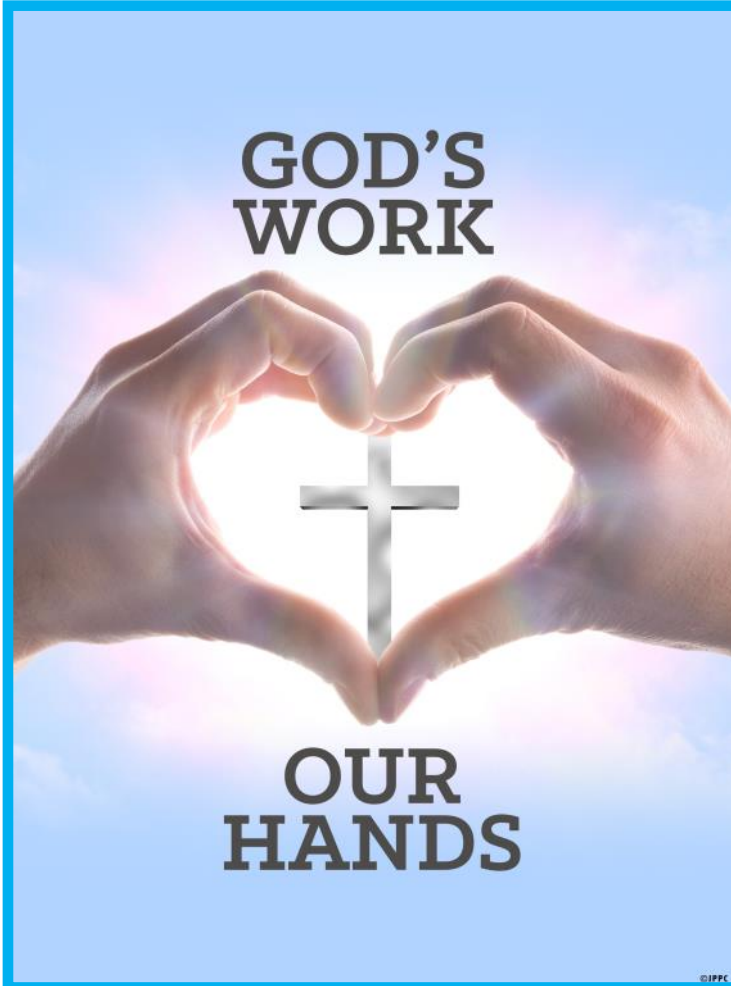




Church of the Sacred Heart

203 Church Road
Oxford, Pennsylvania 19363



August 29, 2021



Prayer / Devotion Schedule

Morning Rosary Recitation

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

Miraculous Medal Novena

Monday following 8:00 am Mass

Eucharistic Adoration

Tuesday 10 am—6:45 pm

Chaplets of Divine Mercy & St. Michael the Archangel

Wednesday following 8:00 am Mass

Charismatic Prayer Group

Wednesday 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm—Chapel

Our Lady of Fatima Rosary

First Saturday of each month at 4:15 pm

Evening Rosary Recitation

First Thursday of each month at 7:00 pm

Stations for Life

Every Friday at 3:00 pm

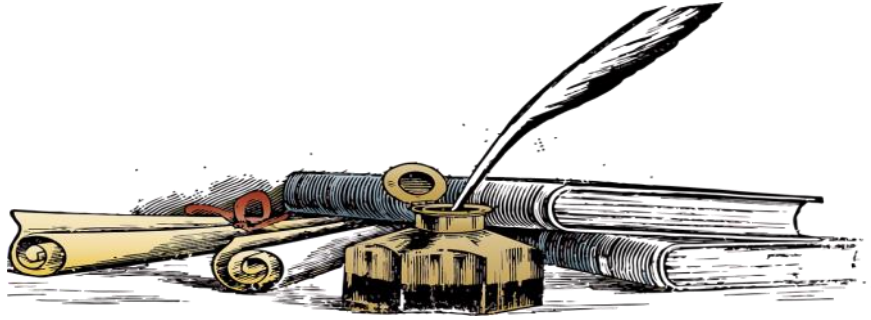
Pastor: Reverend Joseph T. Shenosky
Permanent Deacon: Deacon Justin J. Watkins
Weekend Assistant: Reverend Victor Eschbach
Mass Schedule: Daily; M, W, R, F at 8 am & T at 7 pm
Saturday Vigil: 5 pm / Sunday at 8 am, 10 am, 12 noon
Confessions: Saturday 3:30 pm - 4:45 pm

~ 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.



Dear Friends in Christ,

Pope Emeritus Benedict XVI once said that young people are not just the future of the Church: they are an important part of the Church today. I agree wholeheartedly with this view, and think it is important for us to do all we can to keep young people connected to the Church and involved in the life of the parish.

For this reason, I am happy to share with you two new initiatives for the youth of our parish. Sacred Heart is teaming up with two of our neighboring parishes—Assumption BVM in West Grove, and Saint Patrick’s in Kennett Square—to form a new youth group open to young people from all three parishes. The new Southern Chester County Catholic Youth group is designed for youth in seventh grade through high school.

Earlier in the summer, the pastors of these parishes, along with members of our respective staffs, began meeting in order to lay the groundwork for the new youth group. We all agreed that by combining resources, staff, and volunteer support, we could offer a better program for the youth of our parishes than if we each had our own group. Molly Clark, the Youth Minister from Assumption, will be the overall coordinator of the youth group. She will be assisted by Timothy Perry, who serves as Sacred Heart’s new Director of Religious Education and Youth Ministry Coordinator.

There will be a spiritual component, a social component, and a service component to the youth group. The weekly meetings will be on Sunday nights from 6:00 pm until 7:30 pm at Assumption BVM, and special events will be held at Sacred Heart and at Saint Patrick’s. The first meeting will be at Assumption BVM on Sunday, September 26th.

A second initiative that I would like to share with you concerns CYO. Distinct from the new Southern Chester County Catholic Youth Group, recently, the pastors of Sacred Heart, Assumption BVM, and Saint Patrick’s, have agreed to have a partnership for the CYO program. The goal of the new regional CYO is to enhance the experience for all of the participants by opening the program up to more young people and allowing the CYO program to offer new sports.

It is my hope that these two new initiatives will bear good fruit for the youth of our parish. Please join me in praying for their success.

May God bless you and Mary keep you,
Father Shenosky

PARISH CALENDARS

MASS INTENTIONS

CLERGY

Saturday, August 28 5 pm Mass Fr. Eschbach
 Sunday, August 29 8 am Mass Fr. Shenosky
 10 am Mass Fr. Shenosky
 12 noon Mass Fr. Eschbach
 Aug. 30-Sept. 3 Daily Mass Fr. Shenosky
 Saturday, September 4 5 pm Mass Fr. Shenosky
 Sunday, September 5 8 am Mass Fr. Eschbach
 10 am Mass Fr. Shenosky
 12 noon Mass Fr. Shenosky

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

Saturday, August 28 5 pm
Peter Comero
 Req. Jane Comero
 Sunday, August 29 8 am
Warren Devonshire
 Req. Kathy DeCamillo
 10 am
The People of Sacred Heart Parish
 12 Noon
Frank Campbell
 Req: The Campbell Family
 Monday, August 30 8 am
Pete Pankowicz (living)
 Req: Debra Pankowicz
 Tuesday, August 31 7 pm
Luis Rivera, Jr.
 Req: Ave McLaughlin
 Wednesday, September 8 am
Marguerite M. Maloney
 Req: The Leach Family
 Thursday, September 2 8 am
Marcia DiCarlo
 Req: The Karat Family
 Friday, September 3 8 am
Carrie Rissel-Sorber
 Req: Marie Peticca

Campus Happenings

Sunday, August 29 6:30 pm AA (Parish Hall, open to all)
 Tuesday, August 31 10 am Adoration begins, followed by Benediction at 6:45 pm
 Wednesday, September 1 9 am Community Quilters (Parish Hall)
 7 pm-8:30 pm Charismatic Prayer Group (Chapel)
 Thursday, September 2 9 am—11 am Stitching for Service (Parish Hall)
 7 pm—8 pm Sacred Heart Evening Rosary (Church)
 Friday, September 3 3pm—4pm Stations for Life (Church)

CYO Sports News

ABVM - Sacred Heart - St. Patrick's (Kennett Square)

Have come together to create:

ABVM Regional CYO

(Archdiocese of Philadelphia Region 17)

Our hope is to continue to offer sports for your children and to expand the sports we currently offer.

We are forming a new Athletic Council and need your help with some of roles below:

**Parish Athletic Directors, Communications and Marketing,
Facilities and Equipment, Fundraising**

If you are interested in volunteering, please reach out to:

Neil O'Donnell: cyo@assumptionbvmwestgrove.org

Bill Dobbins: bdobbins@visa.com

Chris Dearing: dearing_c@msn.com



The Sacred Heart Adult Choir

will hold practices every Wednesday from 7:00pm-9:00pm in the Church starting Wednesday, September 15th and will sing at Mass on a montly basis. All singers, in high school or older, are more than welcome to join! Prior vocal experience is not required. Please contact Alexis Witiak at alexis.witiak@gmail.com if you have any questions or require additional information.

Weekly Collection Totals

August 21st & 22nd

In-Person:	\$6,650.00
Mail-In/ Drop-off:	\$884.00
eGiving:	\$3,659.80

Total: \$11,193.80

Thank you for your generosity

Our Immaculate Mother,
St. Joseph our Patron, our guardian angels,
our patron saints, intercede for us during this
time of prayer and adoration. We ask this
through Christ, our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER / FAITH FORMATION

22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time—August 29, 2021

Entrance Antiphon:	<i>“Have mercy on me, O Lord, for I cry to you all the day long. O Lord, you are good and forgiving, full of mercy to all who call to you.”</i>
First Reading:	Deuteronomy 4:1-2, 6-8
Responsorial Psalm:	<i>“The one who does justice will live in the presence of the Lord”</i>
Second Reading:	James 1:17-18, 21b-22, 27
Gospel:	Mark 7:1-8, 14-15, 21-23
Communion Antiphon:	<i>“How great is the goodness, Lord, that you keep for those who fear you.”</i>



Walking with Purpose is more than a women's Bible study. It is a faith community that supports, encourages, and challenges one another. It is a safe place where you will discover authentic friendships and meaningful discussions as your heart is transformed by the Word of God. It is everything you need to get back to living a life that you love.

OPENING YOUR HEART
(For women new to the program)
This 22 week foundational course begins
Wednesday, September 22nd, 9:00-10:30 am,
ABVM Parish Life Center.

Please
P R A Y
*for the sick of our parish
and their caregivers*

Rita Marra, Brian Kozakowski, Mary Jane Carroll,
Richard Miller, Greyson Pickar,
Sandra Henderson, Heather McClure,
Robert G. Brown,
Anthony Biancianiello, Richard Stogsdill,
Ed Maher, Helen Brush, Frances McCummings,
Tara Hillegass, Francis Jones, Mark Santangelo,
Frances Walsh, Paula Johnson

*Also, please remember in your prayers all of our
parishioners with special needs,
healthcare workers, first responders and those
serving in our military and their families.*

“Lord, hear our prayers”

*Please call or email the Parish Office to request that a
loved ones name be added to the list.*



Mary Parke

The Folk Family:
Robert, Kalli, Colin, Juliette, & Josephine

FAITH IN ACTION in the Community

Sacred Heart—”Caring for Friends” Ministry — Meal / Soup containers are available / *Thank you* for your continued stewardship to those in our parish and community.

Friday at Sacred Heart, Oxford - Stations for Life — Join Deacon Frank Murphy at 3pm in the Church to pray the Stations of the Cross for the sanctity of Life from conception to death.

NEW LECTOR TRAINING — Thurs., Sept., 9th. 7pm—9pm (Church).

SAT/PSAT Programs at Bishop Shanahan High School— BSHS & Dr. R. Fuller offer a comprehensive 35-hour training fall learning experience in a PSAT/SAT program. Classes begin September 7, 2021. More info; Dr. Fuller 610-247-5933 or BSHS 610-518-1300.

Sisters of Saint Francis 26th Annual Golf Tournament — September 20, 2021 at Penn Oaks Golf Club in West Chester, PA. For info: www.osfphila.org/events/26th-annual-golf-tournament.

The Immaculate Conception Parish Annual Christmas Bazaar — will be held on Fri. Nov. 13th from 9am—5pm & Sat., Nov 14th from 8am—2pm. For more information contact Immaculate Conception Church at 452 Bow Str., Elkton, MD 410-398-1100.

Sacred Heart Ladies Auxiliary— will be hosting the **19th Annual Craft Fair** on Saturday November 6, from 9am-3pm in the Parish Center Gym. Contact information: shcraftfair@zoominternet.net or Parish Office at 610-932-5040.

INTRODUCING THE NEW SOUTHERN CHESTER COUNTY Catholic Youth Group

SOUTHERN CHESTER COUNTY
Catholic Youth Group

One Youth group with participating parishes:

Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary, West Grove
Sacred Heart Parish, Oxford
St. Patrick's, Kennett Square

SERVING 7TH GRADE -HIGH SCHOOL

LOCATION: ABVM Parish

TIME: Sundays 6:30-8:00 pm

First Meeting is Sunday, September 26th
More information to follow!