

ST. FRANCIS XAVIER CATHOLIC CHURCH

(ARCHDIOCESE OF GALVESTON-HOUSTON)

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THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

JANUARY 4, 2026



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MISSION STATEMENT

We, with the grace of the Holy Spirit, proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ as expressed in the beliefs and traditions of the Holy Roman Catholic Church. Through a passion for righteousness and consciousness of duty to God, we uphold the faithful worship of God in our mission to our church family and the Sunnyside Community.

PASTOR:

Vy. Rev. Michael Thompson, SSJ

DEACONS:

Michael V. Jenkins

Darryl K. Drenon

Frank J. Laugermann (Retired)

SACRISTAN

Orell Dargin

PARISH SECRETARY

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BOOKEEPER

Stacie Boisseau.....x109

DIR OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Unella Baber.....x103

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Deacon Michael V. Jenkins

Tierra Ledet

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Agnes Thompson.....x107

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Hope Jackson

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Hilton S. Williams 713.542.0120

PLANT MANAGER/MAINTENANCE

Curtis Jones/Eugene Wilson

WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE

Sat: Vigil 5:00 p.m.

Sun: 7:30 a.m. & 10:00 a.m.

WEEKDAY MASS SCHEDULE

Weekday (Tue - Fri): 7:00 a.m.

First Friday: 7:00 a.m.

Holy Days: 7:00 a.m., 6:00 p.m.

CONFESSIONS

One (1) hour before Weekend Masses or by appointment

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:

First Friday: 7:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.

CHOIR REHEARSALS:

Adult Choirs

Wednesdays: 6:30p.m.

Thursdays: 7:00p.m.

Youth Choir

4th Saturdays: 12:00 Noon

CHOIR DIRECTOR:

Jerry Givens 281.772.9276

VISITATION OF THE SICK

Communion for the sick and shut-in is available. Please call the parish office to make arrangements.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Please call the parish office for information. Preparation classes are required for parents and godparents. Classes are held on the 1st and 2nd Thursdays of the month from 6:00pm to 8:00pm. Call the Parish Office to register for the class.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Please contact a priest a minimum of six months prior to your proposed wedding date.

WELCOME VISITORS/NEWCOMERS

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MASS INTENTIONS

SAT	01/03/2025	5:00PM
<i>Rose M. Williams (D)</i>		
Red Simpson & Family		
SUN	01/04/2025	7:30AM
<i>People of the Parish</i>		
SUN	01/04/2025	10:00AM
<i>Vivian Willis (D) – Annette Willis</i>		
TUE	01/06/2025	7:00AM
<i>Red Simpson (L)</i>		
Red Simpson and Family		
WED	01/07/2025	7:00AM
<i>Herbert Goodwin, Jr (D)</i>		
The Goodwin Family		
THUR	01/08/2025	7:00AM
<i>People of the Parish</i>		
FRI	01/09/2025	7:00AM
<i>Joseph Duplechine (D)</i>		
The Duplechine Family		
SAT	01/10/2025	5:00PM
<i>The Soul of Florence McChristian (D)</i>		
Shelia McDaniel, Ct 91, Alex LA		



Donald Abraham, Akaycia Addison, Azielee & Nathan Addison IV, Emmoree Addison, Kayne Addison, Lauren Addison, Zaneta Addison, Mary Jane Albert, Joseph Alcendor, Virgis Anderson, Clara Barras, Ivy Bobb, Hazel S. Brown, Tommy Burton, Julius Cadoree, Nancy Calvin, Nathaniel Campbell, Dalton Cooper Jr, Frank Davis Sr, Rev. Henry Davis SSJ, Marlene Davis, Dalton & Julia Dean, Mary Duplechain, Lois Epps, Paul Garrick Jr, Kristin Gilbreath, Anthony Gobert, Valerie Williams Goode, Betty Goodwin, Stella Goodwin, Beulah Hadrick, Perry Hall, Mary Hamilton, Cheryl Henderson, Donald & JoAnne Henderson, Anthony Hicks, Diane Houston, Al Jackson Jr, Crystal Jackson, Angela Johnson, Deacon Irvin Johnson, Natalie Johnson, Brooke Joseph, Serral Landry, JoAnn LaSane, Barbara Laugermann, Hilary & Patricia Ledet, Hazel Lewis, Laurenzia Lewis, Eugene Mallery, Charles Martin, Shannon Martin, Donald May, Diane Miles, Dorothy Milstead, Cookie Mooring, Debbie Morris, Very Rev. William L. Norvel SSJ, Carolyn Ollison, Angela Pena, Cynethia Pichon, Margie Pichon, Percy Pichon Sr, Robin Pichon-Mosley, Catherine Pierre, Michael Pierre, Mildred Pierre, Marcelle Prevost, Melody Ratcliff, Effie Rems, Elise Richmond, John & Christine Roberts, Wilson Robertson, Louis Robinson, Oliver Rose, Brian Russell, Grace Russell, Very Rev. Michael K. Saah-Buckman SSJ, Kerry Samuels, Joseph Selexman, Kevin Simon, Joyce Smith, Joyce Stagg, Jeffery Steptoe, Mackenzie Swanks, Kennedy Swanks, Erma Taylor, Melvin Thomas, Gemma Walcott, Herbert White, Agnes Williams, Patricia Williams, Terrell Wilson, Janice Woods, Alberta Zenon and all the sick and shut-in in our parish family.



MICHAEL TERRENCE DENT
1979-2025



ISSAC DANTE HARRIS
1986-2025



LAWRENCE FRANK
1948-2025

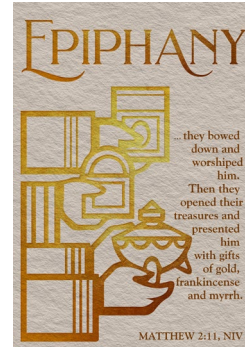
Lord, we pray for all our current military service members who put their own lives on the line every day to protect our families and our country.

Army: Sade Beck, Wadie Troy Butler, Patrick Clay Jr, Kalah A. Guidry, Angel Guillory, LaTroy King, Essence McMillan, Gary Christian Robertson, Anthony Lamar Smith II

Navy: Alvin Balthazar, Debreanna Brown, Jermaine Ceaser, Kevin Crockett, Alexander Guillory Jr, Courtney Harris, Nia D. Hawkins-Camp, Xavier Henry, Anthony N. Russell, Robert Lee Smith

Air Force: Samuel Houston, Roderick Jones, Joshua Creeks, Joffre Lander

Marines: Reginald Ward

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Jesus, the light of the world, draws foreigners from all over the earth to bring gifts and proclaim their reverence. Isaiah foresees the light from Jerusalem attracting people from faraway

lands, bringing gifts and praising the Lord. Paul himself travels to distant regions, preaching the message that Jesus came to Jews and Gentiles alike. The maji come from the east to pay homage and offer treasures to the newborn king. As God's word is proclaimed, may we show our reverence.

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

☐ **Sunday – January 4**

The Epiphany of the Lord

Isaiah 60:1-6

Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 10-13

Eph 3:2-3, 5-6

Mt 2:1-12

☐ **Monday – January 5**

Saint John Neumann, Bishop

1 Jn 3:22—4:6

Ps 2:7-8, 10-12

Mt 4:12-17, 23-25

☐ **Tuesday – January 6**

Saint Andre Bessett, Religious

1 Jn 4:7-10

Ps 72:1-4, 7-8

Mk 6:34-44

☐ **Wednesday – January 7**

Saint Raymond of Penyafort

1 Jn 4:11-18

Ps 72:1-2, 10, 12-13

Mk 6:45-52

☐ **Thursday – January 8**

1 Jn 4:19—5:4

Ps 72:1-2, 14, 15-17

Lk 4:14-22

☐ **Friday January 9**

1 Jn 5:5-13

Ps 147:12-15, 19-20

Lk 5:12-16

☐ **Saturday January 10**

1 Jn 5:14-21

Ps 149:1-6, 9

Jn 3:22-30



January 5.....6:00pm
6th – 10th CCE CLASSES

January 10.....9:00am
Confirmation 1st Year Retreat

January 10.....9:30am
PreK – 5th CCE CLASSES

January 12.....6:00pm
6th – 10th CCE CLASSES

January 17.....9:30am
PreK – 5th CCE CLASSES

January 19
NO CCE CLASSES – MLK HOLIDAY

January 24.....9:30am
PreK – 5th CCE CLASSES

January 26.....6:00pm
6th – 10th CCE CLASSES

January 31.....9:30am
PreK – 5th CCE CLASSES

2025-2026 OCIA

January 8.....6:00pm
OCIA CLASSES Resume



Zyaire Zaki Drenon (4mos) received the Sacrament of Baptism on Sunday, December 28, 2025. Zyaire's Parents are Brandon & Dalyah Drenon. His Godparents are Brycen Drenon & Nicola Amos. Zyaire was Baptized by his Grandfather, Deacon Darryl Drenon. His Great-Grand Parents, Aunts, Uncles and Cousins welcomed Zyaire to the St. Francis Xavier Family.

ATTENDANCE

In-person Mass attendance on Saturday, December 27th and Sunday, December 28th was **465** and the 7:30am Sunday Mass Livestream received **77** views online. Please join us via YouTube Livestream, or bring a friend to come and worship with us in the church.



Beverly Ann Gayard Heileman passed away on December 22, 2025. Beverly is the Sister of Beatrice Marie Burrell. Eternal rest grant unto her soul.

Valerie Thomas passed away on December 23, 2025 at the age of 67 yrs. A Funeral Mass will be celebrated on January 10th at 10:00am. Eternal rest grant unto her soul.

Viola Christine Richard passed away on December 25, 2025 at the age of 66 yrs. Viola is the Niece and Cousin of John Richard and Mary Sias. Eternal rest grant unto her soul.

Journey to
Second
Chance
MINISTRY



The Journey to Second Chance Ministry will meet on Wednesday, **January 7th**, at 6:00pm in the Harris Center Auditorium.



The **55+ Club** will host a Bus Trip to the Coshatta Casino on Saturday, **January 17th**. The Bus will load at **6:30am** and depart from St. Francis Xavier at **7:00am**. The Cost is **\$45.00** per person. Seats are available. Contact: Wanda Johnson @ (832) 492-5088.

The Club is recruiting new members during the month of January thru March. Membership dues are only \$15.00/year. Contact Herbert "Red" Archer @ (281) 536-8912.



Thank you to the "Sisters in Christ", **Dorothy Auzenne, Dorothy Scott, Delores Archer, Bertha Lewis & Marie White** for preparing Christmas Gift Bags which were delivered to our Sick & Shut-in Parishioners. Your act of kindness is the true meaning of Christmas!



Thank you to everyone for the Christmas Cards and Gifts! Your thoughtfulness and generosity is sincerely appreciated. You will continue to be in my prayers.
Fr. Michael

Stewardship Reflection

That we are generous with all of our gifts, especially the one thing that means the most to us. "Then they opened their treasures and offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh." Matthew 2:11 The image of the Magi kneeling before the infant Jesus and opening their treasure chests for Him is an image that we should all try to follow each day. In gratitude for all that we have been given, we are called to generously share all our gifts, not just the ones we pick and choose. God wants us to be generous with everything, but especially that one thing that means the most to you.



Congratulations to our newest Eucharist Minister (EM) **Mary Finnell**! Mary was installed at St. Francis Xavier after completing her Archdiocesan course. She will be serving at our 7:30am Mass.



If you will need a copy of your 2025 contribution statement for tax purposes, please call the Parish Office at **(713) 738-2311**. Statements will be sent only upon request. **Contributions received after December 31st will not be reflected on statements for 2025.**



Some reflections inspired by online copyrighted commentaries and homilies

The Epiphany of the Lord (Cycle A)

In the first reading the prophet Isaiah encourages us: “Arise! Shine, for your light has come, the glory of the LORD has dawned upon you.” (Is 60:1). The light the prophet has seen is the star, which the Three Wise Men see in the East, like many other men. The Magi discover its meaning. Others consider it as something admirable, but that does not affect them. And, so, they do not react.

The Three Wise Men realize the fact that, with the star, God is sending them an important message for which it is worthwhile leaving comfort and safety to take on the risks of an uncertain journey: the hope of finding the King leads them to follow the star, which the prophets had spoken of and which the people of Israel had been waiting for centuries.

They arrive in Jerusalem, the capital city of the Jews. They are sure that there they will be shown where the King has been born. Indeed, they will be told: “In Bethlehem of Judea, for thus it has been written through the prophet” (Mt 2:5). The news of the arrival of the Magi and their inquiry spreads around Jerusalem in a very short time: Jerusalem was, at that time, a small city and the presence of the Magi with their escort must have been noticed by all its inhabitants, thus “When King Herod heard this, he was greatly troubled, and all Jerusalem with him” (Mt 2:3), the Gospel tells us.

Jesus Christ crosses the paths of the lives of many people who are not interested in Him. A little effort would have changed their lives; they would have found the King of Joy and Peace. This requires a willingness to look for Him, to move around, to ask without losing heart —like the Three Wise Men— to leave our comfort, our routine. It requires an effort to appreciate the immense value of finding Christ. If we do not find Him, we have not found anything in life, because only He is the Savior: finding Jesus is to find the Path that leads us to know the Truth that gives us Life. And without Him, nothing is worthwhile.

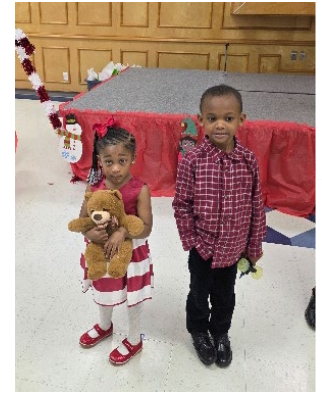
There came a point on the journey of the wise men when they needed more than the signs of nature to find the child whom they were seeking. When they came to Jerusalem

they had to ask, ‘Where is the infant king of the Jews?’ To make the last short step on their long journey, they needed more than the light of a star. They needed the light of the Scriptures. The chief priests and the scribes who knew the Scriptures were able to point them in the direction of Bethlehem.

On our own journey towards the Lord, we too need the light of the Scriptures as well as the light of nature. The Scriptures are a fuller revelation of God than the natural world. It is in and through the Scriptures that we meet God and his Son in a unique way. Through the Scriptures God speaks to us in a privileged way. He asks us to listen and to allow our lives to be shaped by what we hear. The wise men allowed themselves to be guided by the Scriptures, as well as by the star. They showed something of that responsiveness to God’s word to which we are all called. Our ultimate destiny, in the words of Paul’s letter to the Romans, is to be ‘conformed to the image of God’s Son.’ Along the way, like the wise men, we too will have our brush with evil in one form or another, but evil need not stop us in our tracks, because, in the words of the prophet Isaiah, we know that our light has come, and glory shines upon us just like the star the kings follow to Bethlehem. Like the wise men’s journey, our journey too will end with worship, the worship of the Trinity in heaven, the eternal offering of ourselves to God. Every experience of worship in this life is an anticipation of that final goal. As the wise men offered their gifts to the Lord, at our Eucharistic worship we offer God the gift of our lives, we enter into Christ’s offering of himself.

Having made that offering, we too, like the wise men, will be prompted to leave the Eucharist and return by a different way, a way that conforms more fully to the way of Christ. This is the way, the way of Christ, that will eventually lead us to the final goal of receiving God’s grace, that he gives through the gift of Christ Jesus. St. Paul, in today’s second reading we are coheirs, partners in this divine plan God has revealed for all generations through the gospels.

Very Rev. Michael L. Thompson, SSJ



CCE Students presented a play to the song "Mary did you Know" by Mary J. Blige

CAST

Commentator.....Miome Flores
 Jesus.....Karter Lewis
 Mary.....Penelope Mose
 Lazarus.....Sean Mose
 Blind Man.....Ethan Carroll
 Deaf Man.....Kobe Mclean
 Angels.....Kallie Batiste, Khole Batiste, Egypt Joshua, Reign Griffin
 Children.....Rilynn Griffin, Judah Mose

Congratulations to our students for doing a great job!

Thank you to Our Director, Demetra Lewis Prek/Kindergarten Catechist and to T-Mike for providing the music.





St. Francis Xavier Family

CELEBRATES JANUARY BIRTHDAYS

JANUARY 1

Donald Chambers
Amie Gamble
Stephanie Goodwin
Gwendolyn Lamothe
Ethel Robertson
Emma Williams

JANUARY 2

David Pichon
Avaerieona Woodson

JANUARY 3

Willie Murray
Elizabeth Owens
Red Simpson

JANUARY 4

Tina Bailey
Nyah Campbell
Beverly Evans
Savannah Guidry
Pamela R. Johnson

JANUARY 5

Merriamon Griffin
Hillary Ledet
Ingrid Singleton

JANUARY 6

Mary Albert
Jeanette Jackson
Patrice Jefferson
Catherine Koumado
Tierra Martin
Ronald Prevost
Yulisa Rose

JANUARY 7

Adrian Carner
Verdina Thompson

JANUARY 8

Bryant Braggs
Craig Johnson
Emily S. Simms
Mary Ross

JANUARY 9

Shaylor Goodwin
Etta Marbley
Christine Roberts

JANUARY 10

Lucille Barriere
Thomas Charles
Linda Kimble
Michele Nwokobi

JANUARY 11

Kerlene Simms
Dwight Williams

JANUARY 12

April Lucky
Diane Miles
Steve Stoute

JANUARY 13

Amanda Armstrong
James Jefferson
Heny Karikari
Sara Willis

JANUARY 14

Annie Fontenet

JANUARY 15

Florentina Jean-Baptiste
Jeneda Wiltz

JANUARY 16

Shirley Braggs
William Moore
Roy L. Ross

JANUARY 17

Michael Ben
Michael Campbell
James Charles
Tamia Mosley
Grace Russell

JANUARY 18

Jamiyah Mouton
Jonathan St. Mary

JANUARY 19

Clara Caldwell
Harley Wiltz

JANUARY 20

Lydia Sam

JANUARY 21

Chynell J. Fisher
Kimberly Guilbeau
Paul Riggs

JANUARY 22

Clemon Savoy
Mandy Wheatfall
Mary R. Desplumes
Joyce Stagg
Reginald E. Wilson

JANUARY 23

Alicia Jones
John Joseph

JANUARY 24

Wilkenson Beaubrun
Daniel Bell
William Citizen
Darryll Ingram
John Lockett
Dedrick Smith

JANUARY 25

Stacie Broussard
Elizabeth Orphe'
Clayton Trim

JANUARY 26

Thyra Batchan
Emily Charles
Joseph C. Cunningham
Eugene Williams

JANUARY 27

S. Renee' Clay
Emma Mouton
Charles Turner

JANUARY 28

Louverta Lee

JANUARY 29

Beulah Hadrick
Lynn Johnson
Michael Simms, Sr.

JANUARY 31

Althea Cooper Cartman
Andres Davila
Veronica Jacobs
Sheila W. McDaniel
Keith McKinley

Please call the Parish Office @ (713) 738-2311 if your Birthday is not listed.



Celebrating

An Anniversary This Month



THE MONTH OF JANUARY (IN WEDDING DATE ORDER)

JANUARY 1

Eugene & Rosey Chevis (16 yrs)

JANUARY 18

Andrew & Annie Robertson (45 yrs)

Roy L. & Mary C. Ross (29 yrs)

JANUARY 2

Kenneth & Aaronetta Wiltz (10 yrs)

JANUARY 19

Andrew & Cynthia Boutte (47 yrs)

JANUARY 4

Joseph & Janice Woods (60 yrs)

Keithtrik & Linda Knighten (22 yrs)

JANUARY 21

Ronald & Adeline Young (14 yrs)

JANUARY 24

Eugene & Emma Williams (67 yrs)

JANUARY 10

Rudy & Angela Johnson, Jr. (25 yrs)

JANUARY 26

Rodney & Carolyn Garrison (46 yrs)

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2025 CHRISTMAS POINSETTIA DONATIONS

Donated By:

Rita Albert
 Wilfred J. Alexander
 Herbert "Red" & Delores "Dee" Archer
 Unella Baber
 Angelica B. Baines
 Angelica B. Baines
 Angelica B. Baines
 Erma Baker
 Theresa Baltrip
 Lucille Barriere
 Lucille Barriere
 Verlie A. Batiste
 Milton Bessard
 Covetta Blanks
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 Joann Burbridge
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 Jeanette Jackson

In Memory/Honor Of:

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 All Family, Friends & Neighbors
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 Tristan Davis
 Felias, Anna Francis and Dalton & Rita Dean, Sr / Dalton Jr, Dalton Jamal III, Julia Dean
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 Beatrice Dugas Foreman & Helen Foreman Orsort
 Julian, Kenneth, Wesley Forte
 Eura Mae Johnson
 M/M Paul Garrick, Sr / Paul & Lorna Garrick, Jr
 The Goodwin, Scott, Burris and Ward Families
 M/M John Joseph and M/M R. Griffin
 James, Elizabeth, Jayland Guilbeau
 Agnes Brown Taylor
 Marion & Esther Beauchamp
 Madeline Hamilton
 Gabriel Ambrose Haskin
 Deceased Family Members
 Alveda, Theodore, Louis & Virgin
 M/M R. Dotson, Jordan Mills & the Vital Family
 Briana Colwell & Daron Jackson

Thank You!

2025 CHRISTMAS POINSETTIA DONATIONS

Donated By:

Lorelle Jackson
Family
Mabel Johnson
Pamela R. Johnson & Family
Wanda Johnson
Wanda Johnson
Curtis Jones
Louella Kelly
Ronald & Linda Kimble
Mary Laday
Gwen & Mike LaMothe
Gwen & Michael LaMothe
Michael & Gwen LaMothe
Dolores Dupre Ledet
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Deborah Scott
Dorothy Scott

Patricia Session
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Lee Anna Smith
Sylvia T. Spencer

In Memory/Honor Of:

Loretta Landry
Mary Leola Jacobs, Leola Theresa Jacobs & Granger Powell
Helen Divine Obimpeh
Mary Theresa & Isom Cameron
Louis & Florence McChristian
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Levan Ledet
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Luevenia Marcel-Lewis
Hilda & John Marcel, Jr
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Ella M. Robertson
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Brandi Moore / Phillip J. Moore

Mary V. Murray
Anita M. Bailey, Earlene Duplechaine, Monique Clark & Tamara Sanders
Milton & Leola Davis, Sr / Milton Davis, Jr
Fannie Ann Harris / Femi Grabriel Odujobi
Annie Pierson
The Washington & Payton Family
Gayle Simon Daniel
Joseph & Earlene Duplechaine
Joseph Pierre / Mildred & Catherine
Mary Edmonia Stein / Mary Mildred Pierre
Beatrice Green Harmon, Mary Leola Jacobs & Leola Theresa Jacobs
Mary Goodie
My Deceased Family Members
Herman Tony Robert / His Family H. R.
Jackie Richsard-Smith / John & Mary Richard
M/M Stephen Gallien, Sr / M/M Clemon Savoy
James & Leatrice Gary and Sylvia Robertson
Rochelle & Brian Scott
Kenneth Scott, Wallace Thomas, Odelia Thomas, Wallace Thomas Jr, Glory
Payne & Bernadette Thomas
Plenny & Ocelia Biagas / Sean Dugar
Simpson, Williams, Green / Red Simpson Family & Friend
Helen, Lac-sherword, Smith Family / Helen Hudson, Linda White
Mabel Rideaux, Thelma Smith / Adrienne Jacob, Monicha O'Neal
The Breaux Family / St. Jude & St. Anthony

*Thank
You!*



2025 CHRISTMAS POINSETTIA DONATIONS



Donated By:

Celeste Stafford
M/M John Taylor
Stephanie Thierry-Hooks
Jerald Rose Thompson
Dorenda Turner
Odelia Vallery
Chantee Vavasseur
Mary Ann Ward
Mary Ann Ward
Teana Watson
Sarah Perry Westbrook
Elizabeth Wiley
Hilton & Virginia Williams
Lisa Williams
Tiffnie T. Williams
Aaronetta Sam Wiltz
Anna Ruth Wiltz
Jeneda Wiltz
Pat Wiltz
Adeline & Ronald Young
Astra Zeno
Astra Zeno
Sandra Zeno
Sandra Zeno




























In Memory/Honor Of:

The Stafford & Rayme Family / Celeste Stafford & Sons

Alesha JaNay Hooks
Ferdinand & Doris Thompson
Lorenzo C. Moellendorf
Joseph Melvin Vallery, Sr
Ulyess & Mary Vavasseur
M/M Edward Donato & M/M Walter LeBlanc
Kirk & Michael Selexman, Sr
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M/M Ben & Elizabeth Wheeler / My Parents
M/M Hopson Williams, Sr
Aunt Willie Mae Smith / All your love and support
M/M Willie Ford / M/M Hilton S. Williams
Sidney & Elizabeth G. Sam
Bradford & Clementine Morris and Wesley Wiltz

Lawrence & Enola Abraham
Malveaux & Young Family
Betty King, Kevin King
Chandra Boston, Delindsey Mack
Andrew & Marie Johnson
Andrew Johnson Jr, Albert Johnson

Thank You!

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
28 Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph Youth Sunday  7:30am Sunday Mass 10:00am Baptism - Zyaire Drenon 10:00am Sunday Mass	29 Parish Office Closed NO CCE CLASSES	30 7:00am Weekday Mass  9:00am Funeral Repast - Frank 10:00am Carolyn Garrison 10:00am Funeral Mass - Lawrence Frank 5:30pm Empire Building Maintenance	31 7:00am Weekday Mass  6:30pm Sunday Choir Rehearsal	1 Parish Office Closed  10:00am Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God Mass	2 Parish Office Closed 7:00am Weekday Mass Eucharistic Adoration  7:30am First Friday Adoration Private Hall Rental	3 NO CCE CLASSES 10:00am Drexel Society Meeting 5:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass
4 The Epiphany of the Lord  7:30am Christian Women Org Turn-Out and Meeting 7:30am Sunday Mass 10:00am Sunday Mass 1:00pm Drexels Final Rehearsal	5 Parish Office Closed  6:00pm CCE Classes 6th - 10th	6 7:00am Weekday Mass	7 7:00am Weekday Mass Journey to Second Chance MINISTRY  6:00pm Journey to 2nd Chance Ministry Meeting 6:30pm Sunday Choir Rehearsal	8 7:00am Weekday Mass Parish Office Closed  6:00pm Baptism Class (Part 1) 6:00pm Line Dance Class 6:00pm OCIA Class 7:00pm Saturday Choir Rehearsal	9 7:00am Weekday Mass	10  9:00am Confirmation 1st Year Retreat 9:30am CCE Classes PreK - 5th 10:00am Funeral Mass - Valerie Thomas 5:00pm Private Hall Rental 5:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass
11 The Baptism of the Lord  7:30am Sunday Mass 9:00am KPC Joint Meeting 10:00am Sunday Mass	12 Parish Office Closed  6:00pm CCE Classes 6th - 10th	13 7:00am Weekday Mass  2:00pm SVdP Conference Monthly Meeting	14 7:00am Weekday Mass  DSF Kick-Off Meeting/Material Pick-Up 6:00pm Drexels Meeting 6:30pm Sunday Choir Rehearsal	15 7:00am Weekday Mass Parish Office Closed 55+ Club Update  2:00pm 55+ Club Business Meeting 6:00pm Baptism Class (Part 2) 6:00pm Line Dance Class 6:00pm OCIA Class 7:00pm Saturday Choir Rehearsal	16 7:00am Weekday Mass	17  55+ Casino Bus Trip 9:30am CCE Classes PreK - 5th 11:00am Lector's Quarterly Meeting 5:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass
18 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time 3:00pm MLK Mass @ Co-Cathedral  A MASS OF REMEMBRANCE KPC Turnout - MLK Mass Co-Cathedral 7:30am Sunday Mass 10:00am Sunday Mass	19 Parish Office Closed  NO CCE CLASSES	20 7:00am Weekday Mass	21 7:00am Weekday Mass  10:30am Sick Visits 6:30pm Sunday Choir Rehearsal	22 7:00am Weekday Mass Parish Office Closed  6:00pm Line Dance Class 6:00pm OCIA Class 7:00pm Saturday Choir Rehearsal	23 7:00am Weekday Mass	24 Drexel's Presentation Ball  9:30am CCE Classes PreK - 5th 11:30am Youth Choir Rehearsal 1:00pm Angels Surviving Cancer Meeting 5:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass
25 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Youth Sunday  Second Collection - Bishops' Fund for Latin America 7:30am Sunday Mass 10:00am Sunday Mass	26 Parish Office Closed  6:00pm CCE Classes 6th - 10th	27 7:00am Weekday Mass  2:00pm SVdP Conference Monthly Meeting	28 7:00am Weekday Mass  6:30pm Sunday Choir Rehearsal	29 7:00am Weekday Mass Parish Office Closed  6:00pm Line Dance Class 6:00pm OCIA Class 7:00pm Saturday Choir Rehearsal	30 7:00am Weekday Mass	31  Deacon Darryl Drenon's Ordination Anniversary 9:30am CCE Classes PreK - 5th 5:00pm 55+ Turn-Out 5:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass



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