

# Sacred Heart Catholic Church Making and Strengthening Disciples of Jesus

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March 10, 2024 | Fourth Sunday of Lent

# Liturgical Schedule

Weekday Mass Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 8am Wed: 8:15am & 6pm (Rosary prayed before morning Masses at 7:25am)

Weekend Masses Saturday Vigil 4pm and 6pm (Spanish) (Rosary prayed in Spanish at 5:30pm)

<u>Sunday</u> 8:00am, 9:30am<sup>\*</sup>, and 11:30am *\*livestreamed Rosary prayed at 7:30am* 

## Confessions

Wednesdays: 6:45-7:45pm *(English)* Saturdays: 2:45-3:45pm *(English)* Saturdays: 5:15-5:45pm *(Spanish)* Or by appointment

**Our Chapel is Open for Prayer** Mon, Tues, Thurs, & Fri: 8:30am-5pm Wednesday: 9am-8pm

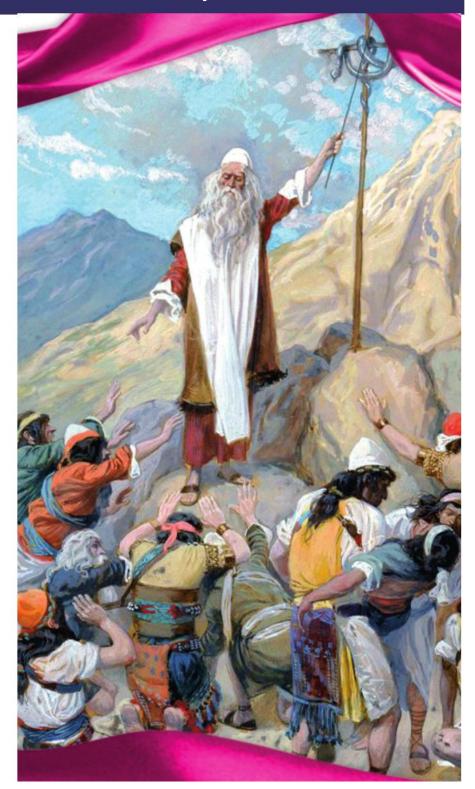
> Adoration Wednesdays: 6:30-8pm

**First Fridays** Adoration: 8:30am-6pm Masses: 8am and 6pm

First Saturdays Mass: 8am Rosary & Marian Devotions 8:30am

**Divine Mercy Chaplet** Tuesdays, after the 8am Mass

Our Mother of Perpetual Help Thursdays, after 8am Mass



# **Weekly Mass Intentions**



Saturday, March 9 4:00 p.m. +Chuck Horn 6:00 p.m. +Luis Arevalo

## Sunday, March 10

8:00 a.m. +Gregory Wood
9:30 a.m. +Eileen & Paul Ballard
11:30 a.m. For our parishioners

Monday, March 11 8:00 a.m. **†**Elizabeth W. Eaton

Tuesday, March 12 8:00 a.m. Simon Lao

Wednesday, March 13 8:15 a.m. **†**Natalie Barbuti 6:00 p.m. For vocations

Thursday, March 14 8:00 a.m. Susan Bauer

Friday, March 15 8:00 a.m. **†**Mary J. Costa

Saturday, March 16 4:00 p.m. **†**Jane Louds 6:00 p.m. **†**Ignacio Perez Hernandez

## Sunday, March 17

8:00 a.m. Terry Ramano 9:30 a.m. **+**Kacy Leigh Prewitt 11:30 a.m. For our parishioners

### Sanctuary Candle

The sanctuary candle burns in loving memory of Kathy Chabot

# **Our Stewardship**

### March 2-3

Offertory: \$13,133 Maintenance: \$1,238 His Heart: \$456 Other: \$8,437 **Total: \$23,264** Attendance: 1,272

## **Gospel Reflection**

Jesus says in today's Gospel that "Whoever lives the truth comes to the light, so that his works may be clearly seen as done in God" (John 3:21).

Our parish wants to do everything in the light, so hungry souls can see Jesus living through us. Without His light, souls who need Jesus can't see that He lives in our parish, in our tabernacle.

Already more than halfway through Lent, the Church bids us rejoice! Laetare Sunday is a day of light. Jesus gave purpose and power to human suffering. "In the Lord your labor is not in vain" (1 Corinthians 15:58). When you support our Catholic Ministry Appeal, you help your neighbors find His light in the darkness and hope when it's needed most. May God be with you.

## **Catholic Ministry Appeal Update**

Report as of: March 4, 2024 Parish Goal: \$73,777 Pledged: \$44,702 Paid: \$36,765.09 % of goal pledged: 60.6% % of goal paid: 50%



Your contributions to the Catholic Ministry Appeal help serve thousands in need throughout the diocese. Thank you for your generosity!

### **Be Aware of SCAMS**

Please do not respond to emails or texts claiming to be from one of the priests or staff members of Sacred Heart requesting gift cards or other donations. If you receive such a request, please contact the parish office so that we can alert the proper authorities.

# This Week at Sacred Heart

If you need information about a ministry listed, call the office. We'd be happy to get you connected to them!

## Sunday, March 10th, Fourth Sunday of Lent

Readings: 1 Sm 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a, Eph 5:8-14, Jn 9:1-41

# Monday, March 11th:

- Legion of Mary, 8:30am, Marian Room
- Junior Legion of Mary, 6pm, Parish Center
- CRHP Formation Team, 7pm, Parish Center (stage side)

# Tuesday, March 12th:

- Parish Bible study, 9:00-10:15am, Parish Center
- His Heart Society: food & clothing distribution, 9-11am
- Fr. Brad Bible study, 6pm, Parish Center
- Spanish Prayer Group, 7pm, Retreat House

## Wednesday, March 13th:

- Bingo, doors open at 10:30am, games begin at Noon, Parish Center
- Columbiettes General Meeting, 7pm, Parish Center

## Thursday, March 14th:

- His Heart Society; food and clothing distribution 9-11am
- Prayer Shawl Ministry, 10am, Retreat House
- Emmaus, 7pm, Retreat House

## Friday, March 15th:

- Stations of the Cross, after 8am Mass, Church
- RCIA Spanish, 5pm, Retreat House
- Fish Fry, 5-7pm, Parish Center
- Stations of the Cross, 6pm, Church
- Stations of the Cross Spanish, 7pm, Church

## Sunday, March 17th, Fifth Sunday of Lent

Readings: Jer 31:31-34, Heb 5:7-9, Jn 12:20-33

# Save the Date

# **Pinellas Hope Outreach Ministry:**

Want to give back? Join the Pinellas Hope dinner team. We will meet at 6pm at the Parish Center on each 2nd Thursday of the month. The next date will be March 14th. Volunteers will carpool together and leave the parish at 6:15 or you can meet us at Pinellas Hope at 6:40pm. Please consider volunteering for this very fulfilling outreach ministry!

### **"Set Apart" retreat for Young Adults**

Young adults of the Diocese, YOU are invited to "Set Apart", a retreat for those in their 20s – 30s at St. Lawrence Catholic Church, 5225 N Himes Ave, Tampa on April 13. The half-day retreat will begin with Mass at 8:30 AM and go until 2:00 PM. This retreat will be a Saturday of spiritual enrichment and growth alongside other young adults just like you.

To register, visit: https://stlawrence.org/thrive.

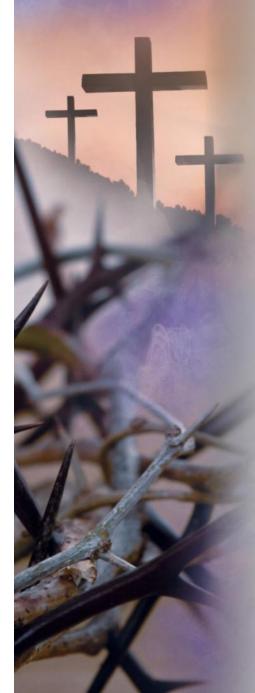
# **Second Annual Spring Fling Tea Party**

Saturday, May 4, 2024 from 12-3 PM in the Parish Hall join the Columbiettes for Afternoon Tea. There will be a Hat Contest, 50/50, and Baskets. Proceeds to benefit Columbiette Charities. Contact?

## **Roar of the Rosary**

The "Roar of the Rosary" is an evening of worship that will take place on Friday, May 10, from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m., in Morsani Hall at the Straz Center, in Tampa. Speakers will include His Eminence Raymond Cardinal Burke, Bishop Gregory Parkes, Mother Adela, and Gus Lloyd. Additional information and registration details for this free event may be found at: www.dosp.org/roar/

# Lent at Sacred Heart



Lenten Almsgiving

We will once again do "My Almsgiving" as a parish for Lent.

# Week 5: Life Ministry

Life Ministry will be collecting items for various pregnancy centers in our area. Suggested items: diapers (sizes 1 – 6), baby bottles, baby food, receiving blankets, infant / toddler clothes, formula and also pregnancy clothing.

# Week 6: His Heart Society

His Heart is in need of non-perishable items, such as spaghetti, spaghetti sauce, canned goods, canned vegetables and cereal.

# Fish Fry – Every Friday through March 22nd

5pm to 7pm in the Parish Center Cost: \$12.00 Adult | \$6 child Includes: Fish, Fries, Cornbread, Coleslaw, Dessert and Drink

# Stations of the Cross – Every Friday through March 22nd

Following Friday Morning Mass – in the church 6pm (English) outside on Festival Lane | 7pm (Spanish) outside on Festival Lane

# **Parish Penance Service**

Monday March 18th at 6pm in the church. Short service followed by 8 priests available to hear your confession, including Fr. Amaro for Spanish confession.

# **Divine Mercy Presentation**

Saturday, March 23, 10am in the Parish Center. Come learn about the importance of the Divine Mercy devotion. The presentation includes a video, a reflection, and an opportunity for question and response.

# **Columbiette Morning of Reflection**





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# HOLY WEEK

# Palm Sunday, March 24th

4:00pm Vigil (Saturday, March 23rd) 7:30am (note Mass time change) 9:30am 11:30am *There is no tent Mass this year.* 

# Holy Week and Easter Sunday

Holy Thursday, March 28 - 8am morning prayer; 7pm Mass (bilingual) Good Friday, March 29 - 8am morning prayer; 3pm service (bilingual) Holy Saturday, March 30- 8am morning prayer Easter Vigil, March 30 - Mass at 8pm; *There is no 4pm Vigil Mass on this day.* 

# Easter Sunday

7:30am (note Mass time change)
9:30am
11:30am
1:30pm Spanish
There is no sunrise Mass this year.



CHRISM MASS with Bishop Gregory Parkes

March 26, 2024 | 11:00 am Cathedral of St. Jude the Apostle

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Office Hours: 8am-noon, Mon-Thur

Parochial Administrator Fr. Brad Reed

**Parochial Vicar:** Fr. Amaro Ortiz

Deacons: Dcn. Chis Jensen Dcn. John Ustick Dcn. Peter Andre

Parish Staff: Parish Administrator: Tony Mazzella Faith Formation Coordinator: Lisa Gunnin Property Technicians: Michael Scavelli, Ray Watson Spanish Ministry Coordinator: Patricia Tovar Bulletin Editor: Liz Wilson Music Ministers: Michael Marth Nicholas & Ella Gunnin

### Parish Religious Gift Shop:

Located in the church narthex Open: Sat.3:30-5:30pm Sun.8:30am-12:45pm

### His Heart Society Outreach:

4661 80th Ave. N. Pinellas Park, FL33781 Food & Clothing: Tue. & Thurs. 9-11am Call (727)544-5445 for financial assistance

### Sacred Heart School:

7951 46th Way N., Pinellas Park, FL 33781 Phone: 727-544-1106 www.shsaints.org

# **Divine Mercy**

"Then I saw the Blessed Virgin, unspeakably beautiful. She came down from the altar to my kneeler, held me close to herself and said to me, *I am Mother to you all, thanks to the unfathomable mercy of God. Most pleasing to me is that soul which faithfully carries out the will of God.*" (Diary, 449)

"In the evening, when I was praying, the Mother of God told me, 'Your lives must be like Mine: quiet and hidden, in unceasing union with God, pleading for humanity and preparing the world for the second coming of God." (Diary, 625)

The best way to learn how to trust is to learn from someone's example. Mother Mary is the



Jesus, I trust in You

ultimate example of trust. She did not fear; she gave her fiat, her "yes" when she could do nothing but place her trust in what the Lord was telling her would happen. She is a gift that God gave to us as a mother, a creature like us, because He knew we would be afraid of Him after the fall in the Garden of Eden." *Fr. Chris Alar, MIC (Understanding Divine Mercy.)* 

Reflection: Trust is shown by accepting the help that is offered. Trust our guide, Mary, to bring us to Jesus. -"To Jesus through Mary". Mary's heart is always united with Jesus' heart. Ask Mary to help you.

Jesus, I trust in You. King of Mercy, guide my soul. Mother of Mercy, pray for us.

### **Bulletin Submissions**

Bulletin	Submission
Date	Due Date
March 17	March 7
March 24	March 14
March 31	March 21

Email bulletin announcements to the Parish Office: shcc7809@gmail.com Submissions may be edited due to limited space. Refrain from sending pre-formatted PDF documents; when we shrink to fit into bulletin, words are often unreadable. Photos welcome; include your name. Submissions outside of parish may/may not be used.

# **Our Parish Prayer List**

Sheryl Acunal	Patsy Piech
Rita Belcastro	Geri Piver
Mitzi Federico	David Sauls
Lou Horn	Mary Spadafora
Clara Johnson	Harriett Williams
Dennis Johnson	Claire Watson
Terry Lange	Jeanne Woodke

#### \*Bold indicates new name added to prayer list.

The sick will be listed in the bulletin for eight weeks. Should the sick need prayers beyond eight weeks, you may write their name (s) in the Prayer Request Book in the narthex. Names will remain in this book until December 31st of the current year. If prayers are needed beyond December 31st, re-enter name(s) in the book the following year.

If you need to add a new name to the Prayer List in, please call the parish office 727-541-4447 or email shcc7809@gmail. Remember that we must have the person's permission before adding his/her name to the list.



# **Pope Francis March Prayer Intention**

# For the New Martyrs

We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm.





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