



82nd Anniversary

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time—February 11, 2018



Sacred Heart of Jesus Roman Catholic Church

PARISH CLERGY

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RECTORY HOURS

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

FAITH FORMATION

Sr. Vilma Orejola, FLP

Director

Ms. Mona Martin

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Mrs. Yvonne Russell-Smith

Principal, SH Academy

MASSES

Monday to Saturday
9:00 AM in the Chapel

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
Every 1st Friday after the 9 AM Mass



Parish Mission Statement

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.

RENOVATION

Sacred Heart Church



Your Generations of Faith Pledges and payments are a huge part in the renovation of our church. Thank you to all of you who faithfully make your payments. If you have not yet started paying your pledge, please consider doing so now, and if you have not yet signed up, you can do so today.

TAX LETTERS

Tax letters will not be mailed this year. Please call the rectory if you require a letter, and we will immediately get it to you. Thank you for your kind consideration and patience in this process.

Parishioner Membership Database

It is that time of the year to update the Sacred Heart Membership database. This process is important to assure our membership count is current and to minimize mailing expenses of parish envelope packages. Therefore, anyone who has not used envelopes in a year or more will have their status changed to “inactive”, and will no longer receive envelopes. If at any time you want to change to an active registered member and receive envelopes again, please contact the rectory. If you are a new to the parish and would like receive tithing envelopes, please complete a new member card. You can an usher or call the rectory for a temporary package. Thank you for your continued support of our parish.



ASH WEDNESDAY

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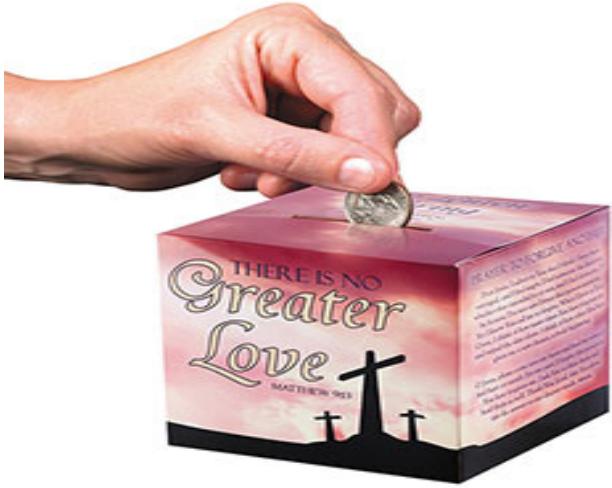
Lent begins...

February 14, 2018

MASS SCHEDULE

7AM and 9AM (English)
7:30pm (Bilingual)

Lent is a season for PRAYER, FASTING & ALMSGIVING



Pick up a Lenten Box
in gratitude to God for his
LOVE to us!

Drop your savings from your FASTING in
this box and bring it back to the church on
or before the Triduum,
March 29th to 30th.

This collection will go to the needy.

***“As you do it to the least of these who are
my brothers and sisters you have done
it unto me.”***

-Matthew 25:35

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, February 10, 2018

5:00 pm

Sunday, February 11, 2018

8:00 am Steve & Jana Savaille
(Thanksgiving)

10:00 am Alberto Smith (D)

12:45 pm Oscar Delpeche (D)

Monday, February 12, 2018

9:00 am Germaine Kernizan (D)

Tuesday, February 13, 2018

9:00 am Naomi Estime (Special Intentions)

Wednesday, February 14, 2018

9:00 am Lionel & Fleurette Louis
(In Thanksgiving)
Gemma Lewis & Family
(Special Intentions)

Thursday, February 15, 2018

9:00 am Howard & Deborah Louis
(In Thanksgiving)

Friday, February 16, 2018

9:00 am

Saturday, February 17, 2018

9:00 am Leonard Alexis (B)

DAILY MASS READINGS

Monday: Jas 1:1-11; Ps 119:67-68,
71-72, 75-76; Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday: Jas 1:12-18;
Ps 94:12-13a, 14-15, 18-19;
Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: Jl 2:12-18;
Ps 51:3-6ab, 12-14, 17;
2 Cor 5:20 – 6:2;
Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday: Dt 30:15-20; Ps 1:1-4, 6;
Lk 9:22-25

Friday: Is 58:1-9a;
Ps 51:3-6ab, 18-19;
Mt 9:14-15

Saturday: Is 58:9b-14; Ps 86:1-6; Lk 5:27-32

Sunday: Gn 9:8-15; Ps 25:4-9;
1 Pt 3:18-22; Mk 1:12-15

LENTEN REGULATION of Abstinence, Fasting and Ash Wednesday

The penitential and grace filled season of Lent begins with the celebration of Ash Wednesday, which this year falls on February 14, 2018. This is a time of renewal for the entire Catholic community. It is also a time of spiritual accompaniment as we assist the catechumens and candidates who will be welcomed into communion with the Church at the Easter Vigil. In order to assist the faithful of the Diocese of Brooklyn to take full advantage of the Lenten season, our Diocesan Bishop, Most Reverend Nicholas DiMarzio would like to call our attention to the following:

Abstinence - All the faithful who have reached 14 years of age are required to abstain totally from meat on Ash Wednesday and the Fridays of Lent.

Fasting - All the faithful between the ages of 18 and 59 inclusive are bound to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. This practice involves limiting oneself to a single full meal and avoiding food between meals. Light sustenance may also be taken on two other occasions during the day.

Ash Wednesday - February 14th - For the first time since 1945 the observance of Ash Wednesday falls on February 14th. Some have inquired about the possibility of receiving a dispensation from the laws of fasting and abstinence. Our observances of these spiritual practices unite us with Catholics throughout the world as we commence a time of prayer and penance in preparation for Easter. For this reason, no dispensation will be granted from these universal norms. Catholics who desire to celebrate Valentine's Day should consider doing so on Tuesday, February 13th, a day traditionally associated with festive celebrations.

Please join us
this Lent for

ARISE
Together in Christ,

the process of spiritual renewal and
evangelization that has spread
across our diocese.

Please contact Sister Vilma at 718-528-0577
for more information.

**Meet New Friends • Pray & Read Scripture
• Deepen Faith • Encounter Christ Today**



STATIONS OF THE
CROSS

**Every Friday of Lent
at 7:30 pm
in the church**

**Schedule for
Children's Stations of the Cross
FRIDAY @ 6:30 pm in the Church**

**Feb. 23rd, Mar. 9th and Mar. 16th
Movie night - March 23rd**

World Day of the Sick 2018

February 11 is World Day of the Sick, an observation started by Pope John Paul II as a way for believers to offer prayers for those suffering from illnesses. The day coincides with the commemoration of Our Lady of Lourdes.

About World Day of the Sick

Pope John Paul II initiated the day in 1992 to encourage people to pray for those who suffer from illness and for their caregivers. The Pope himself had been diagnosed with Parkinson's a year before, in 1991, and it is considered that his own illness was impetus for his designation of the day.

World Day of the Sick was first observed on February 11, 1993. February 11 is also the Catholic Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes, which a name is given to the Virgin Mary in honor of the apparitions that were said to have been seen in and around Lourdes, France, by a young girl called Bernadette Soubirous. The Church canonized Bernadette as a saint several years later.

SAINT POPE JOHN PAUL II'S PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF LOURDES

This prayer was said during the Holy Father's August 15, 2004 visit to Lourdes, France.

The Pope asked her among other things to "Be our Guide along paths of the world."

Hail Mary, poor and humble Woman, Blessed by the Most High! Virgin of hope, dawn of a new era, We join in your song of praise, to celebrate the Lord's mercy, to proclaim the coming of the Kingdom and the full liberation of humanity.

Hail Mary, lowly handmaid of the Lord, Glorious Mother of Christ! Faithful Virgin, holy dwelling-place of the Word, Teach us to persevere in listening to the Word, and to be docile to the voice of the Spirit, attentive to his promptings in the depths of our conscience and to his manifestations in the events of history.

Hail Mary, Woman of sorrows, Mother of the living! Virgin spouse beneath the Cross, the new Eve, Be our guide along the paths of the world. Teach us to experience and to spread the love of Christ, to stand with you before the innumerable crosses on which your Son is still crucified.

Hail Mary, woman of faith, First of the disciples! Virgin Mother of the Church, help us always to account for the hope that is in us, with trust in human goodness and the Father's love. Teach us to build up the world beginning from within: in the depths of silence and prayer, in the joy of fraternal love, in the unique fruitfulness of the Cross.

Holy Mary, Mother of believers, Our Lady of Lourdes, pray for us. Amen.



Let us pray today in a especial way for the homebound and the sick from our parish, and for those who minister to them and the Parish Health Ministry.

Claudia Ashby, Shirley John, Suzy Gaudain, Pierre Benjamin, Leonard Clarke, Joseph Okobi, Theresa Okonta, Jeffrey Brignol, Jean Price Brignol, Jean Lareche, Florence Boutin, Shelly-Ann Bruce, Myrn Alexandre, Lorianne Cauis, Deacon Roy Dudly, 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, Carolyn Keller, Carolin Edith, Steve Ste Rose, Raymonde Bertrand, Carmene Muscad, Genevieve Morin, Marie Kernisant, Cecilie Campayne, Monarque Jean, Ucile Pierre-Louis, Kingsley Joachim, Denise Briggs, Clelie Fougère Cauvin, Wilford Shillingford, Alain Beaubrun, Josette Numa, Janet Greene, Gilberte Clérier, Claudette Perrin, Patricia Donellan, Murat Raymond, Fr. Felix Akpabio, Fr. Sylvester Adekoya, Jean Hall, Margaret John, Keisha Roc and Marie Q. Roc. May God restore their physical & spiritual health. Amen.

The National Center of The Haitian Apostolate in Union With The Haitian Pastoral of the Diocese of Brooklyn

invites all young Adults to a large gathering of young people on Saturday, February 17, 2018

Times: 10:00 AM-4:00PM

Where: Ste Teresa of Avila RC Church

Theme :Young people Where are you?

Address: 563 Sterling Pl, Brooklyn, NY 11238

For information please call Brother Tob at 631-889-0664 , Mr. Frederique Fils Aimé at 973-545-6344 and the National Center at 718-856-3323

SACRED HEART'S YOUTH MINISTRY

The Parish's Annual Black History Month Celebration
sponsored by Teen Club



will be held on
**Sunday, February 25th,
2018 at 4PM,
n the school auditorium.**

Refreshments will be sold.

Theme: Complacency has no place in the economy of salvation”

We are looking forward to paying homage to those who paved the way before us.

SACRED HEART RC CHURCH

115-58 222 STREET (221ST STREET & 115TH ROAD), CAMBRIA HEIGHTS, NY 11411

ENGLISH CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP... *Presents*

RECOLLECTION WEEKEND 2018

“Responding to His call” I Sam. 3:1-7

Inspired Teachings, Fellowship, Prayers, Bible Study, Praise & Worship, Holy Hour, Mass, and lots more... *Rev. Fr. Hyacinth Jemigbola*

Fri-Sun, February 23- 25, 2018
@ Immaculate Conception Seminary, Huntington NY
\$180 Single Room Occupancy

For more Information Please Contact, Mike Mekako- (917) 593-5108, Claudette Archer- (718) 217-1982, Elisa Ward (516) 462-6589

SAVE THE DATE FOR LENTEN RETREATS

Creole

March 12, 13 & 14, 2018

Monday, Tuesday
& Wednesday

Speaker: Fr. Firto Regis



English

March 19, 20 & 21, 2018

Monday, Tuesday
& Wednesday

Speaker: Fr. Trevor

REGISTRATION FOR 2018-19 IS NOW OPEN AT SACRED HEART CATHOLIC ACADEMY

Don't miss out on scholarship opportunities!

Received a scholarship last year? Re-apply by March 30, 2018

First time scholarship applicant? Apply by April 30, 2018

www.futuresineducation.org

To learn about the benefits of a Catholic education,
please contact Principal Y.T. Russell-Smith at 718.527.0123



WE'RE SAVING A SEAT FOR YOU!

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Cambria Heights, NY 11411

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JESUS, the musical stage adventure about the most famous person to ever walk the earth, and the everyday people whose lives he changed forever.

Bus trip to Sight and Sound Theater, PA
Saturday, March 17, 2018

Fee: \$100 for Children under 12 & \$150 for 13 yrs. old & above

Please call the rectory at **718-528-0577** for more information or reservation.



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, April 14, 2018 - 1:00 PM

Baptism Preparation:

(for Parents) Thursday, April 5th - 7:30 pm

(for Parents & Godparents) Thursday, April 12th -7:30 pm

Creole Baptism Celebration

Saturday, April 28, 2018 1:00 PM

Baptism Preparation:

(for Parents) Thursday, April 19th - 7:30 pm

((for Parents & Godparents) Thursday, April 26th -7:30 pm

Please call the rectory to register.

Rite D'initiation Chretienne Pour Adultes

Êtes-vous membre d'une église différente? N'avez-vous 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.

Facility

Wish to reserve a room for your next function?

Please call Fritz Kernizan at 718-406-5277.

Annual Catholic Appeal

This campaign supports specific needs in the diocese and in our parish. This year, our parish goal is \$48,551. We have only received \$46,459.00 in pledges. Please consider making a pledge to the ACA 2018. For we budget on the rebates. To make a pledge please contact the rectory at 718-528-0577.

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**