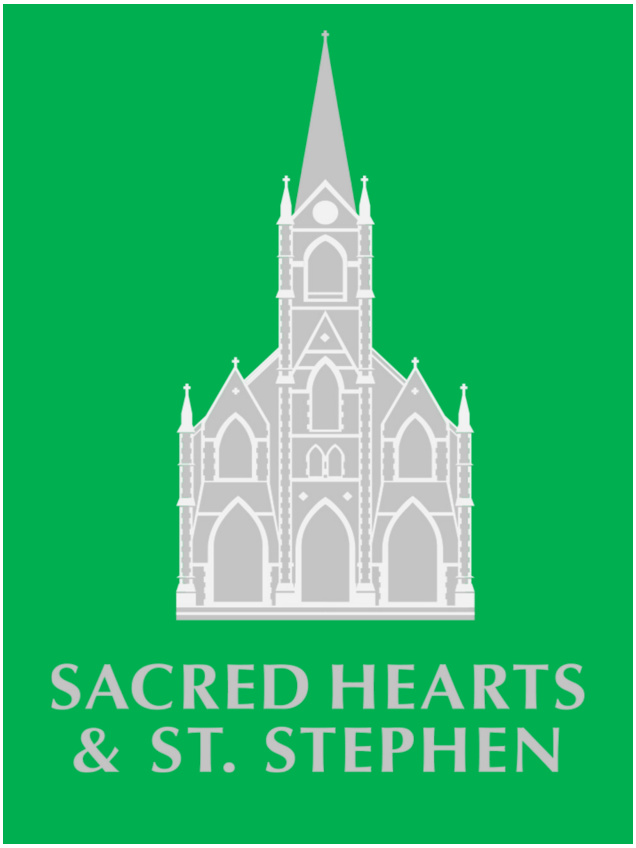
SACRED HEARTS & ST. STEPHEN R.C.CHURCH



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

MASSES ON SUNDAYS:
8:30 AM 10:15 AM
5:00 PM on Saturday
MASSES ON WEEKDAYS:
Mon through Sat. 8:30 AM
Adoration: 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 10:15 AM Mass on the second Sunday of the month followed by a Baptismal preparation meeting.
Baptisms are held the 3rd Sunday of the month @1:30 PM . Please call the Rectory for arrangements.
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 2:00
Office closed Saturday & 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
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Mass Intentions For The Week

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MON.	NOV. 16,2026
8:30	Living & Deceased of The Reid & Reynolds Family
TUE.	NOV. 17, 2026.
8:30	Lily, Dominic & Augustine DiCoscia BY: Richie & Susie
WED	NOV. 18, 2026
8:30	Anthony Justice
THURS.	NOV. 19 2026
8:30	Russell Mecaluk
FRI.	NOV. 20, 2026
8:30	Matteo Deliso BY: Anna
SAT	NOV. 21, 2026
8:30	Angelo Vergona BY: Loving Family
5:00 PM	Anthony Alfano BY His Sister
SUN	Nov. 22, 2026
8:30	In Honor of St. Cecelia
10:15	Citizens of Pozzallo Society

OCIA
THE ORDER OF
CHRISTIAN INITIATION

If you feel called to become Catholic and you are 16 years old or older, please contact Msgr. Massie at the Rectory. Become part of our OCIA which will begin the end of August and with the celebration of Baptism and the Sacraments at Easter on Marh 28 2027. The OCIA meets every Sunday after the 10:15 Mass in the Rectory. If you are above 16 years old and have been baptized but you did not receive Eucharist or Confirmation and you want to receive these sacraments, join our OCIA. Contact Msgr. Massie at the rectory.



The Sanctuary Lamps for the week of 11/15 have been donated
In Loving Memory of
ANGELO VERGONA
"100 YEARS OLD"
BY: Loving Family

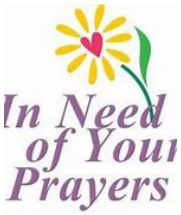
FINANCIAL INFORMATION



Sun here 11/81	$2,389.00envelopes
On Line Donation	$2,404.00
Total Sunday	$4,793.00
Annual Weekly Expenses	$14,325.00
Difference:	$9,532.00

annual expenses divided by 52 weeks

Please remember in your prayers the members of our Parish who are hospitalized or in nursing home care, most especially: Sarina Mukhi, Brad Hatry, Michelle Laquercia, Irene Balen,,, Salvatore Salerno, John Primavera, Diane Barchuk, Addy Wardrope, Anthony Gambardella, Anthony Turco, Elizabeth Foley, Ann Curcuru, Lemar McNabb, Carol Montelbano, Julia Magno, Anthony Manfre, Emma Hukerby, Kristin Quail, Mark Carles, Erica Concino, MaryAnn Kinczel, Susan Hannan, , Hector Jimenez, Darren Munio, Sophia Rotunno, Frances Marra, Philip Saraceno, Salvatore Aleo, Michael Ostrowski, Kathy Parasimo,



Butch Montevecchi, Louann Gambardella,
Edna Lamboy , Angelo Sardinha,
Pamela Rosenberg, ,
Charlotte Ackerman, Jami Domanoski & unborn infant, Joan Sawaya, Mary Martir,
Beverly DiCovello, Michael DiMeglio,
Christopher Iacono, Jackie Leone,Vito DiMeglio
Catherine Dellaporte
Vicky Saraceno, Rose Salzone Zangrillo,
Patrick O'Leary, Leandro Villanueva,
Roberto Estacio, Anna Marie MistrettsaPaunetto
Janice Shaffer, Nancy Puchalek, Lorraine Zanzonico
Chuck Bennett

MASS COUNT

11/7	11/8
5:00	51
8:30	60
10:15	202

Total:313

Live Stream: 814

ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL 2026

PARISH GOAL:	$43,891.00
PLEDGED	$44,756.00
PAID	$38,708.00

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPRORT AND GENEROSIITY!



Dear Parish Community,

There are a number of lessons we can accrue from these readings. Among those lessons is the fact that we as believers of Christ are to be the light of the world. Our lives should express our beliefs. Our belief in the incarnation of God among us in and through Christ should be reflected in our respect for life in all of its stages Mery, compassion, a quest for justice, truth in our relationships should be the way of life for those who choose to follow the Gospel. Respect for people of all races, faiths, backgrounds should be a mark of the disciple. Racial hatred and prejudices should be unknown by the followers of Christ.

In years and generations past the secular society often buttressed the values which the church preached. In today's society this is no longer true. In many ways the value systems of the secular world are different if not hostile to the faith.. We may reverence humanity because of Christ while in secular society humanity is taken cheaply as evidenced by increase in violence in every form. Pornography is widespread especially on the internet. Such material is clearly opposite the virtue of purity and chastity. Greed, robbery, dishonesty in the lives of public figures is reported regularly in the news. Such public behavior is contrary to the Gospel of values. How does one live the life of light in a world that presents darkness as attractive and the Gospel values as old fashioned? How does one live in a society where certain behaviors can be legal but immoral and sinful?

The following of the Gospel is always linked to the Cross of Christ. The disciple will experience conflicts of conscience and some rejections from those considered mainstream of thinking. Some who chose to follow the Gospel mandate may even win the admiration of their opponents and win some over to the Gospel. It is our choice. Our belief in Christ can be cultural and only on the surface or we can be disciples of Christ

Msgr. Guy A. Massie