



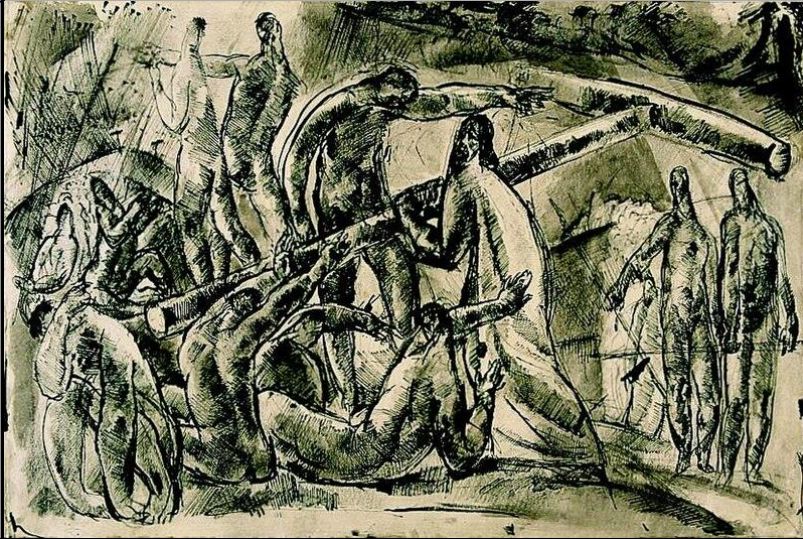
**Diocese of
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**Holy Family
Church**



Mass Schedule

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

Devotions

Holy Hour

Wednesday following Holy Mass

Novena Holy Mass to O.L.P.H.

Wednesday..... 7:00 A.M.

Novena Holy Mass to Sacred Heart

First Friday..... 7:00 A.M.

CHURCH DIRECTORY

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

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

PAROCHIAL VICAR

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- Ms. Silia Erilis • Orville "Sparrow" Rouse (weekdays)
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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.

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."

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
AUGUST 17, 2025

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WEEKLY REFLECTION

First Reading: Jeremiah 38:4-6, 8-10

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 40:2, 3, 4, 18

Second Reading: Hebrews 12:1-4

Gospel: Luke 12:49-53

By Father Modeste Digwou

"I have come to bring a fire to the earth, and how I wish it was already lit." Jesus proclaimed: "Blessed are the peacemakers." He who appeared "to guide our steps on a road of peace," he "who is our peace," tells us that fidelity to his Gospel will lead his disciples to be misunderstood. It will be for them to be rejected even by those who are dearest to them. The Word of Jesus at work in our hearts will lead us to make choices that counter-slope to certain comforts of life or thought of our group. To the commitment of Jesus up to the Cross for the salvation of the world will have to respond to the courage of the baptized to testify to him even in family life. The victory will be to bring the peace of Jesus in a family divided by the trial. What a suffering for Jesus to wait for this baptism, which first expresses his Passion and Resurrection, to be accomplished in us. It is an anguished pain that we can understand because we must consent to the salvation brought by Jesus. We live in anguish before the darkness that inhabits us before taking the path of Peace. We want to put ourselves in the school of Jesus, waiting for God's patience in the night of faith. We experience that our life is inhabited by a fire of love that attracts us to God: "Come to the Father."



SCRIPTURES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY: Jgs 2:11-19; Ps 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab & 44; Mt 19:16-22

TUESDAY: Jgs 6:11-24a; Ps 85:9, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 19:23-30

WEDNESDAY: *Saint Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church*
Jgs 9:6-15; Ps 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 20:1-16

THURSDAY: *Saint Pius X, Pope*
Jgs 11:29-39a; Ps 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Mt 22:1-14

FRIDAY: *Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary*
Ru 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22;
Ps 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Mt 22:34-40

SATURDAY: Ru 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17; Ps 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5;
Mt 23:1-12

NEXT SUNDAY: *21st Sunday in Ordinary Time*
Is 66:18-21; Ps 117:1, 2; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30

MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, August 16th

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

SUNDAY, August 17th

7:30 AM – **Louise Questel & family** → God's continued blessings rb Louise

– **The children and grandchildren of Mary Roberts** → Deliverance rb Mary Roberts

10:00 AM – **Vivian B. René** → Birthday blessings rb the René family

– **Anekhaili Pacquette** → Birthday blessings rb his mother

5:00 PM – **Dulnor Noel** → God's blessings & healing rb the Haitian community

MONDAY, August 18th – no Mass

TUESDAY, August 19th

7:00 AM – **Janna Cammie** → Birthday blessings rb Urelca Jn Baptiste

WEDNESDAY, August 20th

7:00 AM – **Wende Rouse** → Birthday blessings rb family & the Children of Mary

THURSDAY, August 21st

7:00 AM – **Cynthia Charles, O'Ran Joseph, Kishorn Duncan, & Brothers** → deliverance & protection rb Cynthia Charles

FRIDAY, August 22nd

7:00 AM – † **Joseph "Pepe" Laurent** → Repose of Soul

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 **August 16th to August 22nd** for deliverance for the **children and grandchildren of Mary Roberts**, requested by Mary Roberts.

Month of August: August is the month of the **Immaculate Heart of Mary** and Jubilee of **Our Lady of Cassi Hill**.

Thank You: Fr. Modeste says thank you to the following individuals and ministries:

- The **Dominican Association** for their donation of \$500 for the A/C project;
- **Saint Joseph Workers** for their donation of \$30,000 for the A/C project, \$1,000 for Columban Hall, and \$1,000 for the Bishop's Appeal;
- **Michael and Mary Lee** for their donation of \$500 for the A/C project;

Fr. Modeste also thanks **Father Bertrand Ngaleu** for the three days of spiritual journey preparing us for the Assumption and the Cassi Hill pilgrimage.

Cassi Hill Pilgrimage: Holy Family Parish invites its Parishioners, all Parishes, and the entire community to participate in the 78th Annual Pilgrimage of Our Lady of Cassi Hill. The pilgrimage will take place **this Sunday, August 17, 2025**, starting at 2:00 PM from the Four Winds Plaza to the Shrine.

Committee Meetings:

- **Monday, August 18th** at 5:00 PM: A/C Project Committee
- **Wednesday, August 20th** at 5:00 PM: Finance committee
- **Thursday, August 21st** at 6:00 PM: Pastoral Council

CCD Registration: Contact the church office. Pick up a registration form to fill out.

CCD Teachers: There will be a retreat for CCD teachers on **Saturday, August 23, 2025** at 11:00 AM.

Sacrament of Infant Baptism: The next infant Baptism will take place on **August 24, 2025** at the 5:00 PM Mass. Please register your child now.

Healing Mass: The next healing mass will be held on **Friday, August 29, 2025—6:00 PM** at the Shrine (weather permitting). Bring your sick and religious sacramental to be blessed.

Back-to-School: As our students return to school, we wish them God's blessings and protection for a safe and successful school year.

The Church is open every **Wednesday** from **7:00 AM to 3:00 PM**. Come and spend some valuable spiritual time with the Lord while meditating and reflecting.

Hospitality Lounge: Please continue to support the lounge. Donations of sandwiches, pastries and juices are accepted.

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.

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.

Necrologium: Holy Family Parish Community extends sincere sympathy to:

Marissa McFarlane and family on the passing of her mother, **Mildred Agatha Payne-McFarlane**, who died on June 24, 2025. Her funeral service will take place on **Tuesday, August 19, 2025** at 10:00 am at Holy Family Church.

Lisette Lima-Herman and family on the passing of her father, **Louis "Louie" Lima**, who died on July 28, 2025. His funeral service will take place on **Friday, August 22, 2025** at 10:00 am at Holy Family Church.

Theresa Querrard and family on the passing of her brother, **Andre Ledee**, who died on July 13, 2025. A **memorial service** will be held on **Thursday, August 28, 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 Fr. Modeste Digwou

MARY, MODEL OF HOPE

Mary welcomed the message of the Archangel Gabriel in faith and hope. She participated with the Jewish people in waiting for the Messiah. For centuries, the prophets had been announcing the coming of the Savior. Mary opens her heart to the Lord, saying that everything happens according to your Word. She surrenders herself to the will of God so that the plan of salvation may be realized. She accepts to be the mother of the beloved Son of the Father. The expectation of the birth of Jesus nourishes hope in her. She carried all the events concerning the life of Jesus in her heart and in prayer. She lives her role as a mother and accompanies Jesus and the apostles in their mission. She is a witness to the signs manifested by Jesus during his public life. She is present at the death and resurrection of Christ. At the foot of the cross, she becomes the mother of the Church and accompanies us in our expectation of the Parousia and thus in the hope of eternal life. By her testimony, she presents herself to us as a model of hope. I thank the Lord for allowing us to welcome Mary as Mother of God and Mother of the Church.

Parish Life

Upcoming Event Dates at Columban Hall

- Sunday, August 17, 2025
- Friday, August 22, 2025
- Wednesday, August 27, 2025
- Saturday, August 30, 2025
- Saturday, September 6, 2025
- Saturday, September 13, 2025
- Sunday, September 14, 2025



Air Conditioning Fund as of August 10, 2025

<u>Name/Ministry/Business</u>	<u>Cash Amount</u>	<u>Name/Ministry/Business</u>	<u>Cash Amount</u>	<u>Name/Ministry/Business</u>	<u>Cash Amount</u>
Gerard Castor Sr.	\$500.00	Viola E. Smith	\$125.00	Jose V. & Jolly Kuppamala	\$200.00
Brenda & Khama Smith	\$100.00	Melicia Prince	\$20.00	Ann Theophille	\$200.00
Melicia Prince	\$100.00	SJW Christmas concert	\$269.00	Chris Tarvernier (Cydrenia)	\$50.00
Julienne Haitian Comm. & WAPA col.	\$303.00	Lita Daniel	\$100.00	Beverly & Joseph R. St. Thomas	\$300.00
Dolores Velazquez	\$500.00	Alicia Douté	\$150.00	April 20 collection	\$182.25
Olga McBean & Eugenia	\$500.00	Haitian Community	\$1,400.00	A parishioner	\$20.00
Betty Bast	\$400.00	January 18 – 19 collection	\$1,320.00	Stanley P. Chalon	\$100.00
Matilda Huyghue	\$20.00	Tony E. & Susan Isabella	\$150.00	Visitors	\$990.00
Lana Williams	\$20.00	Marie Ismaelis	\$100.00	Colin & Caroline Douglas (visitors)	\$2,000.00
Gerard	\$20.00	Chrisminte Mombia	\$200.00	Juliette & Joseph Commodore	\$200.00
Magdalene Thomas	\$20.00	Edline Piton	\$140.00	† In memory of Eugenie England	\$300.00
Adriana & Riviere Casimir	\$300.00	Wilson By	\$300.00	Patricia Ann Carpenter, Katherine Scott	\$40.00
Zernard	\$45.00	Dulnor Noel	\$200.00	Elizabeth & Terry Luecht (visitors)	\$100.00
Total cash on December 15, 2024	\$452.00	D. Bruge & Kathryn Van Ness	\$50.00	The Dannemiller Foundation (visitors)	\$1,000.00
Alma Wells	\$500.00	Paula Andrews	\$300.00	May 17 – 18 collection	\$944.00
Beverly McClendon	\$300.00	February 15 – 16 collection	\$1,701.00	Nazarine Blaize	\$170.00
Clarissa T. Battiste funeral	\$80.00	Ralph & Bethys	\$500.00	Holy Family Prayer Group	\$300.00
Walkathon (Finance Committee)	\$2,300.00	Haitian Community bingo	\$158.00	Mary Ann & Timothy Moos (visitor)	\$100.00
Tea party (Finance Committee)	\$2,430.00	Marie Blaise	\$100.00	Diane Strutman (visitor)	\$25.00
Other Contributors	\$1,900.00	Leon Lafond	\$1,800.00	Danielle Simoni (visitor)	\$200.00
Josette & Jeanyiah	\$20.00	Alberto & Nina A. Zimmerman	\$500.00	† In memory of Irene Morris	\$300.00
Cecelia Cruz	\$300.00	Guerda Conseillant	\$100.00	† In memory of Margaret George	\$1,000.00
Joseph & Bridget Tousaint	\$300.00	RHM Construction Cydrenia Ferness	\$300.00	Bert Toussaint	\$150.00
Merle Adams-Smith	\$100.00	Arisol Desir (Cydrenia)	\$300.00	Wvaldo, Mona, Tony, Bianca Gonzalez	\$100.00
Mr. & Mrs. Theresa Fattle	\$300.00	Georgia Pierre Gumbs (Cydrenia)	\$20.00	June 14 – 15 collection	\$413.00
Daniel Quigley	\$250.00	Roxanne Gumbs (Gumbs)	\$20.00	St. Louis Community Foundation	\$75,000.00
William Parrett	\$5,000.00	Vincia & Agnes	\$300.00	Thomas Casimir	\$300.00
Steven Siebers	\$1,500.00	Felecita Richards	\$300.00	† In memory of Lorna Greig	\$500.00
Renee Greig	\$500.00	Clovis Martin Emmanuel	\$50.00	July 19 – 20 Collection	\$246.25
Veda Henry	\$300.00	Linda P. LeBlanc	\$50.00	Victoria Greenaway	\$100.00
Cheryl Malone	\$400.00	Maynor Eusebe	\$50.00	Henry Tomasuolo (visitor)	\$300.00
Joan Thomas Alfred	\$40.00	Christine S. & Charles N. Paull	\$300.00	Laura & Daniel Quigley (visitors)	\$250.00
Anne Brandt	\$150.00	Myrtha Bourdeau	\$300.00	Billie Crawford	\$113.00
Polo benefit sale	\$108.00	Margaret Lawrence	\$100.00	Dominica Association	\$500.00
Special collection November 30	\$108.00	March 15 – 16 collection	\$1,176.00	St. Joseph Workers	\$30,000.00
Holy Family Church Choir	\$260.00	The Community Foundation	\$25,000.00	Michael & Mary Lee (visitors)	\$500.00
Total amount as of August 10, 2025: \$175,568.50					



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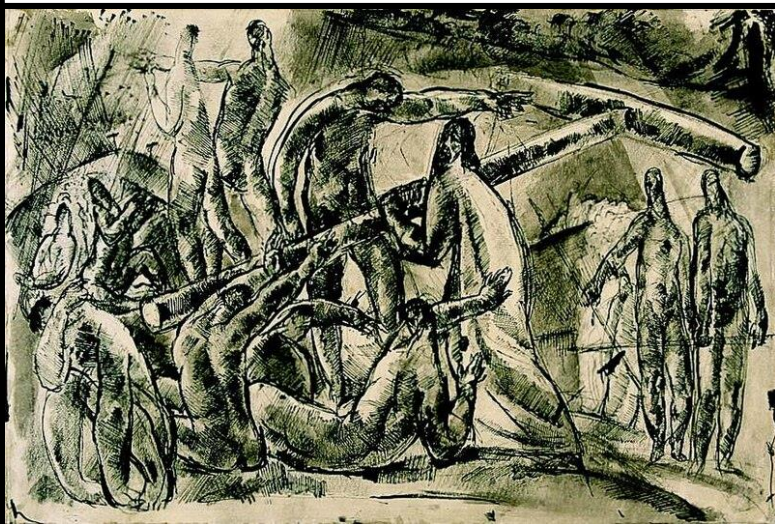
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LA VOIX DU DIMANCHE DE LA COMMUNAUTE HAITIENNE

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Meditasyon par Pè Modeste Digwou

“Mwen vini pou m pote yon dife sou tè a, epi jan mwen ta swete li te deja limen.” Jezi te pwoklame: “Benediksyon pou moun k ap fè lapè yo.” Sila a ki te parèt “pou gide pa nou sou yon chemen lapè”, li menm “ki se lapè nou an”, li di nou ke fidelite anvè Levanjil li a ap fè disip li yo mal konprann. Se va menm pou moun ki pi chè pou yo rejte yo. Pawòl Jezi a k ap travay nan kè nou ap mennen nou fè chwa ki kontrè ak sèten konfò nan lavi a oswa panse gwoup nou an. Angajman Jezi rive sou kwa a pou delivrans mond lan ap gen pou nou reponn a kouraj moun ki batize yo pou temwaye pou li menm nan lavi famiyal. Viktwa a ap pote lapè Jezi a nan yon fanmi divize pa eprèv la. Ala yon soufrans pou Jezi tann batèm sa a, ki ekspriye Pasyon ak Rezirèksyon li an premye, pou l akonpli nan nou. Se yon doulè angwas ke nou ka konprann paske nou dwe dakò ak delivrans Jezi pote a. Nou viv nan angwas devan fènwa ki abite nou anvan nou pran chemen Lapè a. Nou vle mete tèt nou nan lekòl Jezi a, ap tann pasyans Bondye nan mitan lannwit lafwa a. Nou fè eksperyans ke lavi nou abite nan yon dife lanmou ki atire nou bò kote Bondye: “Vin jwenn Papa a.”

REFERANS BIBLIK

Premye Lekti: Jeremi 38:4-6, 8-10

Sòm Reponsyèl: Sòm 40:2, 3, 4, 18

Dezyèm Lekti: Ebre 12:1-4

Levanjil: Lik 12:49-53

LEKTI EKRTI NAN SEMÈN LA

LENDI: Jij 2:11-19; Sòm 106:34-35, 36-37, 39-40, 43ab & 44; Mt 19:16-22

MADI: Jij 6:11-24a; Sòm 85:9, 11-12, 13-14; Mt 19:23-30

MÈKREDI: *Sen Bernard, Abè ak Doktè Legliz la*

Jij 9:6-15; Sòm 21:2-3, 4-5, 6-7; Mt 20:1-16

JEDI: *Sen Pi X, Pap*

Jij 11:29-39a; Sòm 40:5, 7-8a, 8b-9, 10; Mt 22:1-14

VANDREDI: *Rèn Vyèj Mari a*

Ròm 1:1, 3-6, 14b-16, 22;

Sòm 146:5-6ab, 6c-7, 8-9a, 9bc-10; Mt 22:34-40

SAMDÌ: Ròm 2:1-3, 8-11; 4:13-17; Sòm 128:1b-2, 3, 4, 5;

Mt 23:1-12

PROCHÈN DIMANCH: 21yèm Dimanch nan Tan Òdinè

Ezayi 66:18-21; Sòm 117:1, 2; Ebre 12:5-7, 11-13;

Lik 13:22-30



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 **16 Out** pou rive **22 Out** pou delivrans **pitit ak pitit pitit Mary Roberts yo**, jan Mary Roberts te mande l la.

Mwa Out: Out se mwa **Kè Imakile Mari** a ak **Jibile Notre Dame de Cassi Hill**.

Mèsi: Pè Modeste di mèsi a moun ak ministè sa yo:

- **Asosyasyon Dominikèn** nan pou donasyon \$500 yo pou pwojè èkondisyone a;
- **Travayè Sen Jozèf yo** pou donasyon \$30,000 yo pou pwojè èkondisyone a, \$1,000 pou Columban Hall, ak \$1,000 pou Apèl Evèk la;
- **Michael ak Mary Lee** pou donasyon \$500 yo pou pwojè èkondisyone a;

Pè Modeste remèsye tou Pè Bertrand Ngaleu pou twa jou vwayaj espirityèl k ap prepare nou pou Asompsyon an ak pelerinaj Cassi Hill.

Pelerinaj Cassi Hill: Pawas Sent Fanmi an envite pawasyen li yo, tout pawas yo, ak tout kominote a pou patisipe nan 78yèm Pelerinaj Anyèl Notre Dame de Cassi Hill la. Pelerinaj la ap fèt **dimanch sa a, 17 out 2025**, apati 2:00 pm soti nan Kat Van Plas pou rive nan Sanktyè a.

Reyinyon Komite yo:

- **Lendi 18 Out** a 5:00 pm: Komite Pwojè Èkondisyone
- **Mèkredi 20 Out** a 5:00 pm: Komite Finans
- **Jedi 21 Out** a 6:00 pm: Konsèy Pastoral

Enskripsyon CCD: Kontakte biwo legliz la. Pran yon fòm enskripsyon pou ranpli.

Pwofesè CCD yo: Pral gen yon retrèt pou pwofesè CCD yo samdi 23 Out 2025 a 11:00 am.

Sakraman Batèm Tibebe: Pwochen batèm tibebe a ap fèt **24 out 2025** nan mès 5:00 pm. Tanpri enskri pitit ou kounye a.

Mès Gerizon: Pwochen mès gerizon an ap fèt **vandredi 29 out 2025**—6:00 pm nan Sanktyè a (si tan an pèmèt). Pote sakraman malad ou ak relijye ou pou yo beni.

Retounen Lekòl: Pandan elèv nou yo ap retounen lekòl, nou swete yo benediksyon ak pwoteksyon Bondye pou yon ane lekòl ki an sekirite e ki reyisi.

Legliz la ouvè chak mèkredi soti **7am** pou rive **3pm**. Vin pase yon bon moman espirityèl ak Senyè a pandan w ap medite epi reflechi.

Salon Akèy: Tanpri kontinye sipòte salon an. Nou aksepte donasyon sandwich, patisri ak ji.

CCD: Pawas la ap chèche pwofesè volontè pou ede ak CCD ak Edikasyon Relijye.

Manje ki pa gate: Nou pral kolekte manje ki pa gate **wikenn pwochen** an nan chak Sen Lamès pandan ofrann, apre pwosesyon an apre koleksyon an. Lajan yo pral benefisye Òganizasyon Charite Katolik ak moun ki fèmèn nan Pawas nou an. Nou remèsye w pou jenewozite w.

MÈS ENTANSYON

Entansyon Lamès la se pou benediksyon Bondye ak gerizon pou **Dulnor Noel**, jan kominote Ayisyèn nan te mande sa.

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, 9 – 10 out 2025

Òf: \$3,205.00

Sam. 5:00 pm: \$594.00

7:30 am: \$1,694.00

10:00 am: \$748.00

5:00 pm: \$169.00

Dezyèm Koleksyon: \$935.00

Fon pou Èkondisyone: \$31,000.00

ÒF SEMÈN: \$271.00

13 out, 7:00 am: \$28.00

13 out (misyon): \$70.00

14 out (misyon): \$109.00

15 out 7:00 am: \$64.00

Yo ka fè bay sou entènèt sou sitwèb nou an nan:

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Mèsi pou jenewozite 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.

Nekrolojyòm: Kominote Pawas Fanmi Sen an prezante sensè senpati bay:

Marissa McFarlane ak fanmi li pou lanmò manman l, **Mildred Agatha Payne-McFarlane**, ki te mouri nan dat 24 jen 2025. Sèvis finaray li a ap fèt **madi 19 out 2025** a 10:00 am nan Legliz Fanmi Sen an.


Lisette Lima-Herman ak fanmi li pou lanmò papa l, **Louis "Louie" Lima**, ki te mouri nan dat 28 jiyè 2025. Sèvis finaray li a ap fèt **vandredi 22 out 2025** a 10:00 am nan Legliz Fanmi Sen an.

Theresa Querrard ak fanmi li pou lanmò frè l, **Andre Ledee**, ki te mouri nan dat 13 jiyè 2025. Yon **sèvis komemoratif** ap fèt **jedi 28 out 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



 *Leo P.P. XIV*
Pope Leo XIV



Bishop Jerome Feudjio



Parish Administrator
Father Modeste Digwou

Parish Pastoral Council

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Vice-chair: Francis Callwood

Secretary: Maria D.N. "Duchess" Blencowe

Treasurer: Cydrenia Ferness

Pastor's Advisors: Orville "Sparrow" Rouse
Felicine "Baby" Marcellin

Members:

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Oliver "Bobby" Williams	Viola Williams

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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.

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Pray For the Sick & Shut-ins

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HOSPITALIZED:

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

Church Attendance:

292 persons attended Holy Mass last weekend.

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