

Sacred Heart of Jesus R.C. Church

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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.



Masses

Monday - Saturday 9:00 AM in the Chapel
Saturday Vigil: 5:00 PM in the Church

Sunday: 8:00 & 10:00 AM (English)
12:45 PM in Creole

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

Eucharistic Day of Adoration: Every 1st Friday.

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 2nd 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 - 5:00 PM

12 Noon - 1:00 PM closed

Saturday and Sunday by appointment only.

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Fr. Hilaire Belizaire, Pastor

Rev. Fr. Hugues Berrette

Rev. Fr. Joseph R. Bruno in Residence

Rev. Mr. Paul C. Dorsinville, Deacon

Rev. Mr. François G. Cajoux, Deacon

Rev. Mr. Roy Dudley, Deacon

Rev. Mr. Marcus Mordan, Deacon

Sr. Carmèle Nerette, FDM,

Pastoral Associate

Mrs. Elcie Kernizan, Parish Secretary

Mrs. Yvonne Russell-Smith, School Principal

Ms. Mona Martin, CCD Coordinator

Mr. Kalel Dennis, Youth Director

Mr. Michael Capobianco, English Music Director

Mr. Antoine Chery, Creole Music Director

Mrs. Mary Harris, Business Manager

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

January 26, 2014



Scripture of the Week

Sunday, January 26, 2014 - Green Vestments
First Reading: Isaiah 8:23--9:3
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 27:1, 4, 13-14
Second Reading: First Corinthians 1:10-13, 17
Gospel: Matthew 4:12-23 or 4:12-17

Monday, January 27, 2014 - Green Vestments
First Reading: Second Samuel 5:1-7, 10
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 89:20, 21-22, 25-26
Gospel: Mark 3:22-30
Saint Angela Merici, virgin - Optional Memorial

Tuesday, January 28, 2014 - White Vestments
Saint Thomas Aquinas, priest and doctor
First Reading: Second Samuel 6:12-15, 17-19
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 24:7, 8, 9, 10
Gospel: Mark 3:31-35

Wednesday, January 29, 2014 - Green Vestments
First Reading: Second Samuel 7:4-17
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 89:4-5, 27-28, 29-30
Gospel: Mark 4:1-20

Thursday, January 30, 2014 - Green Vestments
First Reading: Second Samuel 7:18-19, 24-29
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 132:1-2, 3-5, 11, 12, 13-14
Gospel: Mark 4:21-25

Friday, January 31, 2014 - White Vestments
Saint John Bosco, priest - Memorial
First Reading: Second Samuel 11:1-4, 5-10, 13-17
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 51:3-4, 5-6, 6-7, 10-11
Gospel: Mark 4:26-34

Saturday, February 1, 2014 - Green Vestments -
First Reading: Second Samuel 12:1-7, 10-17
Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 51:12-13, 14-15, 16-17
Gospel: Mark 4:35-41
Blessed Virgin Mary - Optional Memorial

Hosts and wine for the 10:00am Mass on January 19, are offered by **Ronald Germain** in memory of **Marie Germain**.

Hosts and wine for the 9:00am Monday Mass on Sunday, January 27, are offered by **Patricia Patino** aunt **Helena Arrindell**.

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday 5:00pm	January 25 Vayna Dorsinville (D)
Sunday 8:00am 10:00am 12:45pm	January 26 Gemma Lewis and family Jean Philippe Pierre (B) Mrs. Marie Josée Jacob (D)
Monday 9:00am	January 27 Tamur Cajoux (B)
Tuesday 9:00am	January 28 Jose Rivera (D)
Wednesday 9:00am	January 29 Georgina Pierre (D)
Thursday 9:00am	January 30 Mr. Mrs. Louis Desrosiers (D)
Friday 9:00am	January 31 Tania Samedy (B)
Saturday 9:00am 5:00pm	February 1 Nestor Michel (B) Vana St. Hilaire (D)

Yolande Pierre, Hubert Mills, Gertrude Wright, Irma Ali, Joseph R. Saillant Jr., Audrey Pearson, Sade Jean-Raymond, Jahlil Nahser, Kenneth Baptiste, Saintecele Joseph, Dominique Paillant, Joseph Exantus, Myrtille Pierre Louis, Brenda Alleyne, Elliot Haynes, Germaine Joseph, Carlyle Keller, Ann Gutman, Alex St. Urbain, Candie Olmstead, Augustina Pitt, Gloria John, Clarence Hoggard, Lela Moton, Emery Perry.



**Pray for our Military Personnel
Pray Continually:**



1Thessalonians 5:17

Please **pray** for our men and women serving in our **Armed Forces** so that **God May protect them until they return 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

We would like to THANK all of the parishioners who contributed to helping us surpass our 2013 parish goal amount!! As a result, Sacred Heart of Jesus parish should receive a \$22,852 rebate once all pledges are completed. Please note, it is important to fully complete your pledges in order for us to receive the full rebate amount. We are counting on you to exceed our goal, in order for the parish to get the surplus. As of December 31, 2013:

Our Parish Goal \$48,552.00

Number of Pledges received 255

Amount Pledged 71,404.00

Amount Received 66,893.00

Second collections for the month of February will be as follow:

February 2 **Monthly offering**
February 9 **Energy Expenses**
February 16 **Black and Indian Missions**
February 23 **Liturgical Ministry Expenses**
March 2 **Catholic Relief Services and Monthly Offering**

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.

Anointing of the Sick



Please call the Rectory Office if you know of a home bound who would like a priest or Eucharistic Minister to visit them.

English Charismatic Retreat

The English Charismatic Group of Sacred Heart's annual retreat is scheduled for the weekend of February 28 through March 2 at "The Villa of Our Lady" Retreat House in Mt. Pocono. You are invited to come along. Donation is \$155.00 per person, double occupancy, \$180.00 single room occupancy plus transportation of \$50.00. Recollection will be led by Reverend Father Romane St. Vil.

For information, call Mike at 917-593-5108 or Claudette Archer at 718-217-1982.

School News for the Month

During the week the church celebrated the Epiphany, Sacred Heart Catholic Academy students participated in a fun -filled week of sports activities called "Epiphany Spirit Week". The students participated in relay races and fitness activities with teams named after the traditional names of The Three Kings.....Balthazar, Gaspar and Melchior. Each class was broken up into 3 teams. They ran, jumped rope, scooted around on scooters, shot baskets and cheered for each other with great enthusiasm. The teams were judged on their athletic fitness performance and sportsmanship. The students were wonderful!

Congratulations to the Balthazar Team who came in First Place. We had a tie for Second Place as Gaspar and Melchior rallied with great effort.

Thank you to all who participated.

Catholic Schools Week is upon us! Please come visit and see what our Academy has to offer!

DIVISION

It is a situation that plays itself out in more and less significant ways: Christians divided. A CYO basketball game between two neighboring parishes. Parents of the young players scream insults and threats at one another and assert their "superiority. Saint Paul addresses similar disagreements in the early church at Corinth. He encourages the church there to make up their differences and to be united again in their belief and practice. people weighed down by the yoke of sin and darkness. Certainly the bickering and differences among us can be classified as such. The Gospel tells of the beginning ministry of Jesus. The Light has come, encouraging us to "repent, for the kingdom of heaven is at hand.

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Religious Education Program (CCD)



The Religious Education Program conducts classes in Rite of Christian Initiation of children (RCIC) in 9th to 12th grades, Pre-Sacrament, Sacraments, and Bible for children in Kindergarten to 8th grade.

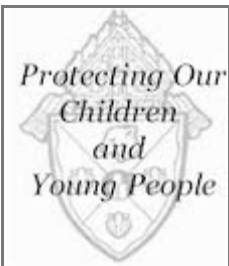
Registration form can be picked up at the school on Saturdays.

We encourage all students to continue their faith formation until they receive the Sacrament of Confirmation- which is in the 8th grade.

MARRIAGE, FAMILY AND INDIVIDUAL THERAPY

Professional therapy, provided by New York State licensed therapists, is available to our parish and 148 other parishes. This program, under the direction of Dr. George Giuliani, has been conducted in the diocese for the past 40 years for the convenience of parishioners. Services are provided by the Catholic Counseling Center, a proprietary professional corporation, which is independent of and not controlled or supervised by the parish or Diocese. Confidential information and appointments are available by calling Dr. Giuliani at (631)243-2503 or go to our website at: <http://www.thecatholiccounselingcenter.com>

Virtus online



Sacred Heart parish in compliance with the Safe Environment Protection Act mandates by the Diocese of Brooklyn and Queens and the USCCB that all employees and volunteers who have contact with children must attend a virtus

session, sign a code of conduct and submit to a background search. If you need to register for a virtus session please do so at www.virtus.org

To report sexual abuse involving diocesan personnel - priests, deacons, teachers, employees or volunteers at schools or parishes please call the diocese toll- free, confidential reporting number 1-888-634-4499. Excuses and rationalizations for such criminal actions will not be accepted.

Invitation to Fellowship

The Haitian Youth Parent Association and Youth groups Invite all parishioners to join them for fellowship in St Martin de Porres after the 12:45pm mass. This fellowship is sponsored by "Simply Beautiful" in memory of the Victims of the 2010 earthquake of Haiti.

Application to register as Sacred Heart fellowship for next month please call (347) 869-7603" or e-mail vdaleader@yahoo.com

Happy Valentine's Day



The group "Service and Solidarity" cordially invites you to their 22nd anniversary Valentine's Day Dinner Dance at Sacred Heart Auditorium on Saturday, February 15 from 8:00pm to 1:00am. All are invited to join us and celebrate an evening of love and friendship. For further information please contact the Rectory or Sister Carmele Nerette. At 718.528.0577. Donation is only \$60.00 and \$30 for children 12 and under.

The Fordham University's Graduate School of Religion and Religious Education

Is holding a workshop for Lay Ministers on February 7, 2014 from 9:00am to 12:00pm in the Rose Hill Campus, Keating Hall.

This workshop will introduce research bearing on some important matters that arise for lay ministers in Catholic pastoral contexts concerning sex, gender, and sexual orientation. They will explore the significance of this research for contemporary lay ministry

Fee to attend is \$100.00 for Guests and Alumni of Fordham University and free for all current GSRRE students.

For more information and to register visit: www.fordham.edu/gre.

Sacramental Preparation



Classes for Adult and youth are being held every Wednesday at 7:30pm starting December 11.

Contact the rectory or one of the deacons for more information

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 Konsolasyon

Pou konsole moun ki pedi youn moun che nan fanmi yo. Group Konsolasyon 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

Adult Bible studies meets every Tuesday at 7:00pm in the Fr. Nolan Unity Room to discuss the up coming Sunday readings. Please join us. All are invited.
Young Bible studies meets every Thursday at 7:30pm in the Father Noland Unity Room

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 on Wednesdays evening for a class on the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA). Please contact Deacon François or Deacon Paul for more information.

Rite de 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 chaque Mercredi soir pour un séminaire sur le Rite de L'Initiation Chrétienne pour adultes (RCIA). Veuillez appeler le diacre François ou le diacre Paul pour plus d'information.

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

EUCCHARISTIC 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.

Join the Boy Scouts of America

Build your son self-esteem! Get him involved with the Scouts. We welcome all boys from First through Fifth Grade. We meet every Saturday at 11:00 am, and every Friday at 8:00pm we welcome teenagers from Sixth through twelfth grade. Our meetings are held in Sacred Heart School Gym.

Calling all Youth

Come and Renew your faith and baptism. Come join the "Bien Aimes de Jesus" Group every 4th Sunday of the Month at Martin de Pores Center from 4:00pm to 6:00pm. Meeting started last October 27,2013. For more information call Margarete at :718.776.6396.

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.

SACRED HEART YOUTH CHOIR

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

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. .

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.