
SACRED HEARTS & ST. STEPHEN R.C. CHURCH

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St. Stephen's – Founded 1866
Sacred Hearts of Jesus & Mary
Founded 1882

MASSES ON SUNDAYS:

8:00 AM 10:00 AM & 12 NOON
5:00 PM on Saturday

MASSES ON WEEKDAYS:

Monday 12:00 Noon
Tues. through Sat. 8:30 AM

Adoration: Monday @ 11:00 AM
First Friday each month @ 7:15 AM

CONFESSIONS:

Saturdays 3:45– 4:30 P.M. as well as by appointment.

For Holiday and Special Mass Schedules, please call the Rectory and press extension number 4 for specific details.

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BAPTISMS:

To prepare for the sacrament of Baptism, parents and godparents should plan to attend the 10:00 AM Mass on the second Sunday of the month followed by a Baptismal preparation meeting.

Parents must come to the Parish Office with a copy of the birth certificate one month before your planned Baptism.

SICK CALLS:

Please call and arrange for the sacrament of anointing whenever anyone is seriously ill.

MARRIAGES:

Please call the rectory at least 6 months ahead for an appointment with a Priest.

WELCOME:

Adults who are interested in learning more about or joining the Catholic Faith please call the rectory. Adults who have not completed the sacraments of initiation (Eucharist and/or Confirmation) please call the rectory.

ON LINE & CREDIT CARD GIVING: WWW.GIVECENTRAL.ORG/SHSS

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Thursday 9:00 to 5:00 (Closed for Lunch from 1-2) Friday 9:00 to 3:00 Saturday 9:00 to 1:00
Office closed Sunday

No evening hours at the present time.

IF YOU WISH TO SEE A PRIEST, PLEASE TELEPHONE FOR AN APPOINTMENT
PLEASE REMEMBER SACRED HEART & ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH IN YOUR WILL.

MASSSES for the WEEK



MON. JUNE 15, 2020
 Noon Elisa Conti
 BY: The Conti Family

TUE. JUNE 16, 2020
 8:30 Joseph Foglia

WED. JUNE 17, 2020
 8:30 Leona Zagami
 BY: Loving Family

THURS. JUNE 18, 2020
 8:30 Maria Nardi
 BY: The Reca Family

FRI. JUNE 19, 2020
 8:30 John & Maria Marchetti
 BY: Catherine

SAT. JUNE 20, 2020
 8:30 Pasquale & Larry Scotto
 BY: Family
 5:00 Fathers' Day Remembrance

SUN. JUNE 21, 2020
 8:00 Fathers' Day Remembrance
 10:00 Fathers' Day Remembrance
 Noon Fathers' Day Remembrance

FINANCIAL INFORMATION

Sunday Collection 6/1	\$ 1,737.00
*Envelopes & cash	
On Line Donations	\$ 2,510.00
Total Sunday 6/1	\$4,247.00
Annual Weekly Expenses **	\$14,325.00
Difference:	\$ 10,078.00

**Total annual expenses divided by 52 weeks

Financial Stewardship

For those who are financially able to continue to support the parish during this time, we encourage you to sign up for e-giving so that we may be able to continue the ministry of the church during this critical time.

Parish Religious Education & Catholic Schools

Regular parish CCD classes held on Sundays and Wednesdays are postponed for the time being. Likewise, all activities related to our children's faith-formation program such as the Sunday 7th grade seminar, Stations of the Cross practices, Confirmation mentoring sessions, and Child Lures training are also postponed for the time being.

The health of all the faithful of the parish is of utmost concern, so let us continue to pray to the Lord who is a healer to protect us and bring about quickly an end to this present crisis through the intercession of His Mother Mary under the title of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

Sick Relatives & Friends

Please remember in your prayers the members of our parish and community who are ill, hospitalized or in nursing home care, most especially:

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| Jonelle Bernardo, | Helena Rolla |
| Brad Hatry | Louis Pepe |
| Michelle Laquercia | Irene Balen |
| Dolly Vergona, | Gloria Heyer |
| Judith DeArmen | John Nigro |
| Judith Miller | Alissa Aquino |
| Diane Barchuk | Addy Wardrope |
| Carol DeMairo | Anthony Gambardella |
| Anthony Tilocca | Anthony Turco |
| Roe Gambardella | Elizabeth Foley |
| Ann Curcuru | Dora Zanzonico |
| Lamar McNabb | Louis D'Angelo |
| Carol Montelbano | Gina Salta |
| Anthony Manfre | Celeste Internicola |
| Emma Huckerby | Kristin Quail |
| Louann Gambardella | Robert Janicke |
| Dominick Aiello, Jr. | Mark Carles |
| Erica Concino | Bernadette Janicke |
| Mary Therese Pugliese | |

REACH OUT

During this difficult time, please take a moment to check on your neighbor, the elderly and the shut in to see how they are doing. Perhaps they may need an item from the grocery store, or someone to pick up their prescriptions, anything we are able to do for them would be appreciated. Sometimes all they need is conversation and that simply requires a phone call. These are unprecedented times and we are all in this together. Take some of the free time you may have to sit in prayer for all the world.

Please continue to support our parish during this difficult time. Enroll in On line giving at www.Givecentral.org/SHSS. The site is user friendly and very easy to navigate. We thank



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everyone for continuing to support our parish either through On line Giving or by dropping their respective donations in the Rectory mail slot.

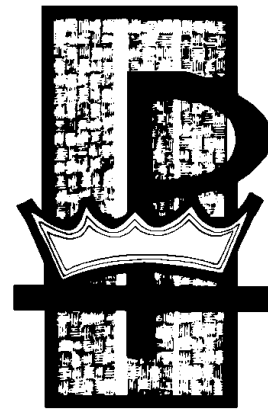
We are so very grateful for all you do for our great parish.



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Bread & Wine for the week of June 14th has been donated

In Loving Memory of **JOSEPH FOGLIA**



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From the Pastor

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Dear Parish Community:

Today we celebrate the Feast of Corpus Christi or the Feast of the Body and Blood of the Lord Jesus. The readings invite us back to Holy Thursday when we celebrate the institution of the sacrament of the Eucharist. Due to the proximity of Good Friday and our meditation of the Death of the Lord, the Liturgy lacked the time to reflect on the mystery of this great sacrament.

The Eucharist (Blessed Sacrament) is the center of Catholic life. It is the heartbeat and pulse of parish life. We both celebrate this sacrament and adore the divine and mysterious presence of the Lord in this sacrament. We believe that the Lord is really present in this sacrament. We believe that when received or adored, we are encountering the Risen Lord. For us the Eucharist is not a symbol or sign or just a memorial, the Eucharist is Jesus. The celebration of the Eucharist (Mass) is the making present to us in this sacrament the Passion, Death and Resurrection of the Lord. The Eucharist or the Blessed Sacrament is reserved in our Tabernacle, which is located beneath the alter crucifix. The Blessed Sacrament is also reserved in the Chapel of the Transfiguration located behind the statue of Mary to the left of the main altar. The Eucharist is reserved for the purpose of prayer and for people who are ill to whom the Eucharist is brought.

Encountering the Lord Jesus in this great sacrament is a special time for us. After receiving the Lord in the Eucharist, one should spend time in silent prayer with the Lord. The time after communion is a time of silent conversation with the Lord. This is not a time for private conversation with our neighbor or even for visiting the statues of the saints. This is your time with Christ. As we receive Eucharist, we are also to remember that we receive the Eucharist as a member of the Body of Christ. We are in communion with Christ and all who are receiving Eucharist in this church and with those who are receiving Eucharist throughout the Catholic World. In the Eucharist, the Lord Jesus says: "Do this in memory of me." We who receive the Eucharist are called to live in memory of Christ in all we do and say.

The Church is the Body of Christ. The people united to Christ through baptism are drawn together through the sharing in the Eucharist to form One Body, the Church. It is the Church which celebrates the Eucharist. It is the Eucharist that creates the Church. The Church and the Eucharist cannot be separated. The Church is Jesus present in the world through us. Today as we make our procession with the Eucharist through our streets, we are professing our faith in the Sacrament of the Eucharist as well as our belief that we too are the Body of Christ, the Church.

The reason for our parish to exist is our faith in Christ Jesus, therefore, the Eucharist is the center of our worship, prayer and adoration. Every Monday morning from 11-noon, we have adoration. Do we truly realize how great this sacrament is? Do we truly realize who this sacrament is? If we did, we would never miss Mass, except in time of serious illness.

Blessed be Jesus in the most holy sacrament of the Altar.

Msgr. Guy A. Massie

MOTHER AND FATHER'S DAY BABY SHOWER

We are doing something different and it will really help. Mother's Day was on May 10th and Father's Day is on June 21st. The Sisters of Life are expecting a sort of baby boom in about a month. Between now and 6/21, parishioners may participate in the shower by forwarding donations directly to the Sisters of Life. Their address is:

St. Andrew's Church
Sisters of Life
20 Cardinal Hayes Place
New York, New York 10007

This year, the Sisters could especially use children's bibles, diapers, wipes, onesies, baby lotion and shampoo. Other suggestions are baby clothing, outfits, sleepers and hats, bottles and blankets. All baby items must be new. They also need maternity clothing.

Thank you for your generosity and support.

God Bless you!

INFORMATION SHEET

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