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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	7:00 A.M.			
Saturday vigil				
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."

PENTECOST SUNDAY JUNE 8, 2025

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WEEKLY REFLECTION

First Reading: Acts 2:1-11 Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13 Gospel: John 20:19-23

By Father Yacob Lonfo

Celebrating the Birth of the Church: A Reflection on Pentecost

As we gather to celebrate the solemnity of Pentecost, we are reminded that the Church was born on this day, empowered by the Holy Spirit to proclaim God's deeds of power to people from every nation. Just as birthdays are cherished by individuals, we, as the people of God, celebrate our own spiritual birthday, marked by the day our names were written in the Book of Life through Baptism.

A Universal Gathering

The Church is a gathering (Ecclesia) of people from the four corners of the globe, a universality of cultures, tribes, and languages. It is not a social club or an elite group, but a field hospital for the sick (terminology proper to Pope Francis), where sinners are called to repentance and healing. The readings today remind us that diversity is not a threat, but a sign of blessings, an opportunity to grow, learn from others, as we remain unique in the eyes of God.

Empowered by the Holy Spirit

The Holy Spirit empowers us to be witnesses to God's love and mercy, giving us diverse gifts for the common good. These gifts can take many forms, such as teaching, prophecy, healing, or service. We are all called to use these gifts to build up the body of Christ and to serve others. As St. Paul reminds us, "To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good."

Forgiveness and Reconciliation

In the Gospel, Jesus breathes the Holy Spirit onto the disciples, giving them the authority to forgive sins and continue his mission of teaching and forgiveness. This gift of forgiveness is at the heart of our faith, empowering us to bring healing and reconciliation to a world wounded by sin and rift. As members of the body of Christ, we are called to work together, using our gifts to serve others. A few questions to continue our meditation: May this Pentecost celebration be a time of spiritual renewal and growth, as we reflect on the transformative power of the Holy Spirit in our lives.

- How has the Holy Spirit guided me in my life?
- What gifts has the Spirit given me, and how can I use them to serve others?
- How can I work towards unity and reconciliation in my relationships and community?
- What does forgiveness mean to me, and how can I extend it to others?

SCRIPTURES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY: The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church Gen 3:9-15, 20; Ps 87:1-2, 3 & 5, 6-7; Jn 19:25-34

TUESDAY: 2 Cor 1:18-22;

Ps 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135; Mt 5:13-16

- WEDNESDAY: Saint Barnabas, Apostle Acts 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Ps 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Mt 5:17-19
- **THURSDAY:** 2 Cor 3:15 4:1, 3-6; Ps 85:9ab & 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 5:20-26

FRIDAY: Saint Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church 2 Cor 4:7-15; Ps 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18; Mt 5:27-32

SATURDAY: 2 Cor 5:14-21; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Mt 5:33-37

NEXT SUNDAY: Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity Prov 8:22-31; Ps 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 5:1-5; Jn 16:12-15

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, June 7th

5:00 PM **† Alvin McBean** → Repose of Soul rb his wife, Olga McBean

† Irene Morris \rightarrow Repose of Soul rb Friends of the Parish

SUNDAY, June 8th

7:30 AM – Hilda Celestine \rightarrow Birthday blessings

 – The children & grandchildren of Hilda Celestine → God's continued blessings, guidance & protection
 – Joan Pascal & Felicinne Marcellin → Birthday blessings

– Corene & Brian Jn-Charles \rightarrow Continued blessings, protection, peace of mind, grace, & God's favor & strength

10:00 AM **+** Rosemund Clement & Eulie Rolle \rightarrow Repose of Soul 5:00 PM **+** Holy souls in purgatory \rightarrow Repose of Souls

MONDAY, June 9th – no Mass

TUESDAY, June 10th

7:00 AM – The benefactors of Holy Family \rightarrow In thanksgiving

WEDNESDAY, June 11th

7:00 AM – **Gilbert St. Cyr** \rightarrow God's help & protection rb a friend

THURSDAY, June 12th

7:00 AM **+ Deceased members of the LaPlace family** \rightarrow Repose of Souls

FRIDAY, June 13th

7:00 AM – **Zoey Prosper** → Birthday blessings & guidance rb her mother

– Rev. Fr. Modeste Digwou → Traveling mercies & God's protection

Announcements	



Eternal Candle

The Eternal Candle which burns in the Sanctuary of our church, the reminder of the Lord's Presence in the Most Holy Eucharist, will burn throughout this coming week for birthday blessings for Joan Pascal and Felicinne Marcellin, requested by Felicinne.

Altar Flowers: Today's Altar flowers are sponsored by **Felicinne Marcellin.** Thank you for beautifying the church and may God continue to bless you.

Bishop's Appeal: This weekend, Pentecost Sunday, we conclude the public phase of the 2025 Bishop's Appeal. Your support brings renewed hope to our church through Catholic education, charitable outreach, and pastoral ministry. Thank you to all who have responded with generosity and faith.

Month of June: June is the month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

• Jubilee of the family and bride and groom.

The Annual Pentecost Rally will take place on St. John, **this Sunday** at **3:00 PM** with a rally in Cruz Bay and continue to Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church. The theme **"Come Holy Spirit"** will be presented by the guest speaker **Sister Petronilla Joseph** from Trinidad. All are invited!

The Holy Family Prayer Group invites all the faithful of the Parish to its regular Prayer, Praise, Worship & Intercessory sessions here at the Church every Monday night from 6:30 to 8:30. This coming Monday, June 9th, there will be a Guest Speaker, Sr. Petronilla Joseph from the island of Trinidad. We look forward to having you as Sr. Petronilla breaks the word of God to us. See you there.

Upcoming Youth Ministry Events:

- June meeting on Friday June 13th at 6:00 PM, venue to be determined
- Youth Mass on June 15th recognizing Father's Day at the 10:00 AM Mass.

Diaconate Ordination of Modestus Ugochukwu Dike: The diaconate ordination has been scheduled as follows:

Date & time: Friday, June 13, 2025 at 10:00 AM

Location: Saints Peter and Paul Cathedral, St. Thomas, USVI All parishioners are invited.

Women's Retreat: Ladies, you're invited to a special day of renewal, connection, and inspiration on **Saturday, June 21, 2025,** 10:00 am – 12:00 pm at OLPH. Confession will begin at 9:30 am.

Healing Mass: will be held on **Friday, June 27, 2025**—6:00 PM at the Shrine. Bring your sick and religious sacramentals to bless.

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.
- Fr. Modeste extends thanks to the Holy Family Prayer Group for their generous donation of \$300.00, and also to Mary Ann Moos and Danielle Simoni for their donations.

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.

Special Collections: A special collection will be taken up **this week** after communion as our participation for **Fr. John Mark's** funeral organization. Thank you for your generosity.

A special collection will be taken up for the air conditioning project **next weekend** at all Masses. Thank you for your generosity.

Necrologium: Holy Family Parish Community extends sincere sympathy to the following families:

- The family of Vivian Ovesen on her passing.
- Jennifer Johnson and family on the passing of her brother, Anthony Stridiron Sr.
- David Durival and family on the passing of his wife, Luz Durival.
- Tenese Lockhart and family on the passing of her mother, Hyacinth Lockhart. Her funeral service will take place on Saturday, June 14, 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.

Catechesis

By Father Yacob Lonfo

June: A Month of Devotion to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Beloved in Christ,

As we enter the month of June, we are reminded that it is a special time to devote ourselves to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Christ. While the world may perceive June as a month of pride, we, as Catholics, know that it is a month to honor the Sacred Heart of Jesus, a symbol of humility, love, and devotion.

The True Meaning of Love

The Sacred Scripture speaks of marriage as a sacred institution, ordained by God, and a mystery that reflects the love between Christ and His Church (Cf. Catechism of the Catholic Church 1602 & Gn 1:26-27). Love, in its purest form, is embodied in the relationship between a man and a woman.

Consecrating Our Homes

This month, let us consecrate our homes to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus and the Immaculate Heart of the Blessed Mother Mary. If you have images of the Sacred Heart and the Immaculate Heart, have them blessed by a priest and display them prominently in your home. If not, consider purchasing them and having them blessed.

Showing Our Devotion

Let us show our devotion to the Sacred Heart by:

- · Displaying Sacred Heart banners or flags in our yards
- Making acts of reparation for the sacrileges and offenses committed against the Sacred Heart
- Spending time in adoration and prayer before the Blessed Sacrament

Parish Life

Weekend Services & Activities

Upcoming Event Dates at Columban Hall

•Saturday, June 7, 2025	•Sunday, June 15, 2025	
•Sunday, June 8, 2025	•Saturday, June 28, 2025	

- •Saturday, June 14, 2025 •Saturday, July 5, 2025
- Attending Mass frequently, especially on the first Friday of each month
- Going to the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) regularly in order to receive Holy Communion in a state of grace
- Practicing kindness, meekness, and humility in our daily lives

The Message of the Sacred Heart

Our Lord's Heart is burning with love for us, and He desires our love in return. As Sister Mary Margaret Alacoque was told by Our Lord, "Behold the Heart which has so loved men that it has spared nothing, even to exhausting and consuming himself to its love..." Let us respond to this love by loving Christ in the way we treat others – our families, friends, coworkers, and even those who hurt us.

A Path to Sanctity

Let us strive for sanctity by loving God and our neighbors. May we pray for those who hurt us, do good to them, and love them as Christ loves us. By doing so, we will be transformed by the love of the Sacred Heart and become instruments of His love in the world.

May this month of June be a time of spiritual renewal and growth in our devotion to the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.

Air Conditioning Fund as of June 1, 2025						
Name/Ministry/Business	Cash Amount	Pledge	Name/Ministry/Business	Cash Amount	Name/Ministry/Business	Cash Amount
Gerard Castor Sr.	\$500.00	ļ	Cheryl Malone	\$400.00	Roxanne Gumbs (Gumbs)	\$20.00
Brenda Smith & Khama Smith	\$100.00	ļ	Joan Thomas Alfred	\$40.00	Vincia & Agnes	\$300.00
Melicia Prince	\$100.00	ļ	Anne Brandt	\$150.00	Felecita Richards	\$300.00
Julienne Haitian Comm. & WAI	PA col. \$303.00	ļ	Polo benefit sale	\$108.00	Clovis Martin Emmanuel	\$50.00
Dolores Velazquez	\$250.00	ļ	Special collection November 30	0 \$108.00	Linda P. LeBlanc	\$50.00
Olga McBean & Eugenia	\$500.00	ļ	Holy Family Church Choir	\$260.00	Maynor Eusebe	\$50.00
Betty Bast	\$400.00	ļ	Viola E. Smith	\$100.00	Christine S. & Charles N. Paull	\$300.00
Matilda Huyghue	\$20.00	ļ	Melicia Prince	\$20.00	Myrrtha Bordeaux	\$300.00
Lana Williams	\$20.00	ļ	SJW Christmas concert	\$269.00	Margaret Lawrence	\$100.00
Gerard	\$20.00	ļ	Lita Daniel	\$100.00	March 15 – 16 collection	\$1,176.00
Magdalene Thomas	\$20.00	ļ	Alicia Douté	\$150.00	The Community Foundation	\$25,000.00
Adriana & Riviere Casnis	\$300.00	ļ	Haitian Community	\$1,400.00	-	\$200.00
Zernard	\$45.00	ļ	January 18 – 19 collection	\$1,320.00	Ann Theophille	\$200.00
Total cash on December 15, 202	24 \$452.00	ļ	Tony E. & Susan Isabella	\$150.00		\$50.00
St. Joseph Workers	Ś	\$14,000.00	Marie Ismaelis	\$100.00	Beverly & Joseph R. St. Thomas	\$300.00
Alma Wells	\$500.00	ļ	Chrisminte Mombia	\$200.00		\$182.25
Beverly McClendon	\$300.00	ļ	Edline Pitoa	\$140.00	A parishioner	\$20.00
Clarissa T. Battiste funeral	\$80.00	ļ	Wilson By	\$300.00	Stanley P. Chalon	\$100.00
Walkathon (Finance Committee	e) \$2,300.00	ļ	Dulnor Noel	\$200.00		\$990.00
Tea party (Finance Committee)	\$2,430.00	ļ	D. Bruge & Kathryn Van Ness	\$50.00	Colin & Caroline Douglas (visitors)	\$) \$2,000.00
Other Contributors	\$1,900.00	ļ	Paula Andrews	\$300.00		\$200.00
Josette & Jeaniyah	\$20.00	ļ	February 15 – 16 collection	\$1,701.00	Eugenie England Memorial	\$300.00
Cecelia Cruz	\$300.00	ļ	Ralph & Bethys	\$500.00	Patricia Ann Carpenter, Katherine	Scott \$40.00
Joseph & Bridget Tousaint	\$300.00	ļ	Haitian Community bingo	\$158.00	Elizabeth & Terry Luecht (visitors)) \$100.00
Merle Adams-Smithen	\$100.00	ļ	Marie Blaise	\$100.00	The Dannemiller Foundation (visit	tors) \$1,000.00
Mr. & Mrs. Theresa Fattle	\$300.00	ļ	Leon Lafond	\$1,800.00	May 17 – 18 collection	\$944.00
Daniel Quigley	\$250.00	ļ	Alberto & Nina A. Zimmerman	\$500.00	Nazarine Blaize	\$170.00
William Parrett	\$5,000.00	ļ	Guerda Conseillant	\$100.00	Holy Family Prayer Group	\$300.00
Steven Siebers	\$1,500.00	ļ	RHM Construction Cydrenia Fe	erness \$300.00	Mary Ann & Timothy Moos (visito	or) \$100.00
Renee Greig	\$500.00	ļ	_Arisol Desir (Cydrenia)	\$300.00	Diane Strutman (visitor)	\$25.00
Veda Henry	\$300.00	!	Georgia Pierre Gumbs (Cydreni	nia) \$20.00	Danielle Simoni (visitor)	\$200.00
Total amount as of June 1, 202	Total amount as of June 1, 2025: \$79,521.25					

Air Conditioning Fund as of June 1, 2025



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Meditasyon par Pere Yacob Lonfo



REFERANS BIBLIK

Premye Lekti: Travay Apot yo 1:1-11 Sòm Reponsyèl: Sòm 47:2-3, 6-7, 8-9 Dezyèm Lekti: Efezyen 1:17-23 Levanjil: Lik 24:46-53

LEKTI EKRITI NAN SEMÈN LA

- LENDI: Senyè Vyèj Mari, Manman Legliz la Jenèz 3:9-15, 20; Sòm 87:1-2, 3 & 5, 6-7; Jan 19:25-34
- MADI: 2 Kor 1:18-22; Sòm 119:129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 135; Matye 5:13-16
- MÈKREDI: Sen Banabas, Apot Travay Apot yo 11:21b-26; 13:1-3; Sòm 98:1, 2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Matye 5:17-19
- JEDI: 2 Kor 3:15 4:1, 3-6; Sòm 85:9ab & 10, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 5:20-26
- VANDREDI: Sen Antwàn de Padoue, Prèt ak Doktè Legliz la 2 Kor 4:7-15; Sòm 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18;

2 Kor 4:7-15; Som 116:10-11, 15-16, 17-18; Mt 5:27-32

SAMDI: 2 Kor 5:14-21; Sòm 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12; Mt 5:33-37 PROCHÈN DIMANCH: Solanite Trè Sen Trinite a

Pwovèb 8:22-31; Sòm 8:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Women 5:1-5; Jan 16:12-15

Selebre Nesans Legliz la: Yon Refleksyon sou Pannkòt

Pandan n ap rasanble pou selebre solanite Pannkòt la, nou sonje ke Legliz la te fèt nan jou sa a, avèk pouvwa Sentespri a pou I pwoklame zèv puisans Bondye bay moun ki soti nan tout nasyon. Menm jan anivèsè nesans yo selebre pa moun, nou menm, antanke pèp Bondye a, nou selebre pwòp anivèsè nesans espirityèl nou, make pa jou non nou te ekri nan Liv Lavi a atravè Batèm.

Yon Rasanbleman Inivèsèl

Legliz la se yon rasanbleman (Ecclesia) moun ki soti nan kat kwen glòb la, yon inivèsalite kilti, tribi ak lang. Li pa yon klib sosyal oswa yon gwoup elit, men yon lopital sou teren pou malad yo (tèminoloji pwòp Pap Franswa), kote pechè yo rele pou repantans ak gerizon. Lekti jodi a raple nou ke divèsite pa yon menas, men yon siy benediksyon, yon opòtinite pou grandi, aprann nan men lòt moun, pandan n ap rete inik nan je Bondye.

Pouvwa Sentespri a

Sentespri a ban nou pouvwa pou nou temwen lanmou ak mizèrikòd Bondye, li ban nou divès kado pou byen komen an. Don sa yo ka pran plizyè fòm, tankou ansèyman, pwofesi, gerizon, oswa sèvis. Nou tout gen misyon pou nou itilize don sa yo pou nou bati kò Kris la epi pou nou sèvi lòt moun. Jan Sen Pòl fè nou sonje, "Chak moun resevwa manifestasyon Lespri a pou byen komen an."

Padon ak Rekonsilyasyon

Nan Levanjil la, Jezi soufle Sentespri a sou disip yo, li ba yo otorite pou yo padone peche epi kontinye misyon ansèyman ak padon li. Don padon sa a nan kè lafwa nou, li ban nou pouvwa pou nou pote gerizon ak rekonsilyasyon nan yon mond ki blese pa peche ak divizyon. Antanke manm kò Kris la, nou gen misyon pou nou travay ansanm, pou nou itilize don nou yo pou nou sèvi lòt moun. Kèk kesyon pou nou kontinye meditasyon nou an: Se pou selebrasyon Pannkòt sa a yon moman renouvèlman ak kwasans espirityèl, pandan n ap reflechi sou pouvwa transfòmasyon Sentespri a nan lavi nou.

- Kijan Sentespri a gide m nan lavi m?
- Ki don Lespri a ban mwen, e kijan mwen ka itilize yo pou m sèvi lòt moun?
- Kijan mwen ka travay pou inite ak rekonsilyasyon nan relasyon mwen yo ak nan kominote mwen an?
- Kisa padon vle di pou mwen, e kijan mwen ka ofri l bay lòt moun?

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 pandan tout semèn k ap vini an pou benediksyon anivèsè nesans **Joan Pascal ak Felicinne Marcellin,** jan Felicinne te mande l la.

Flè Lotèl: Felicinne Marcellin patwone flè lotèl jodi a. Mèsi paske w ap anbeli legliz la e se pou Bondye kontinye beni w.

Apèl Evèk la: Wikenn sa a, Dimanch Pannkòt, nou pral fini faz piblik Apèl Evèk 2025 la. Sipò ou pote yon nouvo espwa nan legliz nou an atravè edikasyon katolik, travay charitab, ak ministè pastoral. Mèsi a tout moun ki te reponn avèk jenewozite ak lafwa.

Mwa Jen: Jen se mwa Sakre Kè Jezi a.

• Jibile fanmi an ak lamarye ak mesye marye a.

Rasanbleman Pannkòt Anyèl la ap fèt nan Sen Jan, dimanch sa a a 3:00 pm avèk yon rasanbleman nan Cruz Bay epi kontinye nan Legliz Notre Dame de Mont Carmel. Tèm "Vini Sentespri" a pral prezante pa oratris envite Sè Petronilla Joseph ki soti Trinidad. Tout moun envite!

Gwoup Priyè Holy Family an envite tout fidèl nan Pawas la nan sesyon Priyè, Louwanj, Adorasyon ak Entèsesyon regilye li yo isit la nan Legliz la chak Lendi swa soti 6:30 pou rive 8:30. Lendi 9 jen k ap vini an, pral gen yon Oratris Envite, **Sè Petronilla Joseph** ki soti nan zile Trinidad. Nou espere resevwa w pandan Sè Petronilla ap anonse pawòl Bondye a ban nou. N ap wè w la.

Evènman Ministè Jèn kap vini yo:

- Reyinyon mwa jen an **vandredi 13 jen** a 6:00 pm, kote a poko detèmine.
- Mès Jèn an 15 jen pou selebre Fèt Papa yo nan Mès 10:00 am.

Òdinasyon Dyak Modestus Ugochukwu Dike: Òdinasyon dyak la pwograme jan sa a:

Dat ak lè: Vandredi 13 jen 2025 a 10:00 am

Kote: **Katedral Sen Pyè ak Sen Pòl,** Sen Toma, Zile Vyèj Ameriken yo

Tout pawasyen yo envite.

Retrè pou Medam yo: Medam, nou envite nou nan yon jounen espesyal pou renouvèlman, koneksyon, ak enspirasyon samdi 21 jen 2025, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm nan OLPH. Konfesyon an ap kòmanse a 9:30 am.

Klima Legliz la:

- Tanpri retounen anvlòp klima ou 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.
- Pè Modeste remèsye Gwoup Priyè Fanmi Sentespri a pou donasyon jenere \$300.00 yo a, epi tou Mary Ann Moos ak Danielle Simoni pou donasyon yo.

Mès Gerizon: ap fèt **vandredi 27 jen 2025**—6:00 pm nan Sanktyè a. Pote sakraman relijye ou yo ak moun ki malad yo pou beni.

MÈS ENTANSYON

Entansyon Lamès la se pou repo nanm sen yo ki nan purgatwa.

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, 31 Me – 1ye Jen 2025 ÒF: \$3,580.00 Samdi 5:00 pm: \$998.00 7:

7:30 am: \$1,301.00 5:00 pm: \$142.00

10:00 am: \$1,139.00 Dezyèm Koleksyon: \$1,226.00

Èkondisyone: \$300.00 ÒF LA SEMÈN: 4 Jen: \$32.00

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

NOUVÈL KOMINOTE A

- Reyinyon koral: chak Mèkredi a 6:30 p.m.

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

ANONS, KONTINYE

Koleksyon Espesyal: Yon koleksyon espesyal pral fèt semèn sa a apre kominyon kòm patisipasyon nou pou òganizasyon fineray Pè John Mark la. Mèsi pou jenewozite ou.

Yo pral fè yon koleksyon espesyal pou pwojè èkondisyone a **wikenn pwochen** nan tout Lamès yo. Mèsi pou jenewozite ou.

Nekrolojyòm: Kominote Pawas Fanmi Sen an prezante senpati sensè li bay fanmi sa yo:

- Fanmi Vivian Ovesen pou lanmò li.
- Jennifer Johnson ak fanmi li pou lanmò frè li, Anthony Stridiron Sr.
- David Durival ak fanmi li pou lanmò madanm li, Luz Durival.
- Tenese Lockhart ak fanmi li pou lanmò manman li, Hyacinth Lockhart. Sèvis fineray li a ap fèt samdi 14 jen 2025 a 10:00 am nan Legliz Fanmi Sen an.

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

Parish Life

Holy Family was represented on the Kon Tiki boat ride.



Parish Administrator Father Modeste Digwou



Bishop Jerome Feudjio Pope L





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, May 31 – June 1, 2025 Offering: \$3,580.00

Sat. 5:00 PM: \$998.00 10:00 AM: \$1,139.00 acond Collection: \$1,226 7:30 AM: \$1,301.00 5:00 PM: \$142.00

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SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE COMING MONTH

Restoration Fund	May 31-June 1
Bishop's Appeal	June 7-8
Property Insurance	June 14-15
Father's Day	June 14-15
Capital Improvements	June 21-22
Peter's Pence	
Diocesan Seminarians	July 5-6
Restoration Fund	July 5-6

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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Silia Erilis Betty Bast Oliver "Bobby" Williams

Myrtha Bourdeau Olga McBean s Viola Williams

Economic Parish Council

Parish Administrator: Fr. Modeste Digwou

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Members:

Mona Bedminster Yvonne Brutus

Pastoral Animation Team

Fr. Modeste Digwou Monique Ferrell Jean Dragin Glendia Caines Francis Callwood Carmen White

Decoration Committee

Viola Williams Hilda Celestine Silia Erilis Angele Lundy Oliver "Bobby" Williams McFarlane Babulal Glendia Caines Jean Dragin Vilson By

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

Pray For the Sick & Shut-ins

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

AT HOME: Malaine Alexander, St. Helaire Antoine, Carol Baron, François Baron, Philomen Baron, Madelene Bastien, James Bellot, Rose Celestine, Baby Elizabeth Dolphin, Maggie Dolphin, Anthony Estime, Winifred Garfield, John George, John & Norma Gimenez, Meraldo C. Gonzales, Vernelle Gumbs, Gail Homer, Francis & Henrietta JohnBattiste, Owen Johnrose, Thomas Johnson, Pauline Jolly, Bernice Knight, Cleopha Rawlings, Wende Rouse, Evelyn Simon, Paquita Steele, Iona Vanterpool.

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Church Attendance: 304 persons attended Holy Mass last weekend.

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