

Sacred Heart Church

May 10, 2009

Week of May 10th – May 17th

Saturday, May 9th

Acts 9:31-42/Ps 116:12-17/Jn 6:60-69

8:30 Decd Elisa Vida
4:00 Decd Rev. Rufin Kuveikas OFM Cap
5:00 Decd Josephine Mulcahey

Sunday, May 10th – Fifth Sunday of Easter

Acts 4:8-12/Ps 118:1,8-9,21-23,26,28,29/1Jn 3:1-2/ Jn 10:11-18

7:00 am Sp Int For Our Parish Family
Mother's Day Novena

8:30 Decd George & Minna Miehle
10:00 Decd Phyllis Sweeney (9th Anni)
11:30 Decd Terrance J. Sullivan

Monday, May 11th

Acts 14:5-18/Ps 115:1-5,15-16/Jn 14:21-26

6:45 Decd Irene McKinnon
8:30 Decd Robert Fernandes

Tuesday, May 12th

Acts 14:19-28/Ps 145:10-13ab,21/Jn 14:27-31a

6:45 Decd Frank Dellacamera
8:30 Decd John Roche & Eileen Roche Clarks &
Decd Mbrs of Family

Wednesday, May 13th

Acts 15:1-6/Ps 122:1-5/Jn 15:1-8

6:45 Decd All Souls in Purgatory
8:30 Decd Jean Picani
7:30 pm Decd Theresa & Antonio Carreira &
Manuel Rodrigues

Thursday, May 14th – St. Matthias

Acts 1:15-17,20-26/Ps 113:1-8/Jn 15:9-17

6:45 Decd Maria Ardovino
8:30 Decd Frank A. Panessa

Friday, May 15th

Acts 15:22-31/Ps 57:8-12/Jn 15:12-17

6:45 Sp Int Fr. Charles Szivos
8:30 Decd Agnes Gaughan

Saturday, May 16th

Acts 16:1-10/Ps 100:2,3,5/Jn 15:18-21

8:30 Decd Maria DiCola
4:00 Decd Renee Huron
5:00 Decd Arlene McDonald

Sunday, May 17th – Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 10:25-26,34-35,44-48/Ps 98:1-4/1 Jn 4:7-10/Jn 15:9-17

7:00 am Sp Int For Our Parish Family
Mother's Day Novena

8:30 Decd George & Minna Miehle
10:00 Decd Phyllis Sweeney (9th Anni)
11:30 Decd Terrance J. Sullivan

MEMORIALS: Week of May 10th

SANCTUARY LAMP:

Decd Marian Haynes

BREAD & WINE:

Decd Marian Haynes



STEWARDSHIP OF GOD'S BLESSINGS - TITHING

May 3, 2009.....\$7,731.45
Last year.....\$8,994.70

Grade School\$1,781.00

*Thank you for your continued support of our parish and its many needs.
May God bless your generosity to Sacred Heart!*

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK....

This Sunday we honor our mothers, both living and deceased, as we celebrate the tradition of Mother's Day. This day calls us to reflect on the valued role of motherhood. Certainly this role has changed through the years. A mother is no longer confined to the home, but often carries the heavy burden of caring for the children and the home while also maintaining a job. While the role has evolved through the years, the underlying value is the love that is demonstrated by the willingness to take on the responsibilities of such a role. The small tokens and expressions of gratitude that we will undertake this weekend do not compare to the love and nurturing we have received through the years from our mothers. May God, in his justice, reward them with many blessings for their service to us, their children.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr. Moe

WEDDING BANNES

I David Patrick Coppola & Mary-Ann Marranzino

FUNERALS

May 6 Joseph McEniry Sr.



Edward Jones, Susse Carroll, Dominic Villara, Ellen Boyle, Al Femia, Sr. Gloria Sullivan OSU, Mary Leavey, Dorothy Aurisy, Marion Travers, Rose Panessa, Louis Mehrtens, Irene Bybel, Mary Galle, Ada Russak, Margaret Castle, Winifred Persise, Judy Persise, Kathleen Liberati, Constantine Castiglione, Ronald Milne, Faye Siami, Marietta Rasulo, Mary Hanczor

CARDINAL'S APPEAL

We have entered the last phase of the Cardinal's Appeal. We thank all who have returned pledges and payments to the Cardinal's Annual Appeal. To date, we have received **\$38,832 (57%) from 193 families towards our parish goal of \$68,250.** God bless you!



For those who have not made a pledge to the Appeal, letters will be mailed from the Archdiocese. In order to reach our goal, we need everyone to help. We have had donations from \$5 to \$500 to \$1,000 and more. Every pledge counts. We ask that you prayerfully consider making a gift to the Cardinal's Appeal this year. You are in our daily prayer and remembrance.

Coming Events

Saturday, May 9th

Scripture Study 9:15 am
Respect Life 9:15 am

Sunday, May 10th

Holy Name Mother's Day Breakfast
Religious Education 11:00 am

Monday, May 11th

Holy Name 7:30 pm

Wednesday, May 13th

Pastoral Council 7:30pm
O. L.P.H. Novena 7:00 pm; Mass - 7:30 pm

Saturday, May 16th

Scripture Study 9:15 am
Grade School Tag Sale

Sunday, May 17th

Religious Education 11:00 am
Sacred Heart Fraternity Luncheon 12:30 pm

MONTH OF MAY

During the month of May, we will pray the Rosary Monday through Friday at 7:00pm (**Please note change of time**). On Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday it will be in Portuguese. On Wednesday evening it will be in English. All are invited. Any group that would like to pray the Rosary in Church during May is asked to contact the parish office.

PROCESSION AND ROSARY

In honor of Our Lady of Fatima, Procession with Rosary will be held on **Saturday, May 23rd** after the 5:00 Mass. The procession will go from the front of Church to Voss, Lake, Park, then Shonnard back to Church. The rosary will be recited in several languages. All are invited!

PARISH GIFT SHOP

The Parish Gift Shop has ordered a wide assortment of rosary beads in preparation for the many celebrations this month in honor of the Blessed Mother. Rosary beads for men, women and children are available during regular office hours.

MOTHER'S DAY NOVENA

The Mother's Day Novena will be offered in the St. Clare's Friars' Chapel during the week. The Novena will remember all living or deceased mothers during these liturgies.

MOTHER'S DAY PLANT SALE

".....from the Heart", will be sponsoring its annual Mother's Day Plant after all the Masses on the weekend of May 9th and 10th. A wide assortment of plants will be available. Please stop by and support their efforts to help the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life.

FATHER'S DAY LUNCHEON

Our annual Father's Day Luncheon will be held on Sunday, June 20th at 1:00pm. Flyers with full menu and additional information are available in the vestibule. For reservations, please call the parish Office at 963-4205.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

Join the Rosary Altar Society on June 3rd at 5:00 pm at the Half Moon Restaurant in Dobbs Ferry for a "Stimulus Dinner" for \$20.00 plus cash bar. Any ladies of the parish interested in joining the Rosarians, please call Sue Ball at 325-1847 by May 27th.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE

There has been such a tremendous response to the Defensive Driving Course sponsored by the Holy Name that they will be offering the course again on **Saturday, May 23rd** at 8:30 am (ending at 2:45 pm) in the Church Hall. Attendance at this 6 hour program will allow the individuals to receive a 10% discount on their liability insurance and up to 4 points off your driver's license. Cost is \$40.00. Please call the Parish Office or Bill Troy (423-3919) to reserve a seat in the program.

PASTORAL ADVISORY BOARD REPRESENTATIVES

We are still accepting names for the Pastoral Advisory Board. The board's purpose is to assist the pastor and the parochial staff. The board should be a representative body of the parish as a whole, made up of the men and woman of various ages and cultures that are part of the community at large. An advisory board member is *your* voice, speaking *your* concerns to the parochial staff. They are also a volunteer extension of the parochial staff, working to organize events sponsored by the parish. Part of their duty is to increase the parishioner involvement by extending personal invitations to participate in community activities. It is necessary that members be **registered, participating parishioners** of Sacred Heart who have an **eagerness for and interest in** helping the parish. It is necessary to have available time and committed, focused energy. Parish council elections will be taking place in early June. Please be sure to fill out the forms that are available on the tables in the vestibule no later than May 24, 2009 and return them to the parish office. Your participation in this activity is important.



NORTH YONKERS PRESERVATION & DEVELOPMENT CORP.

DIAL-A-RIDE SERVICE

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| Tuesday | May 12 | Groceries South |
| Thursday | May 14 | Groceries North |
| Monday | May 18 | Stew Leonard's |

MEMORIAL DAY PARADE

On Thursday, May 21, the NYPDG will hold its annual Memorial Day Parade and Services. The parade will commence at 6:30 pm from the Community Center and end in Lennon Park. Any group or individual interested in participating is asked to call the office for information. For information or reservations, please call 423-9754.

MEMORIAL DAY SERVICE

A Memorial Service will be held at Mount Hope Cemetery, Hastings-on-Hudson on Saturday, May 16th at 12:30 pm for the deceased buried in Mount Hope. Mass will be celebrated by Fr. John Baptist Riordan OFM Cap.

CITY OF YONKERS GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY SALUTE

The Mayor's Community Relations Committee is planning a **Golden Anniversary Salute** for Yonkers couples who have been married for **Fifty Years or more**. This event will be held at 1:00 pm on Saturday, June 13, 2009 at the Riverfront Library. The Mayor's Committee asks that you pre-register with names, address, phone and wedding date. Please call the Parish Office with this information if you wish to be included in this city-wide celebration. You may call the Lucia Trovato in the Mayor's Office at 377-6054.

CATHOLIC WIDOWS & WIDOWERS

The Catholic Widows and Widowers of Yonkers will hold their monthly meeting at 7:15 pm on Monday, May 11th, in the auditorium of Christ the King School, 740 North Broadway. New members are welcome. Coffee and cake will follow the meeting. For further information, please call 914-476-4436.

CANCER SUPPORT GROUP

The Cancer Support Group at St John's will be holding its monthly meeting on Wednesday, May 20th at 7:00 pm in the 7 West Solarium. Guest Speakers include Janet Rokay and Maureen Ribeiro on "Renew and Soothe Your Spirit Through Music." For additional information, please call the Hospital at 964-4441.



SACRED HEART GRADE SCHOOL

TAG SALE

The Grade School will be hosting a Tag Sale on Saturday, May 16th from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Bric-a-brac, gently used uniforms, brand new children's designer clothing in sizes newborn to 12 years and much more! Stop by and see what treasures they have!

SCIENCE FAIR

The Grade School Science Fair was held on Tuesday, April 26th and we are proud of all participants. We are pleased to announce the awards for first, second and third place:

Grade 8: Natalie Larino, Kristan Maskara, Amanda Pereira
Grade 7: Darelis Garcia, Chris Cunha, Chris McKinney
Grade 6: Catriona Rafferty, Nicole Hold, Virginia Hoblock
Grade 5: Jason DeMartino, John Pezzulo, Samantha Salvatore Malone
Grade 4: Rachel Asante, Reme Uduebo, Sydney Sheppard
Grade 3: Celine Lindain, Cody Giannantonio, Kevin Diaz & Lance Faltinsky
Grade 2: Thomas Ereifej, Sean Talton, Nicole Zambrano
Grade 1: Ryder Faltinsky, Jose Sierra, William Angeles

Congratulations to all on their hard work!

REGISTRATION

Registration is now open for our parish grade school. Registration is open to current students and parishioners only until June 11th. It will then be open to the general public. The grade school offers classes for Pre-K3 to Grade 8 with a "Link" program to the High School. Please call 965-3114 now for an appointment to tour the school and to register for the coming Fall 2009 term.

\$10,000 RAFFLE

The date for the \$10,000 Raffle drawing has been rescheduled to Sunday, May 31st. The drawing will be held in conjunction with the Grade School presentation, *Godspell*. There are still a few tickets left at \$100 each. Please stop by the Parish of Grade School Offices to pick yours up today! Get together with friends and neighbors and buy a ticket. Proceeds will support the Grade School Programs.

Sacred Heart High School

GOLF OUTING

The Football Team's Annual Golf Outing will be held on Friday, June 5th, at the Split Rock Golf Club in the Bronx. Cost for the day includes greens fees and Barbecue Dinner for \$125. For more info: Mike Bub 914-965-4507.



Our Men and Women in the Service

OPERATION SUPPORT OUR TROOPS

Please remember to drop off at the friary or place in the box in the vestibule any goodies you would like to donate to the troops. Toiletries, NO BAR SOAPS, chap stick, hand sanitizers, baby wipes. Food and snacks: powdered drink mixes, Pringles, peanuts, dried fruits, fruit in pop top cans or plastic containers, nuts, beef jerky, power bars, breakfast bars, M&Ms, chocolate bars. To help keep them 'busy': DVDs, CDs, AT&T telephone cards – international use, magazines, word puzzle books, Sudoku puzzles, current magazines. Things to keep them more comfortable: socks, towels, flashlights/with batteries, fly paper, insect repellent, deodorant, jockey shorts underwear (all sizes), more socks!! Checks made out to OSOT (tax deductible) are most welcome to help with the cost of the mailings.

Thanks to all for helping the morale raising of our troops.

OUR MILITARY PRAYER LIST

Please pray for peace and the safe return of our men and women serving in the armed forces everywhere,

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| Matt Stough – Marines | Brendan Mayer-Army |
| Joseph Uzzi – Marines | Michael Jones – Navy |
| Walter Urtz III – Navy | Thomas Sabol - Marines |
| James Allen – Navy | Robert M. Wilson – Air Force |
| Louis Valentin, Marines | Joseph Smiarowski- Marines |
| Daniel Bronner – Navy A | |
| Adrienne Serbaroli-Bronner – Marines | |