

First Sunday Of Advent December 2, 2018

#### PARISH CLERGY

Rev. Fr. Hilaire Belizaire Pastor

Rev. Fr. Franklin Ezeorah Parochial Vicars

Rev. Fr. Joseph R. Bruno In residence

Deacon François G. Cajoux **Deacon Paul Dorsinville** 

#### LITURGY & SPIRITUALITY

Mr. Antoine Chery Mr. Michael Capobianco Ministers of Music

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#### RECTORY HOURS

9 AM - 12:30PM, 1:30PM - 5PM (M-F)

8:30 AM - 4:30PM (Sat)

#### FAITH FORMATION

Sr. Vilma Orejola, FLP

Director

Ms. Mona Martin

Religious Education Coordinator

Mrs. Yvonne Russell-Smith

Principal, SH Academy

Monday to Saturday 9:00 AM in the Chapel

**MASSES** 

Saturday Vigil 5:00 PM in the Church

#### Sunday

English Mass 8:00 AM & 10:00 AM Creole Mass 12:45 PM

#### Holy Days

English Mass 9:00 AM Bilingual Mass 7:30 PM

**Eucharistic Adoration** Saturdays at 4:00 pm in the Church MIMIMIM



## Parish Mission Statemen

Sacred Heart Church, Cambria Heights is a diverse, vibrant, family united in faith. Drawing from our rich cultural backgrounds, we proclaim Christ as Lord, celebrate His living presence in the Sacraments, and serve others in his name.

## COME AND SPEND TIME IN EUCHARISTIC ADORATION



## December 7th is 1st Friday of the Month

Eucharistic adoration follows after the 9am Mass till 7:30 PM. 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm Adoration with the Youth

#### Come, let us adore HIM!



The Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception celebrates the solemn celebration of belief in the Immaculate Conception of the Virgin Mary. It is universally celebrated on December 8, nine months before the feast of the Nativity of Mary, which is celebrated on September 8.

#### PRAYER ON THE SOLEMNITY OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION

Father, The image of the Virgin is found in your Church.

Mary had a faith that your Spirit prepared and a love that never knew sin,

for you kept her sinless from the first moment of her conception.

Trace in our actions the lines of her love, in our hearts her readiness of faith.

Prepare once again a world for your Son who lives and reigns with you and the

Holy Spirit, one God, forever and ever.

--- from Catholic Household Blessings and Prayers



# Bread and Wine were offered for the intentions of Marcelle Laurent

#### **DAILY MASS READINGS**

Monday: Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-9; Mt 8:5-11

Tuesday: Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-

13, 17; Lk 10:21-24

Wednesday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6;

Mt 15:29-37

Thursday: Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1, 8-9, 19-

21, 25-27a; Mt 7:21, 24-27

Friday: Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14;

Mt 9:27-31

Saturday: Gn 3:9-15, 20; Ps 98:1-4;

Eph 1:3-6, 11-12; Lk 1:26-38

Sunday: Bar 5:1-9; Ps 126:1-6;

Phil 1:4-6, 8-11; Lk 3:1-6

## Mass Intentions For The Week



Saturday, December 1st, 2018

5:00 pm Immacula Bernadette Jerome (T)

Sunday, December 2nd, 2018

8:00 am Dr. Cynthia Celestine (B) 10:00 am Suzy Bastien Gaudin (D)

Phendrix & Phebus Franklin (B)

12:45 pm Marie-Lia Vilier (B)

Ciliane Jeune (T)

Monday, December 3rd, 2018

9:00 am Sharae Maye (T) **Tuesday, December 4th, 2018** 

9:00 am Cynthia Mckie – Addy (T)

Fr. Joseph Bruno (B)

Wednesday, December 5th, 2018

9:00 am Gemma Lewis & Family (SI)

Thursday, December 6th, 2018 9:00 am Immacula Roc (B) Friday, December 7th, 2018

9:00 am Benita Simmons (B) Saturday, December 8th, 2018

9:00 am Marie-Chantal Desravine

(Deliverance)

Gabrielle Oghene Ochuko Abuda (T)

Roberto Joseph (B)



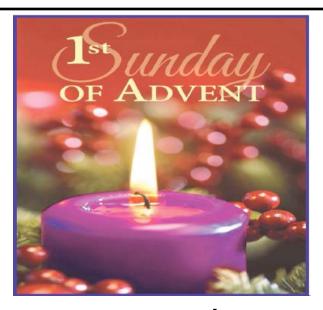
Pierre Benjamin Leonard Clarke Joseph Okobi Theresa Okonta Jeffrey Brignol Jean Price Brignol **Brignol Family** Jn. Claude Fleurival Florence Boutin Shelly-Ann Bruce Myrn Alexandre Lorianne Cauis Myriam St Louis Juste Yolande Pierre Mythe Ste Rose Irma Ali Sade Jean-Raymond Jahlil Nahser Brenda Alleyne

Elliot Haynes Candie Olmstead Augustina Pitt Gloria John Clarence Hoggard Lela Moton Patrick Jean Carolvn Keller Steve Ste Rose Carmene Muscad Genevieve Morin Cecilie Campayne Monarque Jean Ucile Pierre-Louis Kingsley Joachim Denise Briggs Wilford Shillingford Alain Beaubrun Janet Greene

Gilberte Clérier Patricia Donellan Murat Raymond Fr. Felix Akpabio Fr. Sylvester Adekoya Jean Hall Margaret John Keisha Roc Marie Q. Roc Ruth Seally Margarita Johnson James Swanston Sadie Swanston Obez Nwaokolo Eva Nwabueze Adell Tomlinson Ghenane Herbert Luce Savaille Samantha Bartlette

Anthony Richard Clinton Francis Zelia Green Michael Popoola Yverose Alexandre Daniel St-Hubert Bernadette Jerome Ghenane Saint Louis

May God restore their physical & spiritual health. Amen.



## Prayer For The First Sunday of Advent

God of light and life,
Give us hope as we wait
for your coming again.
When we are tempted to be grateful
to have found you while others are lost,
send us out into the darkness
In search of those who need you most,
We pray to the Lord.
Amen.

## SACRED HEART CHURCH PRESENTS JESUS FRIENDS & TEEN FIRE

ALL Children in the Parish & Community are invited to come join "Jesus Friends" & "Teen Fire".

<u>Where</u>: Sacred Heart Martín De Porres <u>When</u>: Every Friday starting January 11th. <u>Tíme</u>: 6:30—8pm

Join us while we make learning about Jesus fun with Arts & Crafts, Games, Trips, Plays, Retreats & much much more!

Sign up your little one today in the Rectory, or in the back of the Church.

Ages—5-12 for Jesus Friends & 13-17 for Teen Fire.

## Thank You...

for sharing your blessing to our Parish
Thanksgiving Turkey Drive and to our
Community Dinner Sponsored by Haitian
American United for Progress (HAUP).
We were able to serve 177 families in
our church and community.

"God loves a cheerful giver."

2 Cor. 9: 7

## Join Sacred Heart Jazzy 55 and Over at Hunterdon Hills Playhouse Dinner Theatre

A Festive Holiday Musical Revue for 2017

#### Luncheon Show

Thursday December 13, 2018 Ticket is \$100.00

(includes a served meal, dessert buffet, the show, tips, taxes & bus)

Final Payment: November 26, 2018 Sponsored by Jazzy 55 +

For more information, please contact any member of Jazzy 55+ Committee or

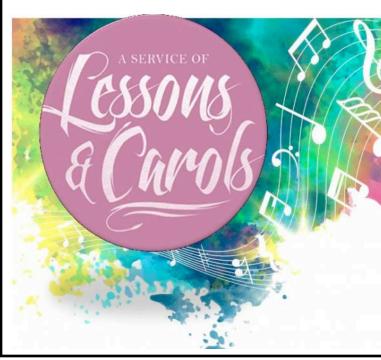
Uris McKay - 718-949-0868 \* Joe Lester - 347-548-0063

#### **VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED**

to help decorate the parish ground on Saturdays from 10 am to 4 pm beginning November 10th for Sacred Heart's Lessons and Carols on December 9th this year.

Cash donations are also needed to help us meet the expenses associated with this event.

Your help is greatly appreciated as we actively prepare to make this event the most amazing it has ever been.



#### **LESSONS AND CAROLS**

Sunday, December 9th, 2018 At 5PM

in Sacred Heart of Jesus Church

The story of the fall of humanity, the promise of the Messiah, and the birth of Jesus told in short Bible readings from Genesis, the prophetic books and the Gospels, interspersed with the singing of Christmas carols, hymns and choir music.



#### **ADVENT**

Beginning the Church's liturgical year, Advent (from, "ad-venire" in Latin or "to come to") is the season encompassing the four Sundays (and weekdays) leading up to the celebration of Christmas.

The Advent season is a time of preparation that directs our hearts and minds to Christ's second coming at the end of time and also to the anniversary of the Lord's birth on Christmas. The final days of Advent, from December 17 to December 24, focus particularly on our preparation for the celebrations of the Nativity of our Lord (Christmas).

Advent devotions including the <u>Advent</u> <u>wreath</u>, remind us of the meaning of the season. Our Advent calendar above can help you fully enter in to the season with daily activity and prayer suggestions to prepare you spiritually for the birth of Jesus Christ. More Advent resources can be found in the USCCB.ORG website.

# Open your heart... Go to confession... Receive God's mercy and forgiveness



## Pope Francis Urges Preparation for

#### **ADVENT**

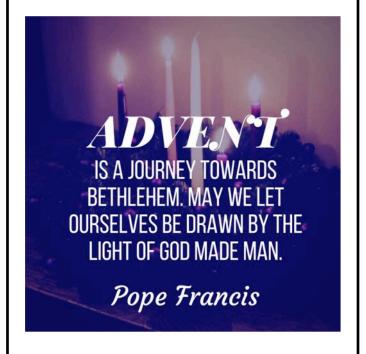
Pope Francis included a suggestion to the faithful at his November 28, 2018, General Audience in Paul VI Hall: *Get ready for Advent.* 

"Next Sunday we will begin the liturgical season of Advent," the Holy Father said. "Let us prepare our hearts to receive Jesus the Saviour; we acknowledge in Christmas Christ's encounter with humanity, especially that humanity that still today lives on the margins of society, in need and in suffering."

#### POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER INTEN-TION FOR DECEMBER

## **Evangelization – In the Service of the Transmission of Faith**

That people, who are involved in the service and transmission of faith, may find, in their dialogue with culture, a language suited to the conditions of the present time.





## CELEBRATION OF THE SACRAMENT Baptism

The Sacrament of Baptism is celebrated in English on the 2nd Saturday at 1:00 PM, and in Creole on the 4th Saturday at 1:00 PM. If you are planning to have your child baptized in the parish, please call the rectory.

#### Reconciliation/Confession

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is offered on Saturdays at 4:00 PM in church, or by appointment in the rectory.

#### Matrimony

If you are planning to get married, please schedule an appointment with a priest or deacon at least six months before the anticipated wedding date. If you are not in a valid marriage (a marriage not celebrated in church by a priest or deacon), please call or write the rectory for an appointment to see a priest.

#### Communion for the Homebound

Anyone unable to attend Mass because of illness may receive Holy Communion at home on a regular basis. Please call the rectory.

#### **UPCOMING BAPTISM SCHEDULE**

**English Baptism Celebration** 

Saturday, December 8, 2018 - 1:00 PM

#### **Baptism Preparation:**

(for Parents) Thursday, November 29 - 7:30 pm (for Parents & Godparents) Thursday, December 6—7:30 pm

Creole Baptism Celebration

Saturday, December 22, 2018 1:00 PM

#### **Baptism Preparation:**

(for Parents) Thursday, December 13 - 7:30 pm ((for Parents & Godparents) Thursday, December 20 -7:30 pm

A Godparent must be a practicing and confirmed Catholic and, if married, married in the Catholic Church

Please call the rectory to register.

## Rite D'initiation Chretienne Pour Adultes

Êtes-vous membre d'une église différente? N'avezvous pas été baptisé? Voulez-vous devenir Catholique? Jésus vous appelle à un cheminement spirituel. Veuillez vous rejoindre à nous chaque mercredi soir à 7 heures pour le Rite d'Initiation Chrétienne pour adultes. Pour plus d'information, appeler le diacre François ou le diacre Paul.

#### Gwoup Konsolasyon

Pou konsole moun ki pèdi yon moun chè nan fanmi yo. Gwoup Konslasyon an kapab ede w. Rankontre nou chak dènye Jedi nan mwa a nan basement presbitè a 7è di swa.

#### Ministry of Consolation

A group of caring, compassionate volunteers assist families in planning the funeral liturgy of their loved ones. For further information please contact the rectory or Angela DePeaza at 718.525.4311.

#### Bereavement

We invite the bereaved to join us for reassurance and support on the last Thursday of the month at 7:00 pm in Father Nolan's Unity Room.

#### **Annual Catholic Appeal**

We thank everyone for making their pledges for the Annual Catholic Appeal. Because of your generosity we are close to reaching our parish goal of 52,430.00. we kindly ask that you continue with your pledges.

#### Generations of Faith

If you have already submitted your pledge card for the Campaign, please send all future payments directly to the Generations of Faith office at: Generations of Faith: Diocese of Brooklyn, **P.O. Box 7356** Berlin, CT 06037

Use of Parish Facilities: If you are interested in using the Parish halls for your events, please fill the request form on the back table or in the rectory. Mrs. Jean Paul, the new coordinator of facilities, will call you to complete your request.