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Diocese

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Holy Family
Church



Mass Schedule

Monday through Friday.....7:00 a.m.
Saturday (**Vigil**).....5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m & 10:00 a.m. English
5:00 p.m. Creole/French

Devotions

Holy Hour

Wednesday following Holy Mass

Novena Holy Mass to O.L.P.H.

Wednesday..... 7:00 a.m.

Novena Holy Mass to Sacred Heart

First Friday..... 7:00 a.m

CHURCH DIRECTORY

PASTOR

Rev. Robert Kenfack Ngnintedem

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Kerly François

Deacon

Rev. Mr. Michael Jackson Sr.

Admin. Assistant: Ms. Carmen A. White

Parish Account.: Ms. Penrose Gardiner

Religious Ed. Director: Ms. M. René

Music Director: Mr. Francis Callwood

Sacristans

Ms. Francesca Alcendor Ms. Silia Erilis

Ms. Beulah Babulal Mr. Julio Compere

Mr. Austin Walters

Office Hours:

Mon through Fri: 9:00 a.m. – 3:30 p.m

Mission Statement

The Church of the Holy Family exists to nurture and advance Christ's Eucharistic Unconditional Love to all, through love of God and Neighbor.

Faith and Scripture

We are a Roman Catholic family united in the Grace and peace of Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, and we are a parish who believe and live the word of God as the truth that shepherds us.

Family and Service

We believe family relationship is important and vow to do all we can to champion Christian family values.

Worship and Sacrifice

We build the Kingdom of God's Love by proclaiming His Words, spreading Catholic Devotions, celebrating the Sacraments, and sharing the Eucharist; we surrender our lives to Christ as a sacrifice of praise, laying down our lives as He did.

Summary

We promise to preach what we practice and practice what we preach:

“Love God and love your neighbor as yourself.”

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MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, July 2

5:00 PM. † Gregor Glace → Repose of Soul rb the René family

SUNDAY, July 3

7:30 AM – Anthony Renal → Birthday blessings, God’s guidance, & protection rb Marie Renal

10:00 AM – Everton René → Birthday blessings rb the René family

5:00 PM – Francis Callwood → God’s blessing and protection rb the Haitian community

MONDAY, July 4

7:00 AM † Gerson Eusebe → Repose of Soul rb the Eusebe family

TUESDAY, July 5

7:00AM – Alma Wells → Birthday blessings rb Allison C.

WEDNESDAY, July 6

7:00 AM † Angela Jean Jacques → Repose of Soul rb the Children of Mary

THURSDAY, July 7

7:00 AM † Gene & Estelle Farro → Repose of Soul rb Patricia Farro Ptucha

FRIDAY, July 8

7:00 AM † Clifford John → In loving memory rb his family

SATURDAY, July 9

5:00 PM † Benny Hobson → Repose of Soul rb the Children of Mary

SCRIPTURE READINGS OF THE WEEK

SUNDAY:	Is 66:10-14c Gal 6:14-18 Lk 10:1-12, 17-20
MONDAY:	Hos 2:16, 17C-18, 21-22 Mt 9:18-26
TUESDAY:	Hos 8:4-7, 11-13 Mt 9:32-38
WEDNESDAY:	Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12 Mt 10:1-7
THURSDAY:	Hos 11:1-4, 8E-9 Mt 10:7-15
FRIDAY:	Hos 14:2-10 Mt 10:16-23
SATURDAY:	Is 6:1-8 Mt 10:24-33

PRAY FOR THE SICK & SHUT-INS

HOSPITAL:

OFF ISLAND: Philomen Baron, Enid Blyden, Helen Bruney, Maggie Dolphin, Eugenie England, Cyril Eugene, Bertina Lestrade, Mary Lewis.

AT HOME: Ophelia Bannis, Rose Celestine, Baby Elizabeth Dolphin, Josefina Donastorg, Meraldo C. Gonzales, Olivia Gumbs, Vernelle Gumbs, Gerard Henry, Sonia Herbert, Mercedes Hodge, Josephine James, Pauline Jolly, John George, Cynthia Johnrose, Owen Johnrose, Bernice Knight, Deacon Peter Laurencin, Rita Ledee, Irene Morris, Veronica Sealey, Evelyn Simon, Keith Steele, Paquita Steele, Grace Thompson, Kathleen Thompson, Joe Toussaint, Mildred Turbe, Iona Vanterpool, Andrea Victorine, Lola Warrington.

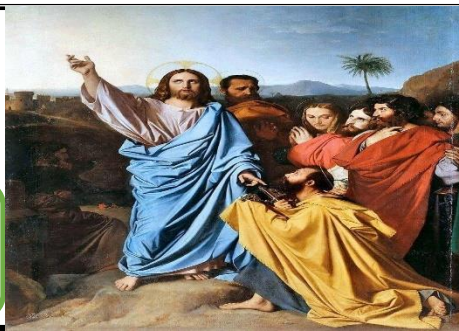
EBENEZER HOME: Cleota Hill.

(Please call the Church Office to add or remove names to/from this list)

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

Online giving or donation can be made through our website at: www.holyfamilystt.com

Last Weekend’s collections
FIRST COLLECTION: \$3,596.75
SECOND COLLECTION: \$1,306.00



SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE MONTH OF JULY

Diocesan Seminarians	July 2-3
Monthly School Support	July 9-10
Property Insurance	July 16-17
Capital Improvements	July 23-24
Restoration Fund	July 30-31

Announcements

Seven Days Sanctuary Lamp Devotion

The Sanctuary Lamp which burns in the Sanctuary of our church, the reminder of the Lord's Presence in the Most Holy Eucharist, will burn from July 3rd to July 9th for birthday blessings, guidance, and protection for Anthony Renal, requested by Marie Renal.



Altar Flowers: Parishioners are encouraged to assist in beautifying the church by sponsoring flowers for any special event that you or a family member may be celebrating. Please contact the office of your intent.

Religious Education: Early registration is now open for CCD classes. Parents and guardians are encouraged to register their child/children; specifically, children entering the 7th grade should register now for pre-Confirmation class. Children age 7 and up are accepted in the CCD class.

Office of Catholic Education: If you would like your child/children to receive a well-rounded Faith-Based Education, register them now for the Fall Semester 2022-2023 Catholic School Year. Saints Peter and Paul Catholic School is Middle States Association Accredited. For more information, call 340-774-2199 extension 5662 or email info@spps.edu.vi or visit spps.edu.vi. Saints Peter and Paul Catholic School is now hiring Teachers. For more information, call 340-774-2199 extension 5662 or email info@spps.edu.vi or visit spps.edu.vi.

Price Increases: Parishioners be advised of the following increases: **Eternal Candle** is now **\$25**, **Weddings \$800**, and **Funerals \$600**. These increases are effective **July 1, 2022**.

Charismatic Prayer Group continues to meet every **Monday** night at 6:30 p.m. in the Church. All are welcome to attend.

St. Joseph Workers will be meeting on **Sunday, July 10** after the 7:30 a.m. Holy Mass. Anniversary and birthday celebrants are invited to join the group for breakfast at the Upper Columban Hall.

Monthly Liturgical Master Schedule: A **revised** Liturgical Master Schedule for July is ready for pick up in the sacristy and at the rear of the church.

Point of Sale System: Debit and credit cards are now being accepted for payment in the church office.

General Information about the Ministry: The General Information about the Ministry and Parish Coordination (Synodality) Forms are **overdue**. Extra forms are available at the entrance and sacristy of the church. Please complete and submit to the office if you haven't already done so.

Office Closure: The church office will be closed on **Monday, July 4, 2022** in observance of Independence Day.

Bulletin announcements must be submitted to the Church Office by Wednesday at noon

Parish Information

Sacrament of Baptism

Fourth Sunday of each month. Please register your children at the Church Office. Present a copy of the child(ren)'s birth certificate(s). A minimum of 4 classes is required.

Confraternity of Christian Doctrine (CCD) Classes

Classes are held every Saturday during the school year and begin with attendance and instruction in the lower level of Columban Hall at 9:00 a.m.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) Classes

RCIA is the journey of faith by which interested persons become members of the Roman Catholic Church. The program instructs adults to enter into full communion with the Catholic Church through Baptism and/or Confirmation and Holy Communion. To register, please call the church office at (340) 775-1650.

Sacrament of Penance

Confession is the sacrament that allows us to admit our faults and develop humility, but the most profound part is we get to experience Christ's gift of mercy. **Confession is available every day by appointment.**

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick

Please call the church office at (340) 775-1650 whenever a family member or friend is seriously ill or hospitalized.

Funerals

All funeral services begin at 10:00 a.m. No funerals are held on weekends. Arrangements must be made with the Church before funeral arrangements with the funeral home. Viewing in church is now available. However, we encourage viewing at funeral home.

Sacrament of Marriage

Please make arrangements with Pastor 6 months before your wedding by calling the church office.

Parish Registration

Parishioners who are 18 years and older are invited to register at the Church Office as well as become active and contributing members. We would like to maintain an up-to-date listing of all Holy Family parishioners. Registration also helps in providing quick services for the request and proof of miscellaneous church letters for individuals, Baptism, Confirmation, etc.

FROM THE
**Pastor's
Desk**

My Dear Parishioners,

Today's Gospel begins immediately after the final verse in last Sunday's Gospel. After strong language about the difficulties of discipleship, Jesus immediately appoints 72 people to go ahead of him to every town and place he plans to visit, proclaiming that the Kingdom of God is at hand. He sends them in pairs. In the Law of Moses two witnesses were needed for a testimony to be credible. It was probably also a safer way to travel. When they enter a house, their message is simply "peace." The response they will receive may be positive or negative. Either way, they are to know that the Kingdom of God is at hand. They are to heal the sick as a sign that the Kingdom of God is at hand for them. Like Jesus' miracles, healing is a sign of the coming of the kingdom. If the town will not receive them, they are to shake the dust from their feet and move on. Even in the case of such rejection they should know that the Kingdom of God is at hand. When they return from their journeys, they are rejoicing because their mission has been successful. Demons were under their power because of Jesus' name. Jesus may have sent them out as lambs among wolves, but at the conclusion of this passage he assures them that they have been given power over the enemy and nothing will harm them, not even serpents and scorpions. A key theme of today's Gospel and last Sunday's Gospel is discipleship—its challenges, its difficulties, and its rewards. Sharing in the mission of Jesus is difficult, but everyone is called to do it, not just some professionals trained for ministry. Even for us today, the harvest is plentiful. We should pray to the master of the harvest to send out workers for his harvest.

**HOLY FAMILY
MINISTRIES & REPRESENTATIVES**

- Altar Servers: Claudelle Mathurin, Nehemie Leneus, Austin Walters
- Readers: Suzanne Adrien & Hilda Celestine
- Holy Family Adult Choir: Francis Callwood
Wende Rouse
- Children of Mary: Mona Bedminster
Eubald René
- Charismatic Prayer Group: Orville Rouse
Viola Williams
- Legion of Mary: Alma Wells
- St. Joseph's Workers: Orville Rouse & Viola Williams
- Cleaning Ministry: Alicia Douté
- Ministry to the Sick: Michelle Stout
- Ministry of Hospitality: Angele Lundy & Myrleine Thomas
- Social & Event Planning
- Saint Vincent De Paul Society
- Decoration Ministry

Prayer During Hurricane Season:
(To be said after Dismissal)

God our Father, all the elements of nature obey your command. Keep us safe from the danger of hurricanes and all the natural disasters. Let us always feel the presence of your love. May we be secure in your protection and turn our tears in to praise of your goodness. Grant this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

O God, I believe, I adore, I hope, and I love you, and I ask pardon for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not hope and do not love you. Amen.

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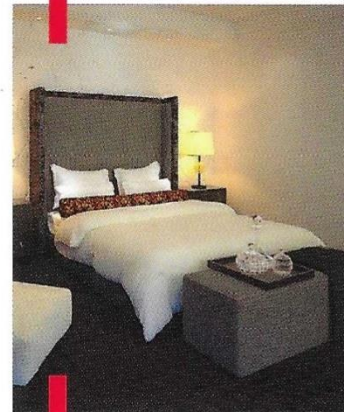
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