



SACRED HEART KNANAYA CATHOLIC FORANE CHURCH

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CHURCH SERVICES



Sunday: 9.15am Morning Prayer(Sapra)

9.30 am Malayalam Mass and CCD

11.00 am English mass

Saturday: Holy Mass at 8:30 am

Monday to Friday except Tuesday: Holy Mass at 6pm

Tuesday : Holy Mass at 6.45am

St. Jude Novena: Friday after evening mass

Novena of St. Mary: Saturday after holy Mass

1st Friday Malayalam mass and Night Vigil at 6:00pm

Adoration & Confession Everyday one hour before holy mass except Sunday

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Bible Readings

09/20/2026 Sunday

First Reading:

Num 21:1-9

The bronze serpent

Second Reading:

Gal 6:11-18

Let nothing be praised except the Cross

Gospel:

Mt 10:34-42

**He who does not take up his cross and follow
me is not fit for me**



Grand parents' Day

Today, we celebrate Grandparents' Day. It is a beautiful occasion to thank God for the wonderful gift of our grandparents. Let me ask you a question: Who gives you extra love, tells you beautiful stories, prepares your favorite food, and sometimes gives you a little extra money without telling your parents?

Yes! Our grandparents!

But grandparents give us something much more precious than gifts and chocolates. They give us their love, wisdom, prayers, and faith. Let me tell you a small story. One day, a little boy noticed that his grandmother was praying the Rosary every evening.

He asked, "Grandma, why do you pray so much?"

She smiled and answered, "Because I love you."

The boy was surprised. "But Grandma, you are praying to Jesus, not to me!"

She gently replied, "My dear child, every time I pray, I ask Jesus to protect you, guide you, and help you become a good person. Even when I am not with you, my prayers will always be with you." The little boy hugged his grandmother and said, "Grandma, I never knew your prayers were a gift to me!"

Dear children, this story reminds us of something beautiful. Our grandparents are often praying for us even when we do not know it.

In the Bible, we read about a young man named Timothy. St. Paul reminds him of the sincere faith that first lived in his grandmother Lois and his mother Eunice (2 Timothy 1:5).

Timothy learned his faith from his family, especially his grandmother. Many of us learn our first prayers from our grandparents. They teach us how to make the Sign of the Cross, how to pray the Rosary, and how to love Jesus and Mother Mary. Some grandparents may be getting older. They may walk slowly, forget certain things, or need help with small tasks. Sometimes they may tell us the same story again and again. But remember, when we were little, they patiently listened to us, held our hands, and repeated the same words to teach us how to speak. Now it is our turn to show them patience and love.

The Bible tells us, "Honor your father and your mother" (Exodus 20:12). This respect and love should also extend to our grandparents.

Dear children, how can we make our grandparents happy?

We do not need to buy expensive gifts. We can make them happy through simple acts of love. Call them and say, "Grandma, Grandpa, I love you!" Spend time with them and listen to their stories. Help them when they need something.

Pray for them every day. Give them a big hug and thank them for their love.

And if your grandparents have already gone to heaven, remember them in your prayers and thank God for their lives.

Dear grandparents, today we thank you for your sacrifices, your unconditional love, and especially your prayers. You are a precious blessing to our families and our parish.

Dear children, when you go home today, give your grandparents a hug if they are with you. If they live far away, call them. Tell them how much you love them.

Let us remember one beautiful message:

Grandparents may have silver in their hair, but they have gold in their hearts!

LECTORS/BIBLE READERS

09/20/2026 Sunday

09.30 am Holy Qurbana (Malayalam)

FIRST READING: STEBY SALIM VELIMATTATHIL

SECOND READING: JOLLY VETTUPARAPURATH

11.00 am Holy Qurbana (English)

FIRST READING: MIA KOONTHAMATTATHIL

SECOND READING: NATHALIA VETTIKAL

09/27/2026 Sunday

09.30 am Holy Qurbana (Malayalam)

FIRST READING: SHINI PUNNEZHATHU

SECOND READING: MOHAN KANDACHAMKUNNEL

11.00 am Holy Qurbana (English)

FIRST READING: LEIYA KOONTHAMATTATHIL

SECOND READING: ANGELINA KUMBUCKAL

EUCCHARIST MINISTERS OF THIS SUNDAY

RENI THOMAS CHERUTHANNIYIL

JESSY THOMA VETTUPARAPURATH

SR.JOLLY

GRACY KALLADANTHIYIL

SR.SANDRA

CHURCH OFFERINGS

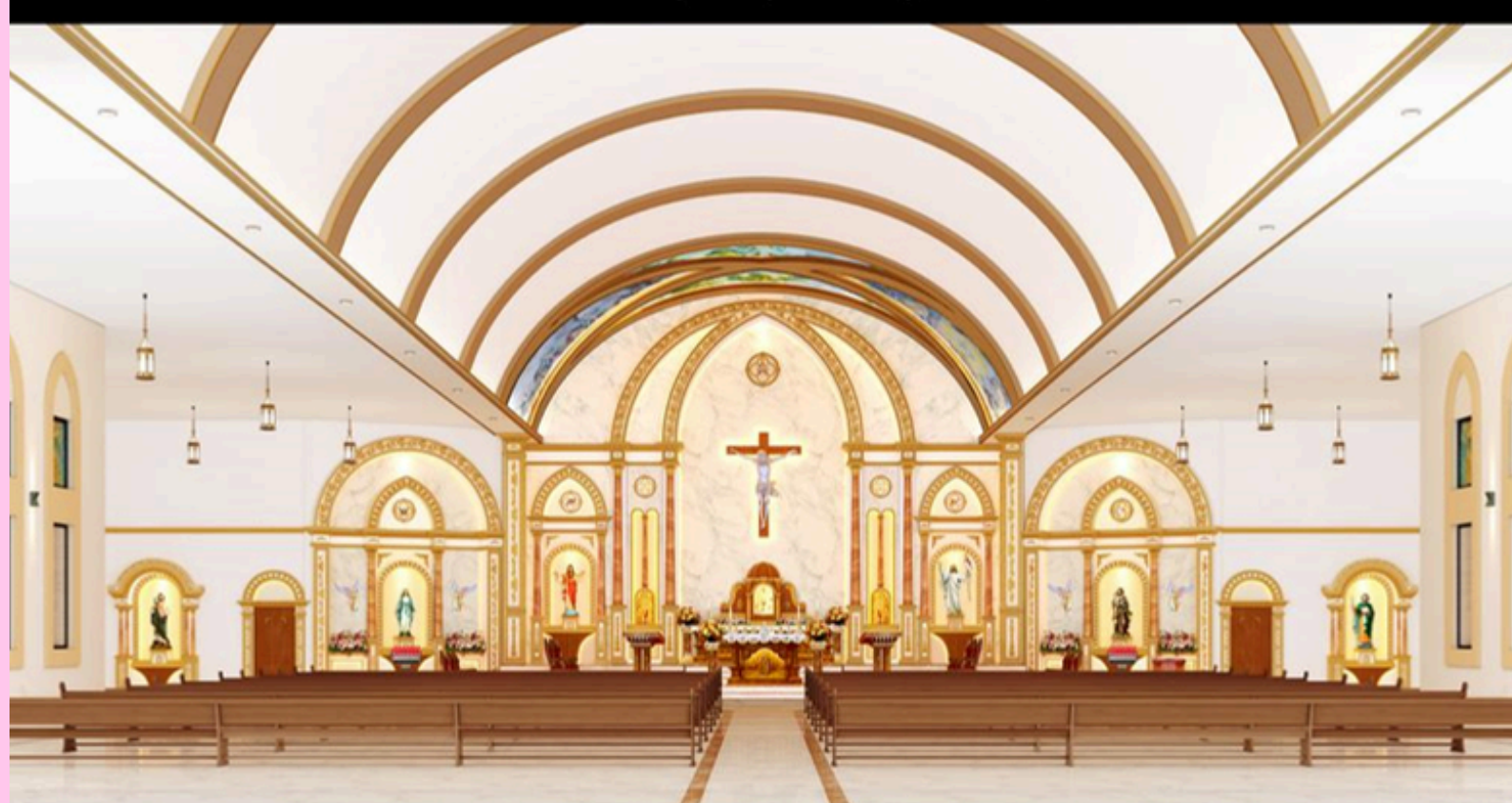
SUNDAY OFFERINGS

SEPTEMBER 13, 2026

Regular offering	413.00
Annual Contribution	1100.00
Main Feast	300.00
Manthra	843.00
New Church	350.00
Sp.Collection	1025.00
Nercha& sponsors of feast	967.00
Auction	50.00
Total	5048.00

Sacred Heart Knanaya Catholic Church Tampa

Seek the Lord and his strength; seek his presence continually!(Chronicles 16:11)





- 1. September 19 Saturday: Arts fest competitions at 9.30am**
- 2. Septembet 20 Sunday: Catechetical Sunday and Grand parents day**
- 3. September 27 Sunday: PTA Meeting after Malayalam Mass**
- 4. October 02: Friday: Episcopal ordination of Fr.Thomas Animmoottil,the bishop elected**
- 5. October 02: First friday: Holy mass and Night vigil as usual**
- 6. October 9,10,11: Friday, Saturday and Sunday: Sacred Heart Feast Celebration of our parish Church.**



Sacred Heart Knanaya Catholic Forane Church, Tampa

Parish Art Fest 2026

Celebrating Faith & Heritage



2026 September 19, Saturday
9:45 AM onwards

Proposed New Church

Koodarayogam based competitions:



Purathanapattu
Contest



Marthoman
Song Contest



Nadavili
Contest



Knanaya Achayan &
Achayathi
Costume Contest

Let's come together

as one Parish Family to celebrate
our Faith, Culture and Talents!



SENIOR MINISTRY GATHERING

2026



SEPTEMBER 20

♥ SUNDAY ♥



Our Sunday School Children
will honor and celebrate
all the wonderful Grandparents
after 9:30 Malayalam Qurbana ♥



FAMILY TREE Making Activity

Know Your Roots ♥ Honor Your Grandparents ♥
Celebrate Your Family

As part of our **Grandparents' Day Celebration**,
create a beautiful **Family Tree** featuring:



Bring Your Family Tree
Sunday, September 20, 2026



Grandparents' Day Celebration
Sacred Heart Knanaya Catholic Forane Church, Tampa

"Every family has a story—
discover yours!"



Parish Talk on “Nurturing Relationships in a Digital World”
by Dr.Lizy K Fernandez,
Initiated by our Nurses Ministry



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*"Let everything
you do be done
for the glory of God."*
- 1 Corinthians 10:31



PRAYER FOR THE NEW CHURCH



Gracious and ever-loving God / we, the parish family of Sacred Heart Knanaya Forane Catholic Church, / thank you for all the blessings and graces that you have showered upon us. We humbly ask you/ for your continued blessings on our parish. Send us your Holy Spirit to dwell within our community/ to guide in our efforts. Grant us the wisdom to discern your plan/ and fortitude to follow it through/ in the construction of a new church. " Unless the Lord build the house , /they labor in vain who build it." (Ps. 127;1) Make our hearts be consumed with the zeal for this house of the Lord.

Bless our pastor,/ the committe member, / and all our families, / to work with love and integrity. Give us adequate funding, competent professionals and skilled laborers/ for the successful construction of our new church. Help us and our benefactors to make the sacrifices for this sacred house of worship. Keep us always under the shelter of your protection/ and bring to perfection the good work you have begun through us. Bless all who participate and cooperate in this spiritual journey towards a new church. In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit .

The most sacred Heart of Jesus/ Have mercy on us.

Blessed Mary the Mother of God/ Pray for us.

St. Joseph the Builder/ Pray for us.

St. Thomas the Apostle/ Pray for us.

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