



Church of the Sacred Heart

203 Church Road
Oxford, Pennsylvania, 19363

June 20, 2021



Prayer / Devotion Schedule

Morning Rosary Recitation

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
at 7:30 am

Miraculous Medal Novena

Monday following 8:00 am Mass

Chaplets of Divine Mercy & St. Michael the Archangel

Wednesday following 8:00 am Mass

The Flame of Love of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Thursday following the 8:00 am Mass

Our Lady of Fatima Rosary

First Saturday of each month at 4:15 pm

Evening Rosary Recitation for our Nation

First Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm

Stations for Life

Every Friday at 3:00 pm



Parochial Administrator: Reverend Joseph T. Shenosky
Weekend Assistant: Reverend Victor Eschbach
Permanent Deacon: Deacon Justin J. Watkins
Mass Schedule: Daily; M, W, TH, F at 8 am & T at 7 pm
Saturday Vigil: 5 pm / Sunday at 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon

~ Prayer to Saint Michael ~

St. Michael the Archangel, defend us in battle.

Be our defense against the wickedness and snares of the Devil.

May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly hosts, by the power of God, thrust into hell Satan, and all the evil spirits who prowl about the world seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

~ *From the Pastor's Desk* ~

Dear Brothers and Sisters in the Lord,

In light of the upcoming Installation of the new Pastor, which will take place during the 12 Noon Mass on Sunday, June 27th, it seems appropriate for me to share some biographical information about the experiences that have helped form me into the person and priest that I am today. I was born in a small town in Northeastern Pennsylvania called Sayre to Joseph and Blanche Shenosky on June 5, 1970. I have one younger brother, Thomas. I was raised in a close-knit family whose roots are in Hazleton, Pennsylvania, the heart of Pennsylvania's anthracite coal region. My grandparents were of Polish (on Dad's side) and Italian (on Mom's side) heritage. Both of my grandfathers were coal miners. My Dad worked as an Engineer and my Mom worked as a nurse.

Eventually, due to my Dad's job, we moved to Dallastown, Pennsylvania, where I graduated from the public high school in 1988. During high school, math was one of my favorite subjects, which led me to study Mechanical Engineering at Penn State University, where I graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree in 1992. I worked for two years as a product Engineer for a company called Berg, then later Harbor, Electronics.

My thoughts about becoming a priest began initially as a small child. I was fascinated by the role of the priest as the one who brings us Jesus in the Eucharist, and that the priest acts in the person of Christ in forgiving sins in Confession. The great vocational challenge of my high school and college years was discerning the questions: "What does God want me to do with my life?" "Am I called to be married and raise a family?"— a vocation that had a lot of appeal to me as well. Or, "Am I called to give my life completely to God by serving Him as a priest?"

In my four years on Penn State's main campus, I was involved in both the Newman Center and Penn State Students for Life. During this time, my faith became even more important to me. I was blest in my college years to form wonderful friendships with people that I still keep in touch with to this day. The summer after my Junior year in College, I made an appointment to see one of our campus chaplains at the Newman Center, and told him that I felt certain that I was being called to be a priest. I decided to finish my degree and work for a couple of years to save money, thinking that if I had a true vocation, my desire to enter the seminary wouldn't go away. I entered Saint Charles Seminary as a seminarian for the Archdiocese of Philadelphia in the fall of 1994, and was ordained a priest six years later, on May 20, 2000. As they say, the rest is history!

This weekend, we welcome to the parish one of our Philadelphia seminarians, Juan Pablo Builes. Juan Pablo will be with us from June 19th until August 15th. He has been assigned to us for his summer Field Education assignment. Juan Pablo recently completed First Theology, which means that he has three more years until priestly ordination. We look forward to having him with us this summer!

May God bless you and Mary keep you.
Father Shenosky

PARISH CALENDARS

CLERGY

Saturday, June 19	5 pm Mass	Fr. Shenosky
Sunday, June 20	8 am Mass	Fr. Shenosky
	10 am Mass	Fr. Shenosky
	12 noon Mass	Fr. Eschbach
Tuesday, June 22	7 pm	Fr. Shenosky
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Saturday, June 26	5 pm Mass	Fr. Shenosky
Sunday, June 27	8 am Mass	Fr. Shenosky
	10 am Mass	Fr. Eschbach
	12 noon Mass	Bishop John McIntyre
Tuesday, June 29	7 pm Mass	Fr. Shenosky

Campus

Sunday, June 20	6:30 pm - AA (open meeting)
Tuesday, June 22	10 am - Eucharistic Adoration
Wednesday, June 23	9 am - Community Quilters
	7 pm - Knights of Columbus
Thursday, June 24	9 am - Stitching for Service
Friday, June 25	1:30 pm Altar Server Practice for Installation Mass

Whether you are returning to Mass,
new to the Parish or visiting

ALL ARE WELCOME

at the Church of the Sacred Heart

... Welcome Home

*To Register on-line visit our
website or call the Parish Office*

WEBSITE: www.sacredheart.us

PHONE: 610.932.5040

E-MAIL: info@sacredheart.us

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, June 19	5 pm	The People of Sacred Heart
Sunday, June 20	8 am	Warren Devonshire
		Requested by Kathy DeCamillo
	10 am	Walter & Mary McCann
		Requested by Charlie and Connie Merkel
	12 noon	Louise Salter (Living)
		Requested by the Campbell Family
Monday, June 21	8 am	Myles K. Standish
		Requested by the Knight of Columbus
Tuesday, June 22	7 pm	Candance Ewald
		Requested by Jerome Lacek
Wed., June 23	8 am	Carl Burton
		Requested by the Singley Family
Thursday, June 24	8 am	Robert and Lenore Crowl
		Requested by the Ledger Family
Friday, June 25	8 am	Philip and Rose Leo
		Requested by the Nick Leo Family



Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults

If you want to explore the
Catholic faith or are a
baptized Catholic interest-
ed in completing your
Sacraments of Initiation,
please contact Deacon
Justin Watkins at

SHCHURCH.RCIA@gmail.com

Weekly Collection Totals

June 12 / 13

In-Person Collection:	\$ 6,339.00
Mail / Drop-off Collection:	\$ 1,340.00
E-Giving Collection:	\$ 4,107.15
TOTAL:	<u>\$ 11,786.15</u>



Year of Saint Joseph

December 8, 2020 to December 8, 2021

“Train a child in the way he should go,
and when he is old he will not turn from it.”

Proverbs 22:6

Happy Father's Day

St. Joseph, pray for us.



~ INSTALLATION MASS ~

Please join us to celebrate the
Installation Mass for

Reverend Joseph T. Shenosky

as Pastor of our beloved
Church of the Sacred Heart

Presided by the Most Reverend John McIntyre,
Auxiliary Bishop of Philadelphia
on Sunday, June 27, 2021 at 12 noon

All are welcome to gather afterwards for a
luncheon in the Parish Center gym.

If you know in advance that you can attend,
kindly RSVP via e-mail to info@sacredheart.us
or by calling the Parish Office at 610.932.5040

2021-22 CALENDAR PLANNING
for July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022

Attention all Ministry Coordinators /
Chairperson, please submit your listing of
calendar events by Friday, June 25 to
info@sacredheart.us

Thank you to those that have already done so!



James Battenfelder

Beloved husband of Paulette Battenfelder

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and

let perpetual light shine upon them.

***May the souls of the faithful departed, through
the mercy of God, rest in peace.***

Amen.

12th Sunday in Ordinary Time—June 20, 2021

Entrance Antiphon:	The Lord is the strength of his people, a saving refuge for the one he has Anointed. Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage, and govern them for ever.	
First Reading:	Job 38:1, 8-11	Lord of Creation
Responsorial Psalm:	<i>“Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting.”</i>	
Second Reading:	2 Corinthians 5:14-17	A New Creation
Gospel:	Mark 4:35-41	Christ Commands Creation
Communion Antiphon:	The eyes of all look to you, Lord, and you give them their food in due season.	



2021-22 Family Faith Formation

**Registration is now OPEN for
Level 7 Fall Confirmation and Level 1-6
for the upcoming year.**

*For More Information, refer to the
parish website, Tab #3
or contact Tim Perry at
Timothy.Perry@sacredheart.us*



**Friday, August 13 to 15
Chester County Group
Men of Malvern Weekend Retreat**

Dear Brothers in Christ you are invited to join us to gather, pray and deepen your relationship with Jesus Christ this coming fall.

For more information or to register, please contact Ed Marx at 484.667.8141 or via e-mail at: edmarx25@gmail.com



Daniel and Cathy Eury
We look forward to meeting you!



Welcome back to Sacred Heart on this Father's Day Weekend as we celebrate life from conception to natural death.

Saving lives and transforming families.

Thank you for your continued support and prayers.

FAITH IN ACTION AROUND THE ARCHDIOCESE OF PHILADELPHIA

- **Sacred Heart - “Caring for Friends” Ministry**— Meal / Soup containers are available / *Thank you* for your continued stewardship to those in parish and in the community.
- **Friday(s) at Sacred Heart, Oxford - Stations for Life** / Join Deacon Frank Murphy at 3 pm in the Church to pray the Stations of the Cross for the sanctity of Life from conception to death.
- **A of P - HEED THE CALL / VOCATION OFFICE FOR DIOCESAN PRIESTHOOD** / Visit the website at www.HeedTheCall.org
- **Sunday(s) at the Cathedral Basilica of Ss. Peter and Paul, Philadelphia** / 11 am Mass is live-streamed and recorded
- **American Red Cross Blood Drives at Sacred Heart** / June 30, July 22, July 23 and August 26 / Sign-up today @ www.redcross.org / Your decision to donate, saves lives.
- **Sunday, July 25 to Thursday, July 29 - Vacation Bible School / Our Lady of Consolation** / Schneider Parish Center, 2995 Cemetery Road, Parkesburg PA / 6 pm to 8 pm / Ages: Preschool to Grade 5 / No-Cost / To Register on-line: www.OLCChurch.org
- **Summer 2021 / Camp Cornelius, SCEL, 160 Ridge Rd., Chadds Ford** / A Summer Camp experience for children ages 3-11 / Multiple weeks available / Half Day (9-12pm) \$185 per week / Whole Day (9-4 pm) \$300 per week / Before and After care is available / To Register, call 610.459.8663 or email akohlbrener@scornelius.org



Summer Adult Bible Study
“Unlocking the Mystery of the Bible” by Jeff Cavins
in the Parish Hall from 7-8:30 pm
July 7, 14, 21, 28 and August 4, 11, 18, 25
Any questions, contact Georgeanna Singley
at (484) 942-6725 or email: gcsingley@msn.com



New Altar Server Training or a Refresher Session
will be held on Thursday, July 15 at 7 pm in the Church.

If your son or daughter is interested in this ministry and have celebrated their First Communion, please contact Fr. Shenosky or Georgeanna Singley at (484) 942-6725.

40 Hours Devotion—Thank You

Our annual 40 Hours Devotion closed Friday evening June 11 on the Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart. Many thanks to all the participants who made this devotion possible. Thank you Fr. Shenosky for your support and for bringing the Solemn Vespers with Benediction and Night Prayer to our celebration of the 40 Hours. These ancient prayers gave us a wonderful opportunity to deepen our appreciation of the Eucharist. Thank you Fr. O’Neill for being with us each night and providing us with such inspiring reflections.
“O’ Sacred Heart of Jesus, we place our trust in You.”