

Weekend August 3, 2025

Dear People of God,

Often, we can fall into the trap of getting consumed by the fear and anxiety of daily concerns. We can worry that we will not have enough for tomorrow or even today. This worry can concern us regarding all parts of our lives - relationships, emotions, material needs, spiritual strength, etc.

What we need to know, with complete certainty, is that God is attentive to every detail of our lives. He knows all and loves us in such a complete way that he will not abandon us ever. He will never allow us to be without those things we need to live a full and fruitful life.

At times this may seem hard to believe. At times we can feel overwhelmed and believe that we must take care of everything ourselves. Not to worry! While we are called to do our part in caring for ourselves and those in our lives . . . we also must allow God to use us and work through us. We should never forget that God is ultimately the one taking care of us and is the one most attentive to our every need.

- August 3rd there will be a meeting for all Catechists involved in our Religious Education Program this year. Registration for Religious Ed Program will take place after all the Masses this weekend, Sunday,
- August 10th : our annual Spaghetti Dinner sponsored by the Knights of Columbus will be held from 10:30am -2:00pm in the Cafeteria.
- August 10th: OCIA will hold its first class from 9:15am-10:30am in the Conference Room.
- August 17th will be our first day of Religious Ed class for our children. PLEASE do your best to both register your children and have them attend faithfully these classes. . .
- August 17th will also be the first day for our Adult Religious Ed Class with Deacon Ed.
- Many thanks for allowing me time to visit my family again this summer. It proved to be a restorative and restful time for me . . . and hopefully for you as well!
- Please also pray for our Cristo Rey Tampa Salesian High School and Collaboratory Prep students, staff and administration, as all involved begin their preparations to return to school

As usual please remember to pray for all the Salesians in our presence here at MHC, especially those at St. Philip Residence. Be assured we will be doing the same for you.

Peace Always!



Fr. Steve Dumais, SDB
Pastor

PRAYER LIST

Please keep the following in your prayers:

Pete & Mary Gallar, Janice Murphy, Vivian Diaz, Tom Costa, David & Rosie Gratz, Lisa Franz, Patti Capitano, Fran Johns, Betsie Welch, Laura Munoz, Bobby Ryder, David Netel, Larry Walsh, Fernando Romero, Jay Samman, Rose Gabriel, Francis Briones, Julia Kelly, , Martha Catul, Elaine & Alan Jones Barbara Robles. Ruth Maund, Beverly Fernandez, Bob & Marge Fallon, Rene Zarte, Kathy Cortez, Jean Nichols, George Hernandez, , Victor Pichardo, David Schwaller, MaKayla Jennings, Esther Savio, Lucy Clemons, Lauren Lynch, Clarissa Roberson, Katherine Conrad, Rosa E. Alvarez, Valerie Sieger, Georgene & Dennis Bender, Rae Godbout, Penny Love , Paytin Hampton, Daniel Wiles, Dave Anshutz. Roseanne Ferrante Waters, David Russell.

2025 Mass Intentions:

August 02, 2025 - August 10, 2025

Sat, August 02, 2025, 5:00pm: Rodel Sioson req. by Parish

Sun, August 03, 2025, 8:00am : +Lisa Wilkes req. by Laura Schiffino

Sun, August 03, 2025, 11:00am: +Nerina D. Fernandez req. by Troy Taylor and Family

Mon, August 04, 2025, 6:45am : Living & deceased members of the Shinko family & friends req. by Chet Shinko

Mon, August 04, 2025, 7:00pm: Bishop Frank Dewane req. by Emily Donaire

Tues, August 05, 2025. 6:45am: Living & deceased Nikolic Family req. by Sanja Cosic

Wed, August 06, 2025, 6:45am: + Mate Cosic & Family req. by Sanja Cosic

Wed. August 06, 2025, 7:00pm +Nora del Carmen Perez and conversion of the family req. by Elisa Perez Walsh

Thurs, August 07, 2025, 6:45am +Michael Smith req. by Maggie Brown

Fri. August 08, 2025, 6:45am : +Salvatore & Angelo Midili req. by Josephine Rinaldi

Sat, August 09, 2025, 5:00pm : Living & Deceased members of Rhode Family req. by Laura Schiffino

Sun, August 10, 2025, 8:00am : +Alfonso Guerrero req. by Brenda Alvarez

Sun, August 10, 2025, 11:00am: For all children going back to school req. by Parish

August Franciszek Maria Anna Józef Kajetan Czartoryski, SDB, (2 August 1858 – 8 April 1893) was a Polish prince who was born in Paris during his family's exile, his constant frail health saw much of his childhood being shuttled to various health spas. Raphael Kalinowski tutored him; the prince turned to the priesthood instead of pursuing the aristocratic life. But his path into the Salesians was not set in stone, for Don Bosco believed his frail health would become an impediment to his ecclesial studies. But Bosco allowed him to undergo the novitiate after Pope Leo XIII intervened Czartoryski was ordained a priest in 1892 and settled as a pastor in Savona where he died from tuberculosis. He was beatified on 25 April 2004.



August 2025

08/02 1st Sat. Marian Devotions 9:30am / Mass 5pm

08/04 Mass 7pm

08/05 Joshua Keleske First Mass meeting 7pm in conference rm

08/06 Adoration 4-7pm silent/Mass 7pm/Praise & Worship 8-9pm Youth Ministry 7pm

08/07 Staff meeting 6:15pm / Parish Council 6:30pm

08/10 K of C back to school spaghetti dinner 10:30-2pm/ OCIA start 9:15am

08/11 Mass 7pm

08/13 Adoration 4-7pm silent/Mass 7pm/Parise & Worship 8-9pm Youth Ministry 7pm

08/14 Assumption of Mary Vigil Mass 7pm

08/15 Assumption of Mary Holy Day Mass 7pm

08/16 Outreach meet at basketball ct. @ 8am

You can have a Mass said for a loved one, deceased or living. Week day Masses \$10 and Weekend Masses \$15 contact the office to offer a Mass. 813-626-7588 or email parish@mhctampa.org.

Joshua T. Keleske Ordination Mass to the Permanent Diaconate

Date 10-4-2025 @ 11am at the St Jude Cathedral of St Petersburg

We will provide a bus for anyone who would like to go to the Mass, sign up sheet is in the back of church we will leave @ 9:30am.

Adult Faith Formation 8/17/25 @ 9:30am

Consider joining our Lectionary based class with Deacon Ed.



Knights of Columbus Spaghetti Dinner and back to School Celebration.

August 10, 2025 - 10:30am-2pm

Cost \$ 10

Children 12 and under eat for free.

Mama Margaret will provide desserts.



The Knights of Columbus invite all families and parishioners of Mary Help of Christians to join us for our Back-to-School Spaghetti Dinner on August 10th. In support of local students, we will be hosting a school supply donation drive during the event. For every school supply item you donate, you'll receive a raffle ticket for a chance to win a \$50 gift card. Your generosity will help ensure that children in need start the school year with the tools for success. We hope to see you there for a day of good food, fellowship, and giving back to our community."

Parishioners or Active members of the parish.

If you have a family picture you could share with us we would like to create a Parish book of the families or singles here at Mary Help of Christians. Please include your name and families names. You can drop off at the office or put in envelope and put in collection or email to our email at parish@mhctampa.org.

MARY HELP OF CHRISTIANS
PARISH OUTREACH

- Cereal
- Ramen Noodles / Soup
- Gift Card-\$10 - Great need !!!!!!!!!
- Diapers - Sizes 5&6 - Baby Wipes
- Chef Boyardee, Mac & Cheese
- Peanut Butter & Jelly -
- Travel shampoos /Razors /Shaving cream/Deodorant
- Canned tuna / Chicken

Our goal : To fill 50 blue bags with the listed items.

Next Outreach is 08/16/25 Meet at Mary Help at 8am to load cars and trucks . All are welcome to join us.

God's mercy and prayers

A few weeks ago, we heard the story of the Good Samaritan who reached beyond himself to aid the robbery victim. Christ asks the rich young man who showed the robbery victim mercy? Our outreach shows God's mercy to our brothers and sisters each month, whether it is you supplying items in the background or those of you who distribute these items each month. Please remember always to pray for them that they may know that what ever they are doing Christ is walking with them in their journey and giving them His mercy, strength, and love.

Weekly Gift Giving

Weekend of July 26, 2025 to July 27, 2025
Attendance 167 Envelopes 29

Mass Offertory	\$	2,640.00
Loose checks	\$	420.00
Online Giving	\$	1,000.00
Candles	\$	28.00

TOTAL \$ 4,088.00

Faith Formation

1) Registration after Masses this weekend and next weekend.

- 1) Please return any paper work that Ann Marie provided you.
- 2) Teachers meeting - August 3,2025 @12pm
- 3) First day of class, parents need to attend August 17, 2025 @ 9:15am which will include safe environment.
- 4) Adult classes August 17, 2025 @ 9:30am
- 5) Please contact Ann Marie Brummett - 813-431-6490 or email her at cre@mhctampa.org.
- 6) Classes every Sunday 9:15am except check calendar

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Deacon Edmond Anctil

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 03, 2025



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MISSION STATEMENT

Our Parish here in Tampa, FL, is a Catholic Church dedicated to the Mother of God under her title as Help of Christians, is a place of joy, worship, welcome, evangelization and reconciliation. As a Salesian Parish in the Diocese of St. Petersburg we commit ourselves to having a deep-seated preference for working with the young especially those who are poor, while striving to minister to the corporal and spiritual needs of all our members and visitors as well. We pray and work for peace, love, truth, and social justice through active stewardship and service notably with the assistance of our advocate Mary Help of Christians, and her great devotee St. John Bosco. We hope to provide an opportunity for everyone who worships with us to be transformed into people courageously living the Gospel.

Mass Schedule

Daily: Monday-Friday
6:45am(Chapel)

12:10 (Chapel)

Monday & Wednesday

7pm (Church)

Saturday Vigil

5pm-(Church)

Sunday

8am (Church)

11am (Church) livestreamed

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Every Wednesday

4:00pm-6:45pm Silent Adoration

8-9pm Praise & Worship Adoration

Sacrament of Reconciliation

30 minutes prior to Weekend Masses

Korean Ministry

Sun 9:20am Mass

Contact the parish office 813 626 7588 for information Annulments, Baptisms, Weddings, Home Visits, Hospital Visits. Sacrament of the Sick or Reconciliation. We are available Mon thru Friday, from 9am to 3pm. Call for appointments.

For information on the various venues, use of the Church and any areas of our property available contact Mary Sverko at 813 297-4872