

THE LIGHT SHINES IN THE DARKNESS

JOHN 1:5



Holy Cross

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Maricela Ortiz

Mass Schedule / Horario de Misas

Tuesday	Eng	5PM
Wednesday	Eng	8:30AM
Thursday	Span	7PM
Friday	Eng	8:30AM
Saturday V.	Eng	5PM
	Span	7:30PM
Sunday	Eng	9AM
	Span	11AM
	Span	1PM

*Confessions Before Mass or by appointment/
Confesiones media hora antes de Misa o con cita*

Hope Rural School: 772-597-2203

Holy Cross Parish celebrated its first Mass on Sunday, July 3, 1960 in a small church building donated by Mrs. Yvonne Famel. The church takes its name from a relic of the True Cross which was also donated by Mrs. Famel. In 1966 a new Church building was constructed and the parish moved to its current location on 150th Street. Holy Cross celebrated its 50th anniversary on September 19, 2010 at the dedication and blessing of our new church building.

La Parroquia de la Santa Cruz celebró la primer misa el 3 de julio de 1960 en un templo pequeño donado por la Sra. Yvonne Famel. La parroquia asume su nombre de una reliquia de la cruz donada por la misma persona. En 1966 se contruyó un nuevo templo en la calle 150, dicho templo ahora funciona como centro pastoral. En el 2010 se terminó la construcción del templo actual, y el 19 de septiembre del mismo año se hizo la dedicación en ocasión a la celebración del 50º aniversario de la parroquia, ceremonia presidida por el Obispo Gerald M. Barbarito; siendo pastor el Rev. Nestor Rodriguez.

Fourth Sunday of Advent



Diocesan Services Appeal



Join us in supporting the Church's mission by contributing to our DSA collection. Your generous donations will help us make a positive impact in our parish community and the Diocese. Together, we can make a difference!

"and woe to me if I do not announce the Gospel!" (1 Cor. 9:16)

Thank you very much and blessings to all.

Goal for 2024: \$23,000.00

Meta del 2024: \$23,000.00

2024 theme: "Give us this day our daily bread"
(Matthew 6:11)

Pledges paid in full: \$ 8,113.00

Pledge Payments: \$ 3,090.00

Total: \$ 11,203.00

Thank you for your generous support!

Gracias por su generoso apoyo.



Weekly Collection

12/16/2024: \$3,305.00 12/16/2023: \$ 3,102.00
Second Collection Mortgage Reduction \$ 1,003.00
Thursday: \$ 149.00

*Have you considered placing Holy Cross in your will?
Thank you for your generous support!
Gracias por su generoso apoyo.*

Saturday, December 21st, 2024

5:00PM: +DECEASED MEMEBRS OF THE DUNN & SHOLTS FAMILY r/b DUNN FAMILY

+HARRY SWINGLE & DOLLY FRAME r/b TOM & JOYCE FRAME

L: SR. ELIZABETH DUNN
EM/ HOST: AMY HOLLEY
W:
W:

7:30 PM: MISA EN ESPAÑOL

Sunday, December 22nd, 2024

9:00AM: BENEFACTORS & PARISHIONERS OF HOLY CROSS

L: BRIAN POWERS
EM/ HOST: MELISSA POWERS
W:
W:

11:00 AM: MISA EN ESPAÑOL
1:00 PM: MISA EN ESPAÑOL

Monday, December 23rd, 2024

NO MASS

Tuesday, December 24th, 2024

5:00 PM: BENEFACTORS OF HOPE RURAL SCHOOL

L: SR. ELIZABETH DUNN
EM/ HOST: AMY HOLLEY

8:00 PM: MISA EN ESPAÑOL

Wednesday, December 25th, 2024

9:00 AM: +BOBBY & CARMEN WILLIAMS r/b FR. CHAMINDRA

L: LORRAINE STOLIC
EM/ HOST: KEDDIE POWERS

11:00 AM: MISA EN ESPAÑOL

Jueves, 26 de diciembre del 2024

7:00 PM: MISA EN ESPAÑOL

Friday, December 27th, 2024

8:30 AM: HEALTH OF LARRRY NYMAN r/b COLLEEN NYMAN

Saturday, December 28th, 2024

5:00PM: PRO POPULO

L: SR. ELIZABETH DUNN
EM/ HOST: AMY HOLLEY
W:
W:

7:30 PM: MISA EN ESPAÑOL

Sunday, December 29th, 2024

9:00AM: BENEFACTORS & PARISHIONERS OF HOLY CROSS

L: BRIAN POWERS
EM/ HOST: MELISSA POWERS
W:
W:

11:00 AM: MISA EN ESPAÑOL
1:00 PM: MISA EN ESPAÑOL

Tienda Religiosa
Nuevos Artículos religiosos.

Anuncios

Exposición del Santísimo Sacramento

Primer Sabado de mes @6 PM—7:00 PM.
Todos los Viernes @ 9 AM—12 PM en la capilla.

Registrarse en la Iglesia se desea participar a traves del sobre de ofrendas.

Lunes. Diciembre 16 al 24: Invitacion a los posadas de Navidad en Indiantown y en St. Lucie Mobile Home de 7 PM a 9:30 PM.

Domingo. Diciembre 22: 9 AM Regalos de Navidad. Misa y entrega de regalos para ninos de 1 a 8 anos.

Ministerios de Landscaping:

- Enero:** Eulalio Hernandez
- Febrero:** Bernabe Family Gonzalez
- Marzo:** One Solution Antonio Gaspar
- Abril:** Amakar
- Mayo:** Adoradores de Indiantown
- Junio:** Francisco Lorenzo
- Julio:** Eulalio Hernandez

Bautizos

Plática: Próxima catequesis para bautismos

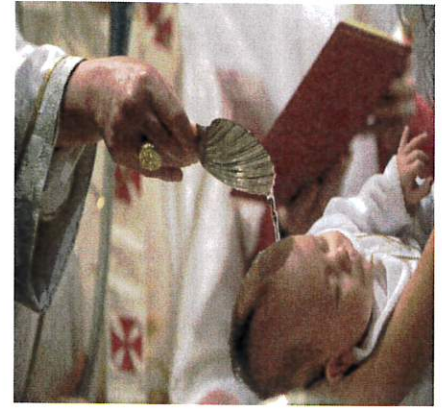
- No clases en enero
- domingo, 2 de febero a las 3:30PM en la capilla.

Bautizos:

- domingo, 16 de febrero de 2025 a las 1:00 PM
- domingo, 16 de marzo de 2025 a las 1:00 PM

Requisitos:

- Debes estar registrado en la Iglesia.
- copia del Certificado de nacimiento
- llenar ficha de registro
- padrinos casados por la Iglesia Católica
- registrarse con anticipación



Intenciones del Papa Francisco, mes de diciembre de 2024

POR LOS PEREGRINOS DE LA ESPERANZA

Oremos para que este Jubileo nos fortalezca en la fe, nos ayude a reconocer a Cristo resucitado en medio de nuestras vidas, y nos transforme en peregrinos de la esperanza cristiana

Fiesta De Nuestra Señora De Guadalupe

Queridos hermanos y hermanas:

Queremos expresar nuestro más sincero agradecimiento por su valiosa participación y apoyo en el desarrollo del Festival en honor a Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe. Gracias a su dedicación y esfuerzo, hemos logrado llevar a cabo un evento lleno de alegría, espiritualidad y hermandad. Cada uno de ustedes ha sido fundamental para hacer de este festival una experiencia inolvidable y de gran ayuda para la vida y misión de la parroquia.

Quedan todos en nuestros corazones y oraciones. Apreciamos profundamente su compromiso y generosidad a su vez que les deseamos abundantes bendiciones del Señor y la protección maternal de la Santísima Virgen María para cada uno en particular y para sus familias.

Con inmensa gratitud,

Fr. Francisco Osorio
Fr. Chamindra Williams
Staff of Holy Cross Parish

Camino al Matrimonio 2025

Puedes registrarte en línea en

<https://www.caminopalmbeach.com/>

<u>Fecha</u>	<u>Parroquia</u>	<u>Ciudad</u>	<u>Lugar</u>
Febrero 15-16	Saint Juliana	West Palm Beach	Salon Parroquial

Our Lady Of Guadalupe Festival 2024

Raffle Winners 2024

Prizes	Names
1st prize: \$4,000.00	Candida Akriaga
2nd prize: \$2,000.00	Javier Galindo Jr.
3rd prize: \$1,000.00	Christopher Velasquez
4th prize: \$500.00	Karina Morales
5th prize: \$500.00	Andres Perez
6th prize: \$500.00	Tino Mendoza
7th prize: \$500.00	Dan Pedersen
8th prize \$200.00	Hector David Salas
9th prize: \$200.00	Ramo Rene
10th prize: \$200.00	Angelito Sanchez
11th prize \$200.00	Juan XXIII
12th prize \$ 200.00	Nillson Lopez

Thank you for your support.

Blessings!

Gracias por tu apoyo.

Bendiciones!

Pope Francis prayer intentions for December 2024

FOR PILGRIMS OF HOPE

Let us pray that this Jubilee strengthen us in our faith, helping us to recognize the Risen Christ in the midst of our lives, transforming us into pilgrims of Christian hope.

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Drawing closer to Christmas, we sing, "Lord, make us turn to you; let us see your face and we shall be saved." Micah turned to Bethlehem and saw the face of the Messiah. Elizabeth saw and heard her pregnant cousin and recognized the face of the Lord. Even John the Baptist in his mother's womb turned to Mary's voice and leaped for joy. May we see the face of God in God's word, in the spirit of the season, and in the people we know and love.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to have a mass intention for a loved one, anniversary, birthday, or any other intentions, please stop by the office to request your intention.

<i>Office Hour/Horas Laborables</i>	
Monday/Lunes	10:15am-4:00pm
Tuesday/Martes	8:00am-5:00pm
Wednesday/Miércoles	8:00am-5:00pm
Thursday/Jueves	8:00am-5:00pm
Friday/Viernes	8:00am-5:00pm
Saturday/Sabado	8:00am— 4:00pm
Sunday/Domingo	Closed
Lunch/Almuerzo	1pm—2 pm

Jubilee Pilgrims of Hope 2025

12 DAYS OF SANCTUARIES OF ITALY

**September 30th
2025—October
11th, 2025**

Spiritual Director:

Fr. Francisco Osorio

Coordinator: Juan

Carlos Lasso

(772)597-2798

Cost per person:

\$4,690.00

For more information & sign up please stop by the office during office hours.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION PROGRAM 2025

January 11th— St. Jude— Tequesta

February 11th— St. Lucie— Port St. Lucie

February 22nd— St. Helen— Vero Beach

March 8th— St. Joan of Arc— Boca Raton

April 12th— St. Jude— Tequesta

May 10th— St. Jude— Tequesta

June 7th— St. Joan of Arc— Boca Raton

For more information, please stop by the parish office during business hours.

Grant Recipient

We are pleased to announce that Holy Cross Catholic Church was a Grant Recipient of the CRS Rice Bowl funding. We will use these funding to help support and assist families or individuals who are in need. Thank you to the Catholic Charities for considering us for these funds.

Our Lady Of Guadalupe Festival 2024

Thank you to everyone who help and contribute to our festival.

Queens:	\$35,225.51
Food:	\$33,973.00
Group:	\$8,000.00
Raffle / Donations:	\$33,690.00
Candles:	\$1,860.00
Carnival :	\$2,893.00
Collections:	\$1,507.00

Revenue:	\$117,148.51
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Expenses:	\$55,553.83
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Grand Total:	\$60,087.68
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GLORY TO GOD IN THE HIGHEST, AND ON EARTH PEACE TO PEOPLE OF GOOD WILL

A Blessed Christmas, the Jubilee Year 2025, and Our Holy Cross Parish's 65th Anniversary

This Christmas, we rejoice in the gift of Christ's love, a love that continues to inspire and transform our lives. As we gather together to celebrate the birth of our Savior Jesus Christ, we are reminded of the hope and peace He brings to the world and to each of our hearts.

In this special season, we also look forward to the beginning of the Jubilee Year 2025, a time for renewal, reflection, and reconciliation. It is an opportunity for us to draw closer to God, heal past wounds, and renew our commitment to living out His call of love and service.

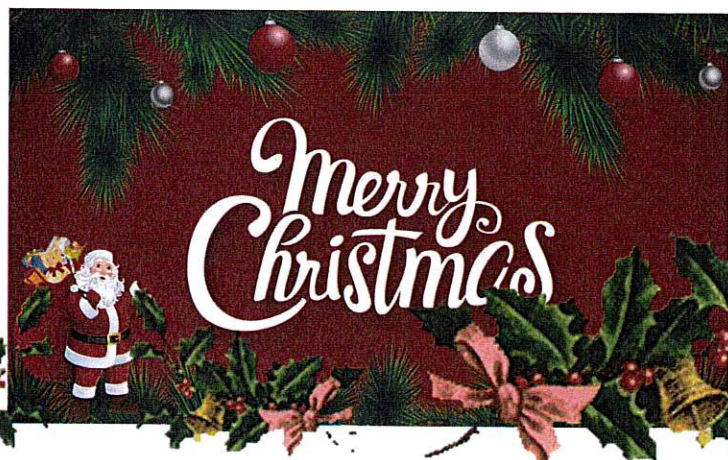
This year is doubly significant for our parish, as we also celebrate our 65th Anniversary. For over six decades, our parish community has been a beacon of faith, hope, and love in our neighborhood. We give thanks for the many blessings we've received, for the generations who have prayed, served, and supported one another, and for the continuing mission of our church.

As we step into this new year and our Jubilee celebrations, may we be inspired to live out our faith more fully, with hearts full of gratitude and a renewed commitment to serve others.

Merry Christmas, and may the grace of the Jubilee Year and our 65th Anniversary bring peace, renewal, and abundant blessings to you and your loved ones.

Yours in Christ,

Fr. Francisco Osorio
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GLORIA A DIOS EN EL CIELO Y PAZ EN LA TIERRA

Celebración de la Navidad, el Año Jubilar 2025 y el 65° Aniversario de Nuestra Parroquia de La Santa Cruz.

En esta Navidad, nos regocijamos con el don del amor de Jesucristo, un amor que continúa inspirando y transformando nuestras vidas. Al reunirnos para celebrar el nacimiento de nuestro Salvador, recordamos la esperanza y la paz que Él trae al mundo y a cada uno de nuestros corazones.

En este tiempo especial, también miramos hacia el comienzo del Año Jubilar 2025, un tiempo para la renovación, la reflexión y la reconciliación. Es una oportunidad para acercarnos más a Dios, sanar viejas heridas y renovar nuestro compromiso de vivir Su llamado al amor y al servicio.

Este año es doblemente significativo para nuestra parroquia, ya que también celebramos nuestro 65° Aniversario. Durante más de seis décadas, esta parroquia ha sido un faro de fe, de esperanza y amor en Indiantown. Damos gracias por las muchas bendiciones que hemos recibido, por las generaciones que han orado, servido y apoyado a los demás, y por la continua misión de nuestra Iglesia.

Al comenzar el nuevo año y nuestras celebraciones jubilares, que seamos inspirados a vivir nuestra fe de manera más plena, con corazones llenos de gratitud y un renovado compromiso de servir a los demás.

¡Feliz Navidad, y que la gracia del Año Jubilar y nuestro 65° Aniversario traigan paz, renovación y abundantes bendiciones a cada uno en particular y a sus seres queridos!

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Fourth Sunday of Advent

SAFETY & PROTECTION CHILDREN

The Catholic Diocese of Palm Beach is committed to the safety and protection of all children and vulnerable adults in its care. Victims of abuse are encouraged to contact the Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator to begin necessary emotional, psychological, and spiritual healing. The Diocese of Palm Beach Victim Assistance Coordinators, Lisa Linneil & Rathy Casey, can be reached

Tuesday 12/24/2024 Christmas Eve	Wednesday 12/25/2024 Christmas Day	Tuesday 12/31/2024 New Year's	Wednesday 01/01/2025 New Year's Day
5 PM English/Ingles Christmas Eve Mass	9 AM English/Ingles	5 PM English/Ingles New Years Eve Mass	9 AM English/Ingles
8:00PM Spanish/Español Visperas de Navidad	11:00 AM Spanish/Español	7:30 PM Spanish/Español Visperas de Año Nuevo	11:00 AM Spanish/Español
	We wish everyone a Merry Christmas Blessings!		Have a Happy New Year. Blessings!

Confessions : Every Saturday at 4:30 pm and by appointment.

Ministries/ Ministerios

Informacion sobre los ministerios por favor llamar a la oficina parroquial.

Adoradores— Alonzo Gaspar
 Altar Servers— Jesus Miguel
 Cursillistas— Antonio Gaspar
 Damas Católicas— Adelina Herrera
 English Choir— Mike Choxom
 Emaus— Juan Par
 Eucharistic Ministers— Keddie Granfield
 Finance Council— Miguel Gaspar
 Grupo de Oración— Atanacio Lopez
 Juan XXIII—Victorino Mendoza
 Lectors— Maribel Gonzalez
 Migueleños— Pedro Juan/Miguel Jose
 Ministerio de Deportes— Luis Nicolas
 Ministros de Eucaristía— Pedro Lopez
 Ministerio de Música—
 *Corderos— Pedro
 *Llamas de Cristo— Santos Juarez
 *Nazareno—Carlos Tomás/Juan Francisco
 *Nueva Creación—Juan Par
 *Peregrinos—Santiago Sapon

*Seguidores de Cristo—Domingo Cuxil
 *Voceros de Sn. Pedro-Andres Macario
 Pequeñas Comunidades— Andres Perez Garcia
 *Juan Pablo II— Rafael Raymundo
 *Luz y Vida—Pedro Miguel Mitas
 *Sagrada Familia- Maruca Francisco
 *Sn. Francisco de Asis— Andres Perez Perez
 *Sn. Juan Evangelista— Victor Nolasco
 *Sn. Miguel Arcangel—Juan Pedro Mateo
 *Sn. Pedro— Juan Mateo
 *Jesus el Buen Pastor—Gaspar Paz
 *El Poder del Espiritu Santo— Andres Perez Garcia
 Religious Store— Gloria Del Valle
 RICA—Marisela Ortiz
 Sn. Pedro Soloma— Daniel Lopez
 Sn. Rafael— Juan Mateo
 St. Vincent de Paul—Diane Mancilla
 St. Lucie Park— Santos Mejia/ Magdalena Mejia
 Talita Kumi— Ronald Vasquez
 Ujieres- Gildardo Agustin

Holy Days of Obligation

December 25th, 2024—
 Nativity of the Lord

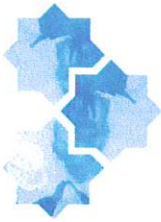
 January 1st, 2025—Mary, the
 Holy Mother of God

 August 15th, 2025—
 Assumption of the BVM

 November 1st, 2025—All
 Saints

Readings for the week of December 22nd 2024—December 29th 2024

<p>Sunday Fourth Sunday of Advent Mi 5:1-4a; Ps 80:2-3, 15-16, 18-19; Heb 10:5-10; Lk 1:39-45</p> <p>Monday Mal 3:1-4, 23-24; Ps 25:4-5ab, 8-9, 10 and 14; Lk 1:57-66</p> <p>Tuesday 2 Sm 7:1-5, 8b-12, 14a, 16; Ps 89:2-3, 4, 5, 27 and 29; Lk 1:67-79</p> <p>Wednesday The Nativity of the Lord Vigil Mass: Is 62:1-5; Ps 89:4-5, 16-17, 27, 29; Acts 13:16-17, 22-25; Mt 1:1-25 or Mt 1:18-25 Mass during the Night: Is 9:1-6; Ps 96:1-2, 2-3, 11- 12, 13; Ti 2:11-14; Lk 2:1-14 Mass at Dawn: Is 62:11-12; Ps 97:1, 6, 11-12; Ti 3:4-7; Lk 2:15-20 Mass during the Day: Is 52:7-10; Ps 98:1, 2-3, 3-4, 5-6; Heb 1:1-6; Jn 1:1-18 or Jn 1:1-5,9-14</p>	<p>Thursday Feast of Saint Stephen, First Martyr Acts 6:8-10; 7:54-59; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6 and 8ab, 16bc and 17; Mt 10:17-22</p> <p>Friday Feast of Saint John, Apostle and Evangelist 1 Jn 1:1-4; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12; Jn 20:1a and 2-8</p> <p>Saturday Feast of the Holy Innocents, Martyrs 1 Jn 1:5 -2:2; Ps 124:2-3, 4-5, 7-cd-8; Mt 2:13-18</p> <p>Sunday Feast of the Holy Family of Jesus, Mary and Joseph Sir 3:2-6, 12-14 or 1 Sm 1:20-22, 24-28; Ps 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 or Ps 84:2-3, 5-6, 9-10; Col 3:12-21 or 3:12-17 or 1 Jn 3:1-2, 21-24; Lk 2:41-52</p>
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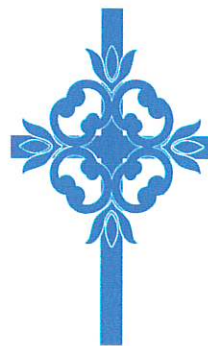
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