

# SACRED HEART CHURCH

Bushwood, Maryland – Founded 1755

**Rev. Samuel Plummer, Pastor**  
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**Sacramental Emergency Line:** The Confession Line

**Masses:** Tues. & Fri. 7:00 a.m., Sunday 6:30 & 8:00 a.m.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** After the Tuesday 7 a.m. Mass

**Confessions:** Saturday 2:45 – 3:15 p.m.

**Baptisms:** By appointment

**Weddings:** Six months advance notice

**CCD Classes:** Sunday 9:05 a.m. at Holy Angels Sacred Heart School

**Rectory Office Hours:** Mon. – Fri. 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

## MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.	Oct.	14	7:30 a.m.	<i>Mass at Holy Angels</i>
Tues.	Oct.	15	7:00 a.m.	<b>Holy Souls</b>
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Wed.	Oct.	16	7:30 a.m.	<i>Mass at Holy Angels</i>
Thurs.	Oct.	17	NO MASS	
Fri.	Oct.	18	7:00 a.m.	<b>Jim Gibson</b>
Sat.	Oct.	19	4:30 p.m.	<i>Mass at Holy Angels</i>
Sun.	Oct.	20	6:30 a.m.	<b>Agnes Ridgell</b>
			8:00 a.m.	<b>Nina Simpson</b>
			10:30 a.m.	<i>Mass at Holy Angels</i>

**ANNUAL FALL DINNER:** Our Fall Dinner will be on Sunday, October 27<sup>th</sup>. Sarah Pingleton is our Dinner Chairman. Raffle books are being distributed by Tom & Shelly Bean. The Country Store is in need of homemade crafts, jams, jellies etc., Please plan to bake your favorite cakes, pies, breads, etc. for our Cake Table. Lots of help will be needed the week before and the day of the dinner.

**ALTAR FLOWERS:** The flowers on all of the altars were given in memory of Rose Guy & Allen Goode.

**SPECIAL MASS:** In celebration of the 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Fr. Early becoming pastor of Sacred Heart, Father Early will celebrate Mass on Saturday, October 26<sup>th</sup>, at 4:30 p.m. All are welcome!

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS:** The parish office will be closed on Monday, October 14<sup>th</sup>, in observance of Columbus Day.

**ALL SOULS ENVELOPES:** Registered parishioners received an All Souls envelope with their October envelope packet and there are All Souls envelopes located on the tables at the entrance of the church. Please list all those you wish to have remembered in the Masses during November and throughout the year on your envelope and drop it in the collection basket during the month of October. Please make sure that you put your name on the envelope to ensure that it will be listed on your contribution statement.

**ADVENT TREE:** A yearly tradition here at Sacred Heart is to put up an Advent Tree with the names of children in our community that are in need of clothes and toys for Christmas. If you know of a family who needs help in providing their children with presents for Christmas, please submit their names, clothing sizes, or toy information to Lou & Rose Marie Billard by October 31<sup>st</sup>. They can be reached at 301-769-2278.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA REQUEST:** In 1917 the Blessed Mother appeared in Fatima, Portugal to 3 children to request that they (and we) pray the rosary for peace in our families and in the world. To help heed her request, we will have a table at the entrance of the church with free Fatima booklets and rosaries. There will be also be a sign-up sheet if you wish to schedule taking home a Fatima statue for a week. During this time the rosary should be prayed in front of her statue.

**FESTIVAL OF PRAISE:** Please come and join us on Sunday, October 13<sup>th</sup>, from 7-8:30 p.m. for a Festival of Praise at St. Francis Xavier Parish Hall 21370 Newtowne Neck Rd, Leonardtown. The night includes adoration, lively praise and worship music, a talk and allowing the Holy Spirit to work in and among us. Prayer ministry and confessions are also part of the evening. All are welcome – especially youth and young adult groups! For more information, email Fr. Rob Maro: [sfxparishmd@gmail.com](mailto:sfxparishmd@gmail.com)

**UNBOUND PRAYER MINISTRY:** The Gospel promises us peace, but we so often find ourselves bound by feelings of anxiety, fear, guilt, hopelessness, and shame. Unbound Ministry is a safe, loving, and effective prayer ministry to help us to respond more fully to the Gospel using five simple keys. To learn more or to sign up for an appointment with a trained Unbound team on Saturday morning, October 26, visit [www.saintalloysiuschurch.org/unbound](http://www.saintalloysiuschurch.org/unbound).

**OYSTER FEST:** Join us for our Fall Oyster Fest at Saint Francis de Sales in bucolic Benedict, Maryland, on the banks of the Patuxent River. Parish hall, 7209 Benedict Avenue, on Saturday, November 2<sup>nd</sup> from 12-3 pm. Oysters fried, scalded and raw at our outdoor bar, steamed shrimp, ham. Homemade side dishes. Bake sale and raffle. All you can eat. \$25 per adult. Family rates. Reserve a table for six and one person eats free. SFDS Oyster Fest, PO Box 306, Benedict, MD 20612. 301-274-3416

**REQUEST FOR INTERCESSORY PRAYER: Sick:** Ken Cheseldine, Joe Nelson, Ella Pilkerton, Lily Williams, Montario Hill, Calestard Gravett, Joann Beavers, Matthew Quade, Larry Hill, David Hill, Mike Bailey, Virgie Banagan, Aloysius Butler, Ann Robrecht, Bert & Carol Dean, Melanie Gibson, Elaine Frederick, and Anna Marie Quade.

#### **OCTOBER VOTIVE INTENTIONS**

Blessed Mother Altar – In memory of Wendy Gibson & Diane Bailey given by Buddy & Connie Gibson.

Saint Joseph Altar – In memory of Jack & Mildred Gibson given by Buddy & Connie Gibson.

Sacred Heart Altar – In memory of Ernest & Dorothy Williams given by Buddy & Connie Gibson.