

Diocese of Saint Thomas

Holy Family Catholic Church

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Holy Family Church



CHURCH DIRECTORY

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Office Hours:

Tuesday – Friday: 9:00 A.M. – 4:00 P.M. Saturday: 9:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M. Closed Sunday and Monday.

Mass Schedule

Monday	No Mass		
Tuesday – Friday			
Saturday vigil	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."

SOLEMNITY OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL JUNE 29, 2025

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WEEKLY REFLECTION

First Reading: Acts 12:1-11 **Responsorial Psalm:** Psalm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 **Second Reading:** 2 Timothy 4:6-8, 17-18 **Gospel:** Matthew 16:13-19

By Father Yacob Lonfo

Meditation on the solemnity of Saints Peter and Paul, June 29th.

Today we celebrate not just two saints, but two very different men united by one mission: to proclaim Christ to the world. Peter, the fisherman from Galilee, impulsive and passionate, was chosen to be the rock on which the Church would be built. Paul, the learned Pharisee from Tarsus, once a persecutor of Christians, became the Apostle to the Gentiles, the builder of churches.

Their paths were different, their personalities distinct, but their witness was the same: Christ crucified and risen.

Peter reminds us that leadership in the Church is not about perfection, but about love and perseverance. Even after denying Jesus, he was restored—not because he was flawless, but because he confessed his sinfulness and loved deeply. Jesus didn't ask Peter, "Why did you fail?" He asked, "Do you love me?"

Paul shows us that no past is too broken for God to redeem. His transformation from Saul to Paul is a testament to the power of grace. He endured shipwrecks, beatings, imprisonment—all for the sake of the Gospel. And yet, he could say with confidence, "I have fought the good fight, I have finished the race, I have kept the faith."

Together, Peter and Paul show us that the Church is built not on human strength, but on divine mercy. Their feast is a call to unity, courage, and mission. It reminds us that God uses ordinary people to do extraordinary things—if only we say yes. Also, it reminds us that God Calls unequipped men, but equip them lest they pride themselves.

SCRIPTURES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY: Gen 18:16-33; Ps 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11; Mt 8:18-22

TUESDAY: Gen 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12; Mt 8:23-27

WEDNESDAY: Gen 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Mt 8:28-34

THURSDAY: Feast of Saint Thomas, Apostle Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 20:24-29

FRIDAY: Gen 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Ps 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Mt 9:9-13

SATURDAY: Gen 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt 9:14-17

NEXT SUNDAY: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Is 66:10-14c; Ps 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; Gal 6:14-18; Lk 10:1-12, 17-20

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, June 28th

5:00 PM **†** Anthony Christopher Stridiron → Repose of Soul **†** Veronica "Milue" Casimir → Repose of Soul rb the Casimir family

SUNDAY, June 29th

7:30 AM – **Gilbert St. Cyr** \rightarrow God's help & protection rb a friend

– Lucia Thomas \rightarrow God's blessings & continued healing

10:00 AM **† Gregor Glace** → Repose of Soul rb the René family

† Duncan Davis → Repose of Soul in honor of St. Joseph rb Lola Warrington

– Lisa Bruno \rightarrow Birthday blessings & protection rb Aunty Ursula

5:00 PM – **Melissa Piton** \rightarrow Birthday blessings

MONDAY, June 30th - no Mass

TUESDAY, July 1st

7:00 AM – **Mildred & Lestrade Anthony** → God's blessings for their well-being & happiness

WEDNESDAY, July 2nd

7:00 AM – **Travelers** \rightarrow Safe passage & blessed journey

THURSDAY, July 3rd

7:00 AM **† Harrison Mark** → Repose of Soul rb Francisca Henry

FRIDAY, July 4th

7:00 ${\rm AM} \rightarrow {\rm God's}$ blessings for peace & justice in our country

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 from June 28th to July 4th for peace, justice and unity for our country, requested by a parishioner.

Month of June: June is the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.Jubilee of the family and bride and groom.

Summer Intern: Welcome to student, **Wens Augustin**, who is interning in the Church Office through the 2025 Youth Summer Employment Opportunity Program. Wens will be employed through July 30th when the program ends. He is also an Altar Server and a member of the media ministry here at Holy Family Church.

Thank You: A sparkling thank you to **Mr. Cecil Forbes** for his donation of a telescopic microphone stand to accommodate the organist and cantor. We pray for God's blessings on Mr. Forbes.

Healing Mass: will be held on **Friday, July 25, 2025**—6:00 PM at the Shrine. Bring your sick and religious sacramentals to bless.

Sacrament of Infant Baptism: The next infant Baptism will take place on **July 27, 2025** at the 10:00 AM Mass. Please register your child now.

Scholarship: The St. Joseph Workers will be offering scholarships to 2025 graduates from our local high schools. In order to be considered for a scholarship, you must be attending Mass regularly and active in the parish activities. A sign-up sheet has been provided in the rear of the church. **Congratulations!** We wish you more success in the future.

Church Air-conditioning:

- Please return your A/C envelopes to Fr. Modeste or to the office.
- **Parish T-shirt:** Available at the parish gift shop to support the project and the Jubilee Year.

Office Closure: The church office will be closed on Thursday, July 3 and Friday, July 4, 2025, in observance of Emancipation Day and Independence Day, respectively.

Necrologium: Holy Family Parish Community extends sincere sympathy to Shamoi Garcia, Juana Garcia Rios, and family on the passing of their father/brother, **Silvio Garcia**, who died on May 30, 2025. His funeral service was held on Friday, June 27, 2025 at Holy Family Church.

Holy Family Parish Community extends sincere sympathy to Gizelle George-Joseph and family on the passing of her mother, **Margaret George,** who died on March 3, 2025 in Atlanta, Georgia. A memorial Mass will be held **Monday, June 30, 2025** at 10:00 am at Holy Family Church.

May their souls 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.

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.

Catechesis

By Father Yacob Lonfo

Catechesis on the Jubilee of Bride and Groom

Beloved in Christ, we have come to the end of this month of June, dedicated to the Most Sacred Heart of our Blessed Lord Jesus Christ. It has been a blessing to discover anew the preciousness of this beautiful devotion to the Sacred Heart of Christ the Lord. As a parish community, we also, celebrate on this Sunday the Jubilee of Bride and Groom. Today, our catechesis is meant to highlight the connection between the Sacred Heart Jesus Christ and the Bride and Groom. It is a great opportunity for all of us children, fruits of our parents' love, to give thanks and praise to Almighty God, for using them as channels and instruments to communicate life.

The connection between the Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Sacrament of Holy Matrimony is deeply rooted in the Catholic understanding of love as self-giving, sacrificial, and redemptive: "The matrimonial covenant, by which a man and a woman establish between themselves a partnership of the whole of life... has been raised by Christ the Lord to the dignity of a sacrament" (CCC 1601).

The **Sacred Heart of Jesus** symbolizes Christ's boundless and passionate love for humanity—a love that is tender, merciful, and willing to suffer for the beloved. In the context of **Holy Matrimony**, this becomes a model for how spouses (Bride *and Groom*) are called to love one another: not just romantically, but with a love that is patient, forgiving, and enduring.

For the **bride and groom**, their union is more than a civil contract or some government benefits—it's a covenant that mirrors Christ's love for the Church. Just as Christ gave His heart fully and unconditionally, spouses are called to give them-

Parish Life Weekend Services & Activities

Upcoming Event Dates at Columban Hall

- Saturday, June 28, 2025 Sunday, July 13, 2025
- Saturday, July 5, 2025

selves completely to one another. This means embracing the joys and the crosses of marriage with the same fidelity and compassion that Christ shows to us.

Some couples even choose to consecrate their marriage to the Sacred Heart to dwell at the center of their relationship and to shape their love in His image. This devotion can be a powerful spiritual anchor, especially in times of difficulty, reminding them that true love is not just about emotion, but about daily acts of service, sacrifice, and grace.

Marriage is a vocation—a call to love as Christ loves: freely, faithfully, fruitfully, and forever. It is a school of self-giving, where spouses are invited to die to self and live for the other, just as Jesus did on the Cross.

The Connection: Love That Reflects the Divine

When we place the Sacred Heart of Jesus alongside the Sacrament of Matrimony, we see a beautiful harmony. The love that flows from Christ's heart is the same love that spouses are called to embody. In fact, marriage becomes a living catechesis, a visible sign of the invisible grace of God's love.

- The wounded heart of Christ reminds spouses that love often involves sacrifice.
- The mercy of Christ teaches forgiveness and reconciliation in marriage.
- The faithfulness of Christ inspires lifelong commitment.

Air Conditioning Fund as of June 22, 2025							
Name/Ministry/Business	Cash Amount Pledge	<u>Name/Ministry/Business</u>	<u>Cash Amount</u>	Name/Ministry/Business	Cash Amount		
Gerard Castor Sr.	\$500.00	Anne Brandt	\$150.00	Linda P. LeBlanc	\$50.00		
Brenda & Khama Smith	\$100.00	Polo benefit sale	\$108.00	Maynor Eusebe	\$50.00		
Melicia Prince	\$100.00	Special collection November 30	\$108.00	Christine S. & Charles N. Paull	\$300.00		
Julienne Haitian Comm. & WAI	PA col. \$303.00	Holy Family Church Choir	\$260.00	Myrtha Bourdeau	\$300.00		
Dolores Velazquez	\$500.00	Viola E. Smith	\$100.00	Margaret Lawrence	\$100.00		
Olga McBean & Eugenia	\$500.00	Melicia Prince	\$20.00	March 15 – 16 collection	\$1,176.00		
Betty Bast	\$400.00	SJW Christmas concert	\$269.00	The Community Foundation	\$25,000.00		
Matilda Huyghue	\$20.00	Lita Daniel	\$100.00	Jose V. & Jolly Kuppamala	\$200.00		
Lana Williams	\$20.00	Alicia Douté	\$150.00	Ann Theophille	\$200.00		
Gerard	\$20.00	Haitian Community	\$1,400.00	Chris Tarvernier (Cydrenia)	\$50.00		
Magdalene Thomas	\$20.00	January 18 – 19 collection	\$1,320.00	Beverly & Joseph R. St. Thomas	\$300.00		
Adriana & Riviere Casimir	\$300.00	Tony E. & Susan Isabella	\$150.00	April 20 collection	\$182.25		
Zernard	\$45.00	Marie Ismaelis	\$100.00	A parishioner	\$20.00		
Total cash on December 15, 202	4 \$452.00	Chrisminte Mombia	\$200.00	Stanley P. Chalon	\$100.00		
St. Joseph Workers	\$14,000.0	0 Edline Piton	\$140.00	Visitors	\$990.00		
Alma Wells	\$500.00	Wilson By	\$300.00	Colin & Caroline Douglas (visitors)	\$2,000.00		
Beverly McClendon	\$300.00	Dulnor Noel	\$200.00	Juliette & Joseph Commodore	\$200.00		
Clarissa T. Battiste funeral	\$80.00	D. Bruge & Kathryn Van Ness	\$50.00	+ In memory of Eugenie England	\$300.00		
Walkathon (Finance Committee	2) \$2,300.00	Paula Andrews	\$300.00	Patricia Ann Carpenter, Katherine	Scott \$40.00		
Tea party (Finance Committee)	\$2,430.00	February 15 – 16 collection	\$1,701.00	Elizabeth & Terry Luecht (visitors)	\$100.00		
Other Contributors	\$1,900.00	Ralph & Bethys	\$500.00	The Dannemiller Foundation (visit	tors) \$1,000.00		
Josette & Jeaniyah	\$20.00	Haitian Community bingo	\$158.00	May 17 – 18 collection	\$944.00		
Cecelia Cruz	\$300.00	Marie Blaise	\$100.00	Nazarine Blaize	\$170.00		
Joseph & Bridget Tousaint	\$300.00	Leon Lafond	\$1,800.00	Holy Family Prayer Group	\$300.00		
Merle Adams-Smithen	\$100.00	Alberto & Nina A. Zimmerman	\$500.00	Mary Ann & Timothy Moos (visitor	r) \$100.00		
Mr. & Mrs. Theresa Fattle	\$300.00	Guerda Conseillant	\$100.00	Diane Strutman (visitor)	\$25.00		
Daniel Quigley	\$250.00	RHM Construction Cydrenia Fe	erness \$300.00	Danielle Simoni (visitor)	\$200.00		
William Parrett	\$5,000.00	Arisol Desir (Cydrenia)	\$300.00	+ In memory of Irene Morris	\$300.00		
Steven Siebers	\$1,500.00	Georgia Pierre Gumbs (Cydreni	a) \$20.00	+ In memory of Margaret George	\$1,000.00		
Renee Greig	\$500.00	Roxanne Gumbs (Gumbs)	\$20.00	Bert Toussaint	\$150.00		
Veda Henry	\$300.00	Vincia & Agnes	\$300.00	Wvaldo, Mona, Tony, Bianca Gonz	alez \$100.00		
Cheryl Malone	\$400.00	Felecita Richards	\$300.00	June 14 – 15 collection	\$413.00		
Joan Thomas Alfred	\$40.00	Clovis Martin Emmanuel	\$50.00	St. Louis Community Foundation	\$75,000.00		
Total amount as of June 22, 2025: \$156,734.25							



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LA VOIX DU DIMANCHE DE LA COMMUNAUTE HAITIENNE

Solanite Sen Pyè ak Sen Pòl, Apot yo – Ane C





REFERANS BIBLIK

Premye Lekti: Travay Apot yo 12:1-11 **Sòm Reponsyèl:** Sòm 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 **Dezyèm Lekti:** 2 Timote 4:6-8, 17-18 **Levanjil:** Matye 16:13-19

LEKTI EKRITI NAN SEMÈN LA

LENDI: Jen 18:16-33; Sòm 103:1b-2, 3-4, 8-9, 10-11; Matye 8:18-22

MADI: Jen 19:15-29; Sòm 26:2-3, 9-10, 11-12; Matye 8:23-27

MÈKREDI: Jen 21:5, 8-20a; Sòm 34:7-8, 10-11, 12-13; Matye 8:28-34

JEDI: Fèt Sen Toma, Apot Efezyen 2:19-22; Sòm 117:1bc, 2; Jan 20:24-29

- VANDREDI: Jen 23:1-4, 19; 24:1-8, 62-67; Sòm 106:1b-2, 3-4a, 4b-5; Matye 9:9-13
- **SAMDI:** Jenèz 27:1-5, 15-29; Sòm 135:1b-2, 3-4, 5-6; Matye 9:14-17

PROCHÈN DIMANCH: 14yèm Dimanch nan Tan Òdinè Ezayi 66:10-14c; Sòm 66:1-3, 4-5, 6-7, 16, 20; Galat 6:14-18; Lik 10:1-12, 17-20

Meditasyon par Pere Yacob Lonfo

Meditasyon sou solanite Sen Pyè ak Sen Pòl, 29 jen.

Jodi a nou pa sèlman selebre de sen, men de gason byen diferan ki ini pa yon sèl misyon: pou pwoklame Kris la bay lemonn. Pyè, pechè pwason ki soti Galile a, enpulsif e pasyone, te chwazi pou l vin wòch sou kote Legliz la t ap bati. Pòl, Farizyen enstwi ki soti Tas, yon lè yon pèsekitè kretyen, te vin Apot pou moun lòt nasyon yo, moun ki te bati legliz yo.

Chemen yo te diferan, pèsonalite yo te distenk, men temwayaj yo te menm: Kris ki te krisifye e ki te resisite.

Pyè raple nou ke lidèchip nan Legliz la pa gen rapò ak pèfeksyon, men ak lanmou ak pèseverans. Menm apre li te fin nye Jezi, li te retabli—pa paske li te san defo, men paske li te konfese peche li epi li te renmen pwofondman. Jezi pa t mande Pyè, "Poukisa ou echwe?" Li te mande, "Èske ou renmen m?"

Pòl montre nou ke pa gen okenn tan lontan ki twò kraze pou Bondye rachte I. Transfòmasyon li soti nan Sòl pou I vin Pòl se yon temwayaj sou pouvwa gras la. Li te andire nofraj, baton, prizon—tout pou Levanjil la. Epoutan, li te kapab di avèk konfyans: "Mwen mennen bon batay la, mwen fini kous la, mwen kenbe lafwa."

Ansanm, Pyè ak Pòl montre nou ke Legliz la pa bati sou fòs imen, men sou mizèrikòd diven. Fèt yo a se yon apèl pou inite, kouraj, ak misyon. Li raple nou ke Bondye itilize moun òdinè pou fè bagay ekstraòdinè si sèlman nou di wi. Epitou, li raple nou ke Bondye rele moun ki pa ekipe, men ekipe yo pou yo pa vante tèt yo.



ANONS PAWAS YO

Chandèl p'ap janm fini an

Chandèl Etènèl la ki boule nan Sanktyè legliz nou an, rapèl Prezans Senyè a nan Trè Sen Ekaristi a, pral boule soti **28 jen rive 4 jiyè** pou **lapè, jistis ak inite pou peyi nou an,** jan yon pawasyen te mande l la.

Mwa Jen: Jen se mwa Sakre Kè Jezi a.

• Jibile fanmi an ak lamarye a ak mesye marye a.

Estajyè pandan ete a: Byenveni ak etidyan **Wens Augustin,** k ap fè estaj nan Biwo Legliz la atravè Pwogram Opòtinite Travay pou Jèn pandan ete 2025 la. Wens pral travay jiska 30 jiyè, lè pwogram nan fini. Li se tou yon sèvitè lotèl epi yon manm ministè medya isit la nan Legliz Fanmi Sentespri a.

Mèsi: Yon gwo mèsi pou Mesye Cecil Forbes pou don yon sipò mikwofòn teleskopik li te fè pou akomode òganis la ak kantor a. Nou priye pou benediksyon Bondye sou Mesye Forbes.

Lamès Gerizon: ap fèt **vandredi 25 jiyè 2025**—6:00 pm nan Sanktyè a. Pote sakraman malad ou yo ak sakraman relijye ou yo pou beni.

Sakraman Batèm Tibebe: Pwochen batèm tibebe a ap fèt 27 jiyè 2025 nan lamès 10:00 am. Tanpri enskri pitit ou a kounye a.

Bousdetid: Travayè Sen Jozèf yo ap ofri bousdetid pou gradye 2025 nan lekòl segondè lokal nou yo. Pou yo konsidere w pou yon bousdetid, ou dwe ale nan Lamès regilyèman epi aktif nan aktivite pawas la. Yo bay yon fèy enskripsyon nan dèyè legliz la. Felisitasyon! Nou swete w plis siksè nan lavni.

Èkondisyone Legliz:

- Tanpri retounen anvlòp èkondisyone w yo bay Pè Modeste oubyen nan biwo a.
- T-shirt pawas la: Disponib nan boutik kado pawas la pou sipòte pwojè a ak Ane Jibile a.

Fèmti Biwo: Biwo legliz la ap fèmen jedi 3 jiyè ak vandredi 4 jiyè 2025, pou selebre Jou Emansipasyon an ak Jou Endepandans lan, respektivman.

Nekrolojyòm: Kominote Pawas Sent Fanmi an prezante sensè senpati bay Shamoi Garcia, Juana Garcia Rios, ak fanmi an pou lanmò papa/frè yo, **Silvio Garcia**, ki te mouri nan dat 30 me 2025. Sèvis fineray li a te fèt vandredi 27 jen 2025 nan Legliz Sent Fanmi an.

Kominote Pawas Sent Fanmi an prezante sensè senpati bay Gizelle George-Joseph ak fanmi an pou lanmò manman l, **Margaret George,** ki te mouri nan dat 3 mas 2025 nan Atlanta, Georgia. Yon mès komemoratif ap fèt **lendi 30 jen 2025** a 10:00 am nan Legliz Sent Fanmi an.

Se pou nanm yo ak nanm fidèl ki mouri yo, grasa mizèrikòd Bondye, repoze anpè. Amèn.

MÈS ENTANSYON

Entansyon lamès la se pou benediksyon anivèsè nesans **Melissa Piton.**

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

 ÒF WIKENN, 21 – 22 Jen 2025
 ÒF: \$3,589.39
 Samdi 5:00 pm: \$694.00
 9:00 am: \$2,895.39
 Dezyèm Koleksyon: \$636.00
 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.



Parish Life







Parish Administrator Father Modeste Digwou



Corpus Christi procession

Parish Pastoral Council

Parish Administrator: Fr. Modeste Digwou Pastoral Team: Yacob Lonfo, Jean Phito Chair: Andrea Shillingford Vice-chair: Francis Callwood Secretary: Maria D.N. "Duchess" Blencowe Treasurer: Cydrenia Ferness Pastor's Advisors: Orville "Sparrow" Rouse Felicine "Baby" Marcellin

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Vincia St. Jean Oliver "Bobby" Williams Silia Erilis Mona Bedminster Michelle Stout

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



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.

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKEND OFFERINGS, June 21 – 22, 2025 Offering: \$3,589.39

Sat. 5:00 PM: \$694.00 9:00 AM: \$2,895.39 Second Collection: \$636.00

Online giving can be made through our website at: <u>www.holyfamilystt.com</u> Thank you for your generosity!

> SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE COMING MONTH

Peter's Pence	June 28-29
Diocesan Seminarians	July 5-6
Restoration Fund	July 5-6
Monthly School Support	July 12-13
Property Insurance	July 19-20
Capital Improvements	July 26-27

Pray For the Sick & Shut-ins

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

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