



Diocese of
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Holy Family Catholic Church

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Holy Family
Church



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

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

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- Mr. Julio Comperè • Ms. Francesca Alcendor

Office Hours:

Mon – Fri: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.
Closed Saturdays and Sundays

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."

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 8, 2024

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WEEKLY REFLECTION

First Reading: Isaiah 35:4-7a

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10

Second Reading: James 2:1-5

Gospel: Mark 7:31-37

Reflection by Rev. Fr. Modeste Digwou

A deaf-mute was brought to him, and he was asked to lay his hand on him.

The Gospel shows us how Jesus heals each and every one of us. He is going to bring this deaf-mute out of the confinement in which he finds himself. Fingers, ears, saliva, a touched tongue. Jesus approaches the body discreetly, with modesty, but also directly, intimately, tactilely.

The crowd has brought this man. Jesus lets himself be touched by his misery, and takes him aside into intimacy. He puts his hand on the evil and establishes a personal relationship with him, away from the crowd and the shouting.

Communion is established with this man who is already regenerated. This poor man is recognized; at last someone understands him. Jesus is the hope reborn in his heart. God's view of humanity, his plan of love for his people, is astonishing. The prophet Isaiah had already announced it. God, in his merciful tenderness, cannot stand the "sickness" of his people. **"Then the eyes of the blind and the ears of the deaf will be opened. Then the lame will leap like a deer, the mouth of the mute will shout for joy."**

Jesus manifests the liberation of his people. The heart of God is revealed in all who are poor, weak, small and discouraged. Therein lies a true revolution.

"Effatha," God wants to heal us of all our confinements. He wants to put us back on our feet. Jesus shows that God is close to the smallest and the poorest. This passage from God makes us close to the smallest and the poorest. In his own flesh, Jesus took upon himself the wall of hatred that separated people. We can now look as God looks, and act as he acts. Our eyes are opened to our family, our parish community and to others. We ask for the grace to enter into the mystery of Jesus' healing love for the community.

On this day, we beseech you, Lord: **Touch my ears that they may hear. Touch my lips that they may proclaim your praise. In your Eucharist, the sacrament of sacraments, touch my whole being, my whole body, that I may live through you and for you.**

Amen.

SCRIPTURES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY: *Saint Peter Claver, Priest*

1 Cor 5:1-8; Ps 5:5-6, 7, 12; Lk 6:6-11

TUESDAY: 1 Cor 6:1-11; Ps 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a and 9b;
Lk 6:12-19

WEDNESDAY: 1 Cor 7:25-31; Ps 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17;
Lk 6:20-26

THURSDAY: 1 Cor 8:1b-7, 11-13;
Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24; Lk 6:27-38

FRIDAY: *Saint John Chrysostom, Bishop and Doctor of the Church*
1 Cor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12;
Lk 6:39-42

SATURDAY: *Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross*
Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38;
Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

NEXT SUNDAY: *24th Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Is 50:5-9a; Ps 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9;
Jas 2:14-18; Mk 8:27-35

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY September 7th

5:00 PM – **The children & grandchildren of Jennifer Johnson** → God's continued blessings, guidance, & protection

SUNDAY, September 8th

7:30 AM – **Noreen L. Joseph** → Birthday blessings
– **Jerry Pierre** → Birthday blessings rb his wife
10:00 AM – **Marguerite René** → Birthday blessings rb the René family
5:00 PM – **Sylvia Celestine** → Repose of Soul rb the Eritis family

MONDAY, September 9th – No Mass

TUESDAY, September 10th

7:00 AM – **Sick and shut-ins of our parish**

WEDNESDAY, September 11th

7:00 AM – **Lorraine Giffit** → Birthday blessings rb the Giffit family

THURSDAY, September 12th

7:00 AM † **Leayle McFarlane** → Repose of Soul rb his family & friends

FRIDAY, September 13th

7:00 AM † **Julianna George** → Repose of Soul rb family & friends

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 continue to burn throughout this coming week.



Altar Flowers: Parishioners are encouraged to assist in beautifying the church by sponsoring flowers for any special event. Please contact the office of your intent.

Bishop's Appeal: We thank each of you who have contributed and brought our donations to \$21,688.00, or 86% of our goal; we have \$3,312.00 more to go in order to accomplish our goal of \$25,000.00.

The Second Bible Course (with certificates): The Bible course is currently meeting every **Thursday** from **6:00 PM to 8:00 PM** in Lower Columban Hall.

CCD Registration for Religious Education/Faith Formation: CCD Registration dates are **August 24 - September 28, 2024** - Registration Fees are as follows:

1. Sacraments of First Communion and Confirmation: \$50.00
2. All other classes (Pre/Post Communion and Pre-Confirmation): \$40.00

(These fees will defray the costs of classes and other required materials.)

3. Orientation: Parents and participating students 10:00 - 11:30 AM **Saturday, September 28, 2024**
CCD classes begin on **Saturday October 5, 2024** from 9:00 am - 12 Noon

Pilgrimage to Italy: There will be a Jubilee Diocesan Pilgrimage to Italy from **April 21 to May 1, 2025**. We will have an informative meeting about it on **Friday, September 13th** at 6:00 pm in Lower Columban Hall. All are invited to attend.

Confirmation: Next Sunday, September 15, 2024, the 7:30 AM and 10:00 AM Masses will be combined into a single Mass at 9:00 AM.

Sacrament of Infant Baptism: The next infant Baptism will take place on **September 22, 2024** at the 10:00 AM Mass.

Healing Mass: The next healing Mass will be held on **Friday, September 27th** at 6:00 PM.

Food Drive: Catholic Charities of the Virgin Islands is seeking food donations to support those in need within our St. Thomas/St. John community. You can drop off your donations at any of the church offices during office hours or bring them with you to Sunday Service. For more information, please call (340) 777-8518.

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)

Parish Information

Sacrament of Infant Baptism: Infant Baptisms will take place on the **Fourth Sunday** of every month, parents and godparents 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.

Announcements, continued

Magnificat: The September and October *Magnificats* are currently available at the gift shop. Please purchase your copies.

Special Collection (Security): A special collection will be taken up for the church financial obligation for the security fence **next weekend** at all Masses. Thank you for your generosity in helping to secure the property.

Necrologium: A memorial service for Silia Erilis' mother will be held on **Wednesday, September 11, 2024** at 6:00 PM at Holy Family Church. We are all invited. May her soul and the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

Catechesis

By Father Modest Digwou

The archangels Michael, Gabriel and Raphael

According to the Creed, God is the creator not only of the visible world, but also of “the invisible universe.” On September 29, in celebrating the archangels Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, the Church celebrates “all the angels who, from the Paradise of Genesis to that of the Apocalypse, fill the unfolding of salvation history with their invisible presence. Messengers of the Lord to reveal his designs and carry out his commands, they constitute, along with the saints, the immense crowd of worshippers of the Living God” (notice in the Roman Missal).

According to St. Augustine, angels are the Lord’s servants with all their being, and in particular his messengers, as the etymology of the word “angel” reminds us: because they are continually busy contemplating God’s face, and therefore attentive to his word, they are also his privileged messengers (cf. CCC 329). Believers can therefore rely on their help to turn to their Lord.

Indeed, at every Eucharist, they join with them - and with the saints - in singing with one voice to the thrice-holy God, proclaiming his glory (cf. final preface of the Eucharistic prayer).

The Church has gradually come to honor three of them in particular, because Scripture names them and speaks of their mission:

- The archangel Michael, mentioned in the Book of Daniel (Dn 10:13,21) and in the Apocalypse of Saint John (Rev 12:7), is the prince of angels, conqueror of Satan in the battle at the end of time; his name means “Who is like God?”
- The archangel Gabriel announces the coming of the Messiah to the prophet Daniel (Dan 8:16; 9:21), to Zechariah and to the Virgin Mary at the Annunciation (Lk 1:11-38). His name means “God has shown himself strong.”
- The archangel Raphael appears to Tobias (Tb 3.17; 12.15), whom he takes “under his wing,” delivering him from his evil and driving out demons from his daughter-in-law Sara; known as “God heals,” he is the benevolent figure of God’s Providence.

Parish Life

Upcoming Event Dates at Columban Hall

- Saturday, September 14, 2024
- Saturday, September 21, 2024
- Saturday, September 28, 2024

September & October Upcoming Events

- Confirmation – **September 15th, 2024**
- Launching of the Pastoral Year – **October 6th, 2024**
- Open House to encourage and enlist new members to our various ministries – **October 6th, 2024**
- Please patronize the gift shop.

Further details and dates to follow.

Weekend Services & Activities

Norma & John Gimenez’ 65th wedding anniversary, September 10th



Prayer to the Archangels

Archangels Michael, Gabriel, and Raphael, we invoke your powerful intercession before the throne of God in heaven. By your spiritual assistance, protect us from harm, heal us of our infirmities, and convey to us God’s will for our lives during our pilgrimage on earth.



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LA VOIX DU DIMANCHE DE LA COMMUNAUTE HAITIENNE

Venntwazyèm Dimanch nan Tan Òdinè - Ane B

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Meditasyon Par Pere Modeste Digwou

Yo mennen yon soud-bèbè ba li, yo mande l pou l poze men l sou li.

Levanjil la montre nou kijan Jezi geri nou chak. Li pral fè soud-bèbè sa a soti nan prizon kote li twouve l la. Dwèt, zòrèy, krache, yon lang touche. Jezi apwoche kò a avèk diskresyon, ak lidè, men tou dirèkteman, entimman, tactile.

Foul moun yo mennen nonm sa a. Jezi kite tèt li manyen pa mizè li a, li pran li sou kote nan entimite. Li mete men l 'sou sa ki mal la ak etabli yon relasyon pèsonèl avè l', lwen foul moun yo ak t'ap rele byen fò.

Kominyon etabli ak mesye sa a ki deja rejenerè. Yo rekonèt pòv sa a; finalman yon moun konprann li. Jezi se espwa ki refè nan kè l. Konsiderasyon Bondye genyen sou limanite, plan lanmou li genyen pou pèp li a, se etonan. Pwofèt Ezayi te deja anonse sa. Bondye, nan tandrès mizèrikòd li a, pa ka sipòte "maladi" pèp li a. **"Lè sa a, je avèg yo ak zòrèy moun soud yo pral louvri. Lè sa a, moun k'ap bwete yo pral sote tankou yon sèf, bouch bèbè yo pral rele ak kè kontan."**

Jezi manifeste liberasyon pèp li a. Kè Bondye revele nan tout moun ki pòv, ki fèb, ki piti ak ki dekouraje. Se la yon vrè revolisyon.

Effatha", Bondye vle geri nou nan tout prizon nou yo. Li vle remèt nou sou pye nou. Jezi montre ke Bondye pre pi piti ak pi pòv yo. Pasaj sa a soti nan Bondye fè nou pre pi piti ak pi pòv yo. Nan pwòp kò li, Jezi te pran sou tèt li miray rayisman ki separe moun Nou kapab kounye a gade jan li aji, je nou yo louvri sou fanmi nou, kominote pawas nou an ak lòt moun favè antre nan mistè lanmou gerizon Jezi pou kominote a.

Jou sa a, nou sipliyè w, Seyè: **Manyen zòrèy mwen pou yo ka tande. Manyen bouch mwen pou yo ka fè lwanj ou. Nan ekaristik ou a, Sentsèn sakreman an, manyen tout moun mwen, tout kò m, pou m ka viv atravè ou ak pou ou.**

Amèn.

REFERANS BIBLIK

Premye Lekti: Ezayi 35:4-7a
Sòm repons: Sòm 146:6-7, 8-9, 9-10
Dezyèm Lekti: Jak 2:1-5
Levanjil: Mak 7:31-37

LEKTI EKRI NAN SEMÈN LA

LENDI: *Sen Pyè Claver, prèt*
 1 Kor 5:1-8; Sòm 5:5-6, 7, 12; Lik 6:6-11

MADI: 1 Kor 6:1-11; Sòm 149:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6a ak 9b;
 Lik 6:12-19

MÈKREDI: 1 Kor 7:25-31; Sòm 45:11-12, 14-15, 16-17;
 Lik 6:20-26

JEDI: 1 Kor 8:1b-7, 11-13; Sòm 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 23-24;
 Lik 6:27-38

VANDREDI: *Sen Jan Krisostom, Evèk ak Doktè Legliz la*
 1 Kor 9:16-19, 22b-27; Sòm 84:3, 4, 5-6, 12;
 Lik 6:39-42

SAMDI: *Fèt egzaltasyon Lakwa Sen an*
 Nm 21:4b-9; Sòm 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38;
 Fil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

PROCHÈN DIMANCH: *24yèm Dimanch nan Tan Òdinè*
 Is 50:5-9a; Sòm 116:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Jak 2:14-18;
 Mak 8:27-35

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 kontinye boule pandan tout semèn kap vini an.

Flè Lotèl: Nou ankouraje pawasyen yo pou yo ede yo anbeli legliz la lè yo patwone flè pou nenpòt evènman espesyal. Tanpri kontakte biwo entansyon ou a.

Apèl Bishop's: Nou remèsye chak nan nou ki te kontribye epi ki te pote don nou yo a **\$21,688.00**, oswa **86%** nan objektif nou an; nou gen **\$3,312.00** plis pou ale nan lòd reyalye objektif nou an **\$25,000.00**.

Dezyèm kou Bib la (avèk sètifika): Kounye a, kou sou Bib la ap rankontre chak **jedi** apati 6:00 pm rive 8:00 pm nan Lower Columban Hall.

Enskripsyon CCD pou Edikasyon Relijye/Fòmasyon Lafwa:

Dat enskripsyon CCD yo se **24 Out - 28 Septanm 2024** - Frè Enskripsyon yo se jan sa a:

1. Sentsèn Premye Kominyon ak Konfimasyon - \$50.00
2. Tout lòt klas (Pre/Pos Kominyon ak Pre-Konfimasyon - \$40.00

(Frè sa yo pral peye depans pou klas yo ak lòt materyèl ki nesèsè yo.)

3. Oryantasyon: Paran ak elèv k ap patisipe yo 10:00 - 11:30 am **Samdi 28 septanm 2024**

Klas CCD yo kòmanse **samdi 5 oktòb 2024** apati 9:00 am - 12 midi.

Pelerinaj nan peyi Itali: Pral gen yon pelerinaj rejwisans dyosezen an Itali soti **21 avril** rive **1 me 2025**. Nou pral gen yon reyinyon enfòmasyon sou li **vandredi 13 septanm** nan 6:00 pm nan Lower Columban Hall. Yo tout envite pou yo patisipe.

Konfimasyon: Dimanch pwochen, **15 septanm 2024**, mès 7:30 am ak 10:00 am pral konbine nan yon sèl Mès a 9:00 am.

Sentsèn batèm tibebe a: Pwochen batèm tibebe a ap fèt **22 septanm 2024** nan mès 10:00 AM.

Mès gerizon: Pwochen mès gerizon an ap fèt **vandredi 27 septanm** a 6:00 PM.

Kondwi Manje: Katolik Charities of the Virgin Islands ap chèche don manje pou sipòte moun ki nan bezwen nan St. Thomas/St. Kominote John. Ou ka depoze don ou yo nan nenpòt nan biwo legliz yo pandan lè biwo oswa pote yo avèk ou nan sèvis Dimanch. Pou plis enfòmasyon, tanpri rele (340) 777-8518.

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)

MAS ENTANSYON

Entansyon mès la se pou repo nan nanm **Sylvia Celestine**, fanmi Erilis te mande.

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 WEEKEND, 31 Out – 1 Septanm 2024

Ofri: \$3,369.54

Sam. 5:00 pm: \$480.00 7:30 am: \$1,516.54

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Mèsi pou jenerezite 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.

ANONS, KONTINYE

Magnificat: *Magnificat* Septanm ak Oktòb yo disponib kounye a nan boutik kado a. Tanpri achte kopi ou yo.

Koleksyon Espesyal (Sekirite): Yo pral pran yon koleksyon espesyal pou obligasyon finansye legliz la pou kloti sekirite a nan wikenn pwochen nan tout mès yo. Mèsi pou jenewozite ou nan ede sekirize pwopriyete a.

Necrologium: Yon sèvis memorial pou manman Silia Erilis pral fèt **Mèkredi 11 septanm 2024** a 6:00 PM nan Holy Family Church. Nou tout envite. Se pou nanm li ak nanm fidèl yo te ale grasa mizèrikòd Bondye a repoze anpè. Amèn.

Pray For the Sick & Shut-ins

OFF ISLAND: Signorah Baron, Helen Bruney, Eugenie England, Rose George, Olivia Gumbs, Allan Harrigan, Mercedes Hodge, Mary Lewis, Veronica Sealey, Anthony Stridiron Sr., Joseph Toussaint

AT HOME: 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, Gail Homer, Owen Johnrose, Thomas Johnson, Pauline Jolly, Bernice Knight, Rita Ledee, Vivian Overseen, Cleopha Rawlings, Evelyn Simon, Keith Steele, Paquita Steele, Iona Vanterpool.

HOSPITALIZED:

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

Church Attendance:

259 persons attended Holy Mass last weekend.

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SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER

Church in Africa August 31 – September 1
 Restoration Fund August 31 – September 1
 Monthly School Support September 7-8
 Property Insurance September 14-15
 Capital Improvements September 21-22
 Restoration Fund September 28-29
 Restoration Fund October 5-6

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKEND OFFERINGS,

August 31 – September 1, 2024

Offering: \$3,369.54

Sat. 5:00 PM: \$480.00 7:30 AM: \$1,516.54

10:00 AM: \$1,182.00 5:00 PM: \$191.00

Second Collection: \$1,266.00

WEEKDAY OFFERINGS: \$29.00

9/3: \$29.00

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Thank you for your generosity!

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,
 It is in dying that we are born to eternal life. **Amen.**

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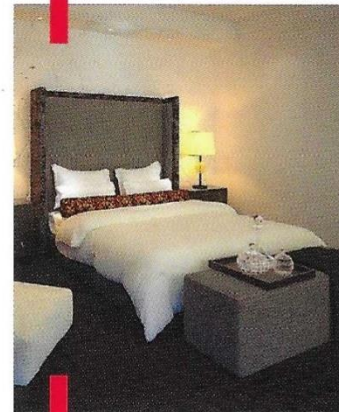
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