

**Ozioma (Gospel):** Ihe ogugu nke a si n'Ozioma di aso nke Mak dere Ch 9 vs 38-43, 45, 47-48

Isi Okwu: Onye na-adighi eme de anyi bu onye nke anyi

**Ukwe Tupu Ozioma:** Ozi oma Chineke, ozi n' enye ndu...

Okwu Chukwu (Homily)

Ekwem N'Otu Chineke

**Ekpere Maka Ndi Kwere Nu** (Prayer of the Faithful)

Chorus: Onyenweanyi nuru aririo anyi, ge nti na nkpu akwa anyi nile.

**Ukwe Offertory:** O gaghi eji M n' onu ikele Chineke...  
Onwere Otu nwoke, aha ya bu Jisus...

**Consecration:** Anyi ayo gi, nara aja anyi....

Jesu Kristi, Bia Ka-Iburu Achicha Na Mmaya

**Communion (Oriri Nso):** A bu M achicha di ndu...  
Jesu, Onye Okike Nke Uwa...

**Ukwe Mmechi (Closing):** Ora kene ike Jisus...

## MASS REQUESTS AND INTENTIONS

**Dr. & Mrs Peter Abiamiri** – Thanking God for his favor especially on behalf of their children Obinna and Ihuoma Abiamiri who recently got married. Asking God to continue to bless the newly wed.

**Mrs. Amaka Onwubuariri** – Thanking God for his favor on the deliverance of Mr. Darlington Nwosu. Also asking for God's continuous protection of my daughter, mother, siblings and other members of my family.

**Mazi na Odozi Aku Ignatius Nwankwo** – Thanking God for all his favors on their family and for continuous guidance and protection of the entire Nwankwo's family.

**Dr. & Mrs. Aloysius Ibe & Family** – are expressing gratitude and thanks to God for protecting and guiding their Children and other Children at Perry Hall High School during the recent shooting incident at the school early this month.

**Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Nwaiwu** – For the repose of the soul of Late Mrs. Chika Emecheta who answered the call to eternal glory exactly one year ago.

### **SPECIAL PRAYERS**

- Please pray for our member **Chief Darlington Okuzu** who is sick and receiving medical attention.
- Please pray our brother **Sir John Azike** who is currently undergoing medical procedure in the hospital
- Pray for one of us **Mrs. Grace Ebereonwu** who recently underwent medical procedure and not recovering
- Please pray for one of us **Ms. Anthonia Igliegbe** who is sick and also receiving medical attention.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

- NICC welcomes all our guests and other individuals who are attending the NICC mass for the first time. Please see one of our contact persons for registration information and on how you can contribute to the NICC mission.
- NICC is also reminding those with outstanding balance from the Thanksgiving and Bazaar, as well as, other fundraising event, to please endeavor to make payments or redeem their pledges. Installment payments are also accepted.

**NICC Men Meeting & Youth Ministry – Sunday, October 21, 2012 @ St. Anthonys (3 - 6p.m.)**  
**NICC Women Organization meeting - Sunday, October 21, 2012 @ St. Anthonys (3 - 6p.m.)**

### **SOROM CHIA SOROM CHIA**

Happy Birthday to NICC members born in September:

Dr. Ijeoma Ekeocha, Mrs Ijeoma Ibe, Mr. Alexander Iwumune, Chimaobi Iwumune, Ashley Anuforo, Jude Nwachukwu, Edwin Nwachukwu, Jason Nwachukwu, Bruno Mbachu, Ezinne Glory Melody Mgboji, Chinonso Nicole Mgboji, Maduka Nnadozie, Mr. Emmanuel Nzeadighibe, Mrs. Ngozi Korie, Chief Patrick Nwakuba, Chioma Patricia Nwakuba, Zimuzo Francis Xavier Nwaigwe, Obinnem Leslie Iweh, Dr. Chienye Nwachinemere, Catherine Opara, Mr. Maurice Onyebadi, Emmanuel Chinaka, Victoria Chinaka, Chinemere Eke, Chief Samuel Okereke, Chioma Ekwunazu, Adaeze Adindu, Precious Adanna Nwaehiri, Mr. Philip Ejikeme, Mrs. Victoria Duru, Joseph Ikenna Egbujonuma, Chiamaka Nnah, Ikechi Iwu., Chinwe Iwu, Mr. Prince Emecheta, Nathan Eke, Chizoba Nwabunike, Mrs Uchechi Offorji, Brandon Ekwunazu, Debbie Uwandu, Mrs. Thecla Asoluka, Adaobi Obiora, Shalom Sorronadi, Tooche Uradu, Dilinna Kenechukwu Okoye.

## **OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Catholic Charismatic Prayer Group will meet on Sunday, October 7, 2012 from 3:00-6:00p.m. at St. Anthony's of Padua Rectory.

### **NICC 2012 Thanksgiving and Bazaar Celebration – Sunday October 28, 2012**

#### **Program Brochure Advert**

**Full Page - \$80 (Members) & \$100 (non-NICC Members)**

**Premier Pages - \$150**

**Back Cover \$200**

**Deadline to submit materials for the brochure is Sunday, September 30, 2012. All ads should be sent via Sir Iyke Okwesili (443-668-1656)**

### **NICC “State of the Union” Town Hall Meeting**

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**Building Campaign Discussion is today in the church basement immediately following the mass.**

### **Worldwide Marriage Encounter - wwme.org**

A catholic based organization for all kinds of marriage enrichment programs.

## **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

Adults needed to train the Youth on cultural/traditional dance  
Youths/Young adults needed to play musical and other band instruments

Please see the Chairman or any other Council member to express your interest.

## **NICC 2012 Ministry Calendar**

**NICC “State of the Union” Town Hall Meeting – Sunday, September 30, 2012** in the basement of the church following the days Igbo mass.

Centenary/Diversity mass at the New All Saints Parish (4800 Liberty Road) – Sun. Oct 14 @9.45 Am

Annual Thanksgiving and Bazaar Celebration – Sunday, October 28, 2012

NICC Youth Ministry's end of the year celebration – Sunday, November 18, 2012