# Sacred Heart Church

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# Masses

Monday - Saturday 9:00 AM in the Chapel

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM in the Church

Sunday: 8:00AM, 10:00 AM in English

12:45 PM in Creole

Holy Days: 9:00 AM (English), 7:30 PM (Bilingual)

### **CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENTS**

Reconciliation/Confession

Saturday: 4:00 P.M. or by appointment

### Matrimony

A couple planning marriage should schedule an appointment with one of the priests six months in advance.

#### **Baptism**

Baptism in English is celebrated on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday at 1:00PM. Baptism in Creole is celebrated on the fourth Saturday at 1:00PM. Baptismal arrangements in English and Creole must be made in advance by the parents at the rectory. Please bring your child's birth certificate. Parents and Godparents must attend mandatory instructions.

#### Communion for the Homebound and Infirm

If you would like to receive communion, please call the rectory to add your name to the list.

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

Weekdays: 9:00 AM - 12 Noon 1:00 PM - 8:00 PM

Saturday and Sunday by appointment only.

# Pastoral Staff

Rev. Bryan D. Patterson, Pastor Rev. Hugues Berrette Paul C. Dorsinville, Deacon François G. Cajoux, Deacon Roy Dudley, Deacon Marcus Mordan, Deacon Sr. Carmèle Nerette, FDM

Rev. Joseph M. Nolan, In Residence Mrs. Yvonne Russell-Smith, School Principal Ms. Mona Martin, CCD Coordinator

> Second Sunday of Easter April 7, 2013



# Scripture of the Week

Sunday, April 7, 2013 - White Vestments

First Reading: Acts 5:12-16

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 Second Reading: Revelation 1:9-11, 12-13, 17-19

Gospel: John 20:19-31

Monday, April 8, 2013 - White Vestments

Annunciation of the Lord - Solemnity

Readings for Mass

First Reading: Isaiah 7:10-14

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 40:7-8, 8-9, 10, 11

Second Reading: Hebrews 10:4-10

Gospel: Luke 1:26-38

Tuesday, April 9, 2013 - White Vestments

First Reading: Acts 4:32-37

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 93:1, 1-2, 5

Gospel: John 3:7-15

Wednesday, April 10, 2013 - White Vestments

First Reading: Acts 5:17-26

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9

Gospel: John 3:16-21

Thursday, April 11, 2013 - White Vestments

First Reading: Acts 5:27-33

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 34:2, 9, 17-18, 19-20

Gospel: John 3:31-36

Saint Stanislaus, Bishop and martyr

Optional Memorial

Friday, April 12, 2013 - White Vestments

First Reading: Acts 5:34-42

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 27:1, 4, 13-14

Gospel: John 6:1-15

Saturday, April 13, 2013 - White Vestments

First Reading: Acts 6:1-7

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 33:1-2, 4-5, 18-19

Gospel: John 6:16-21

Saint Martin I, pope and martyr

**Optional Memorial** 

# Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday April 6

5:00pm Everal Lesly Thomas (D)

Sunday April 7

8:00am For the people of the parish

10:00am Jeanine Innocent in Thanksgiving

12:45pm Elides Charles (D)

Monday April 8

9:00am Paul Mills (B)

Tuesday April 9

9:00am Isaiah Pean (B)

Wednesday April 10

9:00am Leonide Laine (B)

Thursday April 11

9:00am Marie Mericia Deris (B)

Friday April 12

9:00am Eurita Barcella (D)

Saturday April 13

9:00am Lincoln Skerripp (D) 5:00pm Anselme Connor (D)



Bryan Block, Cilotte Longor, Yolande Pierre, Raymond Mills, Hubert Mills, Gertrude Wright, Irma Ali, Patrick and Monarque Jean, Joseph R. Saillant Jr., Evelyne Ligondé, Audrey Pearson, Sade

Jean-Raymond, Bonacci Pierre, Jahlil Nahser, Kenneth Baptiste, Saintecile Joseph,

Dominique Paillant, Joseph Exantus, Myrtelle Pierre

Louis, Brenda Alleyne.

# Pray for our Military Personnel Pray Continually:



1Thessalonians 5:17
Please **pray** for our men and women serving in our **Armed Forces** so that

May God protect them until they re-

turn home safely!

# Kindly contact the rectory if you wish to:

*Offer the Bread and Wine* to be used at the celebration of the Mass. An offering of \$20.00 is requested.

## **2013** Catholic Appeal

All registered Sacred Heart members will be receiving an Appeal letter, a donor card, a return envelope and a request letter from Bishop DiMarzio seeking your participation in this most important appeal. If by chance you have not received the Appeal letter, there will be forms at the back of the church or pick up the form in the rectory. Your charitable contribution last year was greatly appreciated. Our thanks to all those who donated. We are counting on you to exceed our goal. Please note Sacred Heart #5211 for our Cambria Heights parish.

Your pledge can be made online via the Diocese web site:

- 1. go to (www.rcdobdonate.org) and select the **Make a Gift** option
- 2. Enter requested information (please make sure **Designation value is Sacred Heart Cambria Heights**)

We are counting on you to exceed our goal. In order for the parish to get the surplus.

Our Parish Goal \$48,551.00 Number of Pledges received 72 Amount Pledged 19,199 Amount Received 7,086

# Second collections for the month of April will be as follow:

April 7	<b>Monthly Offering</b>
April 14	<b>Energy Expenses</b>
April 21	Liturgical Expenses
April 28	<b>Catholic Home Missions</b>

# Thank you for your generous contribution.

In order for your offering to be acknowledged, please use the membership envelope that you receive in the mail. If you forget the envelope at home, please use an envelope located in the back of the church and put your name and **envelope number** on it. If you want to become a member, come by the Rectory to register or pick up a registration card in the back of the Church and return it to the Rectory.

Collection received: on Holy Week and Easter Sunday was \$23,665.00

God gave His share! Are you giving your fair share?

# A Night of Dancing Entertainment at the Sacred Heart School Auditorium



You are cordially invited to attend a fund raising dinner dance to benefit the Sacred Heart School. Please join us Saturday July 6, from 8:00pm to 2:00am.

Your donation of \$60.00 will go for a worthy cause.

#### BROTHERS IN CHRIST MINISTRY 2013 RETREAT

Sacred Heart of Jesus' Brothers in Christ Ministry invite all men to take advantage of a unique opportunity to plan in advance to spend time with God and like minded men in retreat. The retreat will be held at the Cenacle Retreat House in Lake Ronkonkoma, Long Island, New York, July 12<sup>th</sup> 13<sup>th</sup> and 14th. Cenacle is a modern establishment with many amenities. It is well suited for a retreat.

The theme for this year is St. Augustine, Alpha Male and Model for Christian Men.

FEE: \$225.00 can be paid in full or in an initial payment of \$75 and three additional installments of \$50.00 each. The full fee must be paid by June 21, 2013. Your fee will cover two nights and two days of room and board with snacks and access to retreat house facilities. Please make all checks payable to Sacred Heart R. C. Church.

Applications can be found in the rectory's office, on the church's display or from any of the brothers.

## Sacred Heart Extraordinary Eucharistic Ministers

The Creole and English ministers would like to invite the lectors to worship with them after the 9:00am Mass on the following dates:

Every third Friday of the months of January, February, April, May, July, August, October and November. Breakfast will be served after each meeting.

Every third Saturday of the months of March, June, September and December. Lunch will be served after each meeting.

#### DO NOT BE AFRAID



Did you notice? Today is called the "Second Sunday of Easter," not the "First Sunday after Easter."

Our celebration of Easter is not over. These Sundays of Easter continue to present the mystery of Jesus Christ's victory.

The readings begin with the "signs and wonders" abounding in those

earliest days. Sick people lay in the street, hoping that at least Peter's "shadow might fall on one or another of them." Then, in a powerful passage from the book of Revelation, the visionary falls down "as though dead" upon seeing the victorious Christ. But Christ extends a gentle touch: "Do not be afraid . . . once I was dead, but now I am alive forever."

In the Gospel, that same Christ appears and breathes on the disciples, and gently leads Thomas to believe. This Christ—more powerful than any evil force, victorious over death itself—touches us and whispers, "Do not be afraid."

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#### TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

An ancient title for this Sunday is *Dominica in Albis*, or "Sunday in White." During the Easter Vigil, the newly baptized are invested with a white garment, a sign that they have put on Christ. At one time, the garments were worn for a full week of celebration and reflection, and on this Sunday the newly baptized would appear in their robes again in their new place among the faithful for Eucharist.

In later centuries, the energy of new life at Easter was largely forgotten, and this Sunday was renamed "Quasimodo Sunday," or "Low Sunday." In recent years, with the recovery of the insight that Easter is the privileged time for celebrating and renewing baptism, there is nothing "Low" about this Sunday. At a week's distance, the beauty and grace of our Easter celebration is sustained by joyful alleluias, the blessing and sprinkling of holy water, and the comfort of the Lord's presence to us. He is risen, and he summons us together, opening up the scriptures for us, breaking the bread, filling us with new life.

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## **Recognizing Our Children**



The children are our future, let us recognize their achievements in order to motivate them.

Mrs. Louis would like to recognize our third nominee

Mr. Marco Milord,

Kudos Marco for graduating

with a Bachelor of Science in Chemical Engineering from the University of Pittsburgh. Congratulations for your new job with Dow Chemical in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Good Luck in all your future endeavor.

### Bravo! Clap! Clap! Clap!

If anyone wishes to nominate someone who has successfully completed their studies, please drop your nomination paper with all pertinent information including your phone number at the rectory. You will be contacted by Mrs. Louis.

### **Sacred Heart Church Annual Cruise**

June 26 – July 5, 2013

Tunisia;

Rome, Genoa, Italy;

Marseille, France;

Barcelona, Valencia, Spain;

Inside cabin: \$2,799; Ocean: Sold-out;
Balcony: \$2,975
Children under 17 pay \$1,799 when accompanied by two adults in same cabin.
For further information and

Reservation call Gina 718-949-7772

# World Wide Marriage Encounter

Rediscover the joy of your Sacrament of Marriage by experiencing a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. Learn communication techniques to deepen and enrich your relationship. Apply on line at (www.me.org) or call 1 877 NYS WWME. Dates for 2013 are April 19-21, May 17-19, July 26-28, November 1-3. Apply early to secure your spot.

#### **BEREAVEMENT**



We extend our condolences to all those mourning the death of a loved one. We offer an ear and a shoulder to cry on. Please join us on the last Thursday of the month at 7:00pm in the Father Nolan Unity Room; Rectory basement.

## Group de Konsolacion

Pou console moun ki pa kapab resiyin yo le yo pedi youn moun nan fanmi yo. Group Konsolacion an kapab ede ou. Rankontre nou chak denie Jedi nan moua. nan basement presbite(rectory) 7 hrs di soua.

## **Ministry of Consolation**

These caring and compassionate volunteers help families prepare for the funeral service of a loved one.

If you need our help and services, please contact the Rectory or call Angela DePeaza 718.525.4311

### BIBLE STUDY – FAITH SHARING

Our Bible Study and Faith Sharing continues. As usual we will be covering the readings for the up coming Sunday. Please join us in the Fr. Nolan Unity Room every Tuesday at 7:00pm. All are invited.

#### **Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults**

Are you a member of a different denomination and/ or have not been baptized and would like to become a Catholic? Jesus is calling you by name to a spiritual journey with Deacon François or Deacon Paul every Wednesday evening for a seminar on the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

## Rite L'initiation Chrétienne pour Adultes

Êtes-vous membre d'une dénomination différente et / ou vous êtes pas baptisés et désirez devenir Catholique? Jésus vous appelle par votre nom à un cheminement spirituel avec le Diacre François ou Diacre Paul chaque Mercredi soir pour un séminaire sur le Rite de L'Initiation Chrétienne pour adultes (RCIA).

## **Sacred Heart Youth Ministry**

Anyone wishing to start a new group or have an existing group and has questions or concerns, call our Youth Director Kalel Dennis at 347.471.1284. We are the village needed to raise our youth- so please get involved.

#### Live The Adventure and Come Prepare for Life!

The Boy Scouts of America has been running a program of character development, citizenship and physical fitness in a safe and fun environment, for over 100 years. Get your son involved in this self-esteem building organization First through Fifth Grade boys meet every Saturday at 11:00 am. Sixth Grade through High School meets every Friday at 8:00pm. Sacred Heart School Gym. Please contact: Kelvin Willis at 516.978.7947.

#### SACRED HEART YOUTH CHOIR

Youth (ages 13 to 21) meets on Sunday Afternoon From 12:30pm - 2:30pm In Father Nolan Unity Room

### Jesus Friends and Teen Fire

Enroll your children in Jesus Friends and Teen Fire. to learn more about the Love of God. They will also engage in many different activities including our weekend retreat. We meet every Friday from 5:30pm to 7:30pm at the Martin de Porres.

#### **EUCHARISTIC DAY OF ADORATION**

The first Friday of each month, we have a Eucharistic Day of Adoration in the church. The day begins with morning Mass at 9:00am, followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and continues throughout the day. Evening Prayer and Benediction with the Nocturnal Adoration Society will close our day at 8:00pm. Please join us and be blessed.

#### **Sacred Heart Girl Scouts**

Join the Girl Scouts, Brownies, Grades 2-3 and Juniors Grades 4-5. They meet on Saturdays 11:00AM in the school Auditorium. For more information call Benita Simmons at 347.210.5339.

If you wish to reserve a room for your next function, please contact Carl Dennis 718.938.1957