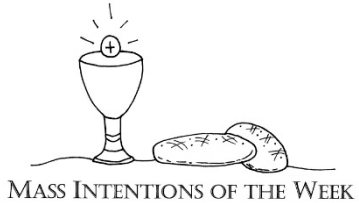


Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

September 23, 2018



Saturday, September 22

5:30 Eristil Family, Rocco and Antonia Terrigno

7:00 Ramon Delaoz, Bilingual Mass

Sunday, September 23

8:00 Gino Perciballi, Rosa Fini

10:00 Pobedinsky and Sutton Families, Joseph and Mildred Steiner

12:00 Adrian Bohl, Joan Cristarella

6:00 John Kennedy
Parishioners of Sacred Heart

Monday, September 24

9:00 Intention Available*

Tuesday September 25

9:00 Justin Dimino, Stella Szarapata

Wednesday, September 26

9:00 Michael W. Finnegan, Alicja Szpunar, Isabella Moavero

Thursday, September 27

9:00 Josephine and Anthony Ciccotelli, Thomas DeToro

Friday September 28

9:00 Robert Paolillo, Members of the Sacred Heart Holy Souls Society

Saturday, September 29

9:00 Henry Lust and Family, Milton Ian Pineiro (L)

5:30 Margaret Boyle, Giorgio Barillaro

7:00 Bilingual Mass

Sunday, September 30

8:00 Denise Bergeron (L)

10:00 David Avon Oistad, Michael and Matthew Amanti

12:00 Geronimo Fermin, John Fitzgibbon

6:00 Juanita Daanoy
Parishioners of Sacred Heart

* If you are interested in selecting one of these Masses, please call the parish office. Because of the bulletin's printing schedule these Masses will not appear in the following week's bulletin. The intention will be announced by the celebrant of the Mass.

Pope Francis' Intention for September

Young People in Africa

That young people in Africa may have access to education and work in their own countries.

RCIA - The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults

RCIT – The Rite of Christian Initiation of Teens



Is a journey of faith for the non-baptized, those baptized in another tradition seeking full communion within the Catholic Church or those baptized Catholics who seek to complete their Sacraments of Initiation – i.e. Eucharist and/or Confirmation. If you or someone you know is interested in becoming a Catholic – or who has questions about the Catholic Faith, please contact Fr. Tom or Sr. Josita. **The Introductory Session will be held on Thursday September 20th at 7 p.m. in the Pastoral Center.**

2019 Announced Mass Book

The announced Mass book for 2019 will be opened on Wednesday, October 3rd at 9:00 am in the parish center. You will be able to select ten Masses for your intentions. An announced Mass is when the name of the deceased or the intention for the Mass is printed in our bulletin one week prior to the date. The name or intention will be announced in the Prayer of the Faithful. The stipend for an announced Mass is \$15.00

You may also remember loved ones by reserving the sanctuary candle, bread and wine or flowers at this time.



Sacred Heart Lucky Draw Raffle



This week's \$100 winner is:

275 – Cathy Barillo

REMEMBER – the last drawing in December is for \$1,000! There's still time to buy tickets.

We sold two more tickets this week.

Tickets are still be available for \$52 and there are 80 tickets left.

If you are interested in buying one, please call or stop into the office.

MOM'S GROUP



We all have very busy lives but consider our small group as a mini retreat to refresh, rest and receive graces that come from sharing scripture, prayers and friendships. We encourage discussion and reflection on Sunday's scripture and provide a place to come together to feel connected to God and one another. We are a group of both young moms and grand moms. Babies and children welcome to come with mom or grand mom.

10:00 an on the on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month.

Parish Center/ St. Teresa Room

Future meetings: Sept. 25, Oct. 9, 23, Nov 13, 27, Dec 11, Jan. 8, 22, Feb.12, 26, March 12, 26, April 9, 23, May 14, 28, June 11.

For more information contact Parish office or Cindy at 845-662-6768

Hear Our Prayers O Lord



The Deceased

Dep. Sheriff Mark Stasyuk (CA), Corr. Off. Armando Gallegos (CA), Dep. Sheriff Robert K. Kunze III (KS), Victims of Hurricane Florence, Victims of the Typhoon in the Philippines.

The 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, Rev. Terrance McCarthy, Susan McCarthy, Blossom Johnson, Talia Phelan, Lisa Shina, Pat Stanton, Mary Ferrigno, Teddy Bonner, Christine Barry Furlano, Anthony S. Ruscito, Paul Kosara, Keyla Mercado Diaz, James Fordham Purcell, Marianella Liga, Patricia MacInnes, John O'Hare Jr., Pauline Baillie, John Gore, Mike Mele, Frank Leskauskus, Nicholas McShea, Art Byrons, Veronica "Ronnie" Mahoney, John Carey, Michael "Mike" Mele, Michael Kowalski, Jeff Davidson, Elaine Gabel, Suzanne Perry

In Loving Remembrance

The **Sanctuary Candle** for the month of **September** is in memory of Edward Mazzella Jr. Lovingly requested by Kay Mazzella.

Anyone wishing to memorialize the sanctuary candle, the flowers or bread and wine is asked to contact the parish office.

In family life, love is... the oil that eases friction, the cement that binds closer together, and the music that brings harmony.

Eva Burrows



Your Change Can Make a Change



Have you looked at our church's rug, kneelers and pews lately? They are 26 years old and are showing their age. The rug needs to be replaced. The kneelers need to be repaired and reupholstered and the pews need to be reupholstered. This is a big undertaking and is very labor intensive. The cost to get this done is \$78,000.

We are starting a fundraising effort for this project. **On the third Sunday of every month we will be collecting your loose change after all the Masses.** So start emptying your pockets and wallets and keep that change for the third Sunday of the month.

The following organizations or families have volunteered to cover our Masses once a month:

5:30 pm - ?

8:00 am – Vella Family

10:00 am – Christian Service Committee

12:00 pm – Married Couple Groups

6:00 pm - ?

If you would like to volunteer for one of the other two Masses, please let me know –

bmarasco@sacredheartchurch.org or 845-238-5630.

Sacred Heart Trivia Night

Friday, October 12

before 1859, baseball umpires used to sit in padded chairs behind home plate.



Join us Friday night, October 12th for Sacred Heart's Trivia Night Fundraiser. It will be held in the Sacred Heart School Gym and will begin at 7:00 pm. We will be setting up teams of 8 people. If you have a full table that's great! If you don't have 8 people, please plan on attending. We will sit you with other bright people who will be looking for your help. The cost is \$15 per person. Must be 18 years of age to attend. You may bring snacks if you would like and you can purchase beverages at the event. To sign up for the trivia night, submit a list of your players with a check made out to Sacred Heart Church. Forms will be in the vestibule of the church. They can also be printed from the church's website. You can drop this in the Sunday collection basket or drop it off or mail it to the parish office at 26 Still Rd. For more information, call Bernadette at 845-238-5630 or e-mail

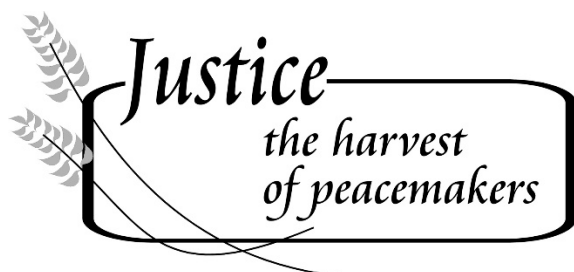
Bernadette.marasco@sacredheartchurch.org.

A SPECIAL PRAYER EVENT FOR OUR CHURCH and NATION

Please join us as we join others from around our nation to pray the Holy Rosary for both our church and our country.

We will meet at St. Anastasia's Shrine Church on Sunday, October 7th at 4:00 pm

Also on the same Sunday there will be the Life Chain on Rt.211 in Middletown from 2:00 to 3:30 pm. We will be in front of Shoprite on the south side of the street only. Any questions call Rich Strobel at 914-456-0512.





This summer Baby Aziah was one of 3 new babies born into the Good Counsel family. We are eagerly anticipating the birth of seven (or so) more babies in the next couple of weeks!

If you're keeping track, that's 1,130 babies born to the Good Counsel family! Aziah and all babies born into the Good Counsel family have been saved because of your faithful, prayerful support, and financial generosity. Because of you, we never say no to any homeless, pregnant mother in need. Because of you, there's always room for one more!

Our moms accomplish a lot while at Good Counsel. While living at a Good Counsel home, house managers, case managers, staff, and volunteers all play a part in supporting and encouraging our moms to set goals and achieve them. Moms participate in an array of [Life Skills Classes](#) with the goal of being ready for a new life outside of Good Counsel with a stable job and independence for themselves and their children.

Our moms take various roads in working toward reaching their education goals, whether completing a GED, earning a specialized certificate, or attending college classes. Some of our moms have completed their college degree while with us!

Would you like to provide a new beginning for a mother & baby?

Please support our Baby Bottle campaign and take home a bottle or two and fill them with your spare change. If you prefer a check, please make it out to Sacred Heart Respect Life. The proceeds will be distributed among Good Counsel homes, Our Mother's Cupboard and My Choice Pregnancy Centers. Bottles should be returned the weekend of December 1st and 2nd. We thank you for your prayers, spiritual and financial support. Without you, all of these babies might have seen a different fate. Any questions please call Rich Strobel at 914-456-0512.

How to Be an Everyday Contemplative Mount Saint Mary College Wednesday, October 3 – 7:00 pm Kaplan Library

Judith Valente who worked for The Wall Street Journal and PBS-TV will describe how spending extended periods of time in a Midwest monastery helped her to shed a "dual diagnosis" of workaholicism and overachieverism. She will explore how we can all apply the monastic values of listening, hospitality and simplicity to our daily lives, and avoid distractions that keep us from being who we are meant to be. There is no charge for this event and refreshments will be served. For more information, 845-569-3467 or cdi@msmc.edu.



When: Saturday, October 6, 2018
Time: 11:00 AM - 5:30 PM (excluding travel time)
Web Address: adnypilgrimage.eventbrite.com
Event Contact: Elizabeth Guevara
E-mail: adultfaithformation@archny.org
Where: Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception
400 Michigan Avenue NE
Washington, DC 20017

Cost: \$50 per person. Each ticket includes a roundtrip bus ticket and a boxed dinner.

Join Cardinal Dolan on a pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception on Saturday, October 6th. The pilgrimage is hosted by the Office of Adult Faith Formation. To purchase tickets, please visit <https://www.ArchnyPilgrimageToDC> and select your desired departure site.

Sacred Heart School Presents School House Rocks

A fundraising concert to benefit Sacred Heart School
Featuring the Hudson Valley's Number One Live Band

HUDSON BLUE

**Saturday, October 6
Doors open at 6 – Concert 7 – 10**

\$15 in advance - \$20 at the door

Beer, Wine, Food Trucks, Margarita Man & 50/50 Raffles
For tickets, contact the school office at 783-0365



Parish Organizations

Catholic Daughters of America
238-5326
Christian Service Committee
781-0856
783-3389
Holy Name Society
845-325-9425
Junior Catholic Daughters of America
637-0435
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
845-325-9425

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.

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.

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

Wedding Gowns through the Ages

Thank You!

Last weekend sixteen models walked down Sacred Heart Church's center aisle wearing beautiful gowns dating back as far as 1926 and as recent as 2017. It was a wonderful evening.

A thank you to all the women who lent us their beautiful gowns and to our models who did a great job exhibiting them for us. A special thank you to Anne Marie Pinchera who spent hours steaming and pressing the gowns and veils. Thanks goes out to the Monroe Florist who created and donated two live wedding bouquets and to Joanne Vella who made three bouquets from artificial flowers. She also made the flower arrangements on our pews. Our music director Kayla Glander provided lovely classical music for our brides walking down the aisle.

Our narrator Colleen Santoli did a wonderful job relating all the wedding stories and information about the gowns of each decade. Also thanks to our "food ladies", Johanna DeMaria and Liz Leitner, who came in early to set up the lovely display of our wedding cake.

The cake was donated to Sacred Heart by one of the church's important vendors, Just Energy. We thank Miriam Stiefel and her team at Just Energy for their generous donation. Also a thank you to Trish DeBari of Patriot Hills who arranged for the cake and delivered it. The cake came from Homestyle Desserts Bakery in Peekskill, NY.

Fordham Preparatory School

Open House

Sunday, October 28 from 1 to 4

Registration in advance required.

Visit fordhamprep.org/admissions

Fordham Prep is located on the Rose Hill Campus in the Bronx, adjacent to Fordham University and the New York Botanical Gardens

(718)584-8367

admissions@fordhamprep.org

*O God,
hear
my prayer.*

