

..Toni Bennett Is Our **JOBS Coordinator**. She has resources for all kinds of employment. You can find her here at church or at 313-865-1312 or doublej4674@aol.com.

...**Faces of Young Adults** need your input and ideas! Inviting ages 24 to 35 to join the planning group for a young adult only mass coming in 2020. Please contact qwenseay@comcast.net.

Our Advent Journey...

Last week we celebrated the First Sunday of the new Church year, Advent. How profound were the words of Jesus that told us to STAY AWAKE! As a teacher I often tell my students to stay awake, as a driver we are told to be alert, but what does that mean for us this advent? Jesus is calling us to be aware for his second coming will surely come; but how is it that we need to be aware or awake in our lives? Where are we just become complacent with the monotony of our daily lives and miss how God is active in it?

This Advent what if we heed the words of John the Baptist today and prepare the way of the Lord. While this is not a work for us to do our own, but to understand that if we allow God to work through us and in us we can do amazing things to tell a dying world that GOD IS NOT DEAD!

2020 Parish Calendar

- January 1, 2020.....**Mary Mother of God/New Years Day** (Mass 8/10 a.m.)
- January 18, 2020.....AOD MLK Youth Service Day
- February 14, 2020.....Bazaar Committee Hustle Party
- February 22, 2020.....Hustle for Haiti Dance
- February 26, 2020.....**Ash Wednesday** (Mass 12 noon & 6 p.m.)
- March 7, 2020.....St. Anne Court Lenten Prayer Breakfast
- March 14, 2020.....Choir Taste Fest
- March 28, 2020.....Education Commission African American Focus Play



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MASS SCHEDULE:

SUNDAY - 8:00 A.M. & 10:00 A.M. • TUESDAY - 6:00 P.M. • SATURDAY - 5:00 P.M.

Saturday, December 7th & Sunday, December 8th, 2019

Second Sunday of Advent

This Week's Mass Intentions



Saturday, December 7, 2019

Special Intention Carlotta Wilson (5 p.m.)

Sunday, December 8, 2019

Special Intention of Diane Taylor (8 a.m.)

Marie Thomas (10 a.m.)

-Special Intention of Darlyn Robinson Boyd

Tuesday, December 10, 2019

Special Intention of Frieda Thorne

Saturday, December 14, 2019

Special Intention of Michael Ri'chard (5 p.m.)

Sunday, December 15, 2019

Special Intentions (8 a.m.)

*Special Intentions of Allison Ehiemere, Joyce Lavender,
Benedict Virga (10 a.m.)*

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT:

Sacred Heart is a diverse parish rooted primarily in the Gospel of Jesus and in the heart of the community of Detroit. We strive to let our lives be an extension of our daily worship. We walk in the steps of Christ through love and concern for our brothers and sisters and continuously call upon the Holy Spirit for strength and power.

This Week's Readings

Scripture for Saturday, December 7th & Sunday, December 8th...

1) Isaiah 11:1-10 2) Romans 15:4-9 3) Matthew 3:1-12

Scripture for Tuesday, December 10th...

1) Isaiah 40:1-11 2) Matthew 18:12-14

Scripture for Saturday, December 14th & Sunday, December 15th...

1) Isaiah 35:1-6a, 19 2) James 5:7-10 3) Matthew 11:2-11

SUNDAY FOOD SERVICE

December 8 – Knights

December 15 - Knights
December 22 - Jr. Knights
December 29 - Ministers
January 5 - NO ONE YET

January 12 - Jr. Daughters
January 19 - Knights
January 26 - NO ONE YET
February 2 - Education Commission

MEETINGS AND EVENTS THIS WEEK...

Sunday, December 8th

*St. Anne Court #71 10 a.m. Room #5
*Jr KPC #299 12 noon Rooms 1-2
*First Communion 12 noon Room #5
*Bible Study 12 noon Room #7
*Body and Spirit 12 noon Room #8
*W.A.R. (Women Against Relapse)
1:30p.m. (Room #5)
*A.A. 3:00 p.m. Rooms 1-4

Monday, December 9th

*N.A. 5:00 p.m. (Parlor)

Tuesday, December 10th

*Yoga 5:00 p.m.
*Mass 6:00 p.m. Church
*Bible Study 7:15 p.m. Room #7

Wednesday, December 11th

*Bible Study 10 a.m. Room #7
*St. Vincent de Paul 10 a.m. Rooms 1-4 &
Main Hall

Thursday, December 12th

*Gratitude A.A 10 a.m. Room #5

Saturday, December 14th

*Intonjane 11 a.m. Rooms 1-2
*NAMI 11 a.m. Room #7
*Faces of Young Adults Fitness Class
12 noon Room #5
*Youth Choir 2:30 p.m. Room #5

NOTEWORTHY

..Young Ladies of Intonjane's 5th Annual Sox Drive for Homeless Veterans. Please donate socks to this worthy cause. Our drive will be November 17 - December 22, 2019. A sock box will be located in the back of the church.

...Calling all Bakers - We invite you to participate in the Annual Sacred Heart Christmas Cookie Exchange NEXT Sunday, December 15 in the Activities Building, from 9:00 AM to 1:00 PM. (Room 5). You can **BAKE** cookies, **BUY** Cookies or just **EAT** Cookies. All proceeds go to the scholarship fund. Please contact Walter Norwood @ 313.318.0627, Anna Thomas @ 313.348.1055 or LaVette Anderson-Cooper @ 313.580.8488 to register .

...Book Club's choice for December 14 is Jim Defede's The Day the World Came to Town. (The meeting will take place at the home of one of the members, for info email, mterrell626@comcast.net for further information.)

...What Parish Organization Will Step Up to provide Sunday Food Service on: January 5th, January 26th, February 23rd, July 5th, August 2nd, August 16th, September 6th and November 29th? **These are all the open dates for 2020.**

...You are invited to join Body & Spirit Dance Ministry. This ministry is for dancers or all ages and all skill levels. Please contact Lisa Card 313-282- 4183 or lisadcard@yahoo.com. Join our team members to assist with rehearsals and business of the dance ministry. Rehearsals begin TODAY at 12 noon in room #8! Tue. - 10th 5:30- 7pm, Sun - 15th 12pm - 1pm, Tue - 17th 5:30 - 7pm and Sun - 22nd 12pm - 1pm.

...Celebrate the end of 2019 with a weight lose victory!! Join Faces Of Young Adults for the final (3) Fitness & Fellowship events. Saturdays 12pm –1 p.m., December 14, and Jan 4th 2020 (bring weights).

...Church decorating Sunday will be held on Sunday, December 22, 2019. If you are interested in volunteering to beautify the church for Christmas send an email to: events@sacredheartdetroit.com

...Volunteers needed for Annual Children's Christmas Party on Tuesday, December 24, 2019. This is an excellent way for our college scholarship recipients commit time to volunteer while they are home for Christmas. To volunteer please email: events@sacredheartdetroit.com and you will be contacted.

...2020 MLK Youth Service Day! Sacred Heart will be the host of the 2020 MLK Youth Service Day. We are looking for teens in grades 8th-12th grade who are interested in participating in a service project. If you are interested Sonya Townsend or Ronald Sykes, Sr.