

SACRED HEART OF JESUS ROMAN CATHOLIC 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.



Second Sunday of Lent, March 16, 2014

Masses

Monday to Saturday
9:00 AM in the Chapel

Saturday Vigil
5:00 PM in the Church

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

Holy Days:
English Mass at 9:00 AM & Bilingual Mass at 7:30PM

Eucharistic Day of Adoration:
Every 1st Friday

Parish Clergy

Rev. Fr. Hilaire Belizaire, *Pastor*
Rev. Fr. Joseph R. Bruno, *in Residence*
Rev. Mr. François G. Cajoux, *Deacon*
Rev. Mr. Paul C. Dorsinville, *Deacon*
Rev. Mr. Roy Dudley, *Deacon*
Rev. Mr. Marcus Mordan, *Deacon*
Sr. Carmèle Nerette, FDM, *Pastoral Associate*

Parish Administration

Mrs. Mary Harris, *Business Manager*
Mrs. Elcie Kernizan, *Parish Secretary*

Liturgy and Spirituality

Mr. Antoine Chery, *Minister of Music*
Mr. Michael Capobianco, *Minister of Music*

Faith Formation of Children and Youth

Ms. Mona Martin, *Religious Ed. Coordinator*
Mr. Kalel Dennis, *Youth Director*

Sacred Heart Academy

Mrs. Yvonne Russell-Smith, *Principal*
115-30 221st Street
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Rectory Hours:

Weekdays 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM
12 Noon to 1:00 PM closed

“Lent is a fitting time for self-denial; we would do well to ask ourselves what we can give up in order to help and enrich others by our own poverty,” Pope Francis.

Celebration of the Sacraments

Reconciliation/Confession

Saturday: 4:00 P.M. At other times, please feel free, and most welcome, to make an appointment with one of the priests.

Matrimony

Please schedule an appointment with a priest at least six months before an anticipated wedding date for marriage preparations and Pre-Cana.

Baptism

Baptism is celebrated in English on the 2nd Saturday at 1:00PM, and in Creole on the 4th Saturday at 1:00PM. Pre-registration with child’s original birth certificate is required. Please call the rectory for an appointment.

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.

Parish Membership

Every family in the parish should be registered. Registration forms are available at the rectory.

Weekday Readings for the Week of March 16, 2014

Monday: Dn 9:4b-10; Ps 79:8, 9, 11-13;
Lk 6:36-38

Tuesday: Is 1:10, 16-20; Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21-23;
Mt 23:1-12

Wednesday: 2 Sm 7:4-5a, 12-14a, 16;
Ps 89:2-5, 27, 29;
Mt 1:16, 18-21, 24a or Lk 2:41-51a

Thursday: Jer 17:5-10; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 16:19-31

Friday: Gn 37:3-4, 12-13a; 17b-28a; Ps 105:16-21;
Mt 21:33-43, 45-46

Saturday: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12;
Lk 15:1-3, 11-32

Sunday: Ex 17:3-7; Ps 95:1-2, 6-9;
Rom 5:1-2, 5-8;

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday 5:00pm	March 15 Martine Beraud (D)
Sunday 8:00am 10:00am 12:45pm	March 16 Sanon family in Thanksgiving Marie Germain (D) Mathilde Casseus (D)
Monday 9:00am	March 17 Brignol Family in Thanksgiving
Tuesday 9:00am	March 18 Alex Cook (B)
Wednesday 9:00am	March 19 Antenor Jacob (D)
Thursday 9:00am	March 20 Natalie Bezout (B) Maureen Cajoux Terlizzi in Thanksgiving
Friday 9:00am	March 21 Joseph Lecorp (D)
Saturday 9:00am 5:00pm	March 22 Tulia Francoise Suffrin (D) Gemma Lewis & family



Pray for ..
Yolande Pierre, Hubert Mills,
Gertrude Wright, Irma Ali,
Carlos Miller, Joseph R. Saillant Jr.,
Sade Jean-Raymond, Jahlil Nahser,
Mr & Mrs Kenneth Baptiste,
Dominique Paillant, Joseph Exantus,
Myrtelle 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, Narque and Patrick Jean, Jeremiah Joseph.

Pray for our Military Personnel



Please pray for our men and women serving in our Armed Forces, so that God may protect them until they return home safely to their families and loved ones.

Bread & Wine

Kindly contact the rectory if you wish to offer the Bread and Wine at the celebration of the Mass.
An offering of \$20.00 is suggested.

A LENTEN MESSAGE FROM THE PASTOR

My dear parishioners of Sacred Heart,

The great season of Lent, which began on Ash Wednesday, allows for forty days of preparation for Easter, the great celebration of the resurrection of our Lord Jesus and our resurrected life. In the liturgy of the Word on Ash Wednesday, Jesus in the gospel urges the disciples not to practice their piety so that they will be praised by others, but to practice piety in such a way that others will be helped and God's name glorified.

The season of Lent, my friends, calls us to Renunciation and Self-Denial. We are to renounce ourselves for the sake of God's kingdom. This must not be simply a Lenten discipline, but it is living our baptismal life in Christ, crucifying the old and bringing the new to life, refocusing our habits, our priorities, and our direction. This self-renunciation during this Lenten Season is much more than the renunciation of some of our petty practices, much more than giving up meat, sweets, and the likes. It is renouncing our way of life, our attitudes, and perspectives. It is renouncing all that prevent us from being children of God and servants to our neighbor. It is in that Lenten spirit that we began our parish's Lenten Mission Project on Wednesday – a project that will go beyond the Lenten season to the very heart of our parish life.

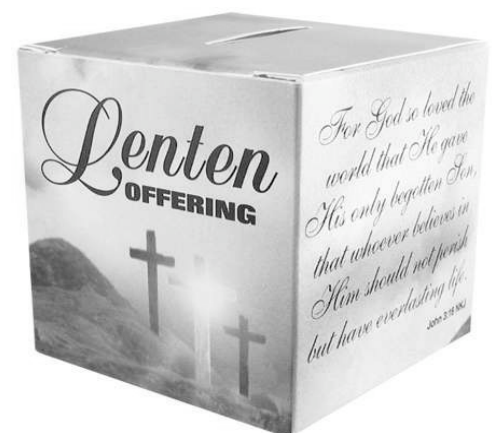
The Parish Mission Project kicked off with the distribution of individual Lenten offering boxes and will continue throughout the season of Lent and beyond. This first chapter will conclude on Holy Thursday at the mass dedicated to the poor, where boxes will be returned and distributed to meet the needs of some of the worthy projects that Sacred Heart parishioners support in various parts of the world.

I am excited to share with you this season of spiritual enrichment, practicing the spiritual disciplines of prayer and fasting, while showing genuine concerns and offering prayers for the issues of the Church, the community, and the least fortunate around the world. I encourage you to visit the rectory and register the project you support for this program.

I pray this Lenten Season will be a special time of grace for all of us at Sacred Heart Parish.

May God bless you always!

Fr. Hilaire



Religious Education Program (CCD)



The Religious Education Program offers Pre-Sacrament and Sacrament classes for children in Kindergarten to 8th grade. Registration forms can be picked up at the school on Saturdays.

We encourage all students who attend public school to continue their faith formation until they receive the Sacrament of Confirmation in the 8th grade.

Parish Lenten Retreats

Theme: *Though we are many, we are one body in Christ.*
La retraite sera animée par le **Révérénd Père**

Reginal Jean Marie.

Mercredi 19 Mars au Vendredi 21 Mars
de 7:00pm à 10:00pm heures du soir
Samedi 22 Mars de 6:30- 10:30pm.



English Retreat: Will be held on April 7-10 with **Fr. Trevor Nathasingh.**

Silent Holy Hour

The Sisters of Sacred Heart Convent invite you to a Silent Holy Hour every Wednesday during Lent from 7:00 to 8:00 pm in the Chapel. This is an opportunity to “rest” in the presence of the Lord, speak to Him, and listen to Him as He speaks to you in the silence of your heart. Please save the following dates: March 19th, April 2nd and April 9th. **Note:** Holy Hour will **not** be held on April 16th.

Outdoor Stations of the Cross

The youth of our parish will lead the Outdoor Stations of the Cross throughout the community on Good Friday at 1PM. All parishioners are encouraged to participate.

National Shrine of the Divine Mercy

Le Groupe Miséricorde du Sacré-Cœur vous invite à une journée à **Eden Hill Divine Mercy** (International Stockbridge, Massachusetts)
Le Dimanche 27 Avril, 2014 à 6 heures du matin.
Depart: Devant l'église du Sacré-Cœur.
Frais de participation: \$50.00
Pour plus d'information veuillez appeler Evelyne au 347.682.3644.ou Vevé 202.304.8422

List of Upcoming Events

Parish Ministry Day - March 15-16
(Lay Ministers will be acknowledged at each mass)

Lenten Creole Retreat - March 19-22 with Fr. Reginald Jean-Marie from Florida.

All Night Vigil – March 28 from 10pm to 6am In the Church

Saturday, April 5, 2014 – Sacred Church is sponsoring a trip to Sight and Sound Theater to see “Moses.” For more information, please contact the rectory on Monday through Friday, from 9:00am to 5:00pm.

Lenten English Retreat – April 7-10 with Fr. Trevor Nathasingh from Trinidad.

Retreat Theme: "Though we are many, we are one body in Christ" (1Cor 12, vs. 12).

Stations of the Cross (Bilingual) - Every Friday during Lent at 7:30 P.M. in the church

Rehearsal for Easter Vigil - All deacons, the music commission, lectors, sacristans, altar servers, Eucharistic ministers and ushers are required to attend rehearsals on Saturdays, April 12th and 19th at 10 AM

Palm Sunday – April 13, 2014

The mass schedule is as follows:

5:00 P.M. (Saturday, April 12, 2014) in English

7:30 A.M. in English

10:00 A.M. in English

1:00 P.M. in Creole

Day of Penance (all day)

Monday April 14, 2014

Holy Thursday (Bilingual Celebration)

April 17, 2014 at 8 PM

Good Friday - April 18, 2014

Procession and Stations of the Cross at 1:00 PM

English Service at 3:00 PM

Creole Service at 7:00 PM

Easter Vigil Celebration – April 19 at 8 PM

Easter Day Masses - April 20, 2014

8:00 A.M. in English

10:00 A.M. in English

12:45 P.M. in Creole

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.

Gwoup Konsolasyon

Pou konsole moun ki pèdi yon moun chè nan fanmi yo. Gwoup Konsolasyon 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 the planning of the funeral liturgy.

For further information or assistance, please contact the rectory or Angela DePeaza at 718.525.4311

Sacred Heart Groups and Ministries

- **Adult Bible and Faith sharing studies**
to discuss and reflect on the Sunday readings.
Tuesdays at 7pm in Fr. Nolan's Unity room.
- **Youth Bible studies**
Thursdays at 7:30pm in Father Nolan's Unity Room.
- **Boy Scouts of America**
Saturdays at 11am and Fridays at 8pm for teenagers in the Gym.
- **Girl Scouts of Sacred Heart**
Saturdays 11am in the Auditorium.
- **Jesus Friends and Teen Fire**
Fridays at 5:30pm in Martin de Porres.
- **Sacred Heart Youth Choir**
Sundays at 12:30pm in Father Nolan's Unity Room.
- **Sacred Heart Children Choir**
Saturdays at 2pm in the Church.

Sacred Heart Youth Ministry

Anyone wishing to start a new group or has questions or concerns about an existing group, please call our Youth Director Kalel Dennis at 347.471.1284. **Please get involved!**

We are the village needed to raise our youth!

*Wish to reserve a room for your next function?
Please contact Carl Dennis 718.938.1957*

Eucharistic Day of Adoration

Please join us and be blessed on the first Friday of each month for Eucharistic Adoration beginning with morning Mass at 9:00am in the church, followed by Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament throughout the day. Evening Prayer and Benediction with the **Nocturnal Adoration Society at 8:00pm.**

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA)

Are you a member of a different denomination? Have you not been baptized? Would you like to join the Catholic faith? Jesus is calling you by name to a spiritual journey. Join us on Wednesday evenings at 7 pm for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. Please contact Deacon François or Deacon Paul for more information.

Rite D'initiation Chrétienne Pour Adultes (RCIA)

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.

Sacred Heart Youth Ministry

Presents FACE TO FACE WITH
HAITIAN FOLKLORE
Featuring Voix Des Anges with Special Guest
KANU DANCE THEATER
Saturday March 29, 2014 @ 7:00 PM
Sacred Heart Academy Auditorium
DONATION: \$15 per person-13years & older
\$10 children 12 years & under

Fellowship with the Haitian Youth Parent Association (HYPA)

The Haitian Youth Parent Association (HYPA) and The Haitian youth groups invite all parishioners to join them for fellowship in the **Auditorium** after the 12:45pm mass. Fellowship sponsored by "DJ Max" and "Simply Beautiful". If you would like to sponsor one of the monthly fellowships, please call 347-869-7603 or email vdaleader@yahoo.com.