



Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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February 2, 2025 | Feast of the Presentation of the Lord

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)*

Sunday

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

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

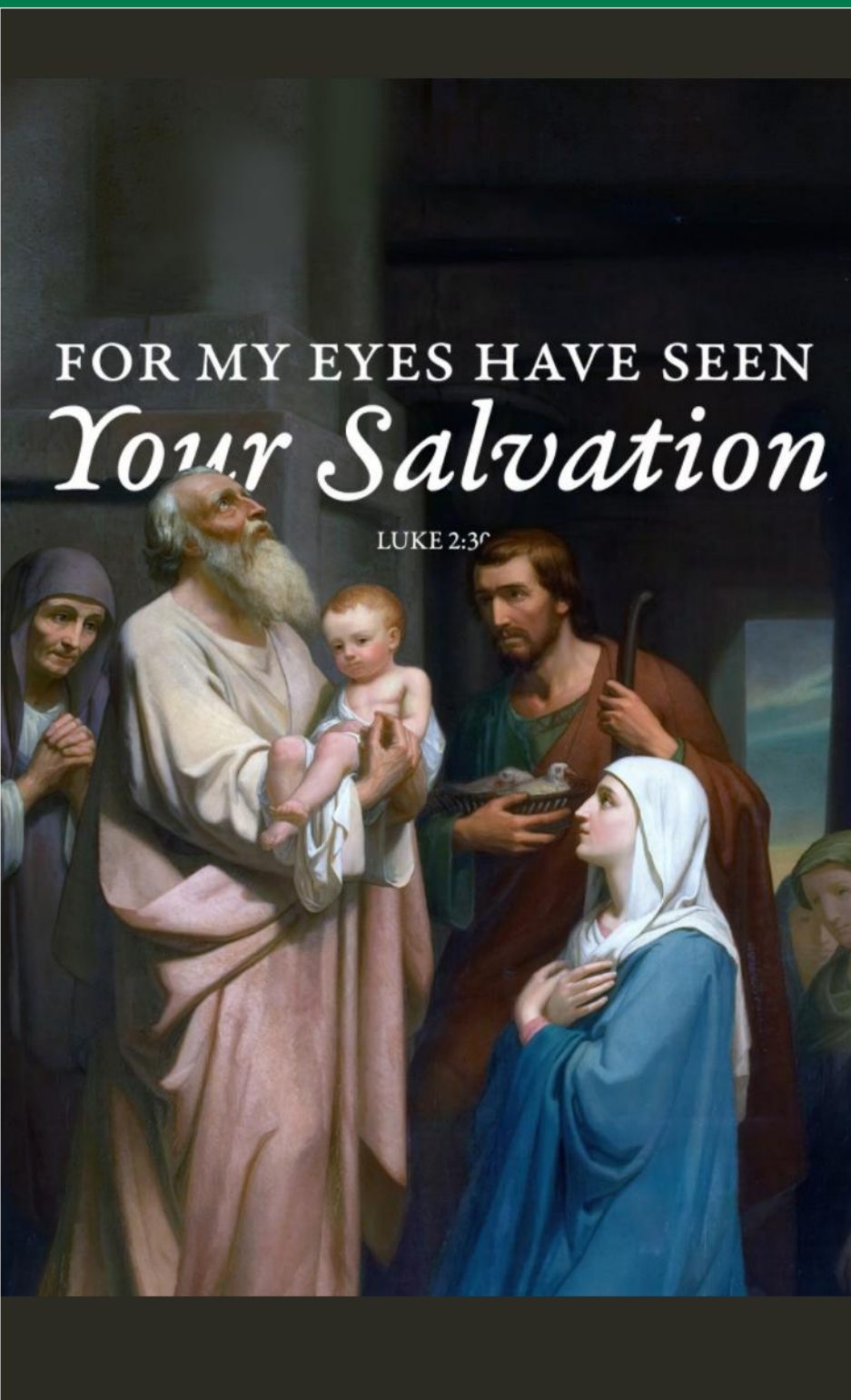
8:30am

Divine Mercy Chaplet

Tuesdays, after the 8am Mass

Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Thursdays, after 8am Mass



Weekly Mass Intentions



Sanctuary Candle

The sanctuary candle burns in loving memory of Patsy Piech

Saturday, February 1

8:00 a.m. †John Nguyen

4:00 p.m. Lou Horn

6:00 p.m. †Sarah Quiñones

Sunday, February 2

8:00 a.m. Rita Wood

9:30 a.m. †Patsy Piech

11:30 a.m. Estella DiLuzio

Monday, February 3

8:00 a.m. †Jose Matawaran

Tuesday, February 4

8:00 a.m. N Pham in Thanksgiving

Wednesday, February 5

8:15 a.m. †Bill Colville

6:00 p.m. For vocations

Thursday, February 6

8:00 a.m. †Leonard Mezerowski

Friday, February 7

8:00 a.m. †Mickey Winstock

6:00 p.m. †Richard V. Moran

Saturday, February 8

4:00 p.m. †Barbuti Family

6:00 p.m. Felicity Poquette

Sunday, February 9

8:00 a.m. †All Souls in Purgatory

9:30 a.m. †Connie Marmaro

11:30 a.m. For our parishioners

Our Stewardship

Stewardship for January 25-26

Offertory: \$11,660

Maintenance: \$1,825

His Heart Society: \$487

Other: \$549.70

Total: \$14,521.70

Weekend Attendance: 1,139

Stewardship Spotlight: Catholic Ministry Appeal

We are a culture of doers. We demonstrate love for our families through service - taking aging parents to doctor appointments, hosting holiday gatherings, carting kids to school activities. We climb the ladder of success through long hours of work. So burdened by activities, we often need another rest after returning home from a family vacation. Even in our faith lives, we follow Christ by doing. We evangelize, serve the marginalized, attend Mass, etc. Service is good.

Jesus' ministry was an active one based on service, and as his followers, were called to continue these good works in his name. But we need to be with Jesus, too. We need to contemplate him, this God-made-man who brings good news to those who suffer. Jesus says, "The Spirit of the Lord is upon me." If we let the Holy Spirit rest in us as it did in him, we will enjoy a deep and abiding friendship with Christ. He desires intimacy with us, and intimacy requires that we slow down and feel the presence of our Lord in our lives.

In Jesus' first sermon, we see that the Spirit dwells in him, empowering him to establish a kingdom of peace and justice that will never end. Please pray for the success of the Catholic Ministry Appeal as a way of building the Kingdom of God, and ask the Holy Spirit to guide your participation in it.



This Week at Sacred Heart

Sunday, February 2nd, Feast of the Presentation

- Readings: Malachi 3:1-4, Hebrews 2:14-18, Luke 2:22-40 or 2:22-32
- Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast, 8:30am, Parish Center
- Exodus 90 Meeting, 10:30am, Retreat House

Monday, February 3rd:

- Blessing of Throats at 8am Mass, Chapel
- Legion of Mary, 8:30am, Marian Room
- Junior Legion of Mary, 6pm, Parish Center
- Columbiettes Officers Meeting, 7pm, Parish Center

Tuesday, February 4th:

- Parish Bible Study, 9:00-10:15am, Marian Room
- His Heart Society: food and clothing distribution, 9-11am
- Evening Bible Study, 6pm, Parish Center
- Spanish Prayer Group, 7pm, Marian Room
- Sons of God, 7:30pm, Parish Center (stage side)
- Daughters of God, 7:30pm, Parish Center (kitchen side)

Wednesday, February 5th:

- Bingo, doors open at 10:30am, Parish Center
- Youth Ministry, 7pm, Retreat House

Thursday, February 6th:

- Prayer Shawl, 10am, Retreat House
- God's Housekeepers, 1pm, Church
- OCIA, 7pm, Retreat House

Friday, February 7th, First Friday:

- Adoration, 8:30am, Chapel
- Benediction, 5:50pm, Chapel
- Mass, 6pm, Chapel
- School Play, 6:30pm, Parish Center

Saturday, February 8th:

- Liturgy Meeting, 9:30am, Retreat House
- School Play, 6:30pm, Parish Center

Sunday, February 9th: 5th Sunday of Ordinary Time

- Readings: Isaiah 6:1-2a, 3-8, 1 Corinthians 15:1-11, Luke 5:1
- Exodus 90 Meeting, 10:30am, Retreat House
- School Play, 1:00pm, Parish Center

Save the Date

Knights of Columbus Pancake Breakfast

Join us this **Sunday, February 2nd**, for a delicious pancake breakfast hosted by the Knights of Columbus. Pancakes, egg, sausage and drink will be served from 8:30am - 11am in the Parish Center. Cost is \$5.00. All are welcome!

Youth Ministry

The new youth ministry meets each Wednesday evening in the Retreat House at 7pm. Kids from grades 6 - 12 are welcome to join together for food, fellowship, and faith sharing. The next meeting is **February 5 at 7pm**. For more information email James at:

jbisset@sacredheartpinellaspark.com

Columbiettes Morning of Reflection

Mark your calendars and plan on joining us on **Saturday, February 22 at 8:30am in the Parish Center**. Additional details to follow.

Knights of Columbus Men's Day of Reflection

All men of the parish are invited to this day of reflection on **Saturday, March 8th at 10am in the Parish Center**. Additional details to follow.

Living Catholic: Sons of God & Daughters of God

Discover faith, fellowship, and purpose in our new weekly Men's and Women's groups!

Sons of God [*Filii Dei*]: Calling men to strengthen their purpose, brotherhood, and commitment to Christ.

Next Meeting: February 4, 2025 7:30pm in the Parish Center

Daughters of God [*Filiae Dei*]: Women growing together in faith, virtue, and community.

Next Meeting: February 4, 2025 : 7:30pm in Parish Center

Visit www.livingcatholic.org for details and to join.

PARISH NEWS

Congratulations!

Luciana received her First Holy Communion at the 6:00 Vigil Mass last Saturday evening and is now ready to receive the fullness of the Holy Spirit in the sacrament of confirmation with her SHCS classmates next month. Congratulations to Luciana and her family! Please pray for Luciana and the 52 other boys and girls who will receive the sacrament of Christian maturity as they are confirmed by Bishop Parkes in a couple of weeks.



Thanks, Congrats, & God bless!

February 2 is observed as the World Day for Consecrated Life. According to Pope St. John Paul II, its purpose is “to help the entire Church to esteem ever more greatly the witness of love in those persons who have chosen to follow Christ by means of the practice of the evangelical counsels” as well as “to be a suitable occasion for consecrated persons to renew their commitment and rekindle the fervor which should inspire their offering of themselves to the Lord.” Here at Sacred Heart Catholic Church, we are very BLESSED to have two consecrated sisters serving our community, Sister Phyllis Shaughnessy & Sister Mary Ann Urch. In anticipation of this feast day, these sisters renewed a commitment to their vows and received a blessing at the school Mass this week. Thank you for your service, Sisters, and may God continue to bless and sustain you in your vocations!



Get Ready for The Mardi Gras Mixer!

Hosted by the Filii Dei [Sons of God] and the Filiae Dei [Daughters of God]
Celebrate the spirit of community with great food, lively music, and joyful company!
All are welcome to this festive event filled with laughter and meaningful connections.
Bring a friend and come ready to enjoy a memorable evening!

Date: Tuesday, March 4, 2025

Time: 7:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Location: Parish Center

For more details, visit www.livingcatholic.org.

Let's prepare our hearts for Lent with celebration and gratitude! More Info to Come!



DIOCESAN NEWS

Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experience

Blessed Trinity Catholic Church, 1600 54th Ave. South, St. Petersburg, invites you to the Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experience starting at 8:00 AM on **Tuesday, February 11, 2025**. This is a free event. All are welcome! For more information call (727) 867-3663.

Learn about Natural Family Planning

St Gianna Center is offering free introductory sessions for couples looking to naturally achieve or avoid pregnancy. During an Intro Session you'll learn cycle charting using the Creighton Model. If you are interested in attending a session via Zoom, please visit <https://www.stgiannacenter.com/events/> or call St Gianna's Center at 813-421-4625. The next session is: **Saturday, February 15 at 10:00 AM**.

Abundance Holy Hour for Vocations

The Office of Vocations and the Serra Club of St. Petersburg host a monthly Holy Hour for vocations at the Cathedral. The next Abundance Holy Hour is **Wednesday, February 26 at 6:30 pm**. Join us in person or by livestream at www.stjudesp.org All are welcome to join in praying for an abundance of vocations in the Diocese of St. Petersburg. "There are different forms of service but the same Lord;" is your form of service to become a priest, deacon or consecrated religious? If you think God may be offering you this grace, contact Fr. Chuck in the Office of Vocations spvocation@dosp.org or 727-345-3452

Pope Francis' February Prayer intention is **for vocations to the priesthood and religious life**. We at Sacred Heart are always looking for ways to promote and support vocations. One thing we do is offer the 6pm Mass every Wednesday for an increase in vocations to the priesthood and religious life. Please join us in praying for the Lord to send more laborers into the vineyard by encouraging vocations!

Local Churches are Places of Pilgrimage during the Jubilee Year

Bishop Gregory Parkes has designated local churches in the Diocese of Saint Petersburg as pilgrimage sites during the 2025 Jubilee Year of Hope. Catholics who visit these churches and commit to certain prayers and spiritual practices, receive a Plenary Indulgence from Pope Francis. A "Passport" has been created as a keepsake and guide. There will be printed copies of this booklet near the church entrance at the pilgrimage sites.

Pinellas County: Cathedral of St. Jude the Apostle, 5815 5th Ave N, St. Petersburg

Pinellas County: Espirito Santo Catholic Church, 2405 Philippe Parkway, Safety Harbor

Hillsborough County: Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 509 N. Florida Avenue, Tampa

Pasco County: Saint Leo Abbey Church, 33601 County Road 52, St. Leo

Citrus County: St. Benedict Catholic Church, 455 S Suncoast Blvd, Crystal River

Visit dosp.org/jubilee2025 to read about exciting opportunities that will be offered for our community.

Facebook: SacredHeartParish
PinellasPark

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Sun.8:30am-12:45pm

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Food & Clothing: Tue. & Thurs.

9-11am

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Grow in Faith

Exodus 90 2025

Join tens of thousands of men this Lent for *Exodus 90 2025: For Freedom Christ Set us Free*

Exodus 90 helps men grow in personal freedom. Through ancient Catholic practices of prayer, asceticism, and fraternity, we grow in our identity as sons of God, we receive the love of the Father more fully, and we seek to respond generously to his call for our lives. Over the past ten years, 99% of men report experiencing greater freedom, and a positive impact upon their practice of the faith. Exodus 90 is designed for men looking to set aside the comforts and distractions of our time, and to grow in the freedom of the sons of God.

Download the app now and Join the Men of Sacred Heart this Lent to become the man you were created to be. Scan QR code to join.

Sponsored by the *Filii Dei* [Sons of God] of Sacred Heart. For more information, visit www.livingcatholic.org



Bulletin Submissions

Bulletin Date	Submission Due Date
February 9	January 29
February 16	February 5
February 23	February 12

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	Janet Hula
Angel Anzalone	Dennis Johnson
Mary Barbuti	Marion Lane
Rita Belcastro	Terry Lange
Linda Beving	Scott Laneville
Frank Blanco III	Mary Masterson
Phyllis Boger	Mary Paglio
Judy Born	Michael Post
Carol Brandl	Terri Romano
Maritza Calixto	Raul Santiago
Judy Cardone	Patricia Slaymaker
Paul Catalano	Jeanne Slofkin
Mitzi Federico	Mary Spadafora
Mary Gambrell	Ray Spadafora
Gerry Grasso	Harriett Williams
Melissa Harkins	Michelle "Mickey" Wickenheiser
Lou Horn	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.com. Remember that we must have the person's permission before adding his/her name to the list.



Pope Francis February Prayer Intention

For vocations to the priesthood and religious life.

Let us pray that the ecclesial community might welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

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