

PARISH OFFICE
PASTOR

Rev. Fr. Lucien Eugène Pierre, Ph.D.
Priest in Residence

Rev. Fr. Thomas Santhosh
Rev. Fr. Gaetan Boursicot

Parish Manager
Marcelle Chery

954-731-7314 ext. 1002
mchery@sainthelen.net

Parish Office Secretary
Maria Goretti Franck
954-731-7314 Ext 1001
mfranck@sainthelen.net

Bookkeeper
Retzanah Registre
954-731-7314 ext.1003
rregistre@sainthelen.net

Church & School Website
www.sthelenatholicchurch.net
Parish Office Hours : Monday-Friday
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p. m.

DAILY MASS

Monday through Saturday Morning
8:00 a.m.– in the Chapel
With respect of Social distancing

VIGIL MASS

Saturday: 4:00 p.m. (English)

SUNDAY MASSES

English: 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 10:30 a.m.

Spanish: 12:00 Noon

French/Creole: 5:00 p.m.

Live Stream Mass every Sunday
at 10:30am

Religious Education

10:30am - 11:30am

Students to attend 9:00 am Mass

RECONCILIATION

Saturday 3:00 p.m.—4:00 p.m.

Or by appointment

HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION

Every 1st Friday

after the 9:00 a.m. School Mass

Benediction At 12 Noon in English

At 7 p.m. in Spanish

SCHOOL OFFICE

Phone: 954-739-7094; Fax: 954-739-0797

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mrs Farah Barrat: 954-739-7094 ext. 2000

fbarrat@sainthelen.net

SCHOOL SECRETARY

Mrs. Marie Neptune

954-739-7094 ext. 2002

secretary@sainthelen.net

Or mneptune@sainthelen.net

www.sthelenatholicchurch.net

School office Hours: 7:30 a.m to 3:30 pm.

954-739-7094 Ext: 2004

SAINT HELEN CATHOLIC CHURCH & SCHOOL

3033 NW 33rd Avenue

Lauderdale Lakes, Florida 33311

(954) 731-7314 Fax (954) 733-0023

Website:

www.sthelenatholicchurch.net



MISSION STATEMENT

Saint Helen Catholic Church is a diverse community united in Faith and Fellowship, embracing Saint Helen's Strength and Determination; aspiring to spread the Gospel through worshiping, living a sacramental life, and compassionate service so that the Kingdom of God be revealed to all.

SUNDAY MARCH 5, 2023

As the sun was about to set,
a trance fell upon Abram,
and a deep, terrifying
darkness enveloped him.

GENESIS 15:12

SECOND SUNDAY OF

LENT



www.4LPi.com



ABCD 2023

\$35,904.47
Our goal

Cash Collected
\$5,735.00

THANK YOU!

Balance
\$30,169.47

Pastoral Family Ministry Weekly Reflection

**From the shining cloud the father's voice is heard:
This is my beloved Son, hear him. Mt. 17:5**

Pray for the Sick. If Anyone is sick among you, the prayer of Faith will save the sick person"

Eileen Alexander; Laura Alexis; Mo Akhar; Grace Ali Bocas; Clinton D.Ali Bocas; Anwar Ali; Raymonde Ambroise; Ramonda Ambroise; Anna Alouidor; Henness Bernard; Pat Blackwell; Richard Brazier; Christian F. Brezault; Denise Brezault; Gerry Brezault; Lesly Brezault; Maud Brezault; Denis Brody; Giovanni Brown; Lorinne Brown; Lucien Cadoreppe; Jean Louis Calixte; Jim Carlino; Maria Celocia; Marie Charbanneau; Michael Casimiri; Thomas Joseph Casimir 2; Jasmine Chatman; Marva Koopes; Harold Donovan; Meaurio Dora; Frank Douze; Keiren Duncan; Dave Eldine; Luisa Elsin; Frick Etienne; Cecilia Farina; Geneve Fils-Aimé; Flor Forbes De Armas; Emeline Etienne; Cynthia Eugene, Marie Exume, James Francis; Pierre Alix Franck; Talley Joe Frankiewicz; Emmanuella Frederick; Raul Funtanellas; Magny Févrin Gachette, Gregory M. Gaspard; Gabrielle Gesse; Kerlande Gesse; Micaelle Gesse; Jorres Gérard; Diavoni Gillham; Mary Gislio; Nichlus Gold; Elaine Grace; Katheline Grummer; Yves Guirand; Irina Hada; Susan Hannan; Marva Harris; Clabelan Heynes; Jose Hosein; Cedric Houston; Kadeem Jackson; Claude Harry Jacques; Juliet Jackson; Ghislaine Jacob; Carmen Jadotte; Germaine Jean; Eveline Jn Francois; Elina Jenkins; Eugenia John Baptiste; Ines Johnson; Oanda Johnson; Yves Johnson; Marie Nicole Joseph; Joni; Harriet Kaplysh; Victoria Lynn Kiri; Kernise Larock; Lyndnie Laurore; Lisa Leconte; Michèle Legros; Alberte Linding; Earline Lorenzo; Herbi Louissaint; Alsina Luisa; Aaliyah Mcannuf Barbara Mathis; Marquisha Mayett; Monseratte McGuire; Paulo Otávio de Souza Mendonça; Timothy Mitchell; Seeroj Monjru; Flotia Maudester; Dora Meaurio; Frantz Melon; Antoinay Moody; Andrene Moore; Sage Jordan Murphy; Edwina Muzac; Regine Muzac; Lauren Nicole; Inozaire Oginor; Loria Oginor; Dora Ordoñez; Christine Daniels Paiva; Martha Panthier; Philippe; Marlie Pierre; Maxine Reid; Christ Rimpel; Ennio Rocchini; Jeean Wedner Rousseau; Rolland Roy; Carol Ryan; Jean Delile St Louis; Homere Saint Vil; Niall Scally; Frances Selevant; Debbie Sharps, Adrian Sharte; Hana Sheldon; Calvin Solomon; Roy Solomon, Stephanie Zelazo Steele; Harry Stele; Berta Suzame; Dennis Suzame; Claudette Titus; Luis Velez; Vanesha Veus; Marie Evelyn Victor; Cheryl Walcott, Katrina Watson; The Weghorst Family; Lester Williams; Winefred Williams; Clearency Williams; Monique Williams; Flotia Wimbs; Christana Worrell, James Worrell; Hyacinthe Worms, Ana Wynter.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS 2-20-2023

Weekly Collection	1st Collection	2nd Collection
English Mass	\$3,043.00	\$853.00
Spanish Mass	\$508.00	\$93.00
French/Creole Mass	\$905.00	\$103.00
Mailed in & Ash Wednesday		\$70.00
	\$1340.00	
Total	\$5,796.00	\$1,119.00
December 2022 ONLINE GIVING	\$5,408.00	
DECEMBER 2022 Monthly Operations Expenses		
Operating Expenses		\$64,311.59
Altar Supplies		\$2,102.76
Stationary/Office Supplies		\$1,324.32
Other Supplies (including Church Budget)		\$2,005.24
Security/Fire Services		\$221.25
Pest Control		\$183.56
Phone		\$949.70
Water		\$195.42
Electricity		\$679.95
Cable/Internet		\$382.28
Trash Disposal		\$870.80
General Assessment		\$1,653.31
Office Equipment Rental		\$475.00
Property/Liability Insurance		\$9,127.91
Upkeep Grounds Service		\$1,387.50
TOTAL		\$85,870.58

SAINT HELEN COUNCIL OF CATHOLIC WOMEN

St. Helen CCW will meet Sunday, March 5, 2023 on the pavilion after the 10:30 AM mass. We will be planning for the Miami Archdiocesan Council of Catholic Women's, North District meeting and luncheon, Saturday, March 18th. We are hosting this event here at St. Helen, beginning with 8AM Mass.

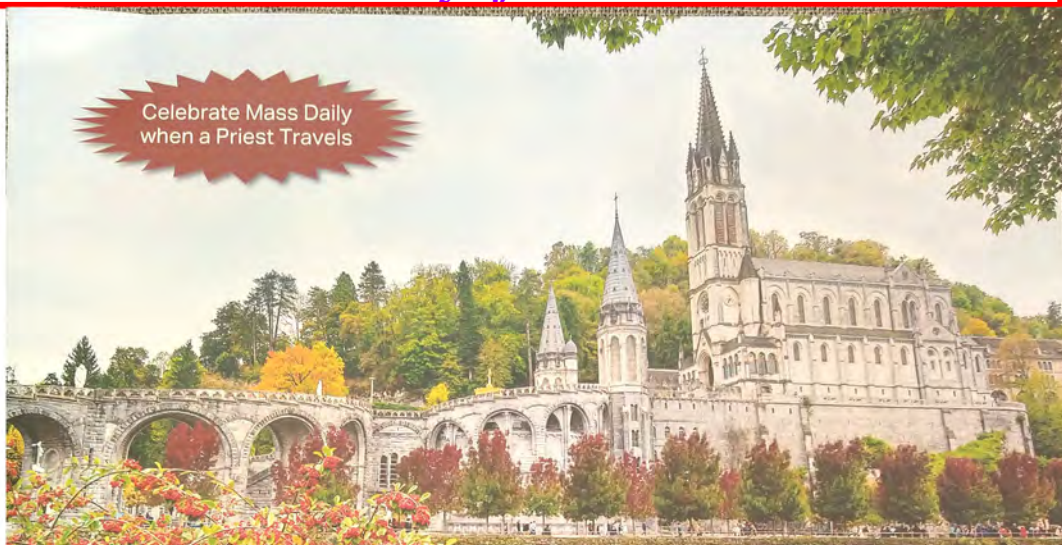
Peggy Delcontivo, President since 2005

Time to register and give a deposit. Installment payment until July 3, 2023

Lady Hernandez
(English & Spanish) (914) 314-2300
lady.hernandez@cruiseplanners.com

Robert Paris (954) 563-8636
English- French
rparis@cruiseplanners.com

Marcelle Chery (954) 731-7314
mchery@sainthelen.net

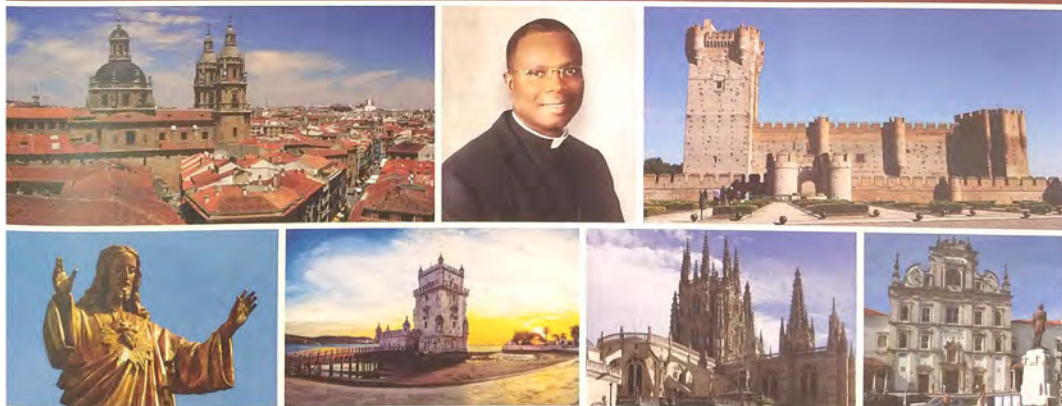


Celebrate Mass Daily when a Priest Travels

A pilgrimage to
Fatima, Lourdes & Spain

with Fr. Lucien

• OCTOBER 16 - 25, 2023 •



For Information:

Call St.Helen Catholic Church (954) 731-7314

STARTING AT

\$3,998 FROM MIAMI, FL

YOUR ALL-INCLUSIVE PRICE INCLUDES:

Basic Tour & Guided Sightseeing
Round-trip International Airfare from New York
Additional baggage & optional fees may apply;
see fine print for details

Fuel Surcharges and Government Taxes
Subject to change

Admin. Fees, Entrance Fees,
Hotel Gratuities & Program Fees
Breakfast & Dinner daily,
Deluxe Motorcoaches
First-Class Hotels & much more!

PARISH MINISTRIES

Baptisms
Call for application

Marriages

6 months preparation

Religious Education (DRE)

Sr. Therese Duong Phan
954-731-7314 ext 1006

Director of Music

English Choir Coordinator
Les Blachut: 954-993-5494

Spanish Choir Coordinator
Ana Morales 954-588-2121

Haitian Choir Coordinator
Madeleine Dubois

954-383-6114

Haitian Community
Mercie Dieujuste

954-557-1740

Council of Catholic Women
Peggy Delcontivo

954-731-7314

Legion of Mary
Carmen Onudbia

954-655-3679

Prayer Group

Haitian: Mercie Dieujuste
954-557-1740

Spanish: Ana Morales
954-588-2121

Spanish Bible Study
Fabio Almonte

954-638-7603

Men's Group

Hayward J. Benson Jr. Ed.D.
954-731-7314

Liturgy Leaders

English: Peggy Delcontivo
954-731-7314

Haitian: Miracleula Louizor
954-224-5216

Eucharistic Ministers
Bernadette Mathieu
954-717-4378

Viviana Arce 954-562-3196
Richard Esposito

954-731-7314

Garden Angels Team
Mie Carmelle Moussignac

954-882-1858

Jessy Frage: 954-394-1271

Ushers: Hubert Patrick
954-730-2022

Joseph Pierre: 954-993-5278
Danny Contreras 9-770- 5917

Saint Helen
Catholic School



SAINT HELEN CATHOLIC
SCHOOL REGISTRATION

PK4 - 8th Grade

MISSION STATEMENT

Providing a Christ-centered learning in a positive and nurturing environment which embraces and promotes Quality Education, Gospel Values, Catholic Teachings, and Tradition.

VISION

Establishing a Strong Foundation for Lifelong Learning within a culturally diverse Community. Developing the total child spiritually, socially, intellectually, emotionally, and physically while handing on the Faith and tradition.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS

For PK 4 - 8th Grade

KINDERGARTEN

Passing Score of Kindergarten
Readiness Test

Family interview with student and
Administration

1st - 3rd GRADE

Passing entrance exam score
for desired grade level

Family interview with student
and Administration

No record of disciplinary action
from previously attended school

Copy of last report card
showing student

in "passing" status of previous grade

4th Grade - MIDDLE SCHOOL

Passing entrance exam score
for desired grade level

Signed pledge of good moral character
(given at point of acceptance)

Family interview with student
and Administration

No previous record
of Disciplinary Action

from previously attended school

Incoming student must
have above a "C" average

ITEMS TO BRING
INTO INTERVIEW

Copy of most recent Report Card
Recommendation Form

Copy of standardized Test

To schedule your school entrance exam
and interview, call the school secretary

at 954-731-7094



THE SAINT HELEN FOOD PANTRY

There are many different ways that Parishioners may help! Donations of non-perishable food items or toiletries are welcome! 2. Food Pantry donations may be brought to the PARISH OFFICE or dropped off after weekend Masses. Please ensure that items have at least six months left before expiry date! "For I was hungry and you gave me food, I was thirsty and you gave me drink." -Matthew 25:35 Together, as a community, let us continue making a difference in the lives of others! Items Needed! • Cooking Oil 24 oz • Canned Milk • Canned Veggies When donating items, please

bring smaller sizes (bottles, cans, packs) whenever possible! This gives us much more flexibility when distributing the items to individuals or families. For example, 6 small bags of Rice is much better than 1 large one! Thank you!

PARISH MINISTRIES

Lay Dominicans
Luce Jean Jacques
(954) 326-6985
LIFE IN THE SPIRIT
Linda Guerra (954) 258-7227
Altar Servers
Rev. Fr. Lucien Eugene Pierre, Ph.D.
Pastoral Family Ministry
Dr. Ducarmel Augustin
(954) 971-0330

Black Catholic Ministry
Charles Thompson
(305) 481-5704

Extraordinary Ministry
of the Eucharist
Bernadette Mathieu
(954) 478-6989

Respect Life
Richard Esposito
(954) 731-7314

Gift Shop
Gail Kleinow 10:00 a.m. -12 Noon

Hospitality
Theresa Reynolds
Lorna Martin
Maria Sooden
Norman McLarty
Missole Charles
Gertha Ambroise
Charles Thompson
Viviana Arce
Ligia Alfaro
Marie-Lourdes Pierre-Philippe

Lifeteen Youth Ministry
Rev. Lucien Eugene Pierre Ph.D.

Knights of Columbus
Michel Alfred



Saint Vincent de
Paul Ministry
(954) 530-3880

Our Lady of Perpetual Help
Novena To be announced
Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Devotion

Website:
www.sthelenecatholicchurch.net
JOIN US ON FACEBOOK
Https://www.facebook.com/
sainthelenchurch
FOLLOW US ON YOUTUBE
https://www.youtube.com/
channelUCD86nmOEP4s0SiK0xY-
eS0w

HOST & WINE

THANKSGIVING BLESSINGS
Ramses Cadet Jr. Marie Pongno
The Gordon Family; Sophia Dorvil
Toussaint Dujour; Marcelle Cadet
Pierre Richard Galette

BIRTHDAY BLESSINGS
Gertha Ambroise; Marie Yola
Antoine; Sidonie Williams
Bernadette Mathieu.
Marie W. Augustin
IN MEMORY
Talbert Jackson



CANDLES

THANKSGIVING BLESSINGS
Pierre Richard Galette
Ana Ramirez
The Gordon Family
Marcelle Cadet
IN MEMORY
IS YOUR BIRTHDAY THIS
MONTH?

Please support the Host, Wine & Candles Funds. Your intentions will be featured in the bulletin for the whole month. Please, stop by the parish office for more information. Thank you

Mass Intentions for the Week

Saturday, March 4

8:00 Deliverance for Watson Dorsainvil req. by Rose C. Pelissier
4:00 F For the Repose of the Soul of F. Dane Delcontivo req. by his Wife Peggy & children
F For the Repose of the Soul of Maria Meza req. by daughters (Theresa & Yolanda)

Sunday, March 5

7:30 Thanksgiving to The Most Holy Trinity and The Most Holy Family & Blessed Virgin Mary & St Joseph for Dominic & Jocelyne Wedding Anniversary req. by The Celocia Family
10:30 Thanksgiving for Norma Patrick req. by her husband Hubert Patrick
12:00 F For the Repose of the Soul of Talbert Jackson by Estela Jackson
F For the Repose of the Soul of Yolanda Burgos req. by Nubia Sierra
5:00 F For the Repose of the Soul of Jean Andre Romain req. by Jocelyne Romain
Thanksgiving Blessings for & by Audrey Mirvil
Thanksgiving to God for Kardeem Joseph req. by Emie Francois
Birthday Blessings for Magdala Gaston req. by Her mother Marie Rose Gaston
Birthday Blessings for Anne Noel req. by her mother Maude Joseph
Birthday Blessings for Keyla Augustin req. By her mother Darlene Augustin
Thanksgiving Blessings for Gylianne Laeticia Cadet req. by Marcelle Cadet

Tuesday, March 7

8:00 To celebrate Maria SS Di Costantinopoli req. by Francesca de Palma

Wednesday, March 8

8:00 F For the Repose of the Soul of Dorothy Mae Delcontivo req. by Peggy Delcontivo & Family

TODAY SECOND COLLECTION: CHURCH IN LATIN AMERICA

Easter Flowers



Donations for Easter flowers, "in memory of" or "in thanksgiving of" loved ones, are being accepted by April 3rd so the names can be entered in the Easter Bulletin. Envelopes will also be available in the church entrances. Thank you for your

support to the church decoration.

TRANSFORMATION IN THE LIGHT OF CHRIST

My dear brothers and sisters, on this 2nd Sunday of Lent, the Church recommends us to make an effort to walk with Jesus who is the Source of Light. When we read the Bible, we find many people getting started. But each time, it is towards a very specific goal. This is what happened with Abraham (1st reading): he had to leave his country, his kindred and his father's house; he set out for the country that God intended for him; it is an extraordinary challenge for us who are so often attached to our security, our comfort, our certainties. Abraham is presented to us as the model of believers who puts all his trust in God and who accepts to respond to His call.

The Apostle Paul also traveled to different countries to announce the Gospel to the Gentiles. His great concern was that the good news be known to all. Today he speaks to Timothy who is confronted by his persecutors. He encourages him to hold on despite suffering and persecution. Evil and death will not have the last word. So yes, let's not be afraid to walk in the footsteps of Christ who wants to join us in His victory.

The Gospel for this Sunday brings us back to a crucial moment in the life of Jesus; He is on His way to Jerusalem; He has just announced to His disciples that He will be arrested, condemned and put to death on a cross. For them, it is unbearable. The event that is reported to us today will help them adjust to God's plan: it is Jesus who brings three of them "apart, on a high mountain". In the scripture, the mountain represents the proximity of God and the encounter with Him; it is a place of prayer. We are truly in the presence of the Lord.

It is on this mountain that the event of the Transfiguration of Jesus takes place. It is like a luminous beacon that shows us the point of arrival of our human and Christian life. By giving His disciples a glimpse of the beauty of His divinity, He reveals to them the goal of His saving journey. This mysterious light is an open window on the resurrection and life with the Father. We are not like people lost in the desert. We have a guide; it is Jesus Himself. He is the "way, the Truth and the Life", it is through Him and with Him that we go to the Father.

This Gospel of the Transfiguration describes to us what happens every Sunday at Mass: after six days of work, Jesus leads us to a "high" place; it is important for us: we all need to rise; it is not about running away from the world or escaping ourselves. If Christ calls us to Himself, it is to make us contemplate "the things of Heaven". This appointment with Him every week is an event that should not be missed.

Throughout this Lent, we are all called to come out of our quiet life and climb the mountain to meet the Lord. Let us remember that His words are those of "Eternal Life". We are attracted by the hope of the final transfiguration. So like Abraham, Paul and many others, let us set out to follow the Lord. May He always be with us and we always be with Him so that our whole life bears witness to the love He has for us. *Rev. Father Lucien Eugene Pierre, Ph.D., Pastor*



2023 + ABCD ARCHBISHOP'S CHARITIES & DEVELOPMENT DRIVE

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GIFT!

ABCD supports the many ministries of the Catholic Church in the three counties of our Archdiocese – these ministries represent concrete ways in which we perform what are called the spiritual and corporal works of mercy. The Archbishop's Charities and Development Drive (ABCD) exists because of the generosity of people like yourselves, people who in good times and in bad times keep their support of the Church on their list of major priorities

Thanks to the generosity of many, the ABCD can bring hope by serving others in their time of need, help our students continue upon their journey of learning and prepare them for the future and raise a unified voice for peace and dignity of all human life. Together, we are One in Faith, One in Hope and One in Charity. If you have yet to make a gift to the ABCD, we need your help to reach our parish goal. Please make your pledge and return it to the church office or in the collection basket. We are confident that, with God's help and yours, we will unite as a Catholic community to and spread the love of Christ beyond our parish doors.



Please call the Office to update your registration, add members, change address, phone number, etc.... **THANK YOU**



- SUNDAY 5 MARCH**
Gn 12: 1-4a Ps 33: 4-5, 18-20, 22, 2Tm 1: 8b-10 : Mt 17: 1-9
- MONDAY 6 MARCH**
Dn 9: 4b-10 Ps 79: 8-9, 11, 13 Lk 6: 36-38
- TUESDAY 7 MARCH**
Is 1: 10, 16-20 Ps 50: 8-9, 16bc-17, 21, 23 Mt 23: 1-12
- WEDNESDAY 8 MARCH**
Jer 18: 18-20 Ps 31: 5-6, 14-16 Mt 20: 17-28
- THURSDAY 9 MARCH**
Jer 17: 5-10 Ps 1: 1-4, 6 Lk 16: 19-31
- FRIDAY 10 MARCH**
Gn 37: 3-4, 12-13a, 17b-28 Ps 105: 16-21 Mt 21: 33-43, 45-46
- SATURDAY 11 MARCH**
Mi 7: 14-15, 18-20 Ps 103: 1-4, 9-12 Lk 15: 1-3, 11-32

CHURCH NAME AND ADDRESS

Saint Helen Catholic Church
3033 NW 33rd Avenue
Lauderdale Lakes, FL 33311

TELEPHONE

954-731-7314

CONTACT PERSON

Maria Goretti Franck

EMAIL

mfranck@sainthelen.net

TRANSMISSION TIME

Tuesday 2:00 PM

SUNDAY DATE OF PUBLICATION

MARCH 5, 2023

NUMBER OF PAGES SENT

6 PAGES

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please print only 450 for our parish
Thank you and Stay Safe