



Sacred Heart Church

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30TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 28, 2018

"What do you want me to do for you?" The blind man replied to him, "Master, I want to see." Jesus told him, "Go your way; your faith has saved you." - Mk 10:51-52

SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST - MASS SCHEDULE

Sunday: 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:00pm, 1:30pm(Spanish)
Monday - Friday: 7:00am in St. Dominic Chapel(No Mass in Jul. & Aug.)
12:00pm in the church
Saturday: 9:00am in St. Dominic Chapel,
5:00pm in church (Anticipated Mass of Sunday)
Holy Days & Holidays: As announced in Bulletin

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 11:30am - 12:30pm and 4:00pm - 4:45pm
Daily: Upon request following the 12:00pm Mass

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents should contact the parish office to schedule an interview and register for the required baptismal preparation session.

Preparation: in the church at 7:00pm
Nov. 19, Dec. 17

Sacrament: in the church at 3:00pm
Nov. 25, Dec. 30

SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

The Common Policy for Marriage in all Catholic parishes of New Jersey requires couples to begin preparation at least one year prior to the planned wedding date. It is advisable to contact the parish office before any other arrangements are made.

SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

The Anointing of the Sick is available for all seriously ill members of our parish family. Please call the parish office.

R.C.I.A.

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is the Church's process to prepare to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist. If you or someone you know is interested in learning more, please call the parish office.

PARISH REGISTRATION / OFFICE HOURS

We invite all new members of our parish family to register at the Parish Office during regular office hours: 9:00am to 6:00pm Monday - Friday; Saturdays and Sundays Closed.



Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time

Dear Brothers and Sisters!

On November 1st we celebrate the solemnity of All Saints, which allows us to experience the joy of being part of the great family of God's friends, or as St. Paul writes, "to share in the inheritance of the saints in light" (Colossians 1:12). To be saints means to realize fully what we already are insofar as raised in Christ Jesus to the dignity of adopted sons of God.

The new life, received in baptism, is not subjected to corruption or to the power of death. For one who lives in Christ, death is the passage of the earthly pilgrimage to the heavenly homeland, where the Father welcomes all his children, "from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and tongues," as we read in the Book of Revelation (7:9). For this reason, it is very significant and appropriate that, after the feast of All Saints, the liturgy makes us celebrate the following day, the commemoration of all the deceased faithful.

Dear brothers and sisters, may the traditional visit of these days to the tombs of our dead be an opportunity to think without fear about the mystery of death and cultivate that incessant vigilance that prepares us to face it with serenity. May the example and prayers of the saints guide and sustain us at every stage of our pilgrimages towards the Kingdom of heaven.

God bless you,

Fr. Theemas

UPCOMING Events


OCTOBER 2018

- 28(Sun.) 30th Sunday In Ordinary Time
- 28(Sun.) 10:00AM Religious Ed.
School
- 29(Mon.) 8:00PM Adult Catechesis
Parish Center
- 30(Tue.) 6:00PM - Divine Mercy Chaplet
Parish Center Chapel
- 30(Tue.) 6:30PM - Holy Rosary
Parish Center Chapel
- 31(Wed.) No Religious Education Classes

NOVEMBER 2018

- 1(Thu.) All Saints Day - Holy Day of
Obligation
- 1(Thu.) 8:00PM Adult Catechesis
Parish Center
- 2(Fri.) 12:30PM - Eucharistic Adoration
Church
- 2(Fri.) 6:00PM - Spanish Rosary
Parish Center Chapel
- 3(Sat.) 9:30AM - Parish Food Pantry
Parish Center Kitchen

ALL SOULS DAY - NOVEMBER 2 REMEMBERING OUR LOVED ONES



All Souls Day is a holy day set aside for honoring the dead. The soul of a person who dies can go to one of three places. The first is heaven, where a person who dies in a state of perfect grace and communion with God goes. The second is hell, where those who die in a state of mortal sin are naturally condemned by their choice. The intermediate option is purgatory, which is thought to be where most people, free of mortal sin, but still in a state of lesser (venial) sin, must go. Purgatory is necessary so that souls can be cleansed and perfected before they enter into heaven. There is scriptural basis for this belief. The primary reference is in 2 Maccabees, 12:26 and 12:32. "Turning to supplication, they prayed that the sinful deed might be fully blotted out... Thus made atonement for the dead that they might be free from sin." The Prayer of St. Gertrude is one of the most famous of the prayers for souls in purgatory. St. Gertrude the Great was a Benedictine nun and mystic who lived in the 13th century. According to tradition, our Lord promised her that 1000 souls would be released from purgatory each time it is said devoutly. *"Eternal Father, I offer Thee the Most Precious Blood of Thy Divine Son, Jesus, in union with the Masses said throughout the world today, for all the holy souls in purgatory, for sinners everywhere, for sinners in the universal church, those in my own home and within my family. Amen."*

ST. JOHN SANDWICH UPDATE

Friday night, October 19th, was like winning the lottery. **We collected 422 sandwiches** plus \$20 in cash which were delivered to St. John's early Saturday morning. What a great way to kick off the holiday season. We are very grateful to our parish family members who dropped off donations on Friday night as well those who dropped off sandwiches at the parish office on Friday afternoon. As they say, it takes a village. We thank all of you who participated. The next St. John Sandwich evening will be in December. Be sure to watch the bulletin for details. God bless you!

ELVIS NIGHT

St. Philip the Apostle Church, 488 Saddle River Road, Saddle Brook, Sat. Nov. 10, 7:00 PM. Anthony Liguori as Elvis, Bill Turner Blue Smoke Band, Lazzaro Sisters. \$35 per person includes show and buffet provided by Piast. BYOB, Oktoberfest Beer Sharing. For tickets or more info call 201-843-1888.

*Eternal Rest Grant Unto Them O Lord
And Let Perpetual Light
Shine Upon Them*

REMEMBERING THE DECEASED IN NOVEMBER

Historically, November is the month when Catholics stop to remember their deceased loved ones and to pray for all the faithful departed.

A special Novena (9 days) of Masses for the deceased begins on November 2nd. The 7:00am Mass celebrated during the week and the 9:00am Mass on Saturday & Sunday will have the Faithful Departed as its intention for this novena. You can enroll the names of all you wish to be remembered at these Masses by using the special envelopes in your boxed set. Additional All Souls Mass envelopes are available at the doors of the Church.

The Book of Remembrance will be placed near the Statue of the Sacred Heart the weekend of October 28th & 29th. The names written in the book are included in our prayers and intercessions during the whole month of November. All are encouraged to write the names of your deceased relatives and friends in the Book of Remembrance.

A special Mass of remembrance will be celebrated for all those who entered into eternal rest October 1, 2017 to September 30, 2018 and had a funeral liturgy celebrated at Sacred Heart. This Mass will be celebrated on Saturday, November 3, at 12:00 PM.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND

Your generosity in the second collection next weekend will help to defray our monthly assessment expense.

CLOTHING COLLECTION FUNDRAISER

The Sacred Heart Home-School Association is once again holding a clothing collection. It will take place on **Thu., Nov. 1st, from 7:00 am to 10:00 am only** in the church Parking Lot. Simply put your donation in a black garbage bag and **drop it off ONLY ON NOV. 1st**. Clothing, linens, purses, shoes and are accepted. Please **DO NOT LEAVE bags at the CHURCH or RECTORY**, they will be discarded. If you have any questions, please call Rick at 201-428-4918.

CHRISTMAS CRAFT SPECTACULAR

On Sun., Nov. 4th, St. Joseph Regional High School, 40 Chestnut Ridge Road in Montvale will be hosting its Christmas Craft Spectacular from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., showcasing the talents of 100 crafts people and fine artists. The whole first floor will be used. Admission is \$3.00. Children and senior citizens (65+) are free. **NO STROLLERS PERMITTED.** www.saintjosephregional.org

FOOD PANTRY UPDATE

Items "most needed items" at this time are: Cereal, Fruit, Vegetables, Potatoes (canned or packaged), Spaghetti, Pasta, Pasta Sauce, and Jelly.

Items which are always in need include: Tuna, Soup, Beans, Prepared Meals (boxed, canned, or bag 'sides'), and Peanut Butter.



FEED THE HUNGRY

Thank you for all of the generous donations which help keep our food pantry stocked. **As a reminder, we are unable to package out-of-date food products for distribution to our families.**

FUNDRAISING HELP NEEDED!

Over the last several years our parish has enjoyed some successful fundraising events including raffles, "Dining For Donations" events, "Faith On Film" movie screenings, sales of religious goods, sales of the products made by the nuns of Our Lady of the Rosary Dominican Monastery in Summit NJ. **We need YOUR HELP and YOUR IDEAS for future fundraising events for our parish family.** Giving some of your time and talent to help with a fundraising activity is a great way to assist our parish to get some much needed funds. If you would like to give some of your time and talent or have a some fundraising ideas you would like to share, please contact Sabina Prendergast, of our Finance Committee, at 862-249-1186. Thank you!!

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS ENDS

The days are getting are shorter and the nights are getting cooler. It's time to turn clocks back again. **Daylight Savings Time will end on 2:00 AM next Sunday, Nov. 4th. Be sure to remember to set your clocks back one hour next Saturday before going to be bed.** It is also a good time to change batteries in smoke detectors.

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR PARISH FAMILY

SICK: Eleanor Descalzi, Frank Lipinski, Louis Guida, Betty Tynan, Baby Ryan Joseph Lomuscio, Dolores Manno, Sal Russo, Charles Klimkowsky, Nancy Namoviez, Margaret & Robert Sealer, Giovanna Muscara, Al & Joan Viscuso, Lea Pappas, Anita Barcia, Denise Swanteck, Ken Remo, Maureen F. Coughlin, John Smith, Melanie Paige Didomizio, Yvonne Hoefsloot, Julius Single, Melina Sylvestro, Dave Tzrepla, Frank Bucu, Sr., John Stemkowski, Francis (Buddy) McSweeney, Dominick Palmieri, Christopher N. Coughlin, Vladimir Pudoff, Isabella Lugo, Fran Dell, Tess, Alisson Russell

DECEASED: Luz Maria Arevalo, Marion T. Laterza

CHURCH BELLS CELEBRATE & COMMEMORATE

The Sacred Heart Church bell rings:

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 28TH

In Honor of: The Intentions of the Cavalcante Family

Donated by: Isabel & Jim Cavalcante

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 31ST

In Honor of: Natalia Barone

Donated by: Spanish Rosary Society

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3RD

In Honor of: John & Theresa Simonak

Donated by: Don & Barbara Wynne & Simonak Family

MEMORIAL DONATIONS

During the week of October 28, the following items used for worship in our sanctuary were donated in the memory of a relative or friend or a special intention.

SANCTUARY LAMP:



In Honor of: Paulo Morales

Donated by: Patricia Morales

OUR LADY OF FATIMA FIRST SATURDAYS DEVOTION

The elements of this devotion consist of four points, all of which must be offered in reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary. One should make this intention before carrying out Our Lady's request, *on the First Saturday of five successive months*,

1. go to confession, 2. receive Holy Communion, 3. say five decades of the Rosary, and 4. keep Our Lady company for a quarter of an hour, meditating on the twenty mysteries of the Rosary.

Here at Sacred Heart, the devotion continues next Sat., Nov. 3rd. You are invited to *attend the 9:00 AM Mass in the convent chapel and receive Holy Communion. After the Mass the Most Holy Rosary will be recited with Fatima Prayers. After, you are invited to spend 15 minutes in silent meditation on the mysteries of the rosary. The sacrament of Reconciliation will also be available in the church on Saturday, 11:30AM - 12:30 PM and 4:00 - 4:45PM*

ALL SAINTS DAY

HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION

This Thu., Nov. 1st is the solemnity of All Saints and a holy day of obligation. Masses for the holy day **begin on Wed., Oct. 31 at 5:00 PM and continue on Thu. at 7:00 AM, 9:00 AM, 12:00 PM and 7:30 PM.** All Masses will be celebrated in the church.

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MASS INTENTIONS

MASSES FOR THE WEEK

Anticipated Sunday Mass

5:00 pm Salvatore & Josephine DiPietro

SUNDAY - Thirtieth Sunday In Ordinary Time

7:30am People Of Sacred Heart

9:00am James Scarpelli

10:30 am Stanley Sibiga

12:00pm Brian & Giovanni Antico

1:30 pm Francisco Lino

MONDAY - Weekday

7:00am Michael Carlucci

12:00pm Joseph Orlando

TUESDAY - Weekday

7:00am Nora Gillen

12:00pm Gianni Sidonio

WEDNESDAY - Weekday

7:00am Alfonso Lino

12:00pm Alfonso Lino

Anticipated Holy Day Mass

5:00 pm Felicia & Basso Ronzitti

THURSDAY - All Saints

7:00am Jonathan Monaco

9:00am Rose Lynch

12:00pm Maria Pecora

7:00pm Geraldine V. Carbone

FIRST FRIDAY - All Soul Days

7:00am Faithful Departed

12:00pm Lucy Palmieri & Michele Pina

FIRST SATURDAY - Weekday/St. Martin de Porres, Religious/Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00am Faithful Departed

Anticipated Sunday Mass

5:00 pm Louis Coviello

SUNDAY - Thirty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

7:30am People Of Sacred Heart

9:00am Faithful Departed

10:30 am Joseph Orlando

12:00pm De Serio Family

1:30 pm George Fonseca

STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Collection - \$5,422.00

World Mission - \$1,683.00





**ATTENTION ALL
GRAMMAR SCHOOL
STUDENTS
HERE'S YOUR CHANCE TO BE
AN ANGEL THIS CHRISTMAS**

The Family Mass for Christmas is celebrated at 5:00 PM on Christmas Eve here at Sacred Heart. All grammar school students are invited to dress like angels for this special Mass. We are letting you know a little early so you can take advantage of the costume sales that happen around Halloween. Those students dressed as angels will process with Fr. Theemas at the Mass. Be sure to grab those angel wings and halos now so you will be ready for the big day when we celebrate the birthday of Jesus!



COME AND LISTEN

“FOR MY YOLK IS EASY,
AND MY BURDEN LIGHT”

Matthew 11:30

**ARE
CARES & WORRIES
WEIGHING YOU DOWN?**

**COME & LISTEN
ONE WORD COULD CHANGE
YOUR LIFE.**

**Mondays & Thursdays
8:00pm in Parish Center
(former Convent)**

**Enter through the
parking lot entrance**

**CATECHESIS FOR ADULTS
AND YOUTH (ages 13 & older)
Free babysitting will be available**