

Sacred Heart Church

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Sacred Heart Church is Celebrating it's 75th Anniversary



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

Baptismal 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 birth certificate. Parents and godparents must attend mandatory instructions.

Communion for the Shut-ins and Infirm

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

OFFICE HOURS

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

Saturday and Sunday by appointment only.

Pastoral Staff

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

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



Scripture of the Week

Sunday, January 1, 2012 - White Vestments

Mary, Mother of God - Solemnity

First Reading: Numbers 6:22-27

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 67:2-3, 5, 6, 8

Second Reading: Galatians 4:4-7

Gospel: Luke 2:16-21

Monday, January 2, 2012 - White Vestments

Saints Basil the Great and Gregory Nazianzen

First Reading: First John 2:22-28

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 98:1, 2-3, 3-4

Gospel: John 1:19-28

Tuesday, January 3, 2012 - White Vestments

First Reading: First John 2:29--3:6

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 98:1, 3-4, 5-6

Gospel: John 1:29-34

Wednesday, January 4, 2012 - White Vestments

First Reading: First John 3:7-10

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 98:1, 7-8, 9

Gospel: John 1:35-42

Saint Elizabeth Ann Seton - Memorial

First Reading: First John 3:7-10

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 98:1, 7-8, 9

Gospel: John 1:35-42

Thursday, January 5, 2012 - White Vestments

First Reading: First John 3:11-21

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 100:1-2, 3, 4, 5

Gospel: John 1:43-51

Saint John Neumann, bishop - Memorial

First Reading: First John 3:11-21

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 100:1-2, 3, 4, 5

Gospel: John 1:43-51

Friday, January 6, 2012 - White Vestments

Epiphany of the Lord - Solemnity

First Reading: Isaiah 60:1-6

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13

Second Reading: Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6

Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12 or

First Reading: First John 5:5-13

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 147:12-15, 19-20

Gospel: Mark 1:7-11

Blessed André Bessette, religious

Saturday, January 7, 2012 - White Vestments

First Reading: First John 3:22--4:6

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 2:7-8, 10-11

Gospel: Matthew 4:12-17, 23-25

Saint Raymond of Penyafort, priest

First Reading: First John 5:14-21

Responsorial Psalm: Psalms 149:1-2, 3-4, 5, 6, 9

Gospel: John 2:1-12

Mass Schedule and Intentions

Saturday

5:00pm

11:00pm

Sunday

8:00am

10:00am

12:45pm

Monday

9:00am

Tuesday

9:00am

Wednesday

9:00am

Thursday

9:00am

Friday

9:00am

Saturday

9:00am

5:00pm

December 31

Annecy Ruben Charles in
thanksgiving

Bilingual Mass

January 1

Sacred Heart Parishioners

Ruth Hilaire (D)

Izabelle Bazile thanksgiving to the
Holy Family

January 2

Clotilia Louis (D)

January 3

Yanick Sainté for delivrance

January 4

Gemma Julia Charles (D)

January 5

Yvonne Medisna (D)

January 6

Estephanie Phillip (D)

January 7

Marly Alexis (B)

Fr. Christian and Elucide Nicolas (D)


Pray for ...

Yolande Pierre, Venante Attis,
Ceraly Raymond Mills, Hubert
Mills, Gertrude Wright, Irma Ali,
Saintecile Joseph, Exantus Joseph,
Claudius F. Hackett Sr.,
Joseph R Saillant Jr.
Eveline Ligondé

Pray for our Military Personnel



Pray Continually:

1Thessalonians 5:17

Sacred Heart parish wishes our
military personnel a very

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

Hosts and wine for Tuesday's 9:00am Mass are
offered in memory by **Margarette Moss** in
thanksgiving for her birthday.

**The Sacred Heart Church Staff would
like to wish everyone a
Happy New Year.**

2011 Catholic Appeal

All registered Sacred Heart members should have received 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 you did not receive the Appeal letter, please pick up the form at the back of the church or 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.

Our Parish Goal	\$47,882.00
Number of Pledges received	258
Amount Pledged	\$81,882.00
Amount Received	\$66,802.00

Second collections for the month of December will be as follows:

December 31, 2012	Solemnity of Mary
January 1, 2012	Monthly Offering
January 8, 2012	Energy Expense
January 15, 2012	Liturgical Expense
January 22, 2012	Churches in need
January 29, 2012	Fuel Expenses

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.

Sacred Heart Book Club News

The Sacred Heart Book Club members will be reading "Radical: Taking Back your Faith from the American Dream" by David Platt. The book is not yet available through the book ministry, but members can begin reading it at no cost online at amazon.com or at books.google.com. or can be purchased at large retail bookstores. The potluck book club meeting will be on Sunday, January 29th, 2012 at 5:00pm.

Sacred Heart School News



The Principal, Staff and Students would like to award the Heimlich Trophy to **Carl Cadet** of class 8-306. Carl recognized a fellow classmate choking during lunch and immediately performed the Heimlich maneuver saving the life of a classmate.

English Charismatic Retreat

The English Charismatic Group of Sacred Heart's annual retreat is scheduled for the weekend of February 10 through 12 at "The Villa of Our Lady" Retreat House in Mt. Pocono. You are invited to come along. Donation is \$135.00 per person, double occupancy, \$150.00 single room occupancy plus transportation of \$50.00. Recollection will be led by Deacon François Cajoux. For information, call Mike at 917-593-5108 or Hyacinth at 718-276-2091.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

On this feast, we can see how devotion to Mary has been a beacon of hope to the sick throughout history. In the new cathedral of Los Angeles, the faithful enter through a single door topped by a striking sculpture of Mary with arms stretched down in compassion. Sculpted into the massive bronze doors are the titles of Mary most treasured by various cultures. Many of them speak of how the sick are consoled by a sense of Mary's presence.

Dorothy Day once recalled St. Bonaventure's remark that after the Lord's long forty days of fasting in the desert, when he was diminished and weak from his struggle, the angels who ministered to him went first to the Blessed Mother's house. There they saw the soup that was on her stove, and took some to the Lord so that he would delight in it even more since his mother had prepared it. "Of course," said Dorothy Day matter-of-factly.

In praying the rosary and savoring the stories of Mary's steadfast love in the face of all suffering, the sick are strengthened by one of our tradition's most shining treasures, and the whole Church is enriched.

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Sacred Heart Children's Choir

Sacred Heart Children's Choir invites all children ages of 5 and 13 to join the choir. The Choir meets for rehearsal in the Church every Saturday at 2:00pm.

If you have any questions, please feel free to call: Sandy 718.723.6583 or Elsie 516.255.1749.

Sacred Heart Girl Scouts

We will continue Girl Scouts registration for Brownies, grades 2-3 and Juniors Grades 4-5 on Saturdays during the month of October from 11:00AM to 1:00PM in the school Auditorium. We are desperately looking for adults to volunteer as Girl Scouts leaders. Registration fee for the girls and adult volunteers is \$12.00. For more information call Benita Simmons at 347.210.5339.

A Special Invitation



On January 8, 2012 "The Feast of the Baptism of Jesus" Sacred Heart is inviting all children who were baptized and confirmed at

sacred Heart in the past 5 years with their parents to a day of renewal of their engagement to becoming apostles for the kingdom of God. There will be a bilingual Mass at 11:00am replacing the 10:00am and 12:45pm Masses followed by fellowship in the Auditorium.

Une Invitation Speciale



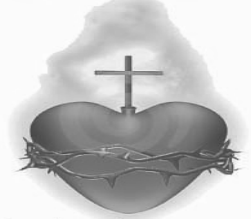
Une Messe sera chantée le Dimanche 8 Janvier 2012, à l'occasion du baptême de Jésus. Tous les anciens baptisés et confirmés sont invités

pendant les dernières Anées à renouveler leur engagement d'être apôtres pour L'avancement du royaume de Dieu. Ce jour là, les Messes de 10:00am and 12:00pm seront remplacées par une Messe à 11:00 heures suivie d'une réception à l'auditorium.

Sacred Heart Roman Catholic Church

Youth Choir

Sign Up Today!



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

Sacred Heart Church Basketball Team (Heart of Cambria)

Date & Time	Location	Vs Team
Sun, 12/18/2011, 3:30pm	St. Clare	St. Stan. GP
Sat, 01/14/2012, 1:00pm	St. Stan. GP	St. Stan. GP
Sat, 01/21/2012, 7:30pm	O.L. Lourdes	O.L. Lourdes
Sun, 01/22/2012, 2:30pm	St. Clare	St. Gregory
Sun, 01/29/2011, 3:30pm	St. Clare	St. Clare.
Sat, 02/04/2012, 5:00pm	St. Joan	St. Joan
Sun, 02/12/2012, 5:00pm	St. Robert	St. Robert

BROTHERS IN CHRIST iPad2 ESSAY CONTEST

The Brothers in Christ Ministry is sponsoring an essay contest for students associated with Sacred Heart Church. The contest is open to students of Sacred Heart School of Cambria Heights, in grades 5 through 8. Students in grades 5 through 12, whose parents or guardians are registered members of Sacred Heart Parish and members of the Teen Club, Boy Scout and Girl Scout of appropriate grades are also invited to compete.

The essays must cover Selflessness, Gratitude, Empathy and Generosity. Two iPad2s will be awarded to winners one for grades 5 through 8 and one for grades 9 through 12. Applications will be accepted until January 15th. Prizes will be awarded at the Black History Celebration.

Applications and instructions explaining the theme and rules of the contest can be obtained at the school, in the rectory, on the desk in the back of the church and from organization moderators.

SACRED HEART CHURCH VARIOUS GROUPS

BEREAVEMENT



We extend our condolences for 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 upcoming 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 une journée spirituelle avec le Diacre François ou Diacre Paul chaque Mercredi soir pour une 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 should have questions or concerns, call our Youth Director Kael Dennis at 347.471.1284. Also, if you would like to work with the youth or help in the administration, your expertise is welcome. We are the village needed to raise our youth- so please get involved.

Sacred Heart Health Ministries

The Sacred Heart Health Ministry will hold a series of monthly activities in 2011 with a special theme for each month. We are inviting health care professionals to be members of this ministry. Please

contact: *Cynthia Mckie-Addy* 718.528.4889

Sybil Dennis 718.712.7362

Florence Marc-Charles 718.776.7034

Hazel Wilson 718.712.5862

Hildegarde Payne 718.525.7051

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.

Sacred Heart Church Annual Cruise

8-Day Caribbean Cruise July 1 - 8, 2012 Visit: San Juan, St. Thomas, St. Martin, St. Lucia, Barbados, & St. Kitts Your trip includes round trip air from JFK, Cabin based on double occupancy, all meals aboard the Carnival Victory, nightly entertainment, pool parties & more. Inside Cabins: \$1,499, Oceanview: \$1,599, Balcony: \$1,799 eposit of \$250 is due now! For more information call Gina 718-949-7772 or visit the rectory.

TIME

Do not squander time, for that is the stuff life is made of.

—Benjamin Franklin