

Sacred Heart Church

March 28, 2010

Week of March 28th – April 4th

Saturday, March 27th

Ez 37:21-28/Jn 11:45-56

8:30 Sp Int For All Sick Children
4:00 Decd Frank Cherowitz
5:00 Decd Albino Correira

Sunday, March 28th – Palm Sunday of the Lord's Passion

Is 50:4-7/Phil 2:6-11/Lk 22:14-23:56

8:00 am Sp Int For Our Parish Family
9:45 Decd John J. Lyons
11:30 Sp Int Stefani, Joanne, Angelina Germanotta

Monday, March 29th

Is 42:1-7/Jn 12:1-11

6:45 Decd Amalia Nelli
8:30 Decd Charles Dewey Lohrfink

Tuesday, March 30th

Is 49:1-6/Jn 13:21-33, 36-38

6:45 Sp Int Sacred Heart Friars
8:30 Decd Lucia Persichilli Tejani

Wednesday, March 31st

Is 50:4-9a/Mt 26:14-25

6:45 Decd Thomas Tuohy
8:30 Decd Ted O'Lear
7:30 Decd John J. Lyons

Thursday, April 1st

Ex 12:1-8,11-14/1Cor 11:23-26/JN 13:1-15

7:30 Mass of the Lord's Supper

Friday, April 2nd

Is 52:13-53:12/Heb 4:14-16;5:7-9/Jn 18:1-19:42

3:00 Lord's Passion

Saturday, April 3rd

Gn 1:1-2:2/Ps 104:1-2,5-6,10,12-14,24,35/ Ex 14:15-15:1/

Is 55:1-11/Rom 6:3-11/Lk 24:1-12

8:00 pm Easter Vigil

Sunday, April 4th

Acts 10:34a,37-43/Col 3:1-4/Jn 20:1-9

8:00 am Decd Frank Valenti
9:45 Sp Int For Our Parish Family & Easter Novena
11:30 Decd Mark Ryan

MEMORIALS:

Week of March 28th

SANCTUARY LAMP:

Decd Irene Romano

BREAD & WINE:

Sp Int Bernadette Skelton



Week of March 21st

SANCTUARY LAMP:

Decd John Cianciulli

BREAD & WINE:

Decd Josephine Musci

STEWARDSHIP OF GOD'S BLESSINGS – TITHING

March 21, 2010.....\$9,867.00
Last year.....\$7,330.65

*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....Holy Week

With Palm Sunday, we begin the holiest of weeks in the Church. I would like to encourage you to enter into the experience. Use this week to deepen your faith by devoting yourself to additional time in personal and community prayer. We have Morning Prayer open to the parish Monday through Saturday at 8:00 am in the Friar's Chapel. Perhaps this is the time to make a concerted effort to join us for Morning Prayer on Holy Thursday, Good Friday and Holy Saturday.

The liturgies of The Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, The Lord's Passion on Good Friday and the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday are steeped with so many wonderful observances of our faith. Members of the Jewish faith always share the Passover supper. For us who are Christians, the Triduum is our Passover celebration. We should not miss it.

Sincerely yours in Christ,
Fr. Moe

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

The Parish Office hours for Holy Week are as follows:

Palm Sunday	9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Monday – Thursday	9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Good Friday	9:00 am – 2:45 pm
Holy Saturday	9:00 am - 1:00 pm
Easter Sunday	Closed

CHRISM MASS

All parishioners are invited to attend the Chrism Mass celebrated by Archbishop Dolan at St. Patrick Cathedral on **Tuesday, March 30th** at 5:30 PM. At this liturgy, the Archbishop blesses the oils that will be distributed throughout the Archdiocese and used for the blessing of the sick and catechumens and the ordination of priests and deacons and the consecration of churches and altars. This ceremony is a sign of our unity as the church of New York.

LENTEN DISCIPLINES

– The Season of Lent ends on Holy Thursday afternoon before the celebration of the Mass of the Lord's Supper. Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence. You are invited, if able, to continue the fast through Holy Saturday to the Easter Vigil.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Since **Good Friday is a day of fast and abstinence**, we will not be hosting Soup and Salad. We do have Stations of the Cross at 12:30 in the church.



HOLY THURSDAY – MASS OF THE LORD’S SUPPER

The collection scheduled for Holy Thursday has been designated for the Sacred Heart Food Pantry. All donations will be used to help supply the pantry with “fill-in” items as needed. The Lenten Folders will also be used for this purpose. Please return your Lenten folders on Holy Thursday in the collection baskets or to the Parish Office.

EASTER NOVENA CARD:

There is an attractive **EASTER NOVENA CARD** available in the pews this weekend. This is an excellent way for us to remember our relatives and friends, living and deceased in a special novena of Masses beginning on Easter Sunday. The cards are also available in the parish office. The stipend envelope can be placed either in the collection basket or brought to the parish office.

BREAKFAST WITH THE EASTER BUNNY

Save the date.....Saturday, April 3rd from 9:30 -11:30 am in the Church Hall. Dance the Bunny Hop with the Easter Bunny. Admission is free! Breakfast is available: Bagel \$1.00 Juice \$.50. Raffle tickets 10¢ each to be used for games, egg races, and a jelly bean jar. Come enjoy a fun-filled morning and take your picture with the Easter Bunny.



Sunday, March 28th

Children’s Liturgy of the Word 9:45 am
Religious Education 10:45 am
Secular Franciscan 12:30 Instruction,
1:45 Meeting

Wednesday, March 31st

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

Saturday, April 3rd

Scripture Study 9:15 am
Breakfast with the Easter Bunny 9:30-11:30

Sunday, April 4th

No Children’s Liturgy of the Word
No Religious Education

WEDDING BANNS

II Dustin Frank & Carrie Costa

Lynda Doerr, John & Ida
Cammarasano, Anne DePalma,
Irene Mlynar, Michelle Canzio,
Joanne Uzzi, Joseph Peloso,
Elizabeth Avallone, Amelia D’Eletto,
Edward Jones, Ellen Boyle, Sr.

Gloria Sullivan OSU, Mary Leavey, Dorothy Aurisy, Marion Travers, Irene Bybel, Mary Galle, Ada Russak, Margaret Castle, Winifred Persise, Judy Persise, Kathleen Liberati, Constantine Castiglione, Ronald Milne, Faye Siami, Marietta Rasulo, Mary Hanczor



CLOTHING DRIVES

We are now collecting **lighter** weight (Spring/Summer) clothing. Clothing for men, women and children will be packed up and sent to the Sharing Community for distribution to the needy. Again, thank you for all your support.

NORTH YONKERS PRESERVATION & DEVELOPMENT CORP.

DIAL-A-RIDE SERVICE

Tuesday	Mar 30	Groceries South
Thursday	Apr 1	Groceries North

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. 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.

CABRINI OF WESTCHESTER

Are you caring for an elderly or disabled love one? You are not alone. Cabrini of Westchester’s Msgr. Terence Attridge Adult Day Health Center offers individuals in need of medical, nursing and rehabilitative services clinical care in a warm and nurturing environment. The program runs 6 days a week from 8am to 5pm, with extended hours available. Registrants receive transportation to and from the program, medical care, nutritional meals and recreational activities. Respite care is also available. For more information, please call 914-693-6800 ext 850.

CABRINI CAREGIVER’S SUPPORT GROUP

St Cabrini Nursing Home will be hosting guest speaker Micahel Lamagna, LNHA, MPA, Attorney at law, to discuss “The ins and outs of Medicaid eligibility” and “The new Power of Attorney Law and what it means to you” on Tuesday, march 30th from 5:30 – 7:00 pm. Refreshments will be served. Please RSVP on Monday, March 29th to 693-6800 x850 so they can properly plan.

THE FAMILY CLOSET

The Family Closet will be closed Saturday, April 3rd for Holy Saturday. They will reopen on Wednesday, April 7th. Come visit and take advantage of sale prices on winter clothing and browse our spring inventory of clothing, accessories, household items and knick-knacks. There is something for everyone.

LOOK GOOD...FEEL BETTER

The American Cancer Society, The national Cosmetology Association and the CTFA Foundation will sponsor the Look Good...Feel Better program on Monday, March 29th at 4:30 pm hosted by St. John's Riverside Hospital in the Board Room on the Main Lobby level. The program is designed to help women with cancer to enhance their appearance during treatments. Trained experts demonstrate beauty techniques including: skin care, make-up. Wig care and styling. *Wigs area provided free of charge by St. John's Riverside Hospital.* Program begins at 4:30 pm with wig selection. Registration is required. Please call 914-964-4414 to register and for further information.

GUYS AND DOLLS

Don't miss Sacred Heart High School's production of the musical fable of Broadway, GUYS & DOLLS. Filled with wonderful numbers –Sit Down You're Rockin the Boat, Take Back Your Mink, If I were a Bell, Sue Me and many more!

Friday, April 23rd and Saturday, April 24th at 8 PM and a matinee on Sunday, April 25th at 2 PM. Tickets are \$10 general admission and \$8 for students and senior citizens. Performances are in Sacred Heart Church Hall, Convent Avenue, Yonkers. For Information & tickets, please call: 914-965-6953.



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.

OUR MILITARY PRAYER LIST

Please pray for peace and the safe return of our men and women serving in the armed forces everywhere, 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, Daniel Bronner – Navy, Adrienne Serbaroli-Bronner – Marines, Calvin Minozzi – Marines

HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE OF SERVICES

PALM SUNDAY

Masses: Saturday 4:00 p.m. Tower & 5:00 p.m. Church
Sunday....8:00, 9:45, 11:30 a.m.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Confessions

Monday, 1:30 p.m. Tower & Manor
Tuesday, 9:30 to 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday, 6:30 to 7:00 p.m.

HOLY THURSDAY

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
7:30 p.m. Mass of the Lord's Supper & Procession
Adoration at the Altar of Reposition until 10:00 p.m.

GOOD FRIDAY

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
12:30 Stations of the Cross
3:00 p.m. Solemn Liturgy of the Passion of Our Lord

HOLY SATURDAY

8:00 a.m. Morning Prayer
9:00 a.m. Blessing of Easter Food
**There will NOT be
Confessions on Saturday afternoon.
There will NOT be a
Vigil Mass at 5:00 p.m.**
8:00 p.m. Solemn Easter Vigil

EASTER SUNDAY

Church....8:00, 9:45, 11:30 a.m.



**THE ARCHDIOCESAN
STEWARDSHIP APPEAL
2010**

We would certainly like to express a word of gratitude to those who have already pledged a gift to the Archdiocesan Stewardship Appeal. As of March 19th, our pledged amount was **\$38,745** which is **72%** toward our parish goal of \$54,000.

Help Support:

- Needy schools and parishes
- Prepare our religious in the seminary
- Provide care for our retired priests and sisters.

Make your pledge to the 2010 Archdiocesan Stewardship Appeal today.

Prayer. Sacrifice. Make a difference.

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