

# Sacred Heart

PO Box 1310, 507 Harrison St.  
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Confessions: Saturday 3:00 - 3:45 pm  
Sunday 10:30 - 11:00 am  
and by appointment

**Office Hours:**  
**Mon - Thu 9 am - 2 pm**

**Pastor: Rev. Sebastian Devasya, V.E.**

**Sunday Mass is livestreamed**



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**Mass Times: Saturday - 4:00 pm | Sunday - 11:00 am | Tuesday - 6:00 pm | Thursday - Noon | First Friday - Noon**

To our non-Catholic friends, we extend a warm invitation to for you to come forward and receive a Blessing when our Catholic brothers and sisters come forward to receive Holy Communion. Please come up to the Priest or Eucharistic Minister with your hands folded across your chest, so we will know that you wish to receive a Blessing. We are grateful for your presence.

## Mass Intentions:

Friday	Feb 7	Noon	✝	Matthew & Leanna St. Clair	Teresa & Harry Derenge
Saturday	Feb 8	4 pm	✝	Mary Jane Wheby Bowling	by William Joseph Bowling
Sunday	Feb 9	11 am	✝	Dr. Lito Sultan	by Shelby & Jun Neri
Tuesday	Feb 11	6 pm	✝	Leoncia Yonque & Soledad Ordanel	by Dumapit Family
Thursday	Feb 13	Noon	✝	Delores Caccamo	by Cathy & Dickie Roberts
Saturday	Feb 15	4 pm		Noah Griffith (Birthday)	by Laura & Rick Wyatt
Sunday	Feb 16	11 am	✝	Pacie Pace	by Susie Pace



## Upcoming Events:

Fri	Feb 7	Noon	First Friday Mass - Devotion to Sacred Heart and Benediction
Tue	Feb 11	6:45 pm	Parish Council
Fri	Feb 14	6:00 pm	Eucharistic Adoration
Sat	Feb 15	10 am	Baptismal preparation class
Wed	Feb 19	6 pm	Baptismal preparation class
Thu	Feb 20	12:30 pm	Liturgy Meeting
Wed	Feb 26	5:30 pm	Walking in Grief support group
Fri	Feb 28	6:00 pm	Eucharistic Adoration

**Upcoming Baptismal Preparation Class:**

This class is for all expecting parents and new parents preparing for the baptism of their child. Please contact church office at 304-425-3664 to inquire about scheduling your child's baptism.

Saturday, **February 15** - Time: 10 am - Location: Conference Room

Wednesday, **February 19** - Time: 6 pm - Location: Conference Room

**Walking in Grief Support Group:**

Struggling with grief? Join our parish's grief support group and find comfort in community. Join us on **February 26** at 5:30 pm in the Narthex.



**The online form has been EXTENDED until Feb 11, 2025**

Great Job, Sacred Heart! We met our Goal, lets keep going

DISCIPLE MAKER INDEX

Goal: 100 Surveys

**119 of our goal of 100 Surveys completed**

**Our weekly Mass attendance stands at 198 parishioners, representing 43% of those who completed the survey.**

[Survey - click here](#)

It only takes 10 - 15 min to complete

**Prayer in the Parish Community**



**Eucharistic Adoration**

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Ref: Teach us to Pray, Dicastery for Evangelization

**2nd Collection Missions in the United States February 8-9**

**Black and Indian Missions** - for evangelizing the Black and Indian peoples of the United States. The funds are distributed as grants to dioceses throughout the United States, supporting and strengthening evangelization programs which otherwise would cease. The Collection was formerly known as The Black and Indian Home Mission Collection.

**Catholic Home Missions Appeal** - the Appeal strengthens the Catholic Church in the United States and its territories in 85 Latin and Eastern Catholic dioceses. The Subcommittee on the Catholic Home Missions funds a wide range of pastoral services, including evangelization, religious education, and the maintenance of mission parishes, the training of seminarians and lay ministers, and ministry with ethnic groups.

	Feb 1-2 weekend	YTD Actual	YTD Budget
<b>Envelopes</b>	<b>4,029.00</b>	<b>19,981.63</b>	<b>19,750.00</b>
<b>Loose Offertory</b>	<b>250.00</b>	<b>780.12</b>	<b>1,000.00</b>
<b>Maintenance</b>	<b>310.00</b>	<b>310.00</b>	<b>500.00</b>
<b>Total Contributions</b>	<b>4,589.00</b>	<b>21,071.75</b>	<b>21,250.00</b>
<b>Fund Raiser - Bingo (Gross)</b>	4,964.00	5,589.00	-
<b>Attendance:</b>	<b>4pm: 64</b>	<b>11am: 121</b>	

**Faith Formation (K-5):**

This is a quick reminder that our Catechists dedicate a lot of time and effort to guide your children in Catholic teachings. When your child does not attend, it impacts our Catechists and their families. If you signed your child up, please make sure to bring them; without their attendance, we cannot hold classes.

We also have discussions about Sunday scripture in the conference room, so if you'd like to stay and engage, feel free to join other adults who are participating.



**Youth Ministry (MS/HS):**

We will have morning prayer this Sunday starting at 9:30 am in the classroom. We'd love for you to join us. Don't forget your bible and journal.

Be on the look out for the next Youth Ministry night.

**Children's Liturgy of the Word (K-5):**

Our next C.L.O.W. is happening on Feb 16! Please encourage your child to join us for a fun and engaging time, where they'll hear the liturgy in a way that's just right for them. It's a wonderful opportunity for them to connect with Scripture in a kid-friendly way!

**Walking with Purpose:**

Hey everyone, welcome back! We're really excited to see all of you. Here's what we'll be diving into in our next chapters!

**Opening Your Heart:** Lesson 14/  
Connect Coffee Talk 4: Priority Three Marriage

**Touching the Divine:** Lesson 14/  
Connect Coffee Talk 4: Jesus, the King

**Order of Christian Initiation:**

This week will will discuss: **"Evangelization"** Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything that I have commanded you. And remember, I am with you always, to the end of the age. (Mt. 28:19-20)

Evangelization is the word we use to refer to this process of passing on the faith to others.

For information please contact Laura Wyatt at 304-425-3664 or [lw Wyatt@sacredheartprinceton.org](mailto:lw Wyatt@sacredheartprinceton.org)

**"One Sunday at a Time"**

We warmly invite you to join us every Sunday at 9:30 AM in the upstairs conference room, where we will read and discuss the Sunday scripture readings together, discovering their connections.

Please feel free to come any Sunday that feels right for you, whether it's just one or all of them. We genuinely look forward to sharing this time with you!

*POINT OF CONTACT*

Faith Formation	Laura Wyatt
Adult Education	Laura Wyatt
OCIA	Laura Wyatt
Youth Ministry	Lorin Albin
Women's Prayer Group	Susie Pace
Men's Group	Jim Cosgrove Bill Picknally
Walking with Purpose (WWP)	KD Coleman Laura Wyatt

**Religious Education Schedule of Events**

Feb 9	Faith Formation class One Sunday at a Time	classroom conference room	9:30 am
Feb 10	OCIA	conference room	5:30 pm
Feb 13	Women's Prayer Group WWP	conference room Narthex	10:15 am 6:30 pm
Feb 16	Faith Formation class One Sunday at a Time Youth Sunday Children's Liturgy of the Word	classroom conference room	9:30 am  Mass
Feb 17	OCIA	conference room	5:30 pm
Feb 20	Women's Prayer Group Men's group WWP	conference room Narthex Narthex	10:15 am 10:15 6:30 pm

**Please include the following in your Daily Prayers**

Lorin Albin  
 Bernadette Baer  
 Margaret Bryan  
 Ronnie Blankenship  
 Matthew Bowles  
 Pat Caccamo  
 Raybeth Durham  
 Fr. Chapin Engler  
 Maria Franco  
 Peggy Friedrichson  
 Dr. Billy Garcia  
 MaryLu Geiger  
 Kyle Geiger  
 Kylene Harless  
 Johnathan Harding  
 Kenna Johnston  
 Patricia Gupton  
 Wylie Rae Henson  
 Nancy Larkin  
 Jim Lintz  
 Tanya Marx  
 Lisa Mendoza  
 Joshua Poorman  
 Sara Poorman  
 Teresa Settle  
 Agnes Tokarski

February Ministry Schedule						
Date/Time	Lector	Extraordinary Minister	Greeter	Livesteam	Altar Server	Counter
Feb 8 4 pm	J. Gaspersich	T. Byron - L. Wyatt K. Bailey	C. Prox		C. Pace	
Feb 9 11 am	D. LaMothe C. Cofer	Y. Suehs - H. Cofer K. Suehs	Neri	W. Picknally	Ja. Flanigan Jo. Flanigan A. Reiger	LaMothe
Feb 15 4 pm	M. Gaspersich	V. Manley - C. Pace T. Byron	J. Gaspersich		L. Kessinger	LaMothe
Feb 16 11 am	B. Fanning M. Reiger	D. Richardson - W. Picknally - M. Cox	A. Albin		Youth	LaMothe
Feb 22 4 pm	B. Schumacher	L. Wyatt - T. Marx M. Marx	C. Prox		TBA	Settle
Feb 23 11 am	G. Saffell G. Boggess	M. Flanigan - Z. Romano M. Shay	Blankenship's	W. Picknally	Jo Flanigan	
Mar 1 4 pm	M. Tinio	K. Bailey- V. Manley T. Byron	Bisaha's		TBA	Pace
Mar 2 11 am	M. Flanigan	TBA - TBA - TBA	TBA	W. Picknally	TBA	

Music for  
 February 8 & 9, 2025  
 Celtic Mass

Entrance: G797  
 "You Walk Along our Shoreline"

Presentation of Gifts: G683

"Be Not Afraid"  
 Communion: G777

Mass Readings Year C  
 on pg. 656  
 Word & Eucharist

Responsorial Psalm 138  
 In the sight of the angels, I will sing your  
 praises, Lord

"Here I am Lord"  
 Closing Hymn: G567  
 "Holy, Holy, Holy"

**STAFF**

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**In case of emergency and priest is needed, please call:**

The Princeton Parish Office  
 (304) 425-3664

Bluefield Parish Office  
 (304) 327-5623

Kim Hickman  
 (304) 920-2440

In case of illness: Please call the parish office to let us know if you, a family member, or a parishioner is sick. We can place your name on the prayer list. If requested, Fr. Sebastian will arrange for distributing Holy Communion in the home.

Nursing homes, rehabilitation centers and anyone who is hospitalized are not permitted to contact the church. If someone you know is in the hospital, please call the church office.

In case of serious or life threatening sickness or the actively dying: The church should be contacted as soon as possible. People deserve the opportunity to confess their sins, profess their faith, be anointed, and receive Holy Communion – the foretaste and pledge of eternal life. PLEASE don't wait until after the person is unconscious or so sedated that he or she cannot communicate. It is imperative with current situations, that there be enough time for Fr. to go through the appropriate protocol to visit the actively dying.