

Second Sunday of Lent

March 8, 2020



Saturday, March 7

5:30 Loretta Gormley
7:00 Enrique Mesorana
Parishioners of Sacred Heart

Sunday, March 8

8:00 William Langel
10:00 Deborah Schrepel, Jeanne Lambkin
12:00 Colin Johnston – 7th Anniversary
6:00 David Elg

Monday, March 9

9:00 Charron Marie Klotz-Lopez

Tuesday, March 10

9:00 Patricia McGinnis

Wednesday, March 11

9:00 Sacred Heart Holy Souls Society

Thursday, March 12

9:00 Intentions of Vincent McDonnell

Friday, March 13

9:00 Jerry Kick

Saturday, March 14

9:00 Jesus Arrieta
5:30 Jane Hazlett, Deacon Angelo and
Ann Corsaro's 50th Anniversary
7:00 Cardinal George Pell (L)
Parishioners of Sacred Heart

Sunday, March 15

8:00 Mary and Seamus Comiskey
10:00 Anthony Coscia, Ernesto Lee
12:00 Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Ryan
6:00 Brian J. Sullivan



The Bread and Wine this weekend is
in memory of John W. Magrino Sr.



The Sanctuary Candle this month is in
memory of Edward Mazzella Jr.
Lovingly requested by Kay Mazzella.

Pope Francis' Intentions for March

Catholics in China

We pray that the Church in China may persevere in its faithfulness to the Gospel and grow in unity.

Father David's Website

Like what you heard? Want to hear it again or share with someone else? You can listen to Fr. David's homilies at www.fatherdavidrider.com

Fund a Religious Education Student

Not every family in our parish is able to afford the registration fees which cover the expense of books and supplies. If you would like to "adopt" a child/family, it would be appreciated!

New Weekday Confession Times

Weekday confessions will now be before daily Mass from 8:30 – 8:55 am, except on Wednesdays when they will be from 8:15 – 8:45 am.

Also, beginning immediately, confessions will also be heard on Wednesday from 7:00 – 8:00 pm.

Rules of Fast and Abstinence during Lent

Abstinence

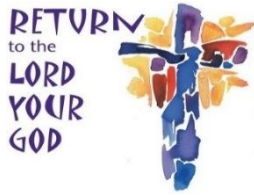
All who have reached their 14th birthday are to abstain from eating meat on Ash Wednesday and on all Fridays during Lent.

Fasting

All those who are 18 and older, until their 59th birthday, are to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. Only one full meal is allowed on days of fast. Two other meals, sufficient to maintain strength, may be taken according to one's needs. But together, they should not equal a full meal. Eating between meals is not permitted, but liquids are allowed.

The obligation does not apply to those whose health or ability to work would be seriously affected. People in doubt about fast or abstinence should consult a parish priest.

Sundays in Lent are not considered part of the Lenten observance because each Sunday we continue to celebrate Jesus' resurrection. Each Sunday is like a mini-Easter.



Three things you can do for a more fulfilling and grace-filled Lent:

- 1. Attend Eucharistic Adoration**
(Monday – Friday, 4:00 – 9:00 pm)
- 2. Go to confession**
- 3. Attend our Lenten Mission**
March 16, 17, 18
7:00 – 9:00 pm

Lenten Prayer

Heavenly Father,
 As I enter another week of my Lenten journey, guide me to the path that leads to you. Fill my heart with gratitude, patience, strength, and peace as I strive to become the-best-version-of-myself, honestly admitting my shortcomings and sins.
 As I renew my resolve each day to become a better person, let me hear your voice in the deepest reaches of my heart. Give me rest in you.
 Help me to accept others, showing them your great love instead of casting judgment.
 Stay with me through the busy days this week and remind me that when I need comfort, solitude, wisdom, or guidance, I can always turn to you.
 Help me develop discipline and generosity through fasting and almsgiving, and come closer to you through prayer this Lent.
 In your name I pray,
 Amen.

LOOSE CHANGE WEEKEND

Your Change Can Make a Change



For the repair and reupholstering of pews and kneelers and new carpeting

Goal - \$78,000
February Collection – \$946.45
Total to Date - \$11,746.15

Next Collection Date – March 15

Hear Our Prayers O Lord



The Baptized

Anthony Contreras, Matthew Contreras, Luca Shea Mevorach, Gabriel Michael Nrecaj, Lucas Alexander Nrecaj

The Deceased

Cpl. Andrew Gillette (SC), Firefighter Daniel Foley (NY), Victims of the Shootings in Milwaukee, Victims of the Tornadoes in Nashville, Victims of the Coronavirus in WA

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. Terrence McCarthy, Susan McCarthy, Blossom Johnson, Talia Phelan, Christine Barry Furlano, Paul Kosara, Elaine Gabel, John O'Clair, Karen de Jesus Diaz, Tommy Durso, Kevin Carberry, Fred Klueber, Jean Leonardo, Cheryl Davis, Adam Volpe, Thelma Cochran, Margaret Dillon, Agnes Reis, Linda Blazek, Charles Engels, Edward Henning, Ron Klein, Antoinette Sennick, Joan Repaal, Jon Repaal, Cathy O'Neill, John O'Neill, Melanie St. Moritz, Peter Zinner, Susan Murphy, Matthew Zaczek, Ron Zaczek, Jon Quinn, William Quinn, Caroline Farley, Rita Glorig, Jim Beams, Patricia Martin, John O'Hare Jr.

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



March 1 – \$13,004

Christian Service Committee

The Christian Service Committee is a group of dedicated women who volunteer their time doing a wide variety of service-oriented projects for and throughout the church and community. Christian Service Committee meetings are held monthly on the second Monday in the St. Theresa room in the parish center. The March meeting is March 9th at 10:00 am. For more information, watch the bulletin or call the chairperson Aileen at 781-0856 or Renie at 783-2078.

Sacred Heart's Lucky Draw Raffle 2020



Tickets are available in the parish office and by mail (see form below) for the 2020 Lucky Draw Raffle. The tickets are \$52 for the year and one person will win \$100 each week. The last winner of the year will win \$1,000.

**So far, we have sold 154 tickets.
We need to sell 178 tickets before we can start
the raffle.**

PLEASE HELP US MEET THIS GOAL.

**If we sell all 300 tickets, Sacred Heart will make
\$9500.**

**If you want to mail in your request for tickets,
please fill out the form below and include the
numbers you want and a check. We will try to
give you the numbers you want, but it will be first
come, first served.**

Sacred Heart Lucky Draw Raffle 2020

Name _____

Address _____

Phone Number _____

Ticket Number(s) Requested _____

Check \$ _____

Mail to: Sacred Heart Church, 26 Still Rd., Monroe, NY
10950



Help Support

Sacred Heart School

Tuesday, March 17 from 4:00 – 8:00 pm

Give this announcement to the cashier when you place your order and we'll donate a portion of the proceeds from your purchase.

Ordering online for rapid pick-up delivery?
Enter PRFUND as your promo code to have a portion of your proceeds donated to your organization.

Meet and Greet March 15 After the 10:00 am Mass



All are invited for light refreshments, conversation and especially to welcome new parishioners in the vestibule of the church. The Respect Life organization is hosting this month's Meet and Greet.

Bus Trip to New York City for St. Patrick's Day Parade

Flynn & Family (Flynn Funeral & Cremation Memorial Centers, Inc.) is sponsoring free, round trip transportation to New York City for the St. Patrick's Day Parade. Those interested should call the Flynn office at 845-783-1811.



**Stations of the Cross are on Fridays
during Lent from
7:15 – 8:15 pm in the church.**

Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries

Girls' Day by Day Agape March 27 - 29

Thousands of teens have journeyed on this discovery of self, God, and community. This peer-led encounter retreat invites teens to a deepening of relationships and a revelation of the YOU that you were created to be! No matter where you are on your spiritual journey come immerse in God's great mercy and love for us. Join this time-tested and ever-new nearly 50-year-old community, for this (as many have said), "life-changing" retreat. \$125.00 for materials, meals & lodging; application & non-refundable \$60.00 deposit due by March 24; scholarships are available. Register online: <http://bit.ly/GIRLSDDA> save \$10.00 before March 17 Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries 781 Route 9D, Garrison, NY 10524. Find us on Facebook, Twitter and Instagram: CYFMGarrison.

For application or information, call 845-424-3609 or visit our website: www.cyfm.org.

"Healing Ourselves and Others Through Lent" A Day of Prayer & Reflection

sponsored by the Pallottine Sisters

Saturday, March 14, 2020, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm
(Mass at 5:00 pm with the Sisters)
Presenter: Fr. James Di Luzio CSP.
Queen of Apostles Center, 98 Harriman Heights
Rd., Monroe, NY 10950
Donation: \$30.00 (includes hot lunch)
For information and registration please call 845-
492-5076

Novena to St. Joseph ***Say this prayer for nine days.***

O St. Joseph, whose protection is so great, so strong, so prompt before the throne of God, I place in thee all my interests and desires. O St. Joseph, assist me by thy powerful intercession and obtain for me all spiritual blessings through thy foster Son, Jesus Christ Our Lord, so that, having engaged here below thy heavenly power, I may offer thee my thanksgiving and homage.

O St. Joseph, I never weary contemplating thee and Jesus asleep in thine arms. I dare not approach while He reposes near thy heart. Press Him in my name and kiss His fine head for me, and ask Him to return the kiss when I draw my dying breath.

St. Joseph, patron of departing souls, pray for me.

Sacred Heart Designer Handbag Bingo



Tickets are now on sale!

May 1, 2020
7:00 pm to 10:00 pm
Doors open at 6:00 pm

**Jimmy Choo, Brahmin, Coach, Kate Spade,
Dooney and Bourke, Michael Kors, Tory Burch,
Furla, Rebecca Minkoff, Aimee Kestenberg, Karl
Lagerfeld**

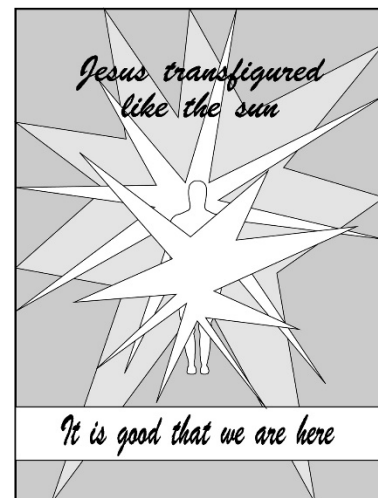
Tickets: \$40 per person

**You will receive a packet of everything you need to
participate in 12 games of bingo with 3 chances to win
at each game.**

**Bring your own food and beverages. Coffee and
cookies will be provided.**

**There will be door prizes, raffles, bingo mystery bags,
and a 50/50.**

**For tickets, contact Bernadette Marasco at 845- 238-
5630 Bernadette.marasco@sacredheartchurch.org**
**Reserve your table today! Checks made payable to
Sacred Heart Church. Please include your name,
phone number and a list of all guests at your table
with your payment. Mail registration to Sacred Heart
Church, 26 Still Rd., Monroe, NY 10950 or drop off at
parish office. Must be 18 years of age to attend.**



Parish Organizations

Catholic Daughters of America
 Alice 637-0435
 Christian Service Committee
 Aileen 781-0856
 Renie 783-2078
 Holy Name Society
 Tom 325-9425
 Junior Catholic Daughters of America
 Alice 637-0435
 Knights of Columbus
 Tom 325-9425
 Legion of Mary
 Linda 590-1355
 Mom's Group
 Cindy 662-6768
 Parish Outreach
 Betsy 783-7840
 Respect Life Society
 Rich 783-2964
 Sacred Heart School Alumni
 SHSalumni@sacredheartmonroe.net
 Sacred Heart Crusaders Youth Group
 Contact Ivy Marrero at 782-8510
 Sacred Heart Leisure Club (Seniors)
 Joan 781-7384
 Sacred Heart Men's Group
 Jeff 782-9445
 Sacred Heart Quilters and Crafters
 Tina 783-3252
 Sacred Heart Ushers Society
 Tom 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.



Annual Nursing Home Gift Giving March 14-15



Lent is a time when we especially think about the giving of alms to our needy brothers and sisters.

Once again, the Christian Service Committee will be hosting our annual gift giving to our area nursing homes on March 14-15. We will be collecting new unwrapped gift items. Below is a list of suggested items of what residents need.

Boxes will be provided in the vestibule of the church.

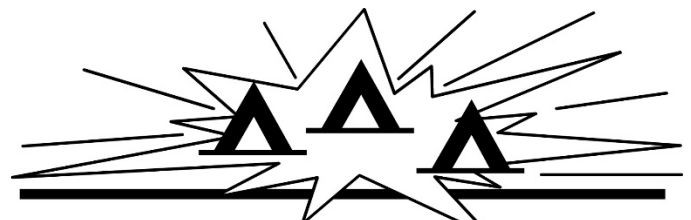
In lieu of gifts, monetary donations will be accepted after all Masses.

Thank you for all your generosity and thoughtfulness in helping to bring smiles to our dear brothers and sisters.

Questions? Please contact Johanna DeMaria at 783-3026 or Liz Leitner at 782-5841.

Suggestions

Books and Crossword Puzzles	Cookies, Candy, (Regular and Sugar-free)
Cards, Checkers, Chess, Uno	Bathrobes
Picture Frames (non-glass)	Music CDs
DVDs (Musicals, Westerns, Comedy)	Non-skid Slipper Socks
Socks	Sweat Pants (any size)
Sweat Shirts (any size)	Sleepwear
Lap Blankets	Shawls
Fancy Soaps	Hair Brushes and Combs
Costume Jewelry	Writing Paper
Lotions - Body & Hand Creams	Pens, Pencils
Men's Colognes and Women's Perfumes	Tote Bags
Unscented Liquid Hand Soap	Note Pads



Let us build three tents