

SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

FEBRUARY 23, 2025

WEEKLY REFLECTION

First Reading: 1 Samuel 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:45-49

Gospel: Luke 6:27-38

By Rev. Fr. Yacob Lonfo

Beloved in Christ, this Sunday's liturgy gives us a few spiritual ingredients on how to love our enemies. Here are the three best ways through which our Blessed Lord urges us to love our enemies: **"Do good to them; Bless them and Pray for them."** Which attitude would you adopt toward your enemies? Today's first reading taken from the first book of Samuel helps us to answer this question. In order to understand this passage of the first book of Samuel, it's important to contextualize it by going back to the sixteenth chapter. In fact, David after striking down the Philistine Goliath, upon their arrival from the battle ground, women came out from all the cities playing and singing: "Saul has slain his thousands, David his tens thousands". It had angered Saul and he had developed feelings of envy and jealousy toward David. Thus, David had the opportunity to retaliate but he chose not to, rather he chose to render good for evil by sparing Saul's life. He did not follow Abishai's advice, nor allowed him to harm Saul. Rather, he replied: **"Do not harm him, for who can lay hands on the Lord's anointed and remain unpunished."** We can bless our enemies by acknowledging their qualities. Because each person cannot only have flaws or defects but also qualities. In focusing on their qualities or on the good we can find in them will help us not to gossip about them, but to praise God who made them.

Christ himself is not only commanding us to do something impossible, but He gave us an example as He did on the Cross, pleading and justifying the Father's forgiveness for us: **"Father, forgive them for they do not know what they are doing"** (Lk 23:34). We can fast, say the Rosary, request Masses for our enemies. In doing so, God changes our hearts and theirs as well. When we forgive, we are like Christ, the heavenly Adam and not like the first Adam, the earthly one. If we are truly people of faith, we should never worry about those who harm or hurt us, because there is a God above who watches each of our actions or intentions. He knows best how to deal with each situation we go through. As David beautifully puts it: **"The Lord will reward each man for his justice and faithfulness"**. Trust and obey Almighty God. Amen!

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.**

SCRIPTURES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY: Sir 1:1-10; Ps 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Mk 9:14-29

TUESDAY: Sir 2:1-11; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mk 9:30-37

WEDNESDAY: Sir 4:11-19; Ps 119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175; Mk 9:38-40

THURSDAY: Sir 5:1-8; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Mk 9:41-50

FRIDAY: Sir 6:5-17; Ps 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35; Mk 10:1-12

SATURDAY: Sir 17:1-15; Ps 103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18; Mk 10:13-16

NEXT SUNDAY: *8th Sunday in Ordinary Time*

Sir 27:4-7; Ps 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16;

1 Cor 15:54-58; Lk 6:39-45

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY February 22nd

5:00 PM † **Louis Denis Ledee** → Repose of Soul rb a relative

† **Alroy Thomas** → Repose of Soul rb Alleyne Thomas

SUNDAY, February 23rd

7:30 AM – **Kasidy Joseph** → Birthday blessings, God's help & protection rb Alleyne Thomas

– **Cydrenia Ferness, Zoey Prosper, & Bjorn**

Kadou → Blessings, guidance, & protection rb Cydrenia Ferness

10:00 AM – **Elvina René, Caitlin Roberts, & Kathleen**

René → Birthday blessings rb the René family

– **Sandra Peters** → Birthday blessings & good health rb a friend

† **Agnes Jno. Baptiste, Thomas Desir, Darnley**

Norville, & Engelbert Joseph → Repose of

Soul rb the René family

5:00 PM † **All the Holy Souls in Purgatory** → rb Serge LaPlace

MONDAY, February 24th – No Mass

TUESDAY, February 25th

7:00 AM – **Fleur Richards** → Birthday blessings rb her mother

WEDNESDAY, February 26th

7:00 AM † **All the Holy Souls in Purgatory** → rb Serge LaPlace

THURSDAY, February 27th

7:00 AM † **Hillis & Richard Walters** → Repose of Souls rb the Walters family

FRIDAY, February 28th

7:00 AM † **All the Holy Souls in Purgatory** → rb Marcial LaPlace

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 the Repose of Soul of **Ted Bast**, requested by Betty Bast.

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.

Columban Hall: Please join the Columban Hall Board members as we culminate our celebration for the Month of Columban Hall at our Open House on **Sunday, February 23rd** – after every Mass. We look forward to seeing you as we continue our year long celebration of Holy Family's 50th Anniversary Jubilee.

Healing Mass: The next healing Mass will be held on **Friday, February 28, 2025** at 6:00 PM.

BINGO, BINGO, BINGO: Join Holy Family's Adult Choir for our last Bingo night until after Lent from 6:30-8:30 pm on **Tuesday, March 4th** for fellowship, fun and food. \$3 per card & 2 cards for \$5. Jackpot card is \$5 each. Winners receive 50% of each pot. Remaining 50% benefits the HF Air Conditioning Project. We'll see you there. Be there or be square!

World Day of Prayer: Holy Family Church will be hosting the World Day of Prayer on **Friday, March 7, 2025**.

Boat Ride: Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral in conjunction with Holy Family Parish invites you to a "Spring" Boat Ride aboard the Kon Tiki Party Raft on **Sunday, March 30, 2025** from 2:00 to 6:00 PM. Boarding will begin at 2:00 PM at the West Indian Company Dock (behind Moe's). The Kon Tiki will depart the dock promptly at 2:30 PM. Food and beverages will be available for sale. Tickets are \$30 and everyone must have a ticket to board the Kon Tiki. Tickets are available from members of the Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral and Holy Family Parish Fundraising Committees and all Parish Offices. Tickets are limited, so get your tickets early.

Sts. Peter & Paul School: On **Saturday, March 15, 2025**, at 4:00 PM, Saints Peter and Paul School will be holding its annual International Food Night. This is one of their major fundraisers to help with school expenses. Tickets will be available soon.

Church Air-conditioning:

- We ask you to make an effort to return your envelopes already and continue to solicit the support of your children, friends and acquaintances so that we can succeed in realizing this project which is very dear to us. From now on, after communion, those who have their envelopes ready can place them in the basket in front of the altar.
- **Parish T-shirt:** Available at the parish gift shop to support the project.
- **St. Joseph Workers' Raffle:** Available from members, proceeds to benefit the installation of air conditioning in the church. There will be great prizes. Please support.

Gift Shop: Please visit and support our gift shop on **Wednesday, Saturday**, or after the **Sunday** morning Masses. There are various religious items on sale.

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.

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

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 last 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:

Non-Perishable Food Items: Non-perishable food items collected this weekend will benefit Catholic Charities and shut-ins of our Parish. We thank you for your generosity.

Offerory Envelopes: Parishioners who have not picked up their envelopes can retrieve them in the in the church office.

Flower Store: A flower store is now open in front of the church, so don't hesitate to visit it to offer flowers to your friends or to the Church.

Catechesis

By Father Yacob Lonfo Fopa

Catechesis on Prayer: “Lord, teach us how to pray”

The other week before, we have begun to reflect on Prayer. After various attempts to define what prayer truly is, we have come to the conclusion that there is no life worth without Prayer, without a relationship with the Lord that will in turn impact positively the relationship that exist between us and all human beings created in the image and likeness of God (Gn 1:26). Today, we are going to continue our spiritual journey as we dive into the five types of prayer in our catholic tradition.

I-Prayer of BLESSING and ADORATION

According to the CCC 2626, a blessing expresses the basic movement of Christian prayer: it is an encounter between God and man. The prayer of blessing is man's response to God's gifts: because God blesses, the human heart can in return bless the One who is the source of every blessing.

Adoration is the first attitude of man acknowledging that he is a creature before his Creator. It exalts the greatness of the Lord who made us and the almighty power of the Savior who sets us free from evil. Adoration is homage of the spirit to the “King of Glory,” respectful silence in the presence of the “ever greater” God

II. PRAYER OF PETITION

The word Petition has various meaning such as to ask, beseech, plead, invoke, entreat, cry out, even “struggle in prayer.” Most of the time, people tend to petition for material things. By prayer of petition we express awareness of our relationship with God. We are sinners who as Christians know that we have turned away from our Father. The first movement

Parish Life

Weekend Services & Activities

Upcoming Event Dates at Columban Hall

- Saturday, March 8, 2025
- Sunday, March 9, 2025
- Sunday, March 16, 2025
- Saturday, March 22, 2025

of the prayer of petition is asking forgiveness, like the tax collector in the parable: “God, be merciful to me a sinner!” It is a prerequisite for righteous and pure prayer. Asking forgiveness is the prerequisite for both the Eucharistic liturgy and personal prayer. There is a hierarchy in the petitions we make: we pray first for the Kingdom, then for what is necessary to welcome it and cooperate with its coming.

III. PRAYER OF INTERCESSION

Intercession is a prayer of petition which leads us to pray as Jesus did. He is the one intercessor with the Father on behalf of all men, especially sinners. Since Abraham, Moses intercessions – asking on behalf of another has been characteristic of a heart attuned to God's mercy. In the age of the Church, Christian intercession participates in Christ's, as an expression of the communion of saints. In intercession, he who prays looks “not only to his own interests, but also to the interests of others,” even to the point of praying for those who do him harm.

The intercession of Christians recognizes no boundaries: “for all men, for kings and all who are in high positions,” for persecutors, for the salvation of those who reject the Gospel.

We will continue next week.

Air Conditioning Fund as of February 9, 2025

Name/Ministry/Business	Cash Amount	Pledge	Name/Ministry/Business	Cash Amount
Gerard Castor Sr.	\$500.00		William Parrett	\$5,000.00
Brenda Smith & Khama Smith	\$100.00		Steven Siebers	\$1,500.00
Melicia Prince	\$100.00		Renee Greig	\$500.00
Julienne Haitian Community and WAPA's colleagues	\$303.00		Veda Henry	\$300.00
Dolores Velazquez	\$225.00		Cheryl Malone	\$400.00
Olga McBean & Eugenia	\$380.00		Joan Thomas Alfred	\$20.00
Betty Bast	\$400.00		Anne Brandt	\$150.00
Matilda Huyghue	\$20.00		Polo benefit sale	\$108.00
Lana Williams	\$20.00		Special collection November 30	\$108.00
Gerard	\$20.00		Holy Family Church Choir	\$260.00
Magdalene Thomas	\$20.00		Viola E. Smith	\$100.00
Adriana & Riviere Casnis	\$300.00		Melicia Prince	\$20.00
Zernard	\$45.00		SJW Christmas concert	\$269.00
Total cash on December 15, 2024	\$452.00		Lita Daniel	\$100.00
St. Joseph Workers		\$14,000.00	Alicia Douté	\$150.00
Alma Wells	\$500.00		Haitian Community	\$200.00
Beverly McClendon	\$300.00		January 18 – 19 collection	\$1,320.00
Clarissa T. Battiste funeral	\$80.00		Tony E. & Susan Isabella	\$150.00
Walkathon (Finance Committee)	\$2,300.00		Marie Ismaelis	\$100.00
Tea party (Finance Committee)	\$2,430.00		Chrisminte Mombia	\$200.00
Other Contributors	\$1,900.00		Edline Pitoa	\$140.00
Josette & Jeanyiah	\$20.00		Wilson By	\$300.00
Cecelia Cruz	\$300.00		Dulnor Noel	\$200.00
Joseph & Bridget Tousaint	\$300.00		D. Bruge & Kathryn Van Ness	\$50.00
Merle Adams-Smith	\$100.00		Paula Andrews	\$300.00
Mr. & Mrs. Theresa Fattle	\$300.00		February 15 – 16 collection	\$1,701.00
Daniel Quigley	\$250.00		Ralph & Bethys	\$500.00

Total amount as of February 9, 2025: \$39,311.00



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Meditasyon par Pere Yacob Lonfo Fopa

Mezanmi nan Kris la, litiji dimanch sa a ban nou kèk engredyan espirityèl sou fason pou nou renmen ènmi nou yo. Men twa pi bon fason Senyè beni nou an ankouraje nou pou nou renmen ènmi nou yo: **"Fè byen pou yo; Beni yo epi lapriyè pou yo."** Ki atitud ou ta adopte anvè lènmi ou yo? Premye lekti jodi a te pran nan premye liv Samyèl la ede nou reponn kesyon sa a. Pou w ka konprann pasaj sa a nan premye liv Samyèl la, li enpòtan pou w kontèkstualize l lè w retounen nan sèzyèm chapit la. An reyalyte, apre David te fin frape Golyat Filisti a, lè yo te rive sot nan tè a, fanm soti nan tout vil yo t ap jwe e yo t ap chante: "Sayil touye milye li yo, David touye dizèn milye li yo". Sa te fè Sayil fache e li te vin gen jalouzi ak jalouzi pou David. Kidonk, David te gen posiblite pou l revanj, men li te chwazi pa fè sa, pito li te chwazi rann sa ki byen pou sa ki mal nan epanye lavi Sayil. Li pa t suiv konsèy Abichayi, li pa t kite l fè Sayil mal. Olye de sa, li te reponn: **"Pa fè l mal, paske ki moun ki ka mete men sou moun Bondye chwazi pou al nan syèl la epi ki pa pini."** Nou ka beni ènmi nou yo lè nou rekonèt kalite yo. Paske chak moun pa sèlman gen defo oswa defo men tou kalite. Lè nou konsantre sou kalite yo oswa sou bon bagay nou ka jwenn nan yo, volonte nou pa ede nou fè tripotay sou yo, men fè lwanj Bondye ki fè yo.

Kris li menm pa sèlman kòmande nou pou nou fè yon bagay enposib, men li ban nou yon egzanp menm jan li te fè sou kwa a, siplye ak jistifye padon Papa a pou nou: **"Papa, padonnen yo paske yo pa konnen sa yo ap fè"** (Lik 23:34). Nou ka fè jèn, di Rosary a, mande lamès pou ènmi nou yo. Nan fè sa, Bondye chanje kè nou ak kè yo tou. Lè nou padone, nou menm jan ak Kris la, Adan ki nan syèl la epi nou pa tankou premye Adan an, moun ki sou tè a. Si nou se moun ki gen lafwa tout bon vre, nou pa ta dwe janm enkyete w pou moun ki fè nou mal oswa ki fè nou mal, paske gen yon Bondye anwo a ki veye chak aksyon oswa entansyon nou. Li konnen pi byen kijan pou li fè fas ak chak sityasyon nou pase. Jan David di sa byen bèl: **"Seyè a pral rekonpanse chak moun pou jistis yo ak fidelite yo."** Konfyè ak obeyi Bondye Toupisan an. Amèn!

REFERANS BIBLIK

Premye Lekti: 1 Samyèl 26:2, 7-9, 12-13, 22-23

Sòm repons: Sòm 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13

Dezyèm Lekti: 1 Korentyen 15:45-49

Levanjil: Lik 6:27-38

LEKTI EKRI NAN SEMÈN LA

LENDI: Sirak 1:1-10; Sòm 93:1ab, 1cd-2, 5; Mak 9:14-29

MADI: Sirak 2:1-11; Sòm 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28, 39-40; Mak 9:30-37

MÈKREDI: Sirak 4:11-19; Sòm 119:165, 168, 171, 172, 174, 175; Mak 9:38-40

JEDI: Sirak 5:1-8; Sòm 1:1-4, 6; Mak 9:41-50

VANDREDI: Sirak 6:5-17; Sòm 119:12, 16, 18, 27, 34, 35; Mak 10:1-12

SAMDI: Sirak 17:1-15; Sòm 103:13-14, 15-16, 17-18; Mak 10:13-16

PROCHÈN DIMANCH: *8yèm Dimanch nan Tan Òdinè*
Sirak 27:4-7; Sòm 92:2-3, 13-14, 15-16; 1 Kor 15:54-58; Lik 6:39-45

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 Repos Soul **Ted Bast**, Betty Bast te mande l.

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.

Columban Hall: Tanpri rantre nan manm Komisyon Konsèy Columban Hall yo pandan n ap fini selebrasyon nou an pou Mwa Columban Hall nan Open House nou an **dimanch 23 fevriye** – apre chak mès. Nou espere wè w pandan n ap kontinye selebrasyon Jubilee 50yèm anivèsè Holy Family's pandan tout ane a.

Mès gerizon: Pwochen mès gerizon an ap fèt **vandredi 28 fevriye 2025** a 6:00 pm.

BINGO, BINGO, BINGO: Antre nan koral granmoun Holy Family's pou dènye sware Bingo nou jiska apre Karèm soti 6:30-8:30 pm nan **Madi, 4 Mas** pou di Bondye mès, plezi ak manje. \$3 pou chak kat & 2 kat pou \$5. Kat Jackpot se \$5 chak. Ganyan yo resewva 50% nan chak po. Rete 50% benefisyè Pwojè èkondisyone HF. Nou pral wè ou la. Fè la oswa kare!

Jounen Mondyal lapriyè: Vandredi 7 mas 2025 nan Holy Family Church

Vwayaj Bato: Katedral Sen Pyè ak Pòl an konjonksyon avèk Holy Family Parish envite w nan yon woulib bato "Prentan" abò Kon Tiki Party Raft **dimanch 30 mas 2025** apati 2:00 pou rive 6:00 pm. Anbakman ap kòmanse a 2:00 pm nan waf West Indian Company (dèyè Moe a). Kon Tiki ap kite waf la san pèdi tan a 2:30 pm. None Stop Productions pral bay mizik ak manje ak bwason ap disponib pou vann. Tikè yo se \$30 e tout moun dwe gen yon tikè pou monte Kon Tiki. Tikè yo disponib nan men manm Katedral Sen Pyè ak Pòl ak Komite pou Ranmase Fon Pawas Fanmi Sen yo ak nan tout Biwo Pawas yo. Tikè yo limite, kidonk jwenn tikè ou bonè.

St. Lekòl Peter & Paul: Samdi, 15 mas 2025, a 4:00 PM, Saints Peter and Paul School pral òganize Sware Entènasyon Manje anyèl li a. Sa a se youn nan pi gwo ranmase lajan yo pou ede ak depans lekòl yo. Tikè ap disponib byento.

Èkondisyone legliz:

- N ap mande w pou w fè efò pou w retounen anvlòp w deja e kontinye mande sipò pitit ou, zanmi w ak zanmi w pou nou ka reyisi reyalize pwojè sa a ki chè pou nou anpil. Depi koulye a, apre kominyon an, moun ki gen anvlòp yo pare ka mete yo nan panyen an devan lotèl la.
- **T-shirt Pawas:** Disponib nan boutik kado pawas la pou sipòte pwojè a.
- **Raf Travayè Sen Jozèf:** Disponib nan men manm yo, lajan an benefisyè enstalasyon èkondisyone nan legliz la. Pral gen gwo pri. Tanpri sipòte.

Boutik Kado: Tanpri vizite epi sipòte boutik kado nou an **mèkredi, samdi**, oswa apre mès **dimanch** maten yo. Gen plizyè atik relijye sou vant.

MAS ENTANSYON

Entansyon mas la se pou tout nanm yo sen nan pìrgatwar, mande pa Serge LaPlace.

POU JENÈS LA

Pwogram CCD chak samdi a 9:00 a.m.

Nou envite jèn yo rantre nan kèk nan gwoup yo tankou gwoup kora



KOLEKSYON SEMÈN NAN

ÒF NAN WEKNEN, 9 fevriye 2025, 5:00 pm

Ofri: \$167.00

Dezyèm Koleksyon: \$121.00

ÒF NAN WEKNEN, 15 – 16 fevriye 2025

Ofri: \$8,367.00

Sam. 5:00 pm: \$5,843.00

7:30 am: \$1,248.00

10:00 am: \$1,276.00

5:00 pm: TBA

Dezyèm Koleksyon: \$684.00

Fon èkondisyone: \$1,058.00

ÒF LA SEMÈN: \$44.00

19 fevriye: \$44.00

21 fevriye: TBA

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

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

Anvlòp Ofri: Pawasyen ki poko ranmase anvlòp yo ka jwenn yo nan biwo legliz la.

Atik manje ki pa gate: Atik manje ki pa gate yo kolekte nan wikenn sa a pral benefisyè òganizasyon charitab Katolik ak fèmèn pawas nou an. Nou remèsye ou pou jenerozite ou.

Magazen flè: Yon magazen flè ouvri kounye a devan legliz la, donk pa ezite vizite li pou ofri flè bay zanmi w oswa nan legliz la.

Parish Life



Parish Administrator
Father Modeste Digwou



Administrative Assistant
Tina Hodge

Picture
coming soon

Parochial Vicar
Father Yacob Lonfo Fopa

Parish Pastoral Council

Parish Administrator: Fr. Modeste Digwou

Pastoral Team: Yacob Lonfo, Jean Phito

Chair: Andrea Shillingford

Vice-chair: Francis Callwood

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Treasurer: Cydrenia Ferness

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Felicine "Baby" Marcellin

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Oliver "Bobby" Williams Viola Williams

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Oliver "Bobby" Williams
McFarlane Babulal
Glendia Caines

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKEND OFFERINGS, February 9, 2025, 5:00 PM:

Offering: \$167.00

Second Collection: \$121.00

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Second Collection: \$684.00

Air-Conditioning Fund: \$1,058.00

WEEKDAY OFFERINGS: \$44.00

2/19: \$44.00

2/21: TBA

Online giving can be made through our website at:

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Thank you for your generosity!

SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE COMING MONTH

Capital Improvements February 22-23
Restoration Fund March 1-2
Black & Indian Mission March 8-9
Monthly School Support March 8-9
Property Insurance March 15-16
Capital Improvements February 22-23

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

Pray For the Sick & Shut-ins

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

AT HOME: St. Helaire Antoine, Carol Baron, François Baron, Philomen Baron, Madelene Bastien, James Bellot, Fritzold Bredy, Rose Celestine, 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, Irene Morris, Vivian Overseen, Cleopha Rawlings, Orville & Wende Rouse, Evelyn Simon, Paquita Steele, Iona Vanterpool.

HOSPITALIZED:

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

Church Attendance:

349 persons attended Holy Mass last weekend.

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