

Diocese of Saint Thomas

# **Holy Family Catholic Church**

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Holy Family Church

# The Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve

Mark: 10-45

# **Mass Schedule**

Monday	No Mass	
Tuesday – Friday	7:00 A.M.	
Saturday vigil		
Sunday: 7:30 A.M & 10:00 A.M. English		
5:00 P.M. Creole/French		

# **Devotions**

## **Holy Hour**

# CHURCH DIRECTORY

# PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

Rev. Fr. Modeste Digwou (340) 203-0607

#### ASSOCIATE PASTOR

Rev. Fr. Isaac Agbenohevi (340) 203-3798

**SEMINARIAN:** Jean Phito Orelus

Admin. Assistant: Ms. Maria DN Blencowe

**Accountant:** Ms. Penrose Gardiner

Religious Ed. Director: Ms. Glendia Caines

Music Director: Mr. Francis Callwood

**Master of Ceremony & Public Relations:** 

Mrs. Monique Ferrell

#### **Sacristans:**

- Ms. Silia Erilis Orville "Sparrow" Rouse (weekdays)
- Mr. Julio Comperè
- Ms. Francesca Alcendor

## **New Office Hours:**

Tue – Fri: 9:00 A.M. – 5:00 P.M. Sat: 10:00 A.M. – 6:00 P.M. Closed Sundays and Mondays

## **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-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 20, 2024

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# WEEKLY REFLECTION

First Reading: Isaiah 53:10-11

**Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22

**Second Reading:** Hebrews 4:14-16

**Gospel:** Mark 10:35-45

By Rev. Fr. Modeste Digwou

The Kingdom of God is a kingdom of service, compassion, forgiveness and love.

Brothers and Sisters,

This Sunday marks the start of World Mission Week. It's also World Day to Overcome Extreme Poverty. We live in a world dominated by the pursuit of power and prestige. How can we be messengers of Christ if we don't go against this mentality?

In this Gospel, we see James and John, to be reassured, they ask Jesus to sit at his right and left in his kingdom.

In Christ's Church, we must renounce careers, titles and honorary positions altogether! The only principle is humble, fraternal service. To qualify the responsibility of those who play a particular role within the Christian community, we use the term "ministry," a word which means "service" in Latin! There are no "leaders" in the worldly sense in Christ's Church. There are only "ministers," "servants." That's why Christ recommended abolishing all fancy titles.

On the evening of Holy Thursday, "Jesus rose from the table, laid aside his garments and took an apron and girded himself with it" to wash his disciples' feet (John 13:4). Christ categorically excludes the worldly model of power from the Christian community: "Whoever wishes to become great shall be your servant. Whoever wants to be first will be slave of all."

The Kingdom of God, whose coming we hope for every time we pray the Our Father ("Thy Kingdom come"), is a kingdom of service, compassion, forgiveness and love. And the greatest in this kingdom is the person who is ready to lend a hand, to share, to help. "Let him or her who wants to be the greatest make

him or her who wants to be the greatest make himself or herself the servant of all."

Amen.

# **SCRIPTURES OF THE WEEK**

**MONDAY:** Eph 2:1-10; Ps 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4C-5;

Lk 12:13-21

**TUESDAY:** Eph 2:12-22; Ps 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14;

Lk 12:35-38

**WEDNESDAY:** Eph 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6;

Lk 12:39-48

**THURSDAY:** Eph 3:14-21; Ps 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19;

Lk 12:49-53

**FRIDAY:** Eph 4:1-6; 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lk 12:54-59

**SATURDAY:** Eph 4:7-16; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5;

Lk 13:1-9

**NEXT SUNDAY:** 30<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jer 31:7-9; Ps 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Heb 5:1-6;

Mk 10:46-52

# **MASS INTENTIONS**

SATURDAY October 19th

5:00 PM **† Leal Stridiron** → Repose of Soul rb the

Johnson & Stridiron families

– Cynthia Charles, sons, & brothers ightarrow

Protection & deliverance rb Cynthia Charles

SUNDAY, October 20th

7:30 AM **† Oliver Francis** → Repose of Soul rb his daughter

**† Priscilla Callwood** → Repose of Soul rb her friends & family

10:00 AM – All the children in our community → Guidance & protection rb Nazarine Blaize

5:00 PM **− Jessica Jean Baptiste** → Birthday blessings rb Silia

MONDAY, October 21st - No Mass

TUESDAY, October 22<sup>nd</sup>

7:00 AM **– Cynthia Charles, sons, & brothers** → Protection & deliverance rb Cynthia Charles

WEDNESDAY. October 23rd

7:00 AM **† John Milton Gifft** → Repose of Soul rb the Gifft family

THURSDAY, October 24th

7:00 AM † Priscilla Callwood → Repose of Soul rb her friends & family

FRIDAY, October 25th

7:00 AM – **Mildred Turbe** → Birthday blessings rb Ann

Greaux & family

 Fr. Isaac Agbenohevi → Birthday blessings rb the Holy Family Parish community

# 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 Religious Education/Faith Formation:** CCD classes take place every Saturday from 9:00 AM - 12 noon.

#### **Youth Ministry:**

- Friday, October 25th: meeting at 6:00 PM in Lower Columban Hall.
- Sunday, October 27th: soup sale after each Mass, 7:30 AM, 10:00 AM, and 6:00 PM.

The parish Youth Ministry executives and Youth Advisory Committee would like to thank all parents, teachers, and donors in supporting and participating in last weekend's events:

- The Public Square Rosary Rally on Saturday, October 12<sup>th</sup>
- The spiritual and fun day at Water Island on Monday, October 14th.

Both events were successful and would not have been possible without your support, especially the parents and guardians. Our youths within our community are strategically important in continuing the mission of promoting and professing our Christianity. Let's continue to support and encourage them. Thank you, thank you!

Healing Mass: The next healing Mass will be held on Friday, October 25th at 6:00 PM.

Diocesan Council of Catholic Women: The St. Thomas/St. John convention will take place on Sunday, October 27, 2024 from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM at Upper Columban Hall.

Save The Dates: The Parish Economic (Finance) Committee invites our parishioners, friends, family, acquaintances and benefactors to join us for the following fundraising events:

- Walk to help 4K Walkathon/Belle Marchee from Havensight to Crown Bay and back from 5 – 7 AM on **Saturday, November** 9, 2024. You do not have to be a participant in this event to obtain donors. Additional information will follow shortly.
- · Holy Family pre-Thanksgiving afternoon tea party. Join us for an afternoon of fun, fashion, prizes and high tea on Sunday, **November 24, 2024** from 2 – 5 PM. Donation: \$30

Dominica Creole Mass: The annual Dominica Creole Mass will main celebrant will be Fr. Eleau Augustine.

Pilgrimage to Italy: There will be a Jubilee Diocesan Pilgrimage to I funeral service will take place on October 23, 2024 at 10:00 AM Italy from April 21 to May 1, 2025. Please see the bulletin board for further details.

# 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.

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

Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick: Please call the church

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 October Magnificat is currently available at the gift shop. Please purchase your copy.

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.

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 take place on Sunday, November 10, 2024 at 12:00 noon. The I sympathy to Colleen Espirit and family on the passing of her father, Reynold Espirit, who died on October 10, 2024. His at Holy Family Church. May his soul and the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

# **Catechesis**

#### By Rev. Fr. Modeste Digwou

\*The Exclamations of Saint Teresa of Avila are cries of love, desire, anguish and hope, quickly scribbled on scraps of paper after Communion.

A great Spanish mystic, the Church celebrated her this week on October 15. Her prayer is offered as a model for us in this year of the jubilee of hope:

"I am yours, since you created me; yours, since you redeemed me; yours, since you endured me; yours, since you waited for me; yours, since I was not lost.

What do you order to be done with me? Here is my heart, into your hands I commend it. Here is my body, my life, my soul, my love and affection. O sweet Spouse, my Redemption, since I am consecrated to you, what do you order to be done with me?

Give me death or life, give me health or sickness, give me honor or contempt, give me combat or perfect peace, weakness or fulfilled strength, since to all I say yes: what do you command to be done with me?

Give me wealth or poverty, give me consolation or desolation, give me joy or sadness, give me hell or give me heaven, my sweet life, O sun without veil, since I am all yours, what do you command to be done with me?

Give me wisdom or, for love, ignorance, give me years of plenty or famine. Give me darkness or bright day, toss me here or there. What do you command to be done with me? If you want me to rest, I want to rest for love. If you order me to work, I want to die working.

Tell me where, how and when? Speak, sweet Love, say: what do you command to be done with me? I am yours, for you I was born, what do you command to be done with me? So be it."

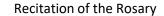
# **Parish Life**

## **Upcoming Event Dates at Columban Hall**

- Saturday, October 26, 2024
- Sunday, October 27, 2024
- Saturday, November 16, 2024
- Sunday, November 17, 2024

### **Weekend Services & Activities**

# **Youth Ministry weekend of events**

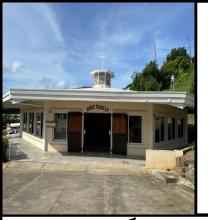




Water Island boat trip







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# LA VOIX DU DIMANCHE DE LA COMMUNAUTE HAITIENNE

Venn-nevyèm Dimanch nan Tan Òdinè - Ane B Nimewo 050 Dimanch 20 Oktòb 2024 La

# The Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve

Mark:10-45

#### **REFERANS BIBLIK**

Premye Lekti: Ezayi 53:10-11

**Sòm repons:** Sòm 33:4-5, 18-19, 20, 22

Dezyèm Lekti: Ebre 4:14-16 Levanjil: Mak 10:35-45

#### LEKTI EKRITI NAN SEMÈN LA

**LENDI:** Ef 2:1-10; Sòm 100:1b-2, 3, 4ab, 4C-5;

Lik 12:13-21

**MADI:** Ef 2:12-22; Sòm 85:9ab-10, 11-12, 13-14;

Lik 12:35-38

**MÈKREDI:** Ef 3:2-12; Is 12:2-3, 4bcd, 5-6; Lik 12:39-48

**JEDI:** Ef 3:14-21; Sòm 33:1-2, 4-5, 11-12, 18-19;

Lik 12:49-53

**VANDREDI:** Ef 4:1-6; 24:1-2, 3-4ab, 5-6; Lik 12:54-59

**SAMDI:** Ef 4:7-16; Sòm 122:1-2, 3-4ab, 4cd-5;

Lik 13:1-9

PROCHÈN DIMANCH: 30yèm Dimanch nan Tan Òdinè

Jr 31:7-9; Sòm 126:1-2, 2-3, 4-5, 6; Eb 5:1-6;

Mak 10:46-52

# Meditasyon par Pere Modeste Digwou

Wayòm Bondye a se yon wayòm sèvis, konpasyon, padon ak lanmou.

Frè m ak sè m yo,

Dimanch sa a make kòmansman Semèn Misyon Mondyal la. Se tou Jounen Mondyal pou Simonte Povrete Ekstrèm. Nou ap viv nan yon mond domine pa pouswit pouvwa ak prestij. Ki jan nou ka mesaje Kris la si nou pa ale kont mantalite sa a?

Nan Levanjil sa a, nou wè Jak ak Jan, pou yo ka rasire, yo mande Jezi chita adwat ak agoch li nan wayòm li an.

Nan Legliz Kris la, nou dwe renonse tout karyè, tit ak pozisyon onorè! Sèl prensip la se sèvis enb, fratènèl. Pou kalifye responsablite moun ki jwe yon wòl patikilye nan kominote kretyen an, nou itilize tèm "ministè a," yon mo ki vle di "sèvis" an Latin! Pa gen okenn "lidè" nan sans monn nan nan Legliz Kris la. Gen sèlman "minis," "sèvitè". Se poutèt sa Kris la rekòmande aboli tout tit anpenpan.

Nan aswè Jedi Sen an, "Jezi leve sou tab la, li mete rad li sou kote, li pran yon tabliye, li mare tèt li avèk li" pou l lave pye disip li yo (Jan 13:4). Kris la kategorikman ekskli modèl pouvwa monn nan nan kominote kretyen an: "Nenpòt moun ki vle vin gwo, se sèvitè w. Moun ki vle vin premye a ap esklav tout moun."

Wayòm Bondye a, ki gen pou vini nou espere pou chak fwa nou priye Papa nou an ("Wi Wayòm ou a vini"), se yon wayòm sèvis, konpasyon, padon ak renmen. E pi gran nan wayòm sa a se moun ki pare pou I bay yon koutmen, pou I pataje, pou I ede. "Se pou moun ki vle vin pi gran an fè tèt li sèvitè tout moun."

Amèn.

# **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, ap kontinye limen 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 reyalize 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.

**CCD Edikasyon Relijye/Fòmasyon Lafwa:** Klas CCD yo fèt chak **samdi** soti 9:00 am - 12 midi.

#### Ministè Jèn yo:

- •Vandredi, 25 oktòb: reyinyon a 6:00 pm nan Lower Columban Hall.
- Dimanch 27 oktòb: vann soup apre chak mès, 7:30 am, 10:00 am, ak 6:00 pm.

Egzekitif Ministè Jèn pawas la ak Komite Konsiltatif Jèn yo ta renmen remèsye tout paran, pwofesè, ak donatè ki sipòte epi patisipe nan evènman wikenn pase a:

- •Rasanbleman Rosary Square Piblik la samdi 12 oktòb la
- •Jounen espirityèl ak amizan nan Water Island lendi 14 oktòb la. Tou de evènman yo te reyisi epi yo pa t ap posib san sipò w, espesyalman paran yo ak gadyen yo. Jèn nou yo nan kominote nou an gen yon enpòtans estratejik pou kontinye misyon pou pwomouvwa ak pwofese Krisyanis nou an. Ann kontinye sipòte ak ankouraje yo. Mèsi, mèsi!

Mès Gerizon: Pwochen mès gerizon an ap fèt vandredi 25 oktòb a 6:00 pm.

Konsèy Dyosezyen Fanm Katolik yo: St. Thomas/St. Konvansyon John ap fèt dimanch 27 oktòb 2024 apati 1:00 pm pou rive 4:00 pm nan Upper Columban Hall.

**Sove Dat Yo:** Komite Ekonomik (Finans) Pawas la envite pawasyen nou yo, zanmi, fanmi, zanmi ak byenfektè nou yo pou yo vin jwenn nou pou evènman pou ranmase lajan sa yo:

- •Mache pou ede 4K Walkathon/Belle Marchee soti nan Havensight rive Crown Bay epi tounen soti 5 7 am nan **samdi 9 novanm 2024.** Ou pa oblije patisipe nan evènman sa a pou jwenn donatè. Lòt enfòmasyon ap swiv byento.
- Sentespri Fanmi pre-Thanksgiving te fèt apremidi. Join nou pou yon apremidi plezi, mòd, pri ak gwo te nan dimanch 24 novanm 2024 ant 2 pm - 5 pm. Donasyon: \$30

Mès Kreyòl Dominikèn: Mès Kreyòl Anyèl Dominik la ap fèt dimanch 10 novanm 2024 a 12:00 midi. Selebrasyon prensipal la pral Fr. Eleau Augustine.

**Pelerinaj nan peyi Itali:** Pral gen yon pelerinaj rejwisans dyosezen an Itali soti **21 avril rive 1 me 2025.** Tanpri gade tablo afichaj la pou plis detay.

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.

# **MAS ENTANSYON**

Entansyon mas la se pou benediksyon anivèsè nesans pou **Jessica Jean Baptiste**, ke Silia 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, 12 – 13 Oktòb 2024

Ofri: \$3,890.15

Sam. 5:00 pm: \$646.46 7:30 am: \$2,483.69

10:00 am: \$554.00 5:00 pm: \$206.00

Dezyèm Koleksyon: \$1,091.00

Yo ka fè bay sou entènèt sou sitwèb nou an nan: www.holyfamilystt.com

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.

# **ANONS, KONTINYE:**

Magnificat: Magnificat Oktòb la disponib kounye a nan boutik kado a. Tanpri achte kopi ou a.

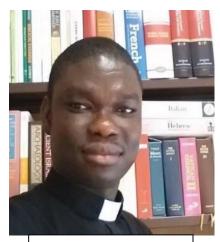
Atik manje ki pa gate: Yo pral ranmase manje ki pa gate nan wikenn pwochèn nan chak mès Sen pandan ofrann, apre pwosesyon apre koleksyon an. Benefis yo pral benefisye òganizasyon charitab Katolik ak fèmen nan Pawas nou an. Nou remèsye ou pou jenerozite ou.

Necrologium: Kominote Pawas Fanmi Sen an bay Colleen Espirit ak fanmi yo kondoans sensè pou lanmò papa I, Reynold Espirit, ki te mouri 10 oktòb 2024. Sèvis fineray li a ap fèt 23 oktòb 2024 a 10:00 am nan Holy Legliz Fanmi. Se pou nanm li ak nanm fidèl yo te ale grasa mizèrikòd Bondye a repoze anpè. Amèn.

# **Parish Life**



Parish Administrator Father Modeste Digwou



**Associate Pastor** Father Isaac Agbenohevi



**Church Administrative Assistant** Ms. Maria D. N. Blencowe

## **Parish Pastoral Council**

Parish Administrator: Fr. Modeste Digwou

Fr. Isaac Agbenohevi

Orville "Sparrow" Rouse Andrea Shillingford Silia Erilis Myrtha Bourdeau **Betty Bast** Olga McBean Oliver Williams Glendia Caines Francis Callwood **Bridget Toussaint** Maria D.N. "Duchess" Blencowe Felicine "Baby" Marcellin

Viola Williams

**Economic Parish Council** 

Parish Administrator: Fr. Modeste Digwou

Chair: Cydrenia Ferness Co-chair: Vincia St. Jean Secretary: Dawn Callwood Treasurer: Connal Alfred

Members:

Mona Bedminster **Yvonne Brutus** 

Jean Dragin Vilson By

#### **Pastoral Animation Team**

Fr. Modeste Digwou

Monique Ferrell Vincia St. Jean Jean Dragin Oliver "Bobby" Williams Glendia Caines Silia Erilis Francis Callwood Mona Bedminster Carmen White

#### **Decoration Committee**

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

# **Gift Shop Hours:**

• Wednesday: 9:00 AM − 3:00 PM

Saturday: 10:00 AM – 6:00 PM

 Sunday: after the 7:30 AM and 10:00 AM Masses



# **Holy Family Catholic Church August 2024 Financial Summary**

#### Income

Parish Contribution	\$16,538.58
Donations/Other Revenue	\$13,182,86
Second Collections	<u>\$4,733.80</u>
Total	\$34.455.24

#### **Expenses**

Administrative	\$8,253.78
Benefits	\$4,474.01
Taxes	\$417.47
Supplies/Office	\$3,221.86
Maintenance/Auto	\$8,322.46
Insurance	\$886.50
Utilities	<u>\$5,411.09</u>
Total	\$30,987.17

Net Income (Loss) \$3,468.07

# **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.

# **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, Winifred Garfield, 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:**

**269** persons attended Holy Mass last weekend.

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# SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE COMING MONTH

#### STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKEND OFFERINGS, October 12 - 13, 2024

Offering: \$3,890.15

Sat. 5:00 PM: \$646.46 7:30 AM: \$2,483.69

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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,

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

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