

# Mass Intentions

The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ  
June 23, 2019

## Saturday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>

- 9:00 Cecilia Hercegova req. by Mira Hercegova  
5:30 Robert Volpe req. by The Scuderi Family

## Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>

- 7:30 For the Living & Deceased Members of  
St. Patrick's Parish  
9:00 Deceased members of the Walsh Family req. by  
William & Melinda Walsh  
10:30 Candice Bohm req. by Marilyn Rienecker  
12:00 Caroline Previdi (Newtown) req. by The Smith  
Family  
5:30 Caroline Luccarelli req. by the Family

## Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 Special Intention req. by Mira Hercegova  
9:00 All Souls in Purgatory req. by Chinnamma Charalel

## Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 Joseph & Mary Kurian req. by the Family  
9:00 Eileen Riley Zawada (L) req. by the Family

## Wednesday, June 26<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 Sally Pryor req. by The Dowdle Family  
9:00 Catherine Amuso req. by Mr. & Mrs. Thomas  
O'Leary

## Thursday, June 27<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 John Palazzolo req. by Kim Pelose  
9:00 -

## Friday, June 28<sup>th</sup>

- 7:00 -  
9:00 Rick Wietsma req. by The Dowdle Family

## Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup>

- 9:00 Emilia Hercegova req. by Mira Hercegova  
5:30 Joan Luccarelli req. by the Family

## Sunday, June 30<sup>th</sup>

- 7:30 For the Living & Deceased Members of  
St. Patrick's Parish  
9:00 Vincent J. Buchan req. by The Ventura Family  
10:30 William H. Burke req. by The Cherniavsky Family  
12:00 Michael Conneely req. by John & Gail Conneely  
5:30 Margaret Fischer req. by The Jeselnik Family

## Recent Collections

June 16, 2019:	\$5,645
Last year:	\$5,167
Home Missions/Latin America	\$1,866



## Pray for the Sick

Joseph Califano, Fr. Mike Cambi, Virginia Curran,  
Vincenzo DeCicco, Marie Doescher, Edward Farley,  
John Flynn, John Gill, Joan Graves, Molly Henry, Patrick  
Higgins, Francine Holley, Richie Hughes, Freeman  
Huntington, Ann Kearns, Michael Lage, Kevin Mahoney,  
Katie Martinez, Carrol McGrath,  
Kelly Mealia, Dorothy Soley, Msgr. George Thompson,  
Michael Walsh, Christine Young, Eileen Riley Zawada  
And all who request our prayers.

## Our Beloved Deceased

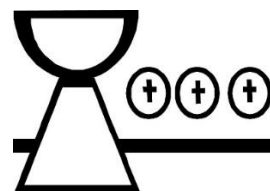
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## Service Personnel Prayer List

The names listed below are service personnel serving in  
our nation's armed forces who are relatives of  
our parishioners.

Please keep them in your prayers

Darren Adler/Marines  
Charlie Carr/Air Force  
Richard Hughes/Marines  
Steven Scully/Marines  
Thomas M. Stevenson/Army



**PLEASE NOTE: Beginning Monday, July 1<sup>st</sup> there will be no 7:00am Mass during the week for the summer months. 7am Masses will resume Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup>.**

## **PLEASE SIGN UP FOR WESHARE!!**

As we approach the summer months may I ask you to please consider signing up for the WeShare program of electronic giving. During the summer our weekly collections fall off while our fixed expenses remain the same. WeShare helps us to maintain our weekly income even when people are away. There is a link to WeShare on our parish website. Please consider joining up today. Thank you!

## *From the Pastor's Desk:*

Dear Parishioners,

This Sunday we celebrate "The Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ," also known as Corpus Christi. It is our annual reminder of the gift that the Eucharist is as the fulfillment of the Lord's promise to always be with us. We know that Jesus is truly present in our lives in many ways. He is present in the hearts of all believers and He is present as He said whenever two or three people gather in His name. He is present in His Word as we hear it proclaimed each week and He is present in the priest as he celebrates the Sacraments in Christ's name. In the Eucharist, Jesus is present in what we often call the "Real Presence" as He comes to us in a very visible and tangible way. The Gospel recounts the time when Jesus fed the crowds to satisfy their physical hunger. This miracle foreshadows the Eucharist when Jesus would give us himself to satisfy our spiritual hunger and provide the sustenance that we need to walk through life on our journey of faith.

May our reception of Holy Communion never become routine. May our "Amen" to the words "Body of Christ" affirm our faith that the Lord is truly coming to us to be one with us and with each other.

This Sunday, June 23<sup>rd</sup>, marks the 90<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the establishment of St. Patrick's Parish. Although the sign out front says 1928, the year that the Church was built, our parish was originally a mission church. It was established as a separate parish on June 23, 1929. We thank God for all the Priests, Deacons and Sisters who have served the people of God here for the past 90 years. We thank God for all who have worshipped here and have received their Sacraments at St. Patrick's over the past nine decades. We thank all who went before us whose dream and vision it was to have their own parish to serve the spiritual needs of the residents of Bedford and neighboring towns. May God continue to bless all those in our parish today for many years to come.

Happy 90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!!

Msgr. John T. Ferry, Pastor

## *Words of Inspiration:*

### *Bread for our Journey*

At the Last Supper Jesus gave his body and his blood in the bread of his sacrifice of infinite love. And filled with grace, the disciples had everything necessary for their journey through history, to extend to all the kingdom of God. The gift that Jesus made of himself, by his voluntary death on the cross, will be light and strength for them. And this bread of life has come down to us! The Eucharist enables us to abide in him, for it is the bond which unites us to him, it is the fulfillment of the Covenant, the living sign of the love of Christ who humbled and lowered himself in order that we remain united.

-Pope Francis

## *Ministry Reminders:*

**Women's Faith Sharing:** Tuesday, June 25<sup>th</sup> from 6:30 to 8pm in the Cenacle.

**Centering Prayer Group:** Wednesday, June 26<sup>th</sup>, 7:30pm in the Sanctuary.

**Men's Ministry:** Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup>, 7:30am in the Church Meeting Room.



## **Religious Education**

Registration for next year is in its final stages. If you have not already registered your children, please contact the office immediately. Some classes are full. Religious Education office: 234-3775, email: [goodnews2@verizon.net](mailto:goodnews2@verizon.net)

### **Call for Catechists:**

Thank you to those who have responded to our call for Catechists to teach our children the faith. We are still in need of volunteers for the following:

- Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> grade Catechist
- Sunday aides for various grades
- Tuesday afternoon aides for a few grades

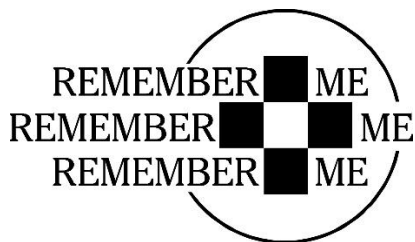
Please contact the Religious Education Office if you can assist. Religious Education office: 234-3775, email: [goodnews2@verizon.net](mailto:goodnews2@verizon.net).



We hope you are enjoying the free parish subscription to [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) which gives you access to quality Catholic on line programs, movies, audios, and books. Simply register with parish code **T74C9Q** and enjoy. Today is the Solemnity of The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi). Study: *Footprints of God, Jesus: The Word Became Flesh; Presence- The Mystery of the Eucharist; Lectio: Eucharist*, or *The Wild Goose, Segment 6: The Spirit and the Eucharist*. Listen to: *The Body and Blood of Christ, The Lamb's Supper, The Fourth Cup*, or *Jesus and the Jewish Roots of the Eucharist*. Monday is The Solemnity of The Nativity of St. John the Baptist. Study: *Lectio Eucharist, Session 3: Lamb of God*.

## Annual Tag Sale

St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, 1377 E. Main Street, Shrub Oak, NY, will be holding its Annual Tag Sale in the Nugent Auditorium/gym on **Saturday, June 29<sup>th</sup>** from 10am to 7pm, **Sunday, June 30<sup>th</sup>** from 8am to 3pm, **Saturday, July 6<sup>th</sup>** from 10am to 7pm, and **Sunday, July 7<sup>th</sup>** from 8am to 3pm. Come see our great variety of items! For information visit [www.seton-parish.org](http://www.seton-parish.org).



### Vendors Wanted:

The Maryknoll Sisters are looking for vendors for their 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Fall Festival.  
 Saturday, September 28<sup>th</sup>  
 Food vendors: \$125  
 \$65 for 10x10 space  
 For information, please contact:  
 1-866-662-9900 or  
[events@mksisters.org](mailto:events@mksisters.org)

### Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries **CLASP (Catholic Literature Arts Summer Program)**

Head to the picturesque Hudson Valley this summer for CYFM's special week-long program for teen actors, designers, and musical theater performers, no prior experience necessary. Professionals offer intense training to hone skills in acting, musical/dramatic performance and set creation, culminating in a professional-quality public performance of an original musical by Fr. Erik Lenhart, O.F.M. Cap. Teens deepen their faith and relationship with the Lord and one another through drama, music, dance, prayer, adoration, and reconciliation. Younger children (5-13) are welcome to join as "Junior CLASP-ers" on Aug. 2 and 3, 9:30-11:30 at St. Clare (Gym) building. Performance is Aug 3, 2PM & 7PM. Application and deposit due Monday July 8th, 2019; scholarships are available.

### We are a **Catholic Social Widows and Widowers Group**.

We meet monthly, usually on the fourth Monday of the month, at Church of St Pius X, 91 Secor Rd, Scarsdale to honor our deceased spouses with a Mass at 7 PM in the small chapel off the main church, followed by a social meeting with refreshments. Our next meeting date is **Monday, June 24<sup>th</sup>**. We plan activities and have meals at local area restaurants. We recently had a wonderful luncheon at Doral Arrowwood in Rye Brook. We welcome all Catholic Widows/Widowers. For inquiries, call [914-715-5817](tel:914-715-5817) or email: [cww10583@gmail.com](mailto:cww10583@gmail.com).

### **The Music Ministries of Saint Joseph's Church** announce the release of its first brand new Compact Disc of Sacred Music entitled **Sounds of Joy and Glory**.

As Saint Joseph's Church in Somers, NY, celebrates its 175<sup>th</sup> anniversary, this CD includes works of Handel, Mendelssohn, Mozart, Massenet, Ungar, Moore and others.

For more information call 914-232-2910, email the parish Music Office at [SJCSMUSIC95@gmail.com](mailto:SJCSMUSIC95@gmail.com), or visit the parish website at [www.stjosephsomers.org](http://www.stjosephsomers.org).