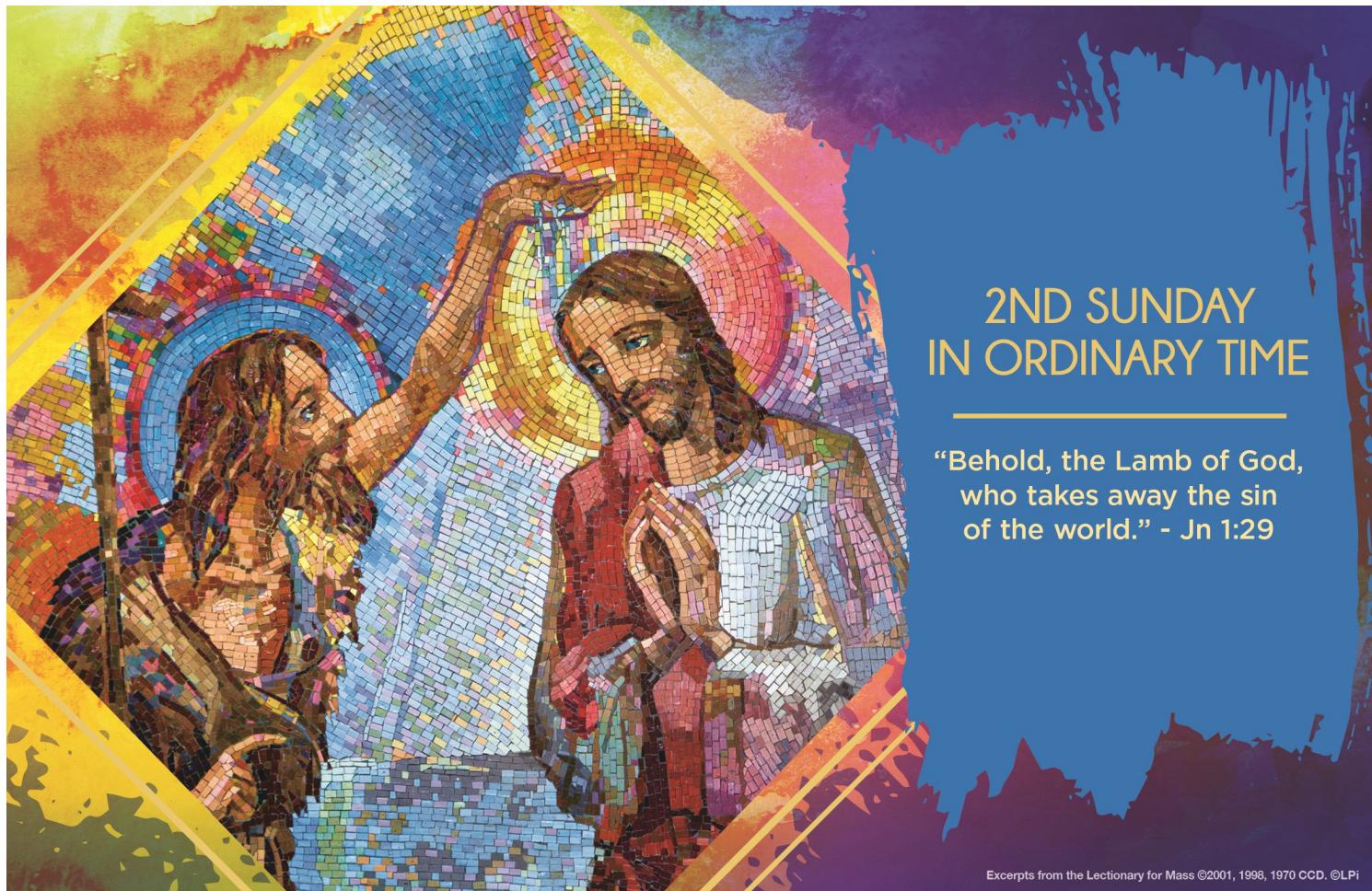




# SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH

**JANUARY 18, 2026**



**2ND SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME**

“Behold, the Lamb of God,  
who takes away the sin  
of the world.” - Jn 1:29

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**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Weekend Mass**

Saturday Vigil..... 4:30pm  
Sunday ..... 8:30am (Español)  
Sunday ..... 11:00am & 6:00pm

**Weekday Mass**

Monday-Thursday ..... 8:30am

**Confessions**

Saturday ..... 3:45pm  
Sunday ..... 7:45am

**NEW Office Hours as of January 5th**  
**Monday-Thursday...8:30am-4:00pm**

## TODAYS READINGS

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### FIRST READING:

I will make you a light to the nations, that my salvation may reach to the ends of the earth. (Is 49:6)

### PSALM:

Here am I, Lord; I come to do your will. (Ps 40)

### SECOND READING:

Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. (1 Cor 1:3)

### GOSPEL:

And a voice came from the heavens, saying, "This is my beloved Son, with whom I am well pleased." (Mt 3:17)

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

### Monday

1 Sm 15:16-23/Ps 50:8-9, 16bc-17, 21 and 23/Mk 2:18-22

### Tuesday

1 Sm 16:1-13/Ps 89:20, 21-22, 27-28/Mk 2:23-28

### Wednesday

1 Sm 17:32-33, 37, 40-51/Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10/Mk 3:1-6

### Thursday

1 Sm 18:6-9; 19:1-7/Ps 56:2-3, 9-10a, 10b-11, 12-13/Mk 3:7-12

### Friday

1 Sm 24:3-21/Ps 57:2, 3-4, 6 and 11/Mk 3:13-19

### Saturday

2 Sm 1:1-4, 11-12, 19, 23-27/Ps 80:2-3, 5-7/Mk 3:20-21

## HYMNS

THE MASS SETTING FOR TODAY IS BY RICHARD MORGAN AND CAN BE FOUND IN A BULLETIN INSERT.

804 - Come, Christians, Join to Sing  
Anthem

777 - I heard the voice of Jesus say

830 - Holy, Holy, Holy

## PARISH INFORMATION

### STEWARSHIP

COLLECTIONS: 12/30/25—1/05/2026

Offertory	\$ 36,889.00
Special Collections /Other	\$ 2,891.00
Church & School Rentals	\$ 0.00
Southern Cross FY2026	\$ 1,743.00

### GIVE ONLINE TODAY!

<https://osvhub.com/sacredheartsavannah/giving/funds>

### HARVEST OF HOPE COLLECTION



Our 3 YEAR Goal

\$ 490,551.00

Total Given

\$235,590.39

Total Remaining

\$254,960.61

### UPCOMING COLLECTIONS

#### Christian Service Collection

February 7/8, 2026

#### Aid to Central & Eastern Europe

Ash Wednesday, February 18, 2026

### MASS INTENTIONS

#### SATURDAY

4:30 pm

#### SUNDAY

1:00 pm Gus Morris

6:00 pm Pro Populo

#### MONDAY

8:30 am

#### TUESDAY

8:30 am

#### WEDNESDAY

8:30 am

#### THURSDAY

8:30 am

### ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to place an order for Altar Flowers, please contact the Parish Office at 912-232-0792 or email: [secretary@sacredheartsavannah.org](mailto:secretary@sacredheartsavannah.org)  
\$85 FOR 2 VASES

### IN OUR PRAYERS

Deacon Danny Burkett, Nina Charap, Susan DeBow, Amanda Mizelle Fanning, Fr. Dan Firmin, Christine Gerbino-Kennedy, Christie Hanna, Norma Hiers, Jimmie Jackson, Littleton Miller, Emily O'Connor, Megan Odom, Sandy Odom, Gwen Ogden, Paula Peterson, Al Powers, Steve Proper, Jimmy Sheehan, Mary Anne P. Sheridan, Frances Stafford, Margaret Stanley, Amber Williams, Carol Zillante and Rachel Zonca.

### JANUARY PRAYER: HUMAN TRAFFICKING AWARENESS

O Lord, we lift up our hearts to you and ask for the protection, freedom and safe return of our brothers and sisters who are being trafficked. Please guide those who bravely seek to end this injustice - that they may rescue those victimized and prosecute those responsible. Amen.

### PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

O God, hear our prayer and let our cry come out to you. Bless our Diocese of Savannah with many vocations to the priesthood, diaconate, and religious life. Give the men and women who hear Your call the light to understand Your gift and the love to follow always in the footsteps of Your priestly Son. Amen

### LECTORS/EMHC JANUARY 24/25, 2026

4:30 PM

MARY PINCKNEY  
MEG SCHRECK

CUP 1: Meg Schreck  
CUP 2: Dawn Odom  
CHOIR: Gladis Jefferson

11:00 AM

LEWIS COLLINS  
BEN HART

EMCH

Kitty Collins  
Lamont Morrison  
Rick Tindol

6:00 PM

ANGELA SARFO-ABABIO  
PATRICK SHAY

Wendy Caughran  
Peter Caughran  
Josie Cooper

# ANNOUNCEMENTS AND EVENTS

## THIS WEEK AT SACRED HEART PARISH

Monday, January 19th

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED FOR MARTIN LUTHER KING DAY**

Friday, January 23rd

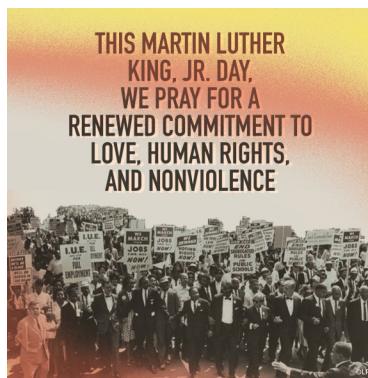
6:00 pm Adoration - The Elderly

Saturday, January 24th

10:00 am Legion of Mary Meeting at Parish Hall

Check out more special events:

[www.sacredheartsavannah.org](http://www.sacredheartsavannah.org)



## CAMPUS MINISTRY WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday, January 18, 2026

6:00 pm Mass at Sacred Heart Church

7:00 pm Dinner at Sacred Heart Parish

Saturday, January 23, 2026

Winter Retreat at New Ebenezer Retreat Center

Every Tuesday & Wednesday

11:00 am Bible Study in the Campus Ministry Room

12:00 pm Daily Mass at the Cathedral Basilica

## YOUTH MINISTRY WEEKLY ANNOUNCEMENTS

For more info: [www.sacredheartsavannah.org](http://www.sacredheartsavannah.org)

Go to Youth Ministry Tab under Parish Life



**JANUARY 18, 2026  
2:30 PM TO 4:30 P.M.  
GRECO HALL**

**\$5.00 per person suggested donation**

**Hosted by the KOC Council #10687**

## 2026 MACON MARCH FOR LIFE

**January 23, 2026**

With Bishop Parkes, the Diocese of Savannah, & the Kolbe Center

**Register: [diosav.org/march-for-life](http://diosav.org/march-for-life)**



THE ROMAN CATHOLIC  
DIOCESE OF SAVANNAH



**JANUARY 31ST & FEBRUARY 1ST**  
**SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH WILL BE**  
**COLLECTING FOOD DONATIONS AFTER EACH MASS**  
**FOR THE CATHOLIC CHARITIES OF SOUTH GEORGIA**  
**(Formerly Social Apostolate)**

Items Needed:

### BREAKFAST ITEMS

Cereal, Oatmeal, Grits, Pancake Mix and Syrup

### PANTRY ITEMS

Rice, Mashed Potatoes, Spaghetti Sauce and Pasta

### DRIED BEANS & PEAS

Black-eyed Peas, Lima Beans, Butter Beans, Red Peas, Split Peas and Lentils

### \*PLEASE NO PERISHABLES

Such as produce, refrigerated and frozen items

Thank you for your support of the Social Apostolate and those in need!

*For I was hungry and you gave me something to eat...  
Mathew 25:35*

