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Holy Family Church



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Mass Schedule

Monday No Mass
Tuesday – Friday 7:00 a.m.
Saturday 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 7:30 a.m & 10:00 a.m. English
5:00 p.m. Creole/French

Devotions

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."

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME JULY 21, 2024

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WEEKLY REFLECTION

First Reading: Jeremiah 23:1-6 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6 Second Reading: Ephesians 2:13-18 Gospel: Mark 6:30-34

Reflection by Rev. Fr. Modeste Digwou

Brothers and sisters:

Most of today's selections from scripture speak of sheep and shepherds. Jeremiah denounces the shepherds of Israel, who have driven the faithful away. He prophesies that the LORD will raise up a successor to David who will shepherd wisely and justly. We believe that this prophecy points to none other than Jesus, who takes on that role in today's Gospel.

Jesus is not like the shepherds whom Jeremiah decries in the first reading, misleading and scattering God's flock. Just the opposite. Even when he has other plans, he will not turn his back on the people who flock to him. No, he brings them together to teach them "many things" (Mark 6:34), no doubt about God and love and justice and God's kingdom and repentance and other things besides. Paul too points out that Jesus brings all people together, in that he broke down the wall between Jews and Gentiles and united them in one body. Jesus is the one foreseen by Jeremiah, who proclaimed a "righteous shoot to David" (23:5) who would reunite Judah and Israel, which had split and would soon fall to Babylon.

If you recall, the apostles were returning from their mission from last week, where they were paired off and sent out with virtually nothing but authority over unclean spirits. By taking them to a quiet place, Jesus was giving them all an opportunity, to reflect and pray. This is what he calls us to do as well after we have completed a task on our own mission. He encourages Us to take some time with him – as we do in prayer – to reflect on what we have done and what he calls us to do. We are called to be disciples, certainly, but we can also put ourselves in the shoes of the people who had heard about Jesus and pursued him across the sea. It is likely that many of them were eager to see him heal the sick or drive out demons, but Mark says that Jesus used this as an opportunity to teach.

As we will hear next week (from John's Gospel), Jesus taught for so long that day that eventually he faced a multitude of hungry, people. But this implies that the people stayed, not to see him work miracles (at least not the ones they expected), but just to learn. May we be willing to take the time to learn from him as well.

Amen.

Question of the Week:

How can I put aside a half hour a week to reflect on how I am living as a Disciple and pray for God's assistance? What about Wednesday adoration in my parish?

SCRIPTURES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY: Feast of Saint Mary Magdalene Sgs 3:1-4b; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

TUESDAY: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Ps 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 12:46-50

WEDNESDAY: Jer 1:1, 4-10; Ps 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15 & 17; Mt 13:1-9

THURSDAY: Feast of Saint James, Apostle 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Mt 20:20-28

FRIDAY: Saints Joachim and Anne, Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary Jer 3:14-17; Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13; Mt 13:18-23

SATURDAY: Jer 7:1-11; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a & 8a, 11; Mt 13:24-30

NEXT SUNDAY: 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time 2 Kgs 4:42-44; Ps 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18; Eph 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY July 20 th
5:00 PM $\dagger \rightarrow$ God's continued blessings and protection for
Fr. Modeste on his 22 nd Anniversary of
Priesthood.
SUNDAY, July 21 st
7:30 AM – Roy Peterson \rightarrow birthday blessings rb his
mother, Alinda
– Richardson Dangleben Jr. → Deliverance &
protection rb his uncle
10:00 AM – Maynor Eusebe → Giving God thanks &
prayers rb Maynor Eusebe
+ Verna Dagou → Repose of Soul and
heavenly birthday rb her family
5:00 PM \rightarrow God's Guidance and protection for the people
of Haiti
TUESDAY, July 23 rd
7:00 AM † Mauritzer Gumbs \rightarrow Repose of Soul
WEDNESDAY, July 24 th
7:00 AM –→ † Juliana George → Repose of Soul rb her
family
THURSDAY, July 25 th
7:00 AM $-\rightarrow$ God's continued blessings on our various
Catholic Charities.

FRIDAY, July 26th

7:00 AM → God's continued blessings and guidance on the members of St. Joseph Workers

Announcements



Eternal Candle

The Eternal Candle which burns in the Sanctuary of our church, the reminder of the Lord's Presence in the Most Holy Eucharist, will burn throughout this coming week for birthday blessings for **Sarina McBean**, requested by her mother, Olga McBean.

Congratulations to **Father Modeste** on the 22nd anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood!

Bishop's Appeal: We thank each of you who have contributed and brought our donations to \$13,886, or 55% of our goal; we have \$11,114 more to go in order to accomplish our goal of \$25,000.00.

Bible Course (with certificates) with Rev. Fr. Isaac Agbenohevi, who is teaching on **"At the Table of God's Word,"** continues every **Thursday** from 6:00 pm to 7:30 pm until **August 4, 2024.**

Cassi Hill Pilgrimage: Holy Family Parish invites its Parishioners, all Parishes, and the entire community to participate in the 77th Annual Pilgrimage of Our Lady of Cassi Hill. The pilgrimage will take place on **Sunday, August 18, 2024** from the Four Winds Plaza to the Shrine.

Parish Council: We are in the process to reform our Pastoral and Economic Councils. Please feel free to join one of them after consultation. Thanks.

St. Peter & Paul School: Looking for a school for your child, please register your child or children at our own Catholic school for the next semester. Please contact the school.

Church cleaning: We need volunteers to reinforce the church cleaning teams. Please join one of these teams.

1st week : Haitian group (Friday evening)
2nd week: Haitian group (Friday evening)
3rd week: Dominican group (Friday evening)
4th week: Viola group (Saturday morning)
5th week: Viola group (Saturday morning)

Hospitality Lounge: We are looking for a volunteer to be the host at the Lounge after the 7:30 am Mass for the month of **July**. However, we continue to ask for your assistance and donations to keep our hospitality lounge running smoothly. Please contact the Church office with your intentions.

Magnificat: The July and August *Magnificat* are currently available at the gift shop. Please collect your copies.

Non-Perishable Food Items: Non-perishable food items will be collected **next weekend** at each Holy Mass during offertory, following the procession after the collection. Proceeds will benefit Catholic Charities and shut-ins of our Parish. We thank you for your generosity.

Necrologium: Holy Family Parish Community extends sincere sympathy to **Silia Erilis** and family on the passing of her mother, **Sylvia Celestin**, who died on Wednesday, July 17, 2024. May her soul and the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

Parish Information

Sacrament of Infant Baptism:

Infant

Baptisms will take place on the **Fourth Sunday** of every month, parents and god-parents must attend two pre-baptismal classes prior to the Baptism. Please register your child.

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. Confessions will be on Wednesdays after the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, and on weekends 20 minutes before each Mass.

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.

Healing Mass: A healing Mass is held the 4th Friday of every month at 6:00 pm.

Visiting the Sick: The parish priests visits the sick every Friday, please call the office with additional information.

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 available, however, we encourage viewing at funeral home.

Sacrament of Marriage:

Please make arrangements with the 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. 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.

Cleaning of the Church: The church is cleaned every Friday of the Month at 6:30 p.m. Volunteers are needed and welcomed.

Catechesis

Saint Anne and Saint Joachim

(Grandparents of Jesus and parents of the Virgin Mary)

+ History: "The Gospel makes no mention of them. It is the Apocrypha that reveals their names and tells us that they lived a holy life, owned large herds and had no children. This was an ignominy among the Jews, for which Joachim was sometimes refused the offering he brought to the Temple.

"However, since it is ultimately God to whom we pray, He readily forgives us for ignoring the biographies of our heavenly intercessors, especially when they have none of their own. St. Anne was honored in the East as early as the 5th century; even today, the Greeks celebrate three feasts in her honor each year. In the West, her cult seems to date back to the Crusades, and here are just a few of the shrines where she is honored: Sainte-Anne-d'Auray in Brittany (Morbihan), Basilique Sainte Anne, d'Apt (Vaucluse) and Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré in Canada. In Apt, her heart from Palestine is displayed and honored."

Saint Anne and saint Joachim, Pray for us.

+ Text from the book "La Fleur des Saints" by Omer Englebert (Albin Michel)

(Feast of Saint Anne and Saint Joachim July 26)

Youths Creative event through Paint



Parish Life

Weekend Services & Activities

The installation of a new member to St. Joseph workers ministry









The recipients of the St. Joseph Workers Scholarship – Congratulations





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REFERANS BIBLIK

Premye Lekti: Jeremi 23:1-6 **Sòm repons:** Sòm 23:1-3, 3-4, 5, 6

Dezyèm Lekti: Efezyen 2:13-18

Levanjil: Mak 6:30-34

LEKTI EKRITI NAN SEMÈN LA

LENDI: Fèt Sen Mari Magdala Ss 3:1-4b; Sòm 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jn 20:1-2, 11-18

- MADI: Mi 7:14-15, 18-20; Sòm 85:2-4, 5-6, 7-8; Mt 12:46-50
- MÈKREDI: Jr 1:1, 4-10; Sòm 71:1-2, 3-4a, 5-6ab, 15 & 17; Mt 13:1-9
- JEDI: Fèt Sen Jak, Apot 2 Kor 4:7-15; Sòm 126:1bc-2ab, 2cd-3, 4-5, 6; Mt 20:20-28
- VANDREDI: Sen Joachim ak Anne, Paran Vyèj Mari a Jr 3:14-17; Jr 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13; Mt 13:18-23
- **SAMDI:** Jr 7:1-11; Sòm 84:3, 4, 5-6a & 8a, 11; Mt 13:24-30
- **PROCHÈN DIMANCH:** 17yèm Dimanch nan Tan Òdinè 2 Wa 4:42-44; Sòm 145:10-11, 15-16, 17-18; Ef 4:1-6; Jn 6:1-15

Meditasyon Par Pere Modeste Digwou

Frè ak sè:

Pifò nan seleksyon jodi a nan ekriti yo pale de mouton ak bèje. Jeremi denonse gadò mouton Izrayèl yo, ki te chase fidèl yo. Li pwofetize ke Seyè a pral leve yon siksesè David ki pral pran swen bèje avèk sajès ak jis. Nou kwè ke pwofesi sa a lonje dwèt sou okenn lòt pase Jezi, ki moun ki pran wòl sa a nan Levanjil jodi a.

Jezi pa tankou gadò mouton Jeremi dekri nan premye lekti a, twonpe ak gaye twoupo Bondye a. Jis opoze a. Menm lè li gen lòt plan, li p'ap vire do bay moun k'ap vin jwenn li yo. Non, li reyini yo ansanm pou anseye yo "anpil bagay" (Mak 6:34), san dout sou Bondye ak lanmou ak jistis ak wayòm Bondye a ak repantans ak lòt bagay anplis. Pòl tou fè remake ke Jezi reyini tout moun ansanm, nan ke li kraze miray ki genyen ant jwif ak moun lòt nasyon yo e li fè yo mete tèt yo ansanm nan yon sèl kò. Jezi se moun Jeremi te prevwa a, ki te pwoklame yon "tire ki jis pou David" (23:5) ki t ap reyini Jida ak Izrayèl, ki te fann e ki t apral tonbe nan Babilòn.

Si w sonje, apot yo t ap retounen sot nan misyon yo apati semèn pase a, kote yo te mete yo ansanm epi yo te voye yo soti ak pratikman anyen men otorite sou move lespri yo. Lè Jezi mennen yo nan yon kote ki trankil, li te ba yo tout yon opòtinite pou yo reflechi ak priye. Se sa li rele nou pou nou fè tou apre nou fin fè yon travay nan pwòp misyon nou. Li ankouraje nou pou nou pran yon ti tan avèk li – menm jan nou fè nan lapriyè – pou nou reflechi sou sa nou fè ak sa li rele nou fè. Nou aple pou vin disip, sètènman, men nou kapab tou mete tèt nou nan soulye moun yo ki te tande pale sou Jezi ak kouri dèyè l'atravè lanmè a. Li posib ke anpil nan yo te anvi wè l geri malad yo oswa chase demon yo, men Mark di ke Jezi te sèvi ak sa a kòm yon opòtinite pou anseye.

Kòm nou pral tande semèn pwochèn (nan Levanjil Jan an), Jezi te anseye pou anpil tan jou sa a ke finalman li te fè fas ak yon foul moun nan grangou, moun. Men, sa vle di ke pèp la te rete, pa wè l 'fè mirak (omwen pa sa yo te espere), men jis yo aprann. Se pou nou dispoze pran tan pou nou aprann nan men li tou.

Amèn.

Kesyon semèn nan:

Ki jan m ka mete yon demi èd tan pa semèn pou m reflechi sou fason m ap viv antanke Disip epi priye Bondye pou èd? E adorasyon Mèkredi nan pawas mwen an?



ANONS PAWAS YO

Chandèl p'ap janm fini an

Bouji Etènèl ki boule nan Tanp legliz nou an, rapèl Prezans Senyè a nan Ekaristik ki pi Sen an, pral limen pandan tout semèn kap vini an pou benediksyon anivèsè nesans pou Sarina McBean, manman I, Olga McBean te mande I.

Felisitasyon: Papa Modeste nan 22yèm anivèsè òdonasyon li nan prètriz la!

Apèl Bishop's: Nou remèsye chak nan nou ki te kontribye epi ki te pote don nou yo a \$13,886, oswa 55% nan objektif nou an; nou gen \$11,114 plis pou ale nan lòd reyalize objektif nou an \$25,000.00.

Kou Labib (ak sètifika) ak Rev. Fr. Isaac Agbenohevi, k ap anseye sou "A tab la nan Pawòl Bondye a," kontinye chak Jedi soti 6:00 pm rive 7:30 pm jiska 4 Out 2024.

Cassi Hill Pilgrimage: Holy Family Parish envite pawasyen li yo, tout pawas yo, ak tout kominote a pou yo patisipe nan 77yèm Pelerinaj Anyèl Our Lady of Cassi Hill. Pelerinaj la pral dewoule dimanch 18 out 2024 soti nan Four Winds Plaza rive nan Sanktyè a.

Konsèy Pawas: Nou nan pwosesis pou refòme Konsèy Pastoral ak Ekonomik nou yo. Tanpri santi yo lib yo rantre nan youn nan yo apre konsiltasyon. Mèsi.

Lekòl St. Peter & Paul: W ap chèche yon lekòl pou pitit ou a, tanpri enskri pitit ou oswa pitit ou nan pwòp lekòl Katolik nou an pou pwochen semès la. Tanpri kontakte lekòl la.

Netwayaj legliz: Nou bezwen volontè pou ranfòse ekip netwayaj legliz yo. Tanpri rantre nan youn nan ekip sa yo.

1ye semèn : gwoup ayisyen (Vandredi aswè) 2yèm semèn: gwoup ayisyen (Vandredi aswè) 3yèm semèn: Gwoup Dominiken (Vandredi aswè) 4yèm semèn: Gwoup Viola (Samdi maten) 5yèm semèn: Gwoup Viola (Samdi maten)

Ospitalite Lounge: N ap chèche yon volontè pou vin animatè nan Lounge apre mès 7:30 am pou mwa Jiyè a. Sepandan, nou kontinye mande asistans ou ak don ou pou kenbe sal Ospitalite nou an fonksyone byen. Tanpri kontakte biwo Legliz la avèk entansyon ou.

Magnificat: Magnificat Jiyè ak Out yo disponib kounye a nan boutik kado a. Tanpri kolekte kopi ou yo.

Atik manje ki pa gate: Yo pral ranmase manje ki pa gate nan wikenn pwochèn nan chak mès Sen pandan ofrann, apre pwosesyon apre koleksyon an. Benefis yo pral benefisye òganizasyon charitab Katolik ak fèmen nan Pawas nou an. Nou remèsye ou pou jenerozite ou.

Necrologium: Kominote Pawas Fanmi Sen an bay Silia Erilis ak fanmi yo kondoans sensè pou lanmò manman l, Sylvia Celestin, ki te mouri mèkredi 17 jiyè 2024. Se pou nanm li ak nanm fidèl ki te kite yo repoze grasa mizèrikòd Bondye. nan lapè. Amèn.

MAS ENTANSYON

Entansyon mès la se pou .

POU JENÈS LA

Pwogram CCD chak samdi a 9:00 a.m. Nou envite jèn yo rantre nan kèk nan gwoup yo tankou gwoup koral la oswa vin tounen sèvè alter.



KOLEKSYON SEMÈN NAN

GESTION TREZOR

ÒF NAN WEKNEN, 13 – 14 jiyè 2024

Ofri: \$4,434.36

Sam. 5:00 pm: \$459.00 7:30 am: \$1,265.00

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Yo ka fè bay sou entènèt sou sitwèb nou an nan: <u>www.holyfamilystt.com</u> Mèsi pou jenerozite ou!

NOUVÈL KOMINOTE A

- Reyinyon koral: chak Mèkredi a 6:30 p.m.
- Netwayaj Legliz la pa kominote ayisyen an: chak 1ye vandredi nan mwa a a 6:30 p.m.

Bon ane 2024!



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Viola Williams Hilda Celestine Silia Erilis Angele Lundy Oliver "Bobby" Williams McFarlane Babulal Glendia Caines

HFC May Financial Summary

Holy Family Catholic Church May 2024 Financial Summary

Income	
Parish Contribution	\$18,572.36
Donations/Other	
Revenue	\$3,575.01
Second Collections	<u>\$4,748.10</u>
Total	\$26,895.47
Expenses	
Administrative	\$11,938.09
Benefits	\$3,559.47
Taxes	\$328.09
Supplies/Office	\$3,568.30
Maintenance/Auto	\$17,293.62
Insurance	\$3,227.12
Utilities	<u>\$3,003.76</u>
Total	\$42,918.45
Net Income <mark>(Loss)</mark>	(\$16,022.98)

Ongoing Projects : Fence/Restrooms/Gift Shop/ Hospitality Lounge and Others

Total cost of the compl	eted projects	
Fence		\$105,733.60
Restroom and Other		\$47,179.61
	Total Costs	\$152,913.21
	Total Revenues	
Fence/ Restrooms		\$81,157.53
Restroom and Other		\$775.00
	Total Revenues	\$81,932.53
Payments made to the o	contractor	\$129,378.21
Remaining Debt		-\$23,535.00

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 other natural disasters. Let us always feel the presence of your love. May we be secure in your protection and turn our fears 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.

Pastoral Executive Committee

Pray For the Sick & Shut-ins

OFF ISLAND: Signorah Baron, Helen Bruney, Eugenie England, Rose George, Olivia Gumbs, Mary Lewis, Veronica Sealey, Joseph Toussaint

AT HOME: Blaizia Alcendor, St. Helaire Antoine, Carol Baron, François Baron, Philomen Baron, James Bellot, Fritznold Bredy, Rose Celestine, Docile Crepin, Baby Elizabeth Dolphin, Maggie Dolphin, Anthony Estime, John George, John & Norma Gimenez, Meraldo C. Gonzales, Vernelle Gumbs, Mercedes Hodge, Gail Homer, Owen Johnrose, Thomas Johnson, Pauline Jolly, Bernice Knight, Rita Ledee, Felicinne Marcellin, Vivian Overseen, Cleopha Rawlings, Evelyn Simon, Keith Steele, Paquita Steele, Anthony Stridiron Sr., Iona Vanterpool.

HOSPITALIZED:

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

Church Attendance: 307 persons attended Holy Mass last weekend.

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PRAYER OF THANKSGIVING

Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify me. Body of Christ, save me.

Blood of Christ, inebriate me. Water from the side of Christ, wash me.

Passion of Christ, strengthen me. O good Jesus, hear me. Within Thy sacred wounds hide me. Suffer me not to be separated from Thee. From the wicked enemy defend me. In the hour of my death call me and bid me come to Thee that with Thy Saints I may praise Thee forever and ever. Amen.

Prayer of St. Francis

Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace,

- Where there is hatred, let me sow love, Where there is injury, pardon, Where there is doubt, faith, Where there is despair, hope,
- Where there is darkness, light, Where there is sadness, joy.

O divine Master, grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled as to Console, to be understood as to understand, to be loved as to love.

For it is in giving that we receive,

It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,





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SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE **MONTH OF JULY**

Diocesan Seminarians	July 6-7
Restoration Fund	July 6-7
Monthly School Support	July 13-14
Property Insurance	July 20-21
Capital Improvements	July 27-28
Restoration Fund	August 3-4

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKEND OFFERINGS, July 13 – 14, 2024 Offering: \$4,434.36 Sat. 5:00 PM: \$459.00 7:30 AM: \$1,265.00 10:00 AM: \$2,710.36 5:00 PM: TBA Second Collection: \$2,063.00 WEEKDAY OFFERINGS: \$12.00

7/17: \$12.00 Online giving can be made through our website at: www.holyfamilystt.com Thank you for your generosity!



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