



# Sacred Heart Catholic Church

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March 23, 2025 | 3rd Sunday of Lent

## Liturgical Schedule

### Weekday Mass

Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri: 8am

Wed: 8:15am & 6:15pm

*(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: 5-6pm *(English)*

Saturdays: 2:45-3:45pm *(English)*

Or by appointment

### Our Chapel is Open for Prayer

Mon - Fri: 8:30am-5pm

### Adoration

Wednesdays: 5-6pm

### First Fridays

Adoration: 8:30am-12pm

Masses: 8am and 12:15pm

### First Saturdays

Mass: 8am

Rosary: 8:30am

### Divine Mercy Chaplet

Tuesdays, after the 8am Mass

### Our Mother of Perpetual Help

Thursdays, after 8am Mass

## WE NEED YOU... AT THE SACRED HEART FALL FESTIVAL!

# APRIL. 2-6

Wed, Thurs: 6pm - 10pm | Fri: 6pm - 11pm

Sat: Noon - 11pm | Sun: Noon - 8pm

The BEST rides by Arnold Amusements ★ Lots of Food  
★ Games ★ Vendors ★ FREE Live Entertainment

### PRE-SALE RIDE TICKETS ARE AVAILABLE AT

[www.osvhub.com/sacred-heart-pinellas-park/forms/festival-online-ride-tickets2](http://www.osvhub.com/sacred-heart-pinellas-park/forms/festival-online-ride-tickets2)

### TOP 3 WAYS YOU CAN HELP MAKE THE FESTIVAL A SUCCESS:

**1. VOLUNTEER:** Volunteers to sell food tickets and work the parish food stand, are the biggest need right now. You can also be part of our security team or help keep the grounds clean. Call the office to sign up!

**2. INVITE SOMEONE:** Our festivals are community events - this is a great opportunity to invite a friend or neighbor to Sacred Heart. The hospitality they receive may lead them to attend Mass sometime!

**3. ENJOY THE FESTIVAL YOURSELF:** Enjoying the rides, walking along "Festival Lane" looking at vendor displays, eating great food, and enjoying the live entertainment are all great ways to support the Festival!

**BINGO!** A very special Bingo will kick-off Festival Week on Sunday, March 30 in the Parish Center.

**DOORS OPEN AT 10AM.** Come early and enjoy **FREE** coffee and donuts. **GAME STARTS AT NOON.** Lunch included. Win Door Prizes!



## Weekly Mass Intentions



### Sanctuary Candle

The sanctuary candle burns for a safe and successful Spring Festival

### Saturday, March 22

4:00 p.m. †Daivd Lamond

6:00 p.m. For our parishioners

### Sunday, March 23

8:00 a.m. †Linda Faulkner

9:30 a.m. †William Coldren

11:30 a.m. †George & Anita Rosato

### Monday, March 24

8:00 a.m. †Selak and Slipoc Families

### Tuesday, March 25

8:00 a.m. Blessings for Slipoc and Selak families

### Wednesday, March 26

8:15 a.m. †Susan Bauer

6:15 p.m. For vocations

### Thursday, March 27

8:00 a.m. †Clarence Gauvin

### Friday, March 28

8:00 a.m. †Martha Peterson

### Saturday, March 29

4:00 p.m. †David Quagliaroli, Jr.

6:00 p.m. For our parishioners

### Sunday, March 30

8:00 a.m. †Phil Hothan

9:30 a.m. CRHP Alumni Intentions

11:30 a.m. †Teresa Zuhars

## Our Stewardship

### Stewardship for March 15-16

Offertory: \$15,147.00

His Heart Society: \$288.20

Other: \$7,973.00

**Total: \$23,408.20**

Weekend Attendance: 1,153

### Stewardship Spotlight: Catholic Ministry Appeal



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*Appeal*

**Goal: \$88,950.00**

**Total pledged: \$50,609**

**Total paid: \$35,789.26**

**Average pledged: \$339.66**

**Total # of households pledged: 149**

**Percentage of households participating: 11%**

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

### Catholic Ministry Appeal Prayer

More numerous than the stars in the sky are your blessings,  
O Good and Gracious God.

You have called us to spread the Good News of your Son,  
Jesus Christ, through our words and actions.

Strengthen our faith and open our hearts to care for all our  
brothers and sisters, especially those who need us the most.

Help us to understand the difference we can make, the love we  
can share and the lives we can bring to Christ through our  
Catholic Ministry Appeal.

We pray that your grace, O Lord, will lead us to be your  
loving heart and hands today.

Amen.

# This Week at Sacred Heart

## Sunday, March 23rd, 3rd Sunday of Lent:

- Readings: Genesis 15:5-12, 17-18, Philippians 3:17-4:1, Luke 9:28b-36
- Exodus 90 Meeting, 10:30am, Retreat House

## Monday, March 24th:

- Legion of Mary, 8:30am, Marian Room
- NO Junior Legion of Mary
- CRHP 15, 7:00pm, Parish Center

## Tuesday, March 25th:

- Parish Bible Study, 9:00-10:15am, Marian Room
- His Heart Society, clothing distribution, 8-10am
- His Heart Society, food 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, March 26th:

- Bingo, doors open at 10:30am, Parish Center
- Adoration & Confessions, 5:00pm - 6:00pm, Church
- Santo Nino, 6:00pm, Marian Room
- Mass, 6:15pm, Church
- Youth Ministry, 6:45pm, Retreat House

## Thursday, March 27th:

- Prayer Shawl, 10am, Retreat House
- OCIA, 7pm, Retreat House

## Friday, March 28th:

- Stations of the Cross after 8am morning Mass, Church
- Fish Fry, 5:00 to 7:00pm, Parish Center
- Stations of the Cross in English, 6pm, Church
- Stations of the Cross in Spanish, 7pm, Church

## Sunday, March 30th, 4th Sunday of Lent:

- Readings: 1 Samuel 16:1b, 6-7, 10-13a, Ephesians 5:8-14, John 9:1-41
- Bingo, 10am, Parish Center
- Exodus 90 Meeting, 10:30am, Retreat House

# Save the Date

## Abundance Holy Hour for Vocations

Join us in prayer for an abundance of vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life. The Holy Hour will take place **March 26, 6:30pm-7:30pm** at the Cathedral of St. Jude in St. Petersburg at 6:30pm. We look forward to gathering in prayer with you.

## Morning Star Auction

**Saturday, March 29 from 6pm to 10pm** at St. Jude the Apostle Parish Center (5815 5th Ave., St. Petersburg) Enjoy a fantastic evening with dinner, drinks, and incredible auction items, all in support of Morning Star School! Tickets start at \$50, with sponsorships from \$125 to \$5,000 - all including dinner, beer, and wine.

This is our biggest fundraiser of the year, helping provide individualized education for students with learning challenges. Pre-purchase Lucky Number and 50/50 raffle tickets online for more chances to win!

Purchase tickets today by calling the school at 727-544-6036 or online at: [live.givebutter.com/c/MSSAuction2025](https://live.givebutter.com/c/MSSAuction2025) or by scanning the QR code.



## Spirit FM's Women of Worth

Join your Spirit FM at the Bailey Center at Christ the King Catholic Church to hear a powerful talk about Prayer presented by Sister Angela from the Disciples of the Lord Jesus Christ and a Writing as Prayer Workshop presented by Dr. Diane Masiello.

This FREE event will be Saturday, March 29, beginning with Mass at 8:30am and concluding at 11:45am.

Space is limited - Register today!  
[www.myspiritfm.com/womenofworth](https://www.myspiritfm.com/womenofworth)

# Lent at

## OUR LENTEN ALMSGIVING

**4th Week (March 29th - 30th) Catholic Charities Easter Basket of pLENTy Drive:** This drive creates Easter Baskets for the children of low-income families. Items needed: coloring books, crayons, chalk, bubbles, frisbee, doll, baby snacks, hair accessories, and candy such as fruit snacks, skittles, etc. **NO CHOCOLATE PLEASE.**

**5th Week (April 5th - 6th ) Migrant Shirts:**  
Items needed: Men's long sleeve sun blocking shirts in medium, large and x-large sizes.

**6th Week (April 12th - 13th) His Heart Ministry:** Items needed: cleansing wipes, disposable razors and travel size deodorants for men and women.

## STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Every Friday at **8:30am and 6pm in English and 7pm in Spanish.**

\*We will be praying the Stations in the Church this year.

## FISH FRY

Every Friday (except Good Friday) **INCLUDING** during the festival!  
**5pm - 7:00pm in the Parish Center.** Cost: \$12 adults, \$6 children

## PARISH BIBLE STUDY

The Parish Bible Study meets on Tuesday mornings in the Marian room from **9 to 10:15am.** For Lent, we will read, "Made for Heaven" by Father Augustino Torres, CFR. This study includes a short video shown during class, reading with reflection for each day of the week, plus discussion questions.



# Sacred Heart

## SPRING FESTIVAL

Save the Date for the Spring Festival, **April 2nd - 6th!** The festival times are:  
Wednesday and Thursday: 6pm to 10pm | Friday: 6:00pm to 11:00pm  
Saturday: Noon to 11:00pm | Sunday - Noon to 8:00pm

### Modifications to the liturgy schedule during the week of Festival:

Wed, April 2nd      **NO 6:15pm Mass, adoration or confessions.**  
Sat, April 5th      First Saturday: 8am Mass  
                                 **Adoration & Confessions 8:30 to 9:30am**  
                                 **NO 2:45pm Confessions**  
                                 4pm Mass, **NO 6pm Mass**  
Sunday, April 6th: 8:00am Mass, 9:30am Mass and 11:30am Mass will be bi-lingual,  
**NO Knights of Columbus Breakfast**

## PENANCE SERVICE

Our Parish Penance Service will be held **Monday April 7th at 6pm.**  
Penance Service to be followed by individual confessions.

# Holy Week

### PALM SUNDAY, APRIL 13TH

Normal weekend Mass schedule.

**At the Saturday 4pm and 6pm Masses:**

Procession with palms

**Sunday 9:30am Mass:**

Children are invited to process in with palms

### GOOD FRIDAY, APRIL 18TH

8:00am, Morning Prayer

8:30am Stations of the Cross, English

3:00pm, Celebration of the Passion of the Lord

6:00pm, Stations of the Cross English

7:00pm, Stations of the Cross Spanish

### HOLY THURSDAY, APRIL 17TH

8:00am, Morning Prayer

7:00pm, Mass of the Lord's Supper in English

Chapel open for private prayer following Mass until  
11:00pm.

### HOLY SATURDAY, APRIL 19TH

8:00am, Morning Prayer

8:30pm, Easter Vigil Mass

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# Acts of Mercy Challenge

As part of the Jubilee Year of Hope, the Diocese of Saint Petersburg is spreading hope through corporal and spiritual works of mercy. We are challenging our community to together complete 1,000,000 acts of mercy. Anyone can participate - as individuals, families, teams - no work of mercy is too small!

Just fill out the form at [www.dosp.org/jubilee2025/mercychallenge/challengeform](http://www.dosp.org/jubilee2025/mercychallenge/challengeform) to make it count towards the challenge. We want to highlight all the good works you are already doing by bringing a focus to it and invite others to join in spreading hope!

## The 7 Corporal Works of Mercy:

- Feed the hungry
- Give drink to the thirsty
- Shelter the homeless
- Visit the sick
- Visit prisoners
- Bury the dead
- Give alms to the poor

## The 7 Spiritual Works of Mercy:

- Counseling the doubtful
- Instructing the ignorant
- Admonishing the sinner
- Comforting the sorrowful
- Forgiving injuries
- Bearing wrongs patiently
- Praying for the living and the dead



# Our Parish Prayer List

Sheryl Acunal	Janet Hula
Angel Anzalone	Dennis Johnson
Mary Barbuti	Marion Lane
Rita Belcastro	Terry Lange
<b>Stephen Bello</b>	Scott Laneville
Linda Beving	Mary Masterson
Frank Blanco III	Mary Paglio
Phyllis Boger	Michael Post
Judy Born	Terri Romano
Carol Brandl	Raul Santiago
Maritza Calixto	Patricia Slaymaker
Judy Cardone	Jeanne Slofkin
Paul Catalano	Mary Spadafora
Mitzi Federico	Ray Spadafora
Mary Gambrell	Harriett Williams
Gerry Grasso	Margaret Ybanez
Melissa Harkins	
Lou Horn	

*\*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 Families in Crisis

Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness, rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.

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