



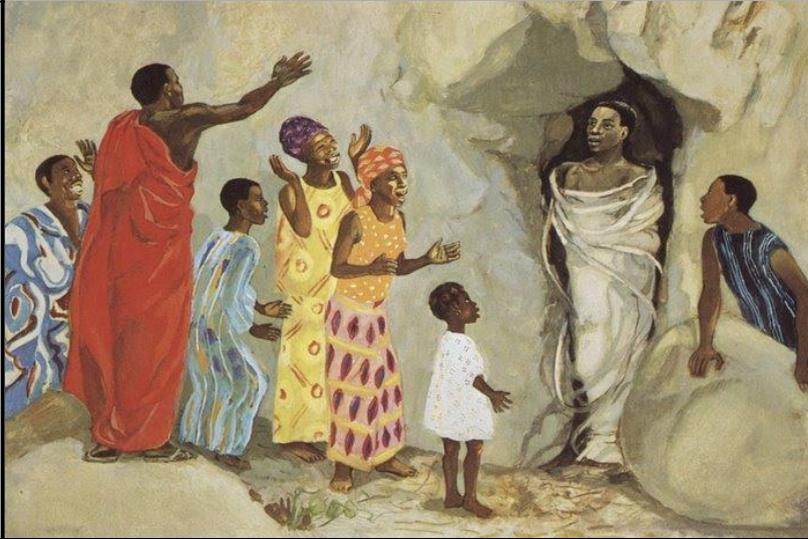
Diocese of Saint Thomas

Holy Family Catholic Church

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Holy Family Church



Lenten Mass Schedule

Monday – Thursday 7 A.M. & 6 P.M.
Wednesday 7 A.M., noon, & 6 P.M.
Friday 6:00 P.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

Rev. Fr. Yacob Lonfo Fopa

Administrative Asst.: Ms. Carmen A. White

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Sacristans:

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

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."

FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT– YEAR A
MARCH 22, 2026

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WEEKLY REFLECTION

First Reading: Ezekiel 37:12-14
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8
Second Reading: Romans 8:8-11
Gospel: John 11:1-45

By Fr. Yacob Lonfo

Let him go free

The story of our Lord Jesus raising his friend Lazarus from the dead is a story of love, faith and belief. In this episode, there are three different groups of believers: those who believe that Jesus could have prevented Lazarus' death (Jesus is already known to be a healer); those who came to believe in him because they see Lazarus rise, and those, like Martha, who believe in Jesus even though Lazarus died.

In this Gospel Christ proclaims himself "the resurrection and the life." We see him deeply moved by the death of his friend. We find him in earnest prayer with God. We see him full of strength as he commands Lazarus to come out of the tomb. One thing that is rarely commented on about this story is the image of love that pervades it. Jesus has treated the Samaritan woman with dignity, respect, gentleness and love, and reached out in love to heal the blind man without being asked. In this story his love for Martha, Mary and Lazarus, and the grief he feels because of that love, are very clearly seen.

For me, it brings together once again the connection between faith and love. If John intended this story to reassure his community (those who have faith in Jesus Christ) then he makes clear that they are also loved by Jesus, and suggests in a certain manner our Lord Jesus, too, weeps when harm (illness and death) come to his friends (believers). The ultimate reassurance is that this loving, faith-filled relationship we have with Jesus not only sustains us in life but also sees us through the dark moments of suffering and death. Finally, we will be free.

For me, the most powerful words in the Gospel are: Unbind him, let him go free. Freedom is one of the deepest aspirations of the human heart. We long to be free – from illness, worry, fear, (especially at the moment) the expectations of others, guilt, our faults and so on. The ultimate freedom is freedom from eternal death, eternal separation from God.

We know we can be physically alive and spiritually dead through envy, greed, fear, hatred. We know we can bring death to others through lies, gossip, meanness, cruelty, withholding forgiveness and so on. By living the life of Christ we bring life, love and freedom to ourselves and each other.

SCRIPTURES OF THE WEEK

MONDAY: Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62;
Ps 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Jn 8:1-11
TUESDAY: Nm 21:4-9; Ps 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21; Jn 8:21-30
WEDNESDAY: *Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord*
Is 7:10-14; 8:10; Ps 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11;
Heb 10:4-10; Lk 1:26-38
THURSDAY: Gn 17:3-9; Ps 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 8:51-59
FRIDAY: Jer 20:10-13; Ps 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7; Jn 10:31-42
SATURDAY: Ez 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13; Jn 11:45-56
NEXT SUNDAY: *Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion*
Mt 21:1-11; Is 50:4-7; Ps 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24;
Phil 2:6-11; Mt 26:14—27:66

MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

SATURDAY, March 21st

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

SUNDAY, March 22st

7:30 AM – Keithfore Francis → Birthday blessings rb his mother, Velma
– Laura & Daniel Quigley → In thanksgiving & for God's blessings
– John & Judy Sonderma → In thanksgiving & for God's blessings
– Esther Hendersen → In honor of St. Raphael
– Cydrenia Ferness → Birthday blessings rb Cydrenia
10:00 AM – Armani Hurtault → Birthday blessings & God's guidance rb her Aunt Ursula
– Pamela Charles → Birthday blessings rb her friends
– Lola Warrington → Thanksgiving Mass to the Holy Spirit
5:00 PM † The Holy Souls in Purgatory → Repose of the Souls
– Reginald Esperance → Birthday blessings rb his wife, Marie Esperance

MONDAY, March 23rd

7:00 AM † The Holy Souls in Purgatory → Repose of the Souls rb by Denise
† Martine & Daniel Mbattang → Repose of the Souls
6:00 PM † Anne Mathilde Ledee → Repose of the Soul by a relative

TUESDAY, March 24th

7:00 AM – Mr. & Mrs. Michael Di Marco → In thanksgiving & God's blessings

WEDNESDAY, March 25th

7:00 AM – William & Joan Tobin → In thanksgiving & God's blessings
– Sarah & Devon Gerald → Birthday blessings rb their mother, Mary Roberts
6:00 PM † Rene Adolphe Ledee → Repose of the Soul by Denise

THURSDAY, March 26th

7:00 AM † Harrison Mark → Repose of the Souls rb Francisca Henry
6:00 PM † Louis Denis Laplace → Repose of the Soul by a relative
† Martine & Daniel Mbattang → Repose of the Souls

FRIDAY, March 27th

6:00 PM † Anne Florise Ledee → Repose of the Soul by a relative
† Jacques Edouard Ledee → Repose of the Soul by Denise
† Martine & Daniel Mbattang → Repose of the Souls

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 March 21st to March 27th for **Victor Benoit** in thanksgiving for God's continued blessings and protection; and in thanksgiving for blessings received and God's protection for **Cydrenia Ferness**.



Parishioners/Visitors/Guests: Pardon our dust and any inconveniences you may encounter in the church while we work on installation of the air conditioning. Thank you for your understanding and continued support.

Bishop's Appeal: Please pray for the success of the 2026 Bishop's Appeal as we work to renew hope in the Virgin Islands. Your support strengthens Catholic Education, Catholic Charities, and Evangelization throughout our Diocese.

Please return your Bishop's Appeal envelope if you're ready. You can drop them off directly in the collection basket or at the church office.

Bishop's Appeal

Our goal is \$35,000. We are all encouraged to make this goal.

Month of March: March is the month of **St. Joseph**.

The Way of the Cross: Please make it your resolution to attend the Way of the Cross and to fulfill your Sunday obligation by attending Holy Mass. Join us for the Stations of the Cross **Monday – Thursday, 6:30 am and 5:30 pm**, and Friday evening at **5:30 pm**.

Lenten Mission: Wednesday, March 25th – Thursday 26th: 6:30 pm, with Retreat Master **Fr. Raymond Francis** of Trinidad. **Theme: Spiritual Renewal and Reconciliation: "Seek first the Kingdom of God."**

Raffle Drawing: The Sts. Peter & Paul School raffle drawing will take place on **Friday, March 27, 2026**. Thank you for your continued support.

Church Cleaning: We ask all the men in the church to join us for a power wash of the church on **Saturday, March 28**, starting at 7:00 am, in preparation for Easter. Women are also invited to help with general cleaning.

Due to the Chrism Mass which will be held in **St. Croix** for all the priests of the diocese, there will be no morning Masses on **Tuesday, March 31 and Wednesday, April 1**, but the parishioners are still invited to come and pray in the church.

Holy Thursday, Schedule of Group Adoration:

- **Group A – 9:00 pm – 9:30 pm** – Altar Servers, CCD Students, and Leaders
- **Group B – 9:30 pm – 10:00 pm** – Children of Mary, St. Joseph workers, Ushers
- **Group C – 10:00 pm – 10:30 pm** – Haitian Community
- **Group D – 10:30 pm – 11:00 pm** – St. Vincent de Paul Society, Prayer Group, Lectors
- **Group E – 11:00 pm – 12:00 am** – Friends of Cassi Hill

Next Infant Baptism: Sunday, April 5, 2026 – 10:00 am. Pre-baptismal counseling will take place **March 23rd – 24th at 6:30 p.m.**

Parish Information

The 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 visit the sick every Friday. Please call the office if you have a sick or shut-in that you would like added to the list for home visits.

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.

The Sacrament of Holy Matrimony: 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 encouraged to complete a parish registration form. We would like to maintain an up-to-date listing of all Holy Family parishioners. Registration helps in providing letters of request for proof of church membership. Also, if you have relocated or your mailing address or contact number has changed, please update it at the church office.

Church Cleaning: The church is cleaned every Friday of the Month at 6:30 p.m. Volunteers are needed and welcomed.

St. Joseph Workers: will be holding their Annual Easter Sunday Luncheon on **April 5, 2025** at 1:00 pm in the upper Columban Hall. Honorees are **Deacon Frank Kearney, Ms. Angelle Lundy, and Mr. Vaughn Jn-Baptiste**. Tickets can be purchased from members of the St Joseph Workers or honorees; adults \$50, children \$25 at the door. Thanks for your continued support.

Wednesday Masses: Every **Wednesday, at noon time (12 o'clock)** Mass will be celebrated, along with the regular 7:00 am Mass.

Cassi Hill: During Lent, Friends of Cassi Hill will not have their regular meeting.

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.

Catechesis by Fr. Yacob Lonfo

The Ninth and Tenth Commandments

Parish Life

The ninth and tenth commandment states: "You shall not covet your neighbor's house;

"You shall not covet your neighbor's wife, his manservant, or his maidservant, or his ox, or his ass, or anything that belongs to your neighbor." Ex 20:17

"For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also." Mt 6:21

St. John distinguishes three kinds of covetousness or concupiscence: lust of the flesh, lust of the eyes, and pride of life. In the Catholic catechetical tradition, the ninth commandment forbids carnal concupiscence; the tenth forbids coveting another's goods. CCC 2514

Etymologically, "Concupiscence" can refer to any intense form of human desire. It shoots from the disobedience of the first sin, without being an offense, inclines man to commit sins. The ninth commandment forbids all those impure thoughts and desires which we take deliberately pleasure in so thinking, or we willingly consent to whenever these unchaste thoughts or passions come into our mind. The penitent should keep in mind that any sin listed under the sixth commandment in which one willing or deliberately entertains the desire have the same degree of gravity. "Everyone who looks at a woman lustfully has already committed adultery in his heart." (Mt 5:28)

Here, the battle is for purity. Purity of vision, external and internal; by discipline of feelings and imagination; by refusing all complicity in impure thoughts. Purity requires modesty, an integral part of temperance, refusing to unveil what should be remain hidden. It is ordered to chastity, it guides how one looks at others and behaves toward them in conformity with the dignity of person and their solidarity. CCC2521

Here are the sins contrary to the tenth commandment: envy (desire of another's goods); Jealousy (a zealous vigilance in keeping a good enjoyed by oneself from others); Greed and the desire to have material goods without limit (avarice); The desire to become rich at all costs; Businesses or professions, which hope for unfavorable circumstances for others so that they may personally profit from it; Envious of someone else's success, talents, temporal or spiritual goods; The desire to commit injustice by harming someone in order to get his temporal goods.

This Week's Stations of the Cross Schedule:

- Day 28: Mon. March 23rd 6:30 am (Early Morning Risers Group)
5:30 pm (Prayer Group)
- Day 29: Tue. March 24th 6:30 am (Early Morning Risers Group)
5:30 pm (Lectors/Ushers)
- Day 30: Wed. March 25th 6:30 am (Early Morning Risers Group)
5:30 pm (Friends of Cassi Hill)
- Day 31: Thu. March 26th 6:30 am (Early Morning Risers Group)
5:30 pm (St. Joseph Workers)
- Day 32: Fri. March 27th 5:30 pm (Children of Mary)
(NO Friday AM Station or Mass)
- Day 33: Sat. March 28th 10:00 am (Youth/CCD & Leaders)

Air Conditioning Fund as of March 15, 2026: **\$229,089.75**

Bishop Jerome Feudjio celebrates Mass Sunday, February 22, 2026



Visiting Bishop Neil Scantlebury celebrates Mass Sunday, March 8, 2026



Youth visiting the sick



Friday Stations of the Cross and youth meeting



Catholic Charities of the VI help the underserved. Gently used clothing, furniture, or mobility aids are always appreciated, as are in-kind services, food products, including vegetables, utilizing our barrel at The Market in Tutu Park Mall. For additional information, contact us at catholiccharitiesvi.org or call 340-777-8518. Thank you!



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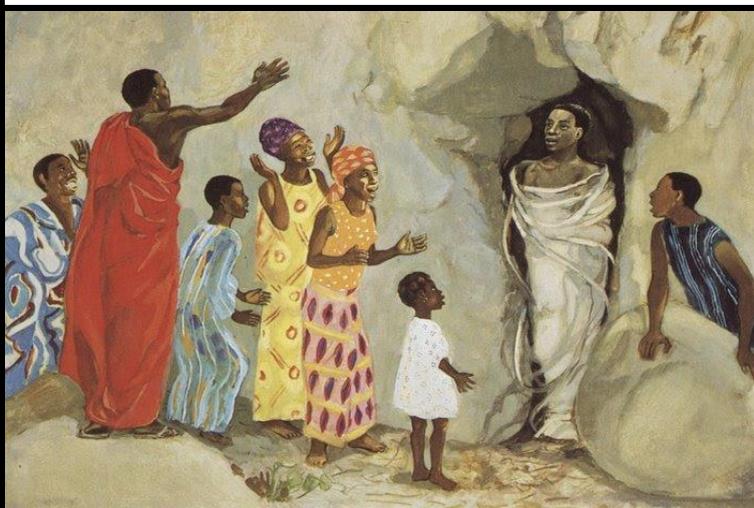
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LA VOIX DU DIMANCHE DE LA COMMUNAUTE HAITIENNE

Senkyèm Dimanch Karèm nan – Ane A

Nimewo 124 Dimanch 22 Mas 2026 La



Meditasyon par Pè Yacob Lonfo

Kite l ale lib

Istwa Senyè nou Jezi ki resisite zanmi l Laza soti nan lanmò a se yon istwa lanmou, lafwa ak kwayans. Nan epizòd sa a, gen twa gwoup kwayan diferan: moun ki kwè ke Jezi te ka anpeche lanmò Laza (Jezi deja konnen kòm yon gerisè); moun ki te vin kwè nan li paske yo te wè Laza resisite, ak moun, tankou Mat, ki kwè nan Jezi menm si Laza te mouri.

Nan Levanjil sa a, Kris la pwoklame tèt li kòm "rezirèksyon ak lavi a." Nou wè li pwofondman touche pa lanmò zanmi l lan. Nou jwenn li nan lapriyè sensè ak Bondye. Nou wè li plen fòs pandan l ap bay lòd pou Laza soti nan tonm nan. Yon bagay yo raman fè kòmantè sou istwa sa a se imaj lanmou ki anvayi li. Jezi te trete fanm Samaritèn nan avèk diyite, respè, dousè ak lanmou, epi li te lonje men l avèk lanmou pou l geri avèg la san yo pa mande l. Nan istwa sa a, lanmou li pou Mat, Mari ak Laza, ak lapenn li santi poutèt lanmou sa a, parèt byen klè.

Pou mwen, li rasanble ankò yon fwa koneksyon ki genyen ant lafwa ak lanmou. Si Jan te gen entansyon istwa sa a pou rasire kominote li a (moun ki gen lafwa nan Jezikri), li fè konnen byen klè ke Jezi renmen yo tou, epi li sijere nan yon sèten fason Senyè nou Jezi tou kriye lè malè (maladi ak lanmò) rive zanmi l yo (kwayan yo). Rasirans final la se ke relasyon lanmou ak lafwa sa a nou genyen ak Jezi a pa sèlman soutni nou nan lavi a, men li ede nou tou nan moman fènwa soufrans ak lanmò. Finalman, n ap lib.

Pou mwen, pawòl ki pi puisan nan Levanjil la se: Demare l, kite l ale. Libète se youn nan aspirasyon ki pi pwofon nan kè imen an. Nou anvi lib - anba maladi, enkyetid, laperèz, (sitou kounye a) atant lòt moun, kilpabilite, fot nou yo, elatriye. Libète final la se libète anba lanmò etènèl, separasyon etènèl ak Bondye.

Nou konnen nou ka vivan fizikman epi mouri espartyèlman akòz jalouzi, avidite, laperèz, rayisman. Nou konnen nou ka pote lanmò bay lòt moun atravè manti, tripotay, mechanste, mechanste, refize padon, elatriye. Lè nou viv lavi Kris la, nou pote lavi, lanmou ak libète pou tèt nou ak youn pou lòt.

REFERANS BIBLIK

Premye Lekti: Ezekyèl 37:12-14

Sòm Reponsyèl: Sòm 130:1-2, 3-4, 5-6, 7-8

Dezyèm Lekti: Women 8:8-11

Levanjil: Jan 11:1-45

LEKTI EKRTI NAN SEMÈN LA

LENDI: Danyèl 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62;
Sòm 23:1-3a, 3b-4, 5, 6; Jan 8:1-11

MADI: Nonb 21:4-9; Sòm 102:2-3, 16-18, 19-21; Jan 8:21-30

MÈKREDI: *Solanèl Anonsyasyon Senyè a*
Ezayi 7:10-14; 8:10; Sòm 40:7-8a, 8b-9, 10, 11;
Ebre 10:4-10; Lik 1:26-38

JEDI: Jenèz 17:3-9; Sòm 105:4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Jn 8:51-59

VANDREDI: Jer 20:10-13; Sòm 18:2-3a, 3bc-4, 5-6, 7;
Jan 10:31-42

SAMDI: Ezekyèl 37:21-28; Jer 31:10, 11-12abcd, 13;
Jan 11:45-56

PROCHÈN DIMANCH: *Dimanch Palmis nan Pasyon Senyè a*
Matye 21:1-11;
Ezayi 50:4-7; Sòm 22:8-9, 17-18, 19-20, 23-24;
Fil 2:6-11; Matye 26:14—27:66

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 21 mas pou rive 27 mas pou **Victor Benoit** kòm remèsiman pou benediksyon ak pwoteksyon Bondye kontinye ba li; epi kòm remèsiman pou benediksyon li resevwa yo ak pwoteksyon Bondye bay **Cydrénia Ferness**.

Pawasyen/Vizitè/Envite: Eskize pousyè nou an ak nenpòt deranjman ou ta ka rankontre nan legliz la pandan n ap travay sou enstalasyon èkondisyone a. Mèsi pou konpreyansyon ou ak sipò kontinyèl ou.

Apèl Evèk la: Tanpri priye pou siksè Apèl Evèk 2026 la pandan n ap travay pou renouvle espwa nan Zile Vyèj yo. Sipò ou ranfòse Edikasyon Katolik, Òganizasyon Charitab Katolik yo, ak Evanjelizasyon nan tout Dyosèz nou an.

Tanpri retounen anvlòp Apèl Evèk ou a si w pare. Ou ka depoze yo dirèkteman nan panyen koleksyon an oswa nan biwo legliz la.

Mwa Mas: Mas se mwa **Sen Jozèf**.

Chemen Lakwa: Tanpri pran rezolisyon pou w ale nan Chemen Lakwa a epi pou w ranpli obligasyon dimanch ou a lè w asiste Lamès. Vin jwenn nou pou Chemen Lakwa a **lendi jiska jedi, 6:30 am ak 5:30 pm**, epi **vandredi swa a 5:30 pm**.

Orè Chemen Lakwa pou semèn sa a:

Jou 28: Len. 23 mas	6:30 am (Gwoup Moun k ap Leve Bonè Granmaten)
	5:30 pm (Gwoup Priyè)
Jou 29: Madi 24 mas	6:30 am (Gwoup Moun k ap Leve Bonè Granmaten)
	5:30 pm (Lektè/Akomodasyon)
Jou 30: Mèk. 25 mas	6:30 am (Gwoup Moun k ap Leve Bonè Granmaten)
	5:30 pm (Zanmi Cassi Hill yo)
Jou 31: Jedi 26 mas	6:30 am (Gwoup Moun k ap Leve Bonè Granmaten)
	5:30 pm (Travayè Sen Jozèf yo)
Jou 32: Van. 27 mas	5:30 pm (Timoun Mari yo)
	(PA GEN Estasyon oubyen Lamès Vandredi maten)
Jou 33: Sam. 28 mas	10:00 am (Jèn/CCD ak Lidè)

Misyon Karèm: Mèkredi 25 Mas – Jedi 26: 6:30 pm, avèk Mèt Retrè a, **Pè Raymond Francis**, ki soti Trinidad. **Tèm: Renouvèlman Espirityèl ak Rekonsilyasyon: "Cache Wayòm Bondye a an premye."**

Mès Gerizon: Pwochen Mès gerizon an ap fèt **vandredi 27 mas a 6:00 pm** nan Sanktyè a.

Tiraj Tombola: Tiraj tombola Lekòl Sen Pyè ak Sen Pòl la ap fèt **vandredi 27 mas 2026**. Mèsi pou sipò kontinyèl ou.

Netwayaj Legliz la: Nou mande tout mesye nan legliz la pou yo vin jwenn nou pou yon netwayaj legliz la ak dlo presyon **samdi 28 mas la**, apati 7:00 am, an preparasyon pou Pak. Medam yo envite tou pou ede nan netwayaj jeneral la.

Akoz Lamès Kris la ki pral fèt nan Ste. Croix pou tout prèt nan dyosèz la, p ap gen Lamès maten madi 31 mas ak mèkredi 1ye avril, men moun nan pawas la toujou envite pou vin priye nan legliz la.

Cassi Hill: Pandan Karèm, Zanmi Cassi Hill yo pap fè reyinyon regilye yo.

MÈS ENTANSYON

Entansyon Lamès yo se pou benediksyon pou anivèsè nesans **Reginald Esperance**, madanm li, Marie Esperance, te mande; epi pou repo **Nanm Sen yo nan Pigatwa**.

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, 14 – 15 mas 2026

Òf: \$5,206.33

Sam. 5:00 pm: \$1,321.98

7:30 am: \$2,475.35

10:00 am: \$1,196.00

5:00 pm: \$213.00

Dezyèm Koleksyon: \$1,317.00

Apèl Evèk la: \$1,392.00

Fon pou Èkondisyone: \$250.00

ÒF SEMÈN: 18 mas: \$57.00

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

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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.

Jedi Sen, Orè Adorasyon Gwoup:

- **Gwoup A – 9:00 pm – 9:30 pm** – Sèvitè Lotèl, Elèv CCD, ak Lidè
- **Gwoup B – 9:30 pm – 10:00 pm** – Timoun Mari yo, travayè Sen Jozèf yo, Akomodasyon
- **Gwoup C – 10:00 pm – 10:30 pm** – Kominote Ayisyen nan
- **Gwoup D – 10:30 pm – 11:00 pm** – Sosyete Sen Vensan de Pòl, Gwoup Priyè, Lektè
- **Gwoup E – 11:00 pm – 12:00 am** – Zanmi Cassi Hill

Pwochen Batèm Tibebe: Dimanch 5 avril 2026 – 10:00 am.

Travayè Sen Jozèf yo: pral òganize Dejene Dimanch Pak anyèl yo a nan dat **5 avril 2025** a 1:00 pm nan Sal Kolonban anwo a. Moun ki onore yo se **Dyak Frank Kearney, Madmwazèl Angelle Lundy**, ak **Mesye Vaughn Jn-Baptiste**. Ou ka achte tikè nan men manm Travayè Sen Jozèf yo oubyen moun ki onore yo; granmoun \$50, timoun \$25 nan pòt la. Mèsi pou sipò kontinyèl ou.

Lamès Mèkredi yo: Chak Mèkredi, y ap selebre yon Lamès midi (12è), ansanm ak Lamès regilye 7è dimaten an.

Manje ki pa gate fasil: Manje ki pa gate fasil ki kolekte wikenn sa a pral benefisyè Òganizasyon Charitab Katolik ak moun ki fèmèn lakay yo nan Pawas nou an. Nou remèsye w pou jenewozite w.

Parish Life



Pope Leo XIV



Bishop Jerome Feudjio



**Parish Administrator
Father Modeste Digwou**

WELCOME to our Church. It is our heavenly Father's house. Here you will always find God, arms stretched out; 'Well done, good and faithful servant. Enter into my joy.'

Come reverently, pray quietly, sing joyfully, listen attentively, give cheerfully, and come back gladly. Remain in Church after Mass for some personal quiet time with the Lord, or exit quietly for fellowship and sharing. Whether you are a Registered Parishioner, new to our community, or a visitor, WELCOME!

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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.**

STEWARDSHIP OF TREASURE

WEEKEND OFFERINGS, March 14 – 15, 2026

Offering: \$5,206.33

Sat. 5:00 PM: \$1,321.98 7:30 AM: \$2,475.35

10:00 AM: \$1,196.00 5:00 PM: \$213.00

Second Collection: \$1,317.00

Bishop's Appeal: \$1,392.00

Air Conditioning Fund: \$250.00

WEEKDAY OFFERINGS: \$57.00

3/18: \$57.00

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2ND COLLECTION FOR THE COMING MONTH

Easter Flowers	March 21-22
Capital Improvements	March 21-22
Restoration Fund	March 28-29
Easter Offering	April 4-5
Restoration Fund	April 4-5
Bishop's Appeal	April 11-12
Property Insurance	April 18-19

Gift Shop Hours:

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

Upcoming Event Dates at Columban Hall

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| • Saturday, March 28 | • Tuesday, April 7 |
| • Tuesday, March 31 | • Saturday, April 11 |
| • Sunday, April 5 | • Sunday, April 12 |

Pray For the Sick & Shut-ins

OFF ISLAND: Signorah Baron, Helen Bruney, Leon Bryan, 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, Alix Bourdeau, Rose Celestine, Baby Elizabeth Dolphin, Maggie Dolphin, Anthony Estime, Magdalene Felix, Winifred Garfield, John George, John & Norma Gimenez, Meraldo C. Gonzales, Vernelle Gumbs, Francis & Henrietta JohnBattiste, Owen Johnrose, Thomas Johnson, Marie Joseph, Bernice Knight, Cleopha Rawlings, Wende Rouse, Evelyn Simon, Paquita Steele, Iona Vanterpool.

(Please call the Parish Office if you are being admitted to the hospital or require Communion or Anointing of the Sick.)

Church Attendance:

310 persons attended Holy Mass last weekend.

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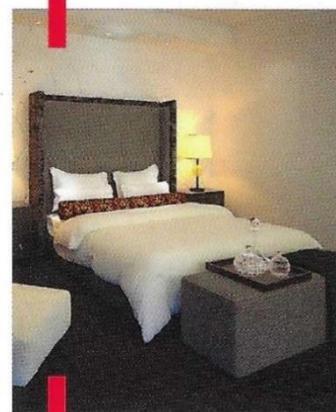
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