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Making and Strengthening Disciples of Jesus

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February 22, 2026 | First Sunday of Lent

Liturgical Schedule

Weekday Mass

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 8am

Wed: 8:15am & 6:15pm

First Saturday: 8am

Sunday Masses

Saturday Vigil

4:00pm

Sunday Morning

8:00am, 9:30am, and 11:30am

Confessions

Wednesdays: 5-6pm

Saturdays: 2:45-3:45pm
or by appointment

Adoration

Wednesdays: 5-6pm

Fridays: 8:30am-9:30am

First Fridays: 6:15-7:15pm

Devotions

The Holy Rosary

Monday - Friday, Sunday: 7:25am

First Saturdays: 8:30am

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Tuesday: 8:30am

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Thursday: 8:30am

Private Prayer in Chapel

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday,

Friday: 8:30am-5pm

Wednesday: 9:30am-6pm



Weekly Mass Intentions

Sanctuary Candle

The sanctuary candle burns for the success of our Lenten Mission.

Saturday, February 21

4:00 p.m. †Bill Pellegrino

Sunday, February 22

8:00 a.m. †Angelina Solars

9:30 a.m. For our parishioners

11:30 a.m. †George & Anita Rosato

Monday, February 23

8:00 a.m. †John Lautz

Tuesday, February 24

8:00 a.m. Irene & Jesse Hastings

Wednesday, February 25

8:15 a.m. Kelly & Nellie Moreschi

6:15 p.m. Vocations

Thursday, February 26

8:00 a.m. Laura Chittenden

Friday, February 27

8:00 a.m. Ellen Santisteban

Saturday, February 28

4:00 p.m. Barbara Pellegrino

Parish Information

Office Hours: 8am-noon, Mon-Thur

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: Tue. & Thurs. 9-11am

Clothing: Tue. & Thurs. 8-10am

Sacred Heart School:

7951 46th Way N., Pinellas Park, FL 33781

Phone: 727-544-1106 | www.shsaints.org

Parish Staff

Pastor: Fr. Brad Reed

Parochial Vicar: Fr. Augustine Adjen

Deacons: Chris Jensen, John Ustick, Peter Andre

Youth Ministry: James Bisset

Parish Administrator: Tony Mazzella

Faith Formation Coordinator: Lisa Gunning

Receptionist: Sr. Phyllis Shaughnessy

Property Technicians: Michael Scavelli, Ray Watson

Music Ministers: Michael Marth

Nicholas & Ella Gunning

Our Stewardship

February 14-15

Offertory: \$13,474.80

Maintenance/Building: \$895

His Heart: \$256

Other: \$738

Total: \$15,363.80

Weekend Attendance: 1,141

Lenten Almsgiving

Over the last several years, Sacred Heart has compiled a list of charitable causes and organizations to support in participation of the Almsgiving pillar of the Season of Lent. We will continue the tradition this year, and each weekend a different cause will be earmarked for support. This weekend, as was mentioned in the closing announcements last Sunday, we will be asking for donations to the 2026 **Catholic Ministry Appeal**. For those of you who have already given a gift to this year's appeal, thank you, and please disregard this request. For those of you who have not given a gift but are able to make a donation, we will have a second collection this weekend. Though Sacred Heart's goal for the appeal increased significantly this year, I am confident that we can rise to the occasion and make our goal if everyone helps! On behalf of Bishop Parkes and the thousands of people throughout the five counties of our diocese, thank you for your generosity.



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Appeal



Next weekend, we will be asking for donations of **long-sleeved shirts** for the seasonal migrant workers here on agricultural visas to help plant and harvest our local produce, including strawberries, in the fields of the rural parts of our diocese. The assistance of these hard-working people is vital to our local economy, and they deserve our kindness and support. These shirts protect them from harmful UV rays and other skin irritants. Please bring in donations of men's or women's medium, large, or x-large long-sleeved shirts (Sun-blocking shirts are an added bonus) to be distributed to our local migrant workers.



This Week at Sacred Heart

Sunday, February 22nd, First Sunday of Lent

- Readings: Genesis 2:7-9; 3:1-7, Romans 5:12-19 or 5:12, 17-19, Matthew 4:1-11
- Rite of Sending for OCIA/OCIC, 9:30am Mass, Church

Monday, February 23rd:

- Lenten Mission, 6:15pm, (English) Church
- Lenten Mission, 6:15pm, (Spanish) Parish Center

Tuesday, February 24th:

- Parish Bible study, 9:00-10:15am, Marian Room
- His Heart Society, clothing distribution, 8-10am
- His Heart Society, food distribution, 9-11am
- Lenten Mission & Confessions, 6:15pm, (English) Church
- Lenten Mission & Confessions, 6:15pm, (Spanish) Parish Center

Wednesday, February 25th

- Bilingual Mass with Anointing of the Sick, 6:15pm, Church

Thursday, February 26th:

- Prayer Shawl Ministry, 10am, Retreat House
- Adult Faith Formation, 6pm, Retreat House
- OCIA, 7pm, Marian Room

Friday, February 27th:

- Holy Hour, 8:30am-9:30am, Chapel
- Stations of the Cross (English), 8:30am, Church
- Fish Fry, 4:30-7:00pm, Parish Center
- Stations of the Cross (English), 5:45pm, Church
- Stations of the Cross (Spanish), 7:15pm Church

Saturday, February 28th:

- Morning of Reflection, 9am - 1pm, Parish Center

Sunday, March 1st, Second Sunday of Lent

- Readings: Genesis 12:1-4a, 2 Timothy 1:8b-10, Matthew 17:1-9
- Pancake Breakfast, 8:30am-11am, Parish Center

Join us for a delicious pancake breakfast hosted by the Knights of Columbus. Pancakes, eggs, sausage, and drinks will be served for \$5.00.

All are welcome!

Save the Date

Morning of Reflection: Choose Joy!

The Columbiettes will be sponsoring a Morning of Reflection on **Saturday, Feb 28th** from 9am-1pm (includes breakfast). This year's topic is **CHOOSE JOY** and the Guest Speaker will be Father Augustine (perfect person for this!). Everyone is welcome to attend. Contact Celeste Hopkins at 727-580-4242 to register.



Men's Day of Reflection

Learning to Disconnect, Longing to Reconnect

With reflections by **Fr. Joshua Bertrand**, (Parochial Vicar Our Lady of Lourdes), small group discussions, Rosary, Mass, Adoration, Confessions, and more!



Saturday, March 14

8:30am-2pm in the Parish Center



The event is **FREE**, but registration is required. Scan the QR code to register.

Mass of Consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary

The Legion of Mary invites all active, auxiliary and Junior Legion members to the Acies Ceremony, our annual Mass of Consecration to the Blessed Virgin Mary. The ceremony will be **Saturday March 21** at 10:00am in the church. Please join us for this most important event of our Legion Year.

4th Annual
Spring Fling Tea Party!
Saturday April 25th, 2026
Sacred Heart Church-Parish Center
7981 46th Way N, Pinellas Park
12pm to 3pm doors open at 11:30am
Tickets are \$25.00
Tickets sold the weekend of April 11th & 12th
Door prizes~50/50~Basket Raffle~Hat Contest
Dietary restrictions? Please call 727-432-1622
Proceeds benefit the Columbiettes' charities

Parish News

Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross begins February 20th thru March 20th. The schedule will be:

- Friday nights: English 5:45pm | Spanish 7:15pm
- **On Friday March 6th** the schedule will be: English 5:45pm | Holy Hour 6:15pm | Spanish 7:15pm
- Good Friday, April 3: English 6:00pm | Spanish 7:00pm

Fish Fry

Every Friday beginning February 20th thru March 27th from 4:30pm to 7:00pm in the Parish Center. Cost \$12.00 for adult / \$6 for child. Includes fish, fries, corn bread, coleslaw, drink and dessert

Grief Support

Grief is a normal experience that we all go through, but we need not go through it alone! Join us for prayer and sharing. The next Grief Support meetings will be **March 2nd and March 16th**.

SASH (Seniors at Sacred Heart) Update

All seniors of the parish are welcome to join us at the following events. Normal meeting time is 2pm in the parish center unless stated otherwise.

March 3: Raymond James Tour of Art. Carpool from church parking lot at 1pm. Tour 2-3pm. ID needed. Call Kathleen (727) 488-9765 by February 23rd to register (this is required).

March 6: Book Club: Come discuss our new book, *The Cinderella Murder* by Mary Higgins Clark. Meeting begins at 11am in the Marian Room.

March 17th: St. Patrick's Day lunch (potluck) Begins at 1pm (stage side of parish center) with the movie "Three Weddings and a Funeral" to follow.

Congratulations!

Congratulations to baby girl Brooklyn, pictured here with Deacon Peter and her parents Dominic & Aniko. Brooklyn received the gift of the sacrament of baptism last weekend, in which she received the grace of being called a beloved daughter of God and an heiress to the Kingdom of Heaven. May the light of her baptismal candle be kept burning brightly all the days of her life. We continue to pray for Catholic parents, children, and families to persevere in their faith and build up the domestic church. Once again, congrats, and may God bless you, Brooklyn!



In Gratitude!

Special thanks to the Filipino Community of Sacred Heart and all those devoted to the Santo Nino (the "Holy Child", i.e. the infant Jesus). Last week, representatives Ding Quezon and Melody Lee presented the parish with donations totaling \$2,602 in honor of the Santo Nino. Each year, our community commemorates this special devotion of the Catholic Faithful in the Philippines and other parts of the world during the liturgical celebration of the Epiphany. Mark your calendars for next year's celebration: January 3, 2027 at the 11:30am Mass!



LENTEN MISSION: LIVING THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL IN THE YEAR OF ST. FRANCIS



Pete Suarez • Fr. John Anglin, O.F.M.

Catholic Speaker • Franciscan Priest

SCHEDULE

Monday, February 23, 6:15 pm, Church
Mission Talk

Tuesday, February 24, 6:15 pm, Church
Mission Talk and Confessions

Wednesday, February 25, 6:15 pm, Church
Bilingual Mass and Anointing of the Sick

This sacrament is offered to those who are seriously ill, facing surgery, experiencing chronic or serious medical conditions, or weakened due to age. Through this sacrament, the Church prays for healing, strength, peace, and courage through the grace of the Holy Spirit.

PLEASE JOIN US!

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MISIÓN CUARESMA: VIVIENDO LA ALEGRÍA DEL EVANGELIO EN EL AÑO DE SAN FRANCISCO



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HORARIO

Lunes, 23 de febrero, 6:15 p.m., Centro Parroquial
Charla de la Misión

Martes, 24 de febrero, 6:15 p.m., Centro Parroquial
Charla de la Misión y Confesiones

Miércoles, 25 de febrero, 6:15 pm., Iglesia
Misa bilingüe y Unción de los Enfermos

¡POR FAVOR, ACOMPAÑENOS!
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Our Parish Prayer List

Sheryl Acunal	Janet Hula
Stacy Alves	Dennis Johnson
Angel Anzalone	Marion Lane
Rita Bahler	Terry Lange
Dan Baker	Scott Laneville
Mark Bandurski	Dave Morgia
Rita Belcastro	Mary Paglio
Stephen Bello	Anthony Piergiovanni
Linda Beving	Charlotte Porter
Frank Blanco III	Phyllis Ray
Phyllis Boger	Terri Romano
Carol Brandl	Patricia Slaymaker
Maritza Calixto	Jeanne Slofkin
Judy Cardone	Mary Spadafora
Paul Catalano	Ray Spadafora
Clinton Coates	Tere Sullivan
Alice Everitt	Zoie Watson
Mitzi Federico	Noah Wiley
Mary Gambrell	Harriett Williams
Gerry Grasso	Margaret Woodard
Melissa Harkins	Margaret Ybanez

**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 Leo's February Prayer Intention For children with incurable diseases.

Let us pray that children suffering from incurable diseases and their families receive the necessary medical care and support, never losing strength and hope.

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