Sacred Heart Catholic Church

Established in 1888 faithfully serving the Community of Saint Joseph and surrounding neighborhoods for 133 years.



Bishop Parkes has mailed all parishioners an invitation to participate in the 2021 Annual Pastoral Appeal (APA). Please review the brochure that comes with the mailing and learn more about the good works of our local Church made possible by APA.

This year the theme for APA is: *Hope in the Lord*, a message that states who we are and how our hope gives us strength. In the last year, our parish has witnessed the saving grace hope can be when faced with immense difficulty. Our people have demonstrated that by refocusing on our hope in our Lord, we can all make a difference to someone less fortunate.

Giving to the Annual Pastoral Appeal is an additional way we can extend hope to others. Through APA, we reach beyond ourselves and our parish, and extend hope to thousands through the ministries, programs and services that enrich a Christ-centered way of life. To learn more about how our diocesan ministries continue serving in Christ's name, visit our diocesan website at www.dosp.org or follow our diocese on social media @DioStPete and discover something new about our local Church outreach.

Together, let's pray that the Holy Spirit will guide our journey and bestow His grace upon us as we extend that hope to others. Our parish Commitment Weekend is on February 6 and 7. Please bring your commitment card from home or pick-up an in-pew pledge envelope at Mass and come prepared to participate and courageously be part of the Good Works of our diocese.

Amighty, ever-tiving, God,

by our baptism, we have been called to live as missionary disciples of your Son, Jesus Christ.

Grant that we, your people of the Diocese of St. Petersburg, will fulfill our purpose by proclaiming the Good News and inviting all people to experience the love and mercy of Jesus Christ.

Deepen our trust in you, O Lord, and help us to remain steadfast in our commitment to Courageously Living the Gospel in our homes, neighborhoods, parish communities, and wherever you may lead us.

Together, with the intercession of our Blessed Mother and all the saints who have gone before us, we humbly ask for the courage to live as your disciples standing firm in our Catholic faith, through your Son, our Lord Jesus Christ.



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Sacred Heart's Prayer Ministry: Send prayer requests to prayer@sacredheartdadecity.org.

After hours, for a Sacramental Emergency, please phone: (727) 215-1563.



2021 APA Begins

The Annual Pastoral Appeal (APA) is a direct appeal to all parishioners of the Diocese of St. Petersburg, asking them to directly fund over 50 ministries, services and programs across the diocese. This includes outreach to the poor and marginalized, Catholic education and faith formation, Christian discipleship and faithful support to the life and ministry of our clergy, religious, and all who serve the Church.



Our theme this year is *Hope in the Lord*, which is very relevant considering all we have been through over the past year. This theme comes from Isaiah 40:31:

...but those who hope in the LORD will renew their strength.

They will soar on wings like eagles; they will run and not grow weary, they will walk and not be faint.

In the coming days, all registered parishioners will be mailed their personalized APA packet. Please take some time to review the materials and respond by using the pledge card and return envelope provided. This year, we strive to join our diocesan family in reaching beyond ourselves and our parish, giving **hope**. Together, we can transform lives. We hope and pray all our parishioners will join us in supporting the 2021 APA.

Thank you in advance for your prayers and support!



Your gift to the Annual Pastoral Appeal helps us courageously live the Gospel. Learn more at www.dosp.org.



Learning More About APA

Why do we need diocesan ministries and programs?

As part of our mission, the Catholic Church serves the needs of many in our local area and beyond. Some services included in the appeal are considered shared services that assist every parish and their people. In many cases, it is more effective for all parishes to join together to fund central outreach. These services and programs are the ongoing pastoral work of the Body of Christ, providing hope to thousands.

What should I give?

Prayer

Pray for the Church, for our brothers and sisters in Christ throughout our diocese, and for all people working in diocesan ministry, as well as those who receive assistance. You can download a copy of our Courageously Living the Gospel diocesan prayer at www.dosp.org.

A Sacrificial Gift

Consider making a pledge or onetime financial contribution.

Donations can be made by cash, check, credit card, or direct debit.

Every gift, every prayer, and every sacrifice is welcomed with gratitude, used with great joy and good stewardship. If you would like to make your gift online today, please visit www.dosp.org/giveapa. January 24, 2021 Page 3

In the Parish: THE SACRED LITURGY

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is being offered for ...

Day		Date	Time	Mass Intention	Requested by:
	Vigil 3rd Sun OT The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jan. 24	4:00 PM 8:00 AM 10:30 AM	† Henry Abbott Special Intention (Anniversary) † Marie Zanichelli	Joe & Anne Lauko Bruce & Ginny Gude Marge Hoffmann
Tuesday Wednesday Thursday	St. Angela Merici	Jan. 26 Jan. 27 Jan. 28	8:00 AM 8:00 AM 8:00 AM	† Bill Barthle Special Intention for Arlene Stevens In Praise & Thanksgiving † Joseph M. & Martha Nathe All the People of Sacred Heart Parish	The John McCarthy Family Judy Bires Anonymous Ruth Hill
	Vigil 4th Sun OT The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time			Special Intention † Dick Fenton Special Intention	Claire Obordo Diane & Ken Riordan Anonymous

Readings for the week of January 24, 2021

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Sunday: Monday:	Jon 3:1-5, 10; Ps 25; 1 Cor 7:29-31; Mk 1:14-20 Acts 22:3-16 or Acts 9:1-22; Ps 117; Mk 16:15-
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Tuesday:	2 Tm 1:1-8 or Ti 1:1-5; Ps 96; Mk 3:31-35
Wednesday:	Heb 10:11-18; Ps 110; Mk 4:1-20
Thursday:	Heb 10:19-25; Ps 24; Mk 4:21-25
Friday:	Heb 10:32-39; Ps 37; Mk 4:26-34
Saturday:	Heb 11:1-2, 8-19; Lk 1:69-70, 71-72, 73-75 [cf.
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68]; Mk 4:35-41 Next Sun.: Dt 18:15-20; Ps 95; 1 Cor 7:32-35; Mk 1:21-28



Praying for our Seminarians:

Let us pray this week for **Christian Galvan** from St. Stephen Parish in
Riverview. Christian is in his
Pastoral Year at St. Catherine of
Siena Church in Clearwater.

Diocesan Prayer for Priests

Sat.	Jan.	23	Msar.	Desmond Daly	

Sun. Jan. 24 Rev. Anthony M. Fortunato, OdeM

Mon. Jan. 25 Father Krzysztof Gazdowicz

Tue. Jan. 26 Rev. Ronald Gliatta, OFM

Wed.Jan. 27 For Holy Vocations to the Priesthood & Religious Life

Thu. Jan. 28 Rev. George A. Gyasi

Fri. Jan. 29 Rev. Joseph F. Hannon, SDB

Sat. Jan. 30 Rev. Richard C. Hermes, SJ

Sun. Jan. 31 Rev. Saji James, MST

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS

- 01 23 Marie Harchut, Terri Martin
- 01 24 Delores Gast
- 01 25 Cayley Golden
- 01 26 Andres Garcia, Frank Gude
- 01 27 Bonnie Burger, George Devereaux, Robert, D'Water, Kalina Humphries, Susan McMahon, Solange Petersen, Terence Ratican
- 01 28 Allison Dious, Joseph Garnecky, Eva Groudas, Carlos Rivera
- 01 29 Haley Enea, Patricia Sgro
- 01 30 Dianna Carrino, Brody Gordon, Jane Pelon, David Wainright
- 01 31 Carolyn Gant, Riley Roberts, Charles Spinner

May the Lord bless you with good health, a grateful heart & eternal joy!

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

1/23

Mr. & Mrs. David & Susan Dugan

1/24

Mr. & Mrs. Alfred & Barbara Grise

1/26

Mr. & Mrs. Don & Mary Stein

1/25

Mr. & Mrs. Bruce & Ginny Gude

1/31

Mr. & Mrs. David & Mary Beth Baur



May the Lord bless your Holy & Sacrificial Love with His Own!

Please pray for all priests who minister in our Diocese.

Thank you to our Liturgical Ministers serving our parish this weekend!

Mass	EMHC	Lector	Ushers
Sat.	Anavictoria Campos	Mary	Pat Goodwin
<i>4pm</i>	Sandy Holcomb	Andrysiak	Gerry Nathe
Sunday	Bruce Gude	Melissa	David Barthle, John
8am	Ginny Gude	Fretz	Blommel, Pap Grove
Sunday	Bob Myszka	Tammy	Mark Barthle
10:30am	Chris Myszka	Barthle	Billy Milam

Entrance Antiphon:

Cf. Ps 96 (95): 1, 6

O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth. In his presence are majesty and splendor, strength and honor in his holy place.

The Penitential Rite: The Confiteor

I confess to almighty God and to you, my brothers and sisters, that I have greatly sinned, in my thoughts and in my words, in what I have done and in what I have failed to do.

And, striking their breast, they say:

through my fault, through my fault, through my most grievous fault;

Then they continue:

therefore I ask blessed Mary ever-Virgin, all the Angels and Saints, and you, my brothers and sisters, to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Gloria

Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

Responsorial Psalm 25:

R/. Teach me your ways, O Lord.

Nicene Creed

I believe in one God, the Father almighty. maker of heaven and earth. of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven,

At the words that follow, up to and including and became man, all bow.

and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man.

For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

Apostles' Creed

I believe in God. the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord,

At the words that follow, up to and including the Virgin Mary, all bow.

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who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate. was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell: on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of God the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting. Amen.

Preparation of the Gifts

Priest: Blessed are you, Lord God of all

creation...bread of life.

R/. Blessed be God forever.

Priest: Blessed are you, Lord God of all

creation...spiritual drink.

R/. Blessed be God forever.

Invitation to Prayer

Priest: Pray brethren ... acceptable to God

the almighty Father.

R/. May the Lord accept the sacrifice

at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Preface Dialogue

Priest: The Lord be with you.

R/. and with your spirit.

Priest: Lift up your hearts.

R/. We lift them up to the Lord.

Priest: Let us give thanks to the Lord our

God.

R/. It is right and just.

Preface Acclamation

Holy, holy, holy Lord, God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Mystery of Faith

Priest: The mystery of faith.

R/.: A We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

- **B** When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again.
- **C** Save us, savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection, you have set us free.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father who art in heaven
Hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come
Thy Will be done
On earth as it is in heaven
Give us this day our daily bread
And forgive us our trespasses
As we forgive those who trespass against us
and lead us not into temptation
but deliver us evil. Amen.

Priest: Deliver us. O Lord

R/. For the kingdom, the power and the glory are yours, now and forever. Amen.

Invitation to Communion

Priest: Behold the Lamb of God.

behold him who takes away the sins of the world.

Blessed are those called to the supper of the lamb.

R/.: Lord, I am not worthy that you

should enter under my roof,

but only say the word

and my soul shall be healed.

Communion Antiphon:

Cf. Ps 34 (33): 6

Look toward the Lord and be radiant; let your faces not be abashed.

Or: Jn 8: 12

I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.



Sacred Heart Youth

Our Youth Group meets every other Wednesday 6:30-8pm outside in Our Lady's Grotto. All youth in grades 6-12 are welcome to join us.

Our next meeting will be this Wednesday, January 27th from 6:30pm-8pm. Join our St. Leo University Ignite Youth Leaders for food, fellowship, faith and fun!

In the Parish: Stewardship of Sharing



We understand that many of our parishioners are enduring financial struggles, especially with the past year due to business closures and other financial strains. Please know that we

prayerfully affirm whatever actions are necessary for you to provide for yourselves and your loved ones.

If, however, you are still able to financially support our parish and would like to continually give offertory in light of the dispensation to attend the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, you may mail a check to the parish or send a check via your bank's bill payment option or select Sacred Heart Parish Dade City for Online Giving through the Diocesan website. Please see those options below. Whatever your situation, we truly appreciate your support.

Weekly Offertory Report January 17, 2021

Offertory \$	5,036.00
Building Fund\$	95.00
Catholic Education\$	64.00
Debt Reduction\$	230.00
Poor Box\$	40.00

God bless you and your family for your generosity and support for our parish ministries and services, especially during these challenging times.

Once again, THANK YOU for helping us reach our 2020 APA assessment goal!

2020 Tithe Reports: We will only be mailing out 2020 Tithe Reports upon request. If you need a tithe report for tax purposes, please email or call the parish office. Tithe reports will be sent out at the end of January.





ONLINE GIVING: Visit our website

(www.sacredheartdadecity.org) and click on "Online Giving".

For those who would like to make a one-time donation online or schedule recurring payments using a bank account or credit card, please visit our website and click on Online Giving. With your free Give Central account, you will be able to return to your account page to access your donation history, receive tax letters or make changes to your payments at any time.

Tax Free Charitable Distribution from your IRA Account at age 70½!

Congress has permanently enacted qualified charitable distributions from your traditional IRA accounts. These distributions can be used to satisfy all or a portion of your Required Minimum Distribution. These distributions are free of federal and state income tax. Additionally, these gifts help you avoid the Medicare high income surcharge and can help to reduce taxes on your social security benefits. Distributions must be made directly from your IRA account to Sacred Heart Catholic Church.



Your bank will allow you to set up an automatic check issued from the bank to a business or organization. You will need to enter our name and mailing address: Sacred Heart Catholic Church, 32145 Saint Joe Road, Dade City, FL 33525. Although you do not have an 'Account" number, you may put your envelope number in its place. Also, for each individual payment there is an option to add a note to the "Memo" line to specify if the check is for Offertory or another special collection such as Debt

Reduction, Building Fund or Catholic Education.



If you prefer, you may simply mail your check to:

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Monthly Stewardship Schedule for January 2021

Friday Holy Day 1/1/21 Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God First Sunday 1/3 Offertory, Catholic Education

Second Sunday 1/10 Offertory, Building Fund

Third Sunday 1/17 Offertory Fourth Sunday 1/24 Offertory Fifth Sunday 1/31 Offertory

Monthly envelopes: APA (Annual Pastoral Appeal), Debt Reduction



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In our Deanery and 'Round the Diocese

FREE EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY Dealing with Loss and Grief

Fr. Tom Madden, Pastor of St. Mary, Our Lady of Sorrows Parish in Masaryktown will be offering a free three-part series on Loss and Grief. The sessions will be offered virtually via Zoom and cover:

- 1) The way cultures express and deal with grief;
- 2) Christian rituals and beliefs about death; and,
- 3) The psychological/practical aspects of dealing with grief.



Father Madden has a Master's of Divinity from St. Vincent de Paul Seminary in Boynton Beach and a Master of Arts Degree in Counseling from USF. He is heavily involved in working with COVID-related death situations and families who have experienced its effects.

The series will be offered virtually via Zoom over three consecutive Wednesdays at 1 PM and repeated at 7 PM beginning with Part One on January 27, Part Two on February 3, and Part Three on February 10.

Register in advance for the 1 PM sessions at:

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZYpduyrrjMtEtEgTw5osPyljP46-kA3qhVm.

For the 7 PM sessions, please register at:

https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZMvfuigpj8iE92eYn1YhVdXhrawGnifK2IH.

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about how to join the virtual meeting. Questions regarding this series may be sent to EastCentralDeaneryCII@sacredheartdadecity.org.

This educational series is part of a collaborative effort with the parishes in our deanery to provide free educational offerings to parishioners and the general public as part of our mission to Courageously Living the Gospel.

One Team Tampa Bay Anti-Trafficking awareness event and missing children outreach. The Diocese is encouraging participation a community-wide Anti-Trafficking awareness and outreach event in anticipation of Superbowl LV. The event, sponsored by NOMORE and supported by the NFL Host Committee, will be held at Grace Family Church on Saturday, January 30, 2021. You can sign up individually, with friends or with a group. If you wish to sign up with a group from the Diocese, contact Sabrina at sab@dosp.org. COVID protocols will be followed. To learn more and register, visit: fornomore.org/superbowl

St. Anthony Catholic School invites you to our open house on February 4th from 9-12 AM.

Small tours will be provided to be mindful of our current circumstances.



VPK planning to open in the 2021-22 school yes 12355 Joe Herrmann Dr San Antonio, 23576 https://www.stanthonyschoolfl.org



Ethical Questions Regarding COVID-19 Vaccines

The USCCB Pro-Life Secretariat has developed a new COVID-19 vaccine educational resource: "Answers to Key Ethical Questions About COVID-19

Vaccines". The purpose of this document is to provide concise answers to the most frequently asked ethical questions about COVID-19 vaccines and to provide additional resources for further study. There is also a webpage dedicated to providing "Moral Guidance on Vaccines".