

March 5th - 12th

Sunday, March 5th - First Sunday of Lent

Gn 2:7-9; 3:1-7/Rom 5:12-19/Mt 4:1-11
 4:00 Vigil Decd Lorraine Keays
 5:00 Vigil Decd Anne Anderson (1st Anni)
 8:00 Sp Int For Our Parish Family
 9:45 Decd William Sterico
 11:30 Decd Richard Kluz

Monday, March 6th -

Lv 19:1-2,11-18/Mt 25:31-46
 6:45 Decd Jack Lepko
 8:30 Decd George & Minna Miehle

Tuesday, March 7th -

Is 55:10-11/Mt 6:7-15
 6:45 Decd Fr. Joseph Casimir Walsh
 8:30 Decd Minna & George Miehle

Wednesday, March 8th -

Jon 3:1-10/Lk 11:29-32
 6:45 Decd Mary Anderson (Anni)
 8:30 Decd Janis Steiple
 7:30 pm Decd Fr. Paul Minchak

Thursday, March 9th -

Esr C 12,14-16,23-25/Mt 7:7-12
 6:45 Decd Eileen Landy (Anni)
 8:30 Decd Winifred Persise

Friday, March 10th -

Ez 18:21-28/Mt 5:20-26
 6:45 Sp Int Marie Foran
 8:30 Decd Frank Zilitto

Saturday, March 11th -

Dt 26:16-19/Mt 5:43-48
 8:30 Decd Amore DiGiannantonio & Family

Sunday, March 12th - Second Sunday of Lent

Gn 12:1-4a/2 Tim 1:8b-10/Mt 17:1-9
 4:00 Vigil Sp Int For Our Parish Family
 5:00 Vigil Decd Dorothy Barnett
 8:00 Decd John & Nellie Fitzpatrick
 9:45 Decd Elizabeth Derow
 11:30 Decd Mary Keane



Week of March 5th

Bread & Wine

Decd Richard Kluz

Sanctuary Lamp

Decd Richard Kluz

Stewardship

February 26, 2017

\$9,196.10

Last year

\$7,747.00

Thank you
 for your continued support
 of our parish and its many needs.
 May God bless your generosity to
 Sacred Heart

The Week Ahead

Sunday, March 5

Children's Liturgy 9:45 am
 Religious Education 10:45 am

Monday, March 6

Rosary Altar 7:00 pm
 Religious Education 7:15 pm
 RCIA 7:30 pm

Tuesday, March 7

Thoughts for Lent 7:30 pm
Will the Real Francis Stand Up?
 Fr. Matt Janeczko, OFM Cap.

Wednesday, March 8

O.L.P.H. Novena 7:00 pm

Friday, March 10

Prayer Shawl Ministry
 9:15 am
 Soup and Stations
 11:45 am/12:30 pm

Saturday, March 11

Lectio Divina Scripture Study
 9:15 am

Sunday, March 12

Holy Name Mass & Breakfast
 8:00 am & following
 Children's Liturgy 9:45 am
 Religious Education 10:45 am

Please Pray for

Special Intention of Tommy Fitzpatrick

and for the

Rest of the Souls of Deceased parishioners of Sacred Heart and

the intentions of

All Parish Family members
 listed in our
 Prayer Intention books

Renew and Rebuild—Archdiocesan Capital Campaign

Every parish in the Archdiocese will be engage in a capital campaign called Renew and Rebuild. The campaign at Sacred Heart is in the first stages and will replace this year's Cardinal's Campaign. 74% of the monies raised through the five-year campaign will remain here at the Heart to upgrade our physical plant. The improvements include:

- Make the church hall handicap accessible with a chairlift
- Add a handicap accessible bathroom
- Refurbish the hall with a new ceiling, lights, floor and kitchen
- Replace the 100 year-old heating unit with an energy-efficient, dual-functioning heating and air-conditioning system
- Create a sizable day-chapel that would seat 50 people utilizing the current sacristy and altar servers' room, move the sacristy to the present chapel. This chapel would reduce the expense of heating and air-conditioning the church for weekday Masses and small funerals.

More information will be forthcoming
 as we proceed through the process.

THE 62ND ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S DAY PARADE ON MCLEAN AVENUE

Saturday, March 18— Starting at 1:00 pm

This year's parade is dedicated to honor
 the 200th anniversary of the Sisters of Charity
 being established in New York.

Annual Dinner Dance/Changing of the Sash

Saturday, March 11 7:00 pm

Good Time Room at the

Empire City Casino at Yonkers Raceway

The Yonkers St. Patrick's Day Parade is proud to announce that
 Cardinal Timothy Dolan is the 2017 Grand Marshal.

The Aides to the Grand Marshal for the 2017 Parade are

Denise O'Flynn Donaghy

Erin Lee

Michael Gallo

Caroline Martin

Catherine T. Hogan

Sean McEvoy

Brendan Landy

William Sullivan

Before the Parade, 11:00 am Mass will be celebrated at
 St. Barnabas High School Chapel Church.

Please join us at the parade, either as a marcher or a spectator.

If you are interested in attending the

Annual Dinner on March 11th at the Empire City Casino,

Rosary Altar Society

Meeting: Church Hall, March 6, 7:00 pm (Note 1/2 hour early)

New members are welcome to join us.

CYO Position Available

The Sacred Heart CYO Basketball & Volleyball Program seeks a Coordinator of Operations beginning in September of 2017. The Coordinator's responsibility includes opening and closing the building before and after games (nights and weekends), making sure that the gym and associated areas are kept clean, reporting maintenance issues and assisting the CYO Director in scheduling games and practices. This position is volunteer in nature, but a small stipend will be provided. If interested, please contact Fr. Matt via email, fathermattj@gmail.com or call the parish office.

LENTEN LUNCH — STATIONS OF THE CROSS

St. Francis of Assisi is credited with popularizing the devotion known as the Stations of the Cross. It is a particularly Franciscan devotion because it asks us to look at and reflect on images of Jesus in his final hours of suffering and glory and respond from our hearts in prayer. Join us for a Lenten Lunch (Soup and Salad) hosted by the various parish organizations each Friday at 11:45 in the Church Hall followed by the Stations of the Cross at 12:30 in the church.

March 10th Secular Franciscans

The Adult Faith Formation Committee and the Parish Council present

Franciscan Spirituality: Thoughts for Lent

March 7: *Will the Real Francis Stand Up?*
 Father Matt Janeczko, OFM Cap.

March 14: *Living the Franciscan Life*
 Ms. Frances Acosta, OFS

March 21: *St. Francis, Pope Francis and the Virtue of Humility*
 Father Michael Greco, OFM Cap.

March 28: *The Conversions of Saint Francis*
 Father Michael Ramos, OFM Cap.

April 4: *Capuchins: More Than Just a Brown Robe*
 Father Matt Janeczko, OFM Cap.

All beginning at 7:30 pm;
 45-minute presentation with 15-minute period of questions and answers

2017 Mass Book

The Mass Book for **July 1 through December 31, 2017**
 will open **Tuesday, March 7 at 8:00 am**

The Bread & Wine And Sanctuary Lamp Memorials will also open

In order to give everyone an opportunity to request their Masses and Memorials, **we ask that you do not request more than six Masses and that only one be a Saturday Vigil or Sunday Mass during these six month time periods.** The stipend for all Masses will be **\$15.00.** You may also request **up to 6 Bread & Wine or Sanctuary Lamps** when the Book opens. The stipend for a Memorial will also be **\$15.00.** Your cooperation with these stipulations will be appreciated.

Lenten Retreat

Fr. Michael Connolly will be heading the annual Secular Franciscan retreat at Sacred Heart this Saturday, March 11th. The day-long retreat's theme is "A Time of Seeking and Finding." Lunch will be provided. All are welcome. Please call the Parish Office at 963-4205 by Tuesday if you plan on attending so that enough food may be ordered.

Catholic New York

We are in the process of "updating" the Catholic New York Mailing List. If you are not receiving the Newspaper by mail and would like to, please call the Parish Office this week and we will add you to the mailing list.