

23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners:

It is so good to see our School back in full swing with the return of our school children this past Thursday, and I look forward to seeing the children of our Religious Education Program back in action next week. What joy and vibrancy the children of our School and Religious Education Program bring to our Parish life, and what a great responsibility we have to them to bring them closer to Jesus and His Church.

We continue to pray for all those suffering so much from the devastation of Hurricane Harvey in Texas. It is truly overwhelming. You were so generous last weekend in giving almost \$7,000 in a special collection for the victims without any prior notice. There is still an opportunity to give this weekend if you haven't yet had the chance. Collections like this sponsored by the Archdiocese go directly to those in need. We are also in contact with a Parish and School in Texas also named Sacred Heart which was devastated by the Hurricane. We would like to adopt this Parish and School and send them help from Sacred Heart in Suffern as we celebrate our 150th Year. More details will follow. We also keep in our prayers those in the line of Hurricane Irma which, as I write this letter, has hit the Caribbean Islands and is heading toward Southern Florida. May God keep those people safe and give them the strength they need.

We also keep in our hearts and prayers this weekend the sad memory of September 11th, 2001, as we mark tomorrow the sixteenth anniversary of this tragic moment in the history of our Nation and our World. It is a day of prayer and remembrance. We pray in a special way for all those who died that day: the passengers on the planes that were flown into the World Trade Center and all those innocent people killed working in those buildings. And we pray for the heroic firefighters, police officers, and emergency workers who died trying to save others at the World Trade Center, and those who have died in the years after up to today from lung disease contracted by exposure to the toxic air at Ground Zero. We pray for the passengers on the plane that was flown into the Pentagon and for all those killed working there that day, and for the heroic passengers who rose up against the terrorists on the plane that crashed into a

field in Pennsylvania on its way to do more destruction in our Nation's Capital.

We pray, too, for our military men and women serving throughout the world who sacrifice so much for our safety and freedom, for those who have died far away in war in the aftermath of 9/11 up to today, and for all those who continue to mourn the death of their loved ones. And in a special way we pray for our Country, for our Leaders, and most especially for peace in our world, in our homes, and in our hearts. *"Jesus, I Trust in You."* May God bless us all.

Sincerely in Christ,
Rev. Matthew J. Furey

WE WILL ALWAYS REMEMBER

9/11

Here at Sacred Heart

*We will have Adoration of the Blessed
Sacrament Monday, Sept. 11 beginning at
9:30am and ending with the Chaplet of the
Divine Mercy, The Holy Rosary, and
Benediction at 3:00pm
Please join us!*

VILLAGE OF SUFFERN



The Village of Suffern 9/11 Remembrance Ceremony will be held on **Monday, September 11, 2017** at Donna Hallett Park. **The ceremony will begin at 7:00PM.**

**ROCKLAND 9/11 MEMORIAL MASS
ST. AEDAN'S CHURCH
SEPTEMBER 10 AT 7:00PM**

16th Anniversary Mass of Remembrance of 9/11 victims, will take place at St. Aedan's Church. The celebrant will be Msgr. Emmet Nevin, Pastor & Dean of Rockland County. Please come together to pray on this somber anniversary.

**SACRED HEART RELIGIOUS
EDUCATION PROGRAM**

Classes begin on September 16, 2017 for 1st and 2nd Grade. Grade 6 and 7 begin on Monday, September 18th and Grades 3-5 and Grade 8 on Tuesday, September 19. If you have not registered your child / children, please call the office at 357-6044.

**PRAYER GROUP DEDICATED TO THE
IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
AT
SACRED HEART OF JESUS
SEPTEMBER 12, 2017**

The first meeting of a New prayer group here at Sacred Heart will begin on September 12th at 7:30pm in the Rectory Chapel. Everyone is Welcome!

CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION

Boys and Girls: Clinic Kindergarten, 1st & 2nd Grades/
3rd thru 8th Grades

Tuesday, September 12th: 6-7:30pm

Wednesday, September 13th: 6-7:30pm
(In the school cafeteria)



PARISH MEMORIAL SOCIETY

Gino Terlizzi
Patricia Hunt
Michael A. Kisfalvi

Marlene Corn
Mariano Nicolosi

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

If you or someone you know have not been baptized or have not received the Sacraments of Holy Communion or Confirmation, and would like to, the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) is meant for you. The RCIA is the process by which the Church receives new members into our Catholic community through the Sacraments of Initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Eucharist). It consists of instruction sessions and liturgical celebrations meant to inform individuals of the teachings of the Catholic faith, to help them discern whether they wish to become Catholic and to prepare them to be received into the Church at Easter.

If you are interested in participating please call the Rectory (357-0035). The first session will start late in September. Sessions will be held once a week from 7:00 - 8:00pm in the Rectory. Those interested will be contacted with the exact starting date.

PARISH CALENDAR

Monday, September 11

Adoration – 9:30am till 3:00pm

Novena- 7:15

Tuesday, September 12

CYO- Registration -6:00pm school cafeteria

Prayer Group – 7:30pm in the Rectory Chapel

Wednesday, September 13

CYO- Registration -6:00pm school cafeteria

HSA – 7:00pm Meeting

Hispanic Prayer Group – 8pm in the cafeteria

Thursday, September 14

Friday, September 15

Saturday, September 16

St. Joseph Group – 7:30am in the Rectory

Religious Education – 1st and 2nd grade classes begin

Sunday, September 17

Catechetical Sunday – 10:00am Mass

SAVE THE DATE!!

**UPCOMING EVENT
HONORING THE
150TH ANNIVERSARY
YEAR OF CELEBRATION**

**FALL HARVEST WEEKEND
OCTOBER 20, 21, 22, 2017**

Pumpkin decorating, pie baking contest, games and a petting zoo will be featured. Stay tuned for more details. **Please be sure to visit our online store for memorabilia honoring our 150th Anniversary!** www.sacredheartparish.org and look for the online store link in the About Tab.

NEEDED!!

As you all are aware we are celebrating the 150th Year of our Parish. Many events have been planned in celebration and we need volunteers to assist us in bringing these events to life.

- 1st- We need man power to construct a large cross and outdoor stage.
- 2nd – Volunteers to be part of an re-enactment of the Passion and Live Stations of the Cross
- 3rd - We need help to decorate a flatbed truck for the Village Christmas Parade
- 4th-Volunteers to help at the Fall Harvest Weekend October 20-22.

ARCHDIOCESE OF NEW YORK

“The Archdiocese of New York takes the stewardship of your donations and its resources seriously. If you have knowledge of or reason to suspect misconduct please report your concerns via a toll free hotline, at 877-820-0541, or on the internet at <http://www.reportlineweb.com/ADNY>. Both are available 24 hours per day.

**OFFICE OF THE VICAR GENERAL
ARCHDIOCESE OF NEW YORK
CHILD PROTECTION**

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 x 2949 or Deacon George J. Coppola at 917-861-1762. Both may also be reached via e-mail at victimassistance@archny.org. Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, www.archny.org. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

**SHARING WHAT WE HAVE IN JESUS'
NAME**

22nd Sunday Collection – \$13,879.

Last Year's Collection - \$14,619.

Hurricane Harvey Relief Collection - \$6,930.

ANUNCIOS

El Grupo de Oración en Español tiene lugar habitualmente los miércoles, a las 8 de la noche en la cafetería.

Los próximos bautizos en español tendrán lugar el 28 de octubre 2017 a la 1pm. Contactar en el 357-0035.



We pray for all those serving in the **Armed Forces** and for those who are ill and have asked us to pray for them: **Merrie Alfieri, Frank Paul Allegretti, Luciano Antonucci, Jenna Applebaum, Helen Bauer, Michael Brady, Annette Burbridge, Dolores Cangelose, Frank Calfa, Comerford Family, Teresa & Tom Consolo, Lorraine Cortez, Robert Cosenza, Joe Davey, Lilla DiBerardino, Anthony DeFrancesco III, Matthew DeMayo, Cledha Desir, Mary Discini, Lucy Donlon, John Duffy, Nicholas Eckert, Peter Eckert, Jamie Erwin, Denise Ferrara, Gerrie Freeman, Stefanie Gaudelli, Tia Gardner, Arlene Gentile, Mark Goldman, Debra Gravina, Roy Harris, Carrin Holborn, Sarah Hyman, Domenic & Anthony Iannaccone, Susan Jarkiewicz, Adrienne Kelly, Mary Kiernan, Jon Kip, Anthony Kulik, Marion Lauterborn, Jay Leone, Fred Lemoine, Elizabeth Lempka, Vasily Lockhart, Laura Mack, Marie Marasuilo, Thomas Mathai, Barbara Mazza, Jeanne Matera, Richard McCarthy, Debra McGovern, Catherine McMenamin, John McLoughlin, Ken Meyer, Florence Mohan, Joe Mondello, Fr. Estella Morales, Thomas O'Connor, Jennifer O'Hara, Fr. Jack Oldfield, Deana Olsen, Tina Osika, Shace Paljusevic, Joseph Pasculli, Bill Peden, Patricia Plotkin, Adolf Radeljic, Etta Rooney, Mary Russo, Virginia Ryan, Daniel Sammarone, Nicholas Salzman, Eleanor Scelza, Erica Scully, Ruth Schwetz, William R. Sichel, Jr., Jean Simons, Aurelia Sargo, Claudia Spano, Claudia Spallanzani, Kate Stack, Maureen Starke, Barbara Veraldo Strano, Margaret Szaro, Marcus Theoc, Fr. Peter Tarantino, SA, Phyllis Varacalli, Carol Van Vandt, Millie Vazquez and Fr. Wing.**

ALTAR MEMORIALS

SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

**Altar Candles
In Memory of**

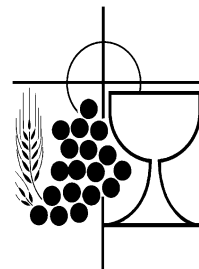
WILLIAM & ANNA MULLALLY

**Sanctuary Lamp
In Memory of**

MARIO VARANO

BOOSTER CLUB

WEEK 16- PATRICK O'BRIEN



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9

9:00am – Felicia Rourke Ausbury

SATURDAY, VIGIL MASS FOR SUNDAY

5:30pm – Frank, Anna & Robert O. Colbath

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 10

7:00am – Parish Memorial Society

8:30am – Caterina & Andrea Calabretta

10:00am – Special Intentions Matthew Huffine

11:30am – Pauly Joseph

1:00pm – All Parishioners

5:30pm – Eileen Nunes

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 11

7:00am – Bernard Peris

9:00am – Gina DiLonardo

9:30am – Adoration

3:00pm – Divine Mercy Chaplet and Rosary

7:15pm – **Novena**

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12

7:00am – Gratus Scerri

9:00am – Donald McCormick

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13

7:00am – Ann Fernandez

9:00am – Fred Nonnenmacher

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 14

7:00am – Andrew Yaroschak

9:00am – Special Intentions Kathie Iannaci & Children

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 15

7:00am – Karl Reiman

9:00am – Thomas B. Collins

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

9:00am – Mary C. & Thomas B. Collins

SATURDAY, VIGIL MASS FOR SUNDAY

5:30pm – Gene & Dom Badami

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18

7:00am – Parish Memorial Society

8:30am – Special Intention Kathie Iannaci & Children

10:00am – Rose & Joseph Episcopio

11:30am – Frank Moroney

1:00pm – All Parishioners

5:30pm – Michael Keegan



Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, family members and loved ones.

Especially: Donna Manthey, Florence Downey, Thomas Mahoney and Cecilia Dachille