

Sacred Heart Church

June 28, 2009

Week of June 28th – July 5th

Saturday, June 27th

Gn 18:1-15/Lk 1:46-50,53-55/Mt 8:5-17
8:30 Decd Diamantino Valente
4:00 Decd Mary Flath (Anni)
5:00 Decd Wayne Hetcher

Sunday, June 28th – Thirteenth Sunday on Ordinary Time

Wis 1:13-15;2:23-24/Ps 30:2,4-6,11-13/2 Cor 8:7,9,13-15/Mk 5:21-43
7:00 am Sp Int For Our Parish Family &
Father's Day Novena
8:30 Decd Gary Kressman
10:00 Decd John A. Anderson (20th Anni)
11:30 Decd Mary Avezzano

Monday, June 29th Sts. Peter and Paul

Acts 12:1-11/Ps 34:2-9/2 Tm 4:6-8,17-18/Mt 16:13-19
6:45 Decd Joseph Fitzpatrick
8:30 Decd Lucia Persichilli Tejani

Tuesday, June 30th

Gn 19:15-29/Ps 26:2-3,9-12/Mt 8:23-27
6:45 Decd Charles
8:30 Decd Agrippina, Andrew & Amore DiGiannantonio

Wednesday, July 1st

Gn 21:5,8-20a/Ps 34:7-8,10-13/Mt 8:28-34
6:45 Decd Domenic & Emilia DiCarlo
8:30 Decd Mbrs Brennan & McCoy Families
7:30 pm Decd Ann McMahan

Thursday, July 2nd

Gn 22:1b-19/Ps 115:1-6,8-9/Mt 9:1-8
6:45 Decd John J. Fitzpatrick
8:30 Decd Florence O'Lear

Friday, July 3rd – St. Thomas

Eph 2:19-22/Ps 117:1-2/Jn 20:24-29
6:45 Decd Concetta
8:30 Decd Felice Musci

Saturday, July 4th

Gn 27:1-5,15-29/Ps 135:1-6/Mt 9:14-17
8:30 Decd Mary F. & James G. Ryan &
Decd Mbrs Family
4:00 Decd Angela Mallegol
5:00 Decd Fr. Damian Pickel OFM Cap

Sunday, July 5th – Fourteenth Sunday on Ordinary Time

Ez 2:2-5/Ps 123:1-4/2 Cor 12:7-10/Mk 6:1-6a
7:00 am Decd Kenneth Howe Sr.
8:30 Sp Int For Our Parish Family
10:00 Decd Anthony Pedro
11:30 Decd Antonio Cunha & Family

MEMORIALS: Week of June 28th

SANCTUARY LAMP:

Decd George Horrigan Jr.

BREAD & WINE:

Decd Loughran Family



STEWARDSHIP OF GOD'S BLESSINGS - TITHING

June 21, 2009.....\$7,607.90
Last year.....\$7,062.57

Mission Collection..... \$2,222.22

*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....

From time to time questions about the music selections for Sunday Mass arise. I thought that it might be beneficial to use the Pastor's Desk for the next several weeks to speak about the importance and place of music in Sunday Mass.

Overview:

Overall, the musical selections should encourage the participation of the congregation. Music Ministers are leaders of song. The word 'leader' implies that the faithful join in and follow the ministers and their instructions. The song numbers (not the eucharistic acclamations) are announced for the purpose of encouraging the congregation to join in the singing.

Musical selections for each Sunday should be guided by the readings of the day, the season, and the liturgical actions. The songs should speak of the liturgical season. Lent, Advent and Ordinary Time should have their own unique sound.

Next week's topic: preludes.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr. Moe

WEDDING BANNES

- III Daniel Louis DeCecco & Karen Kim Valenti
- III Preeter Abraham & Bincy Mathai
- II Rui DosSantos & Celia Nogueira
- I Adrian Rosario & Meghan Acosta
- I Jose-Jesus Velez & Taina M. Ortiz

Pauline Buttacavoli, 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



Sunday, June 28th

Secular Franciscans 12:30 Instruction
1:45 Meeting
Year of St. Paul: Vespers 3:00 pm

Wednesday, July 1st

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

**THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED ON
SATURDAY, JULY 4TH
IN OBSERVANCE OF THE
INDEPENDENCE DAY HOLIDAY.**

SANCTUARY LAMP AND BREAD & WINE

There are a few dates available for the remainder of the year for the Sanctuary Lamp or Bread & Wine. The offering for these Intentions is \$10.00. Please stop in to the parish office during regular office hours.

CARDINAL'S APPEAL

The Cardinal's Appeal held their Parish Reporting Night this past Tuesday at St. Joseph's Seminary. We are pleased to announce that we are at **\$46,757** which is **85%** of goal. As reported earlier, our goal has been reduced to **\$55,000**. We thank everyone who sent a gift or a pledge. If you have not done so yet, we ask that you make any gift to the Cardinal's Appeal that you can. We are truly within reach of meeting the new goal if everyone helps "even just a bit."



FATHER SOLANUS GUILD

You are invited to celebrate the 105th Anniversary of the Ordination of Venerable Fr. Solanus OFM Cap. beginning with a Mass of Thanksgiving Saturday, July 11, 2009 at 12:15 pm. Join Fr. Michael Banks OFM Cap. and the Guild at St. John the Baptist Church, 210 West 31st St, New York. Dinner will follow with Guest Speaker, Fr. Barnabas Keck OFM Cap. and a Fr. Solanus Cause Update presented by Br. Leo Wollenweber OFM Cap. and Br. Richard Merling OFM Cap. Reservations are \$40.00 per person for Dinner. Please make checks payable to "Father Solanus Guild" and forward to Fr. Michael at St. John's or drop at the Parish Office for Br. Roger.

SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

Each Saturday, a group of parishioners meets to study and reflect on the Sunday Mass readings and how they affect our lives. We will not be meeting during the months of July & August, but will resume on Saturday, September 12. Please consider joining us on this journey of faith. No materials are required, and we usually have coffee, tea and something to eat. We will remind everyone again in September!

CHILD PROTECTION

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by a priest, deacon, religious, or lay person serving the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford at 212-371-1000 x2949 or Deacon Lawrence O'Toole at 914-594-4646. Both may also be reached via e-mail at victimassistance@archny.org. Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, <http://ny-archdiocese.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.

CONCLUDING THE YEAR OF ST. PAUL

On **Sunday, June 28** the Spiritual Life Committee and the Secular Franciscan Fraternities invite all to Vespers and Benediction for the Feast of Saints Peter and Paul. There will be **fellowship and refreshments** in the Church Hall starting at **3:00pm**, followed by adoration, **Evening Prayer and Benediction at 4:00 pm** in the Church.

SACRED HEART FOOD PANTRY

We have been very fortunate at Sacred Heart to have a food pantry to help others facing financial difficulties. We are finding as we get to month's end that more people are in need of our help. Our parishioners have always been very generous in supporting us with any needs of the community. We are finding that we are running low of certain items more frequently. We are asking that on your next shopping trip, perhaps you would pick up one or two items to contribute to the pantry. Items we are running low on are: canned fruits and vegetables, rice (plain or mix), potatoes (box), canned meats (chicken, ham, corned beef), beef stew, cookies, crackers, pancake mix (complete), pancake syrup, jell-o (sugar-free), Kool-aid powdered mix. Items can be dropped off in the vestibule of the church, marked food pantry or to the Parish Office. As always, we thank you for your help.



NORTH YONKERS PRESERVATION & DEVELOPMENT CORP.

DIAL-A-RIDE SERVICE

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| Tuesday | June 30 | Groceries South |
| Wednesday | July 1 | Cross County/Central Ave |
| Thursday | July 2 | Groceries North |

IRISH CATSKILLS TRIP: DON'T MISS THIS TRIP!

Irish Catskills Trip to Gavins Irish Country Inn is scheduled for September 2nd-3rd. Tour package includes 2 days, 1 night, 3 meals, afternoon house party and a tour of East Durham Village. Music and dancing in the Pub in the evening. \$139 per person includes transportation, tax and gratuities.

YONKERS EMPIRE CITY

The NYPDG is sponsoring a trip to Empire City on Monday, July 6 at 10:30 am. Cost \$6.00 per person – receive \$10.00 food voucher.

For reservations: call 423-9754 between 9:30 and 4:00

DOWNEY SIDE FAMILIES FOR YOUTH

Downey Side Families for Youth, a non-profit adoption agency for American children ages 7 through 17, with offices in 6 states and now in the Northeast Bronx, is seeking single and married adults to become adoptive parents. Low application fees cover training, home study, support and searching for your child. Monthly subsidies and income tax incentives are available for adoptive parents, as well as support and resources. It only takes room in your home and your heart to become an adoptive parent. For more information, please call Anne McNamara at 718-822-2343 or email bronxny@downside.org.

NORTH YONKERS SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

The North Yonkers Scholarship Foundation announces the 2009 Walter "Goose" Ineson College Scholarship. The \$1,500 a year, 4 year award is available to an incoming college freshman in the 2009-2010 school year. To receive an application, please call Tony Gianelli (914-610-9385). Deadline for application is July 31, 2009.

GRACE INSTITUTE

Grace Institute is currently accepting applications for its Tuition-Free Business Skills Program. This 4 ½ month and 9 month training program teaches women the skills needed to succeed in the workplace. The program includes an in-depth study of computers, business writing & communications, business math, keyboarding, and office procedures. All graduates receive job placement assistance. Day and evening classes are available. Grace Institute is located at 1233 Second Avenue, New York. For more information call 212-832-7605 or visit www.graceinstitute.org.

FARMERS' MARKET

 **Market Day** The Farmers' Market and Flea Market returns to St John's Church in Getty Square on Thursdays July 9th to November 19th, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Fresh fruits and vegetables, Country Store, Refreshments and Flea Market in the Courtyard all offer a wide array of merchandise.

IRISH HERITAGE DAY

July 12, 12:00 Noon to Dusk at the Ridge Road Park, Hartsdale. Please join us for a wonderful day, beginning at 12:00 Noon with a Gaelic Mass. Followed by an afternoon of festivities including Irish entertainment featuring Cray 7 Dempsey Band, Martin Melody, Guss Hayes Band, O'Rourke Irish Dancers, The Pipes & Drums of the Westchester County Police Emerald Society. There will be Face Painting by Noelle Clancy, Games for Kids and BeFit Mobile. Many vendors will be there with an array of Irish products, together with an abundance of good food and refreshments. Bring your chairs and blankets and join us for a relaxing Sunday afternoon. Admission: \$5.00 per adult, 13 and under free. For information call 914-424-3515.



SUMMER DAY CAMP

The Schools of the Sacred Heart will be holding a Summer Day Camp from June 29th to July 31st for boys and girls, ages 4-12. There are Full Day and Half Day Sessions available. The campers will enjoy sports: basketball, volleyball, soccer, and softball. Our facilities allow for Arts and Crafts, Computers, Rainy Day Movies and much, much more. Registration forms are available in the Parish Office. For more info, please call 965-3114.

SUMMER BASKETBALL CAMP

Sacred Heart will be hosting the Summer Basketball Camp, "Fun with Fundamentals" from August 17th thru August 21st for Boys and Girls ages 9-15. Call 914-374-9304 for details!

SACRED HEART GRADE SCHOOL

REGISTRATION

Registration is now open for our parish grade school. 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.

BOXTOPS AND LABELS

Sacred Heart Grade School is a drop off site for both Box Tops for Education and Campbell's Labels. Box tops and labels can be dropped off at the grade school office, the parish office or in the canisters in the Church vestibule. These 'bonuses' add up quickly when we all help out.



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 |
| 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 |
| Adrienne Serbaroli-Bronner – Marines | |