

Sister Parish Committee Mission Statement

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*The Sister Parish Committee of the Church of the Risen Savior will enable the Risen Savior community to experience and **live out their faith in Haiti** and specifically in relationship with the community of our Sister Parish, St. Rose of Lima Parish (and its chapels) in Gris-Gris, Haiti.*

*We, the Sister Parish Committee, will **facilitate the building of a mutual relationship** with our Sister Parish in the following ways:*

- We will raise parishioner **awareness of God's presence** both in the Haitian people and the Risen Savior people
 - awareness of cultures
 - awareness of day-to-day lives
 - awareness of stories of faith
 - awareness of faith celebrations and rituals
- We will raise Risen Savior parishioner **awareness of the reality of injustice** affecting the Haiti people. We will provide **opportunities** for our parishioners to grow in faith, hope, and love through the sister parish relationship
 - through prayer
 - through contributions of goods and money
 - through participating in medical, construction or other good-will missions
 - through special projects related to the sister parish
- We will **recognize and encourage parishioners of St. Rose of Lima parish and chapels to share their gifts** with our faith community.