

Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

August 21, 2016



Saturday, August 20

5:30 Pat Sorresso
7:00 Bilingual Mass

Sunday, August 21

8:00 Lugia Fini
10:00 Ann Ryan, Special Intention (L)
12:00 Mary Mac
6:00 Robert J. Henderson
People of Sacred Heart

Monday, August 22

9:00 Jacqueline King, Thomas McKeon

Tuesday, August 23

9:00 Sacred Heart Holy Souls Society
Especially Grace Charles, Msgr. John
Woolsey, Theresa Farrell Connors,
Gregoria Otero, Evelio Perez, Rosa
Riccobone, Rez Pulio, Owen Kevin,
Andy Barone, Kamyam Bartolone,
Rene Jacob

Wednesday, August 24

9:00 Doris Weinum. Luigia Fini

Thursday, August 25

9:00 James Cafferty

Friday, August 26

9:00 Mary and Paul Mekkatukulam

Saturday, August 27

9:00 Mary Marasco
5:30 No Intention*
7:00 Bilingual Mass

Sunday, August 28

8:00 No Intention*
10:00 Otylia and Wladyslaw Przybylek
12:00 Mary Golden
6:00 No Intention*
People of Sacred Heart

* If you are interested in selecting one of these Masses for a loved one, please call the parish office.



Pope Francis' Intentions for August

Universal Intention

Sports

That sports may be an opportunity for friendly encounters between peoples and may contribute to peace in the world.

Evangelization Intention

Living the Gospel

That Christians may live the Gospel, giving witness to faith, honesty, and love of neighbor.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

Registration 2016 - 2017 Religious Education Program

We hope you are all enjoying these summer months with your families. As you all know, the preparation for the 2016-17 Religious Ed year is currently underway. Therefore, we are sending this reminder to those who have not registered as of yet. We ask that you please do so as soon as possible. There are multiple ways that you can re-register or obtain forms:

- You may pick up a form in the back of the church where all the resource materials are located and mail it into our office with your payment.
- You can download a form from our parish website and mail it in with your payment.
- You can come to our office in the parish center to re-register or drop off a registration form with your payment. We are accepting applications Monday-Friday between 10:00 am and 3:00 pm.

Please note that if your family has not re-registered by the end of August, we cannot guarantee that your child will be on the list for Opening Day.

Please remember that if your family is experiencing a financial hardship, come and either speak with us or write us a letter when you re-register, so that we may make arrangements. No child will ever be kept from Religious Education due to a family's inability to pay.

Enjoy the rest of the summer and we look forward to seeing everyone soon!

God Bless,
Sr. Rose

Catechists and Teen Aides (HS) are needed especially for Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 4:30 to 6:00 pm. Please call Sr. Rose as soon as possible if you are interested in finding out more --- 782-7420.

African Community Mass



The Sacred Heart African community invites you to attend Mass with them on the first Sunday of the month at 2:00 pm. The liturgy is in English with cultural music. Mass intentions are available for these Masses. Due to the Labor Day weekend, the next monthly Mass will be on **Sunday, September 11th**.

Registration for 2016 – 2017

School Year



Registration is now open for the coming school year. There is a family discount plan for parents who want to send more than one child to Sacred Heart School. Little Hearts Pre-School has classes for 3- and 4-yr. olds with flexible schedules for the 4-yr. olds. For a tour of the school and to discuss the school's programs, please call the school office at 783-0365.

Busing is available for children in other school districts.

Employer Matching Gifts Programs

Your employer might match dollar for dollar, in your financial support of our Parish and its Religious Education Programs. Check your employer's web site for "Matching Gifts". Your employer's Human Resources Department can provide you with additional information about the procedures involved.

Thousands of candles can be lighted
from a single candle,
and the life of the candle will not be
shortened.

Happiness never decreases by being
shared.

Hear Our Prayers O Lord



The Deceased

Off. Tim Smith (GA), Off. Jose Chavez (NM), Victim of Swiss Train Attack

Military

We have placed our military roll honoring the men and women of our parish family currently serving our country in the Church's military shrine. If you would like to add someone to the roll, please call the parish office.

The Sick

Rachael Snitofsky, Erica Jane Burns, Heiner Lakas, Barbara Stilo, Francine Stilo, Michael Vella, Lucy Lamb, Julie Agapito, Jennifer Kanzler Miller, Blossom Johnson, Talia Phelan, Jerry Applebaum, Mario Barris, Rev. Terrence McCarthy, Andy Barone, Teddy Bonner, Ron Helbok, Linda Wells, Patrick Halprin, Gloria Reyes, Francesca, Shirley Dennis, Josianne Sultana, Matthew Sultana, John (Jack) Schulze, Antonio Mangiaracina, Bryan Thiel, Marie Greig, Dorothy Neuwirth, Ron Lange Jr., Lisa Shina, Deacon Pat Proy, Sasha Bunchuk, Susan Baer

In Loving Remembrance

The **Sanctuary Candle** for the month of August is in memory of Marlis Bassey. Lovingly requested by Peter Bassey.

Banns of Marriage

Second – Shannon Beysal and Adam McGrady, Kimberly Olson and Kevin Brady

Holy Hours

At Sacred Heart we have two weekly opportunities to adore our Lord in the Blessed Sacrament. Exposition with Benediction will take place on Wednesday mornings from 8 am to 9 am followed by the morning Mass and on Fridays from 8 pm to 9 pm. Please note as well that on First Fridays of the month, All Night Adoration takes places from 8 pm Friday evening until 9 am Saturday morning.

Sacred Heart Summer Camp

Barnyard Summer Camps

Have you ever been interested in learning about farm animals? Well now you can!

Join us for a five-week camp where we learn about the lives of barnyard animals with the help of the animals housed right here at Sacred Heart in the St. Francis Ministry.

Open to ages 7-12
Mondays throughout the month of August
4:00-5:00 pm
20 per child.

To sign up please visit sacredheartchurch.org

Come meet Templeton, Bailey and Blue and all the other barnyard animals at the St. Francis Ministry at Sacred Heart Church.

Join us after the 10:00 am Mass on Sundays to learn about the animals that live right here at Sacred Heart

Open to all families
Ideal for families with children ages 3-6
No sign up necessary

Happiness without Religion?

When: Saturday, September 10
Time: 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm
Where: The Catholic Center at NYU
238 Thompson St
New York, NY 10012

Can we be happy without religion? On Saturday, September 10th at the Catholic Center at NYU, the Thomistic Institute and the University of Chicago's Virtue, Happiness, and the Meaning of Life Project will put on a discussion entitled "Happiness without Religion? A Philosophical Debate."

The event is free and open to the public. Registration, however, is required; pre-register online at www.thomisticinstitute.org for speedy check-in. Walk-ins are welcome, but must register at the door.

Contact: Peter Blair, 202-495-3863, pblair@dhs.edu.

Saint of the Week



St. Bartholomew, Apostle August 24

Bartholomew the Apostle was a Galilean, and went to the nearer regions of India which had fallen to him by lot for preaching the Gospel of Jesus Christ. There he preached to those peoples the coming of the Lord Christ according to the Gospel of St. Matthew. But, since he had converted many in that region to Jesus Christ, he had to endure many trials and cruel persecutions; and he went into Greater Armenia.

Here he brought Polymius the king and his wife and twelve cities to the Christian faith. This aroused against him the hatred of the priests of that people. They inflamed Astyages, the brother of King Polymius, against the Apostle so that he commanded that Bartholomew be flayed alive in a most cruel way and beheaded; and in this martyrdom the Apostle gave up his soul to God.

His body was buried at Albanopolis, the city of Greater Armenia where he suffered. It was later taken to the island of Lipari and afterwards was transferred to Benevento. Finally it was taken to Rome by Emperor Otto III and placed in a church on the island in the Tiber dedicated to God under the title of St. Bartholomew's.

Eternal Rome Tour

The Catholic Tour, a Roman Catholic Pilgrimage Apostolate is offering our "Special" 7-day Pilgrimage to Eternal Rome operating from two airline gateways of New York JFK and Boston, Mass. The price of \$1999 is the all inclusive price includes airfare, 3-star hotel, most meals, tour guide, deluxe bus, and more. Price is the same from both airports and we can assist you in securing air from your home city to one of the two gateways listed above. The travel dates from both airports will be November 4-10, 2016. Brochures and reservation forms are available at the Catholic Tour 1-877-627-4268 toll free or simply e-mail jimadair@thecatholictour.com.



New Deacons Ordained

After the Mass at which he was ordained in St. Patrick's Cathedral June 25, Deacon John Tomasicchio recalled the beginning of his personal journey to the permanent diaconate.

Father Michael McLoughin, then pastor at St. Stephen the First Martyr parish in Warwick, told him to stick close by the side of Deacon Emmett Noonan for a year, to observe and learn about what a deacon does, to see if it might be something he would like to seriously pursue.

Tomasicchio joined Deacon Noonan as he carried out his ministry to the sick, and met with Eucharistic ministers and lectors of the parish. "He took me to everything. It was very hands-on," Deacon Tomasicchio recalled.

"Afterward, I said, 'Yes, this is what I'd like to do.'"

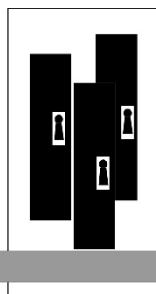
Deacon Tomasicchio also credited his wife of 32 years, Anne, for attending the diaconate formation classes with him in Poughkeepsie. "It was an amazing experience to go with my wife by my side," he told CNY. At the Mass of Ordination, all three deacons from St. Stephen's were present, Deacons Noonan, Thomas Mac Dougall and Daniel Byrne, as well as the current pastor, Father Jack Arlotta.

Along with Deacon Tomasicchio, Cardinal Dolan, the principal celebrant of the morning Mass, ordained 11 other men for parishes in the archdiocese.

They are Deacon Douglas Adams, Sacred Heart, Suffern; Deacon Kenneth Briskey, Regina Coeli, Hyde Park; Deacon Paul Brisson, Our Lady of Perpetual Help and St. Catharine, Pelham Manor; Deacon John Catalano, Our Lady of Perpetual Help and St. Catharine, Pelham Manor; Deacon Robert Cranston, St. John the Evangelist, Saugerties; Deacon Michael Hall, Our Lady of Perpetual Help and St. Catharine, Pelham Manor; Deacon Frank Iovine, Sacred Heart, Newburgh; Deacon John Maulucci, St. Frances of Rome-St. Francis of Assisi-St. Anthony and Our Lady of Grace, the Bronx; Deacon Jorge Montealegre, Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Elmsford; Deacon Robert Pilocco, Sacred Heart, Hartsdale; and Deacon James Quadrino, Holy Child, Staten Island.

Catholic New York

Try to
come in
through the
narrow door



Assignments for Newly Ordained

Father Cruz Alejandro Sanchez
St. Joseph, Middletown

Father Christian Amah
St. Clare, Staten Island

Father Hartley Bancroft
St. Martin de Porres, Poughkeepsie

Father Thomas Colucci
St. Mary Mother of the Church, Fishkill

Father Jesus Ledezma
St. Rose of Lima, Manhattan for the summer then back to Rome for further studies

Father Jon Tveit
Resurrection, Rye

Father Jean- Pierre Seon
St Barnabas, Bronx

Father James Sheridan
St. Columba, Hopewell Junction

Father John Wilson
St. Gregory Barbarigo, Garnerville for the summer then back to Rome for further studies

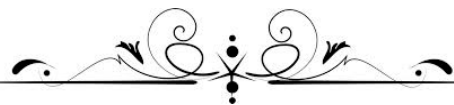
Prayer for Vocations

Loving God,
You speak to us and nourish us
through the life of this Church
community.

In the name of Jesus, we ask you to
send your Spirit to us so that men and
women among us, young and old,
will respond to your call to service and
leadership in the Church. We pray
especially, in our day, for those who
hear your invitation to be a priest,
sister, or brother.

May those who are opening their
hearts and minds to your call be
encouraged and strengthened
through our enthusiasm in your
service.

Amen.



Parish Organizations

Blue Army Cadet Sodality of Our Lady of Fatima
783-9945
Catholic Daughters of America
782-8709
Christian Service Committee
781-0856
783-3389
Holy Name Society
783-9714
Junior Catholic Daughters of America
783-6039
Knights of Columbus
782-4681
Legion of Mary
590-1355
Mom's Group
783-7821
Parish Outreach
783-7840
Respect Life Society
783-2964
Sacred Heart School Alumni
SHSalumni@sacredheartmonroe.net
Sacred Heart Crusaders Youth Group
Contact Fr. Tom at 782-8510
Sacred Heart Leisure Club
774-4351
Sacred Heart Men's Group
782-9445
Sacred Heart Quilters and Crafters
783-3252
Sacred Heart Ushers Society
782-2207

Items for the bulletin must be submitted The Sunday before the date of publication of the bulletin. All special event flyers will be printed in the pages on the bulletin.

Alcoholics Anonymous

Alcoholics Anonymous holds meetings in the Sacred Heart Chapel hall on Sundays from 3:00-4:00 pm and again at 7:00 pm, on Tuesdays at 7:30 pm, on Fridays from 9:00-10:00 pm and on Saturdays at 7:00 pm

Adoption: Infant and toddler girls in China need homes. Older parents are welcome. For more information, call Barbara Salvesen at 845-623-5277.



SACRED HEART PARISH CA\$H BACK BONUS

We are very excited about the added benefits and updates to our Affinity Program. In addition to the bonuses listed below, we have updated our web link that you may enroll online with your **SHP** code already embedded for various fixed rate options in: NY, NJ, GA, IL, MA & PA.

<https://www.justenergydeals.com/SHP>

Please contact Miriam if you have any questions regarding all the available rate options for the various utilities at 845-228-3401 or email her at Affinity@justenergy.com

To show our appreciation for your participation in our Affinity program, we will be giving the following cash bonuses to both members and Sacred Heart Parish for all NEW enrollments ONLY or residential conversions from Hudson Energy to Just Energy.

To the members:

- **A cash back to each enrollee of \$25 per commodity**

Meaning if you enroll your gas or electric, you will receive **\$25** after your first bill is paid.

If you enroll your gas & electric, you will receive **\$50** after your first bill is paid.

To Sacred Heart Parish:

- In addition, SHP will receive the following bonuses at the following levels:

\$500 - for 50 new enrollments

\$1,200 - for 100 new enrollments

\$3,000 - for 250 new enrollments

To date, SHP has received over **\$32,000** in donations from Just Energy due to your expanding member enrollments! Your participation makes a difference!

SACRED HEART NEEDS SEVEN MORE MEMBERS TO EARN \$700 FOR THE PARISH.

Just Energy is offering Affinity Program members the following fixed rates in the O&R area:

Electric per kWh: **\$.0859** for 1 year & **\$.0849** for 3 years

Gas per ccf: **\$.529** for 1 year, and **\$.539** for 3 years

