

Church of the Sacred Heart

Hartsdale, New York 10530

PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

Church of the Sacred Heart is a Community of Disciples of the Lord, who invites us all, to gather as one, to hear His word, to give thanks for that word amid prayer and praise, and to offer a loving hand of comfort and support to all, especially those in need.

SERVED BY

Rev. Michael Moon
Pastor

Rev. Andrew Lee
Rev. James Villa

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(Pastor Emeritus)

Deacon Robert J. Piloco

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Thomas Celestino

Sacristan

Robert Muller

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Karan Chin

Folk Group Director

MASS SCHEDULE

Weekend Masses:

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 p.m.

7:00 p.m. in Spanish

Sunday 8:00 a.m., 9:30 a.m.,

11:00 a.m., 12:30 p.m. and 7:00 p.m.

4:00 p.m. in Korean

Daily Masses:

Monday-Friday

7:00, 8:30 a.m. and 12:10 p.m.

Saturday: 8:00 a.m. and 9:00 a.m.

Holy Day Masses

When the Holy Day is a work day

Vigil at 7:30 p.m.,

Day: 7:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m.,

12:10 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms

Sunday at 2:00 p.m.

Arranged two months in advance.

Marriages

Arranged six months in advance.

Call rectory for appointment.

Reconciliation

Saturday between

4:00 p.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Anytime upon request.

Anointing of the Sick

Please call the rectory.

Communion to the Sick and Homebound

Please notify the rectory when someone is homebound or being admitted to the hospital. A priest or Eucharistic Minister will bring Holy Communion.

SEPTEMBER 10, 2017

23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday, September 9: Vigil Masses

5:00 Sadie Agatone (B) and Veronica Serafin (B)

7:00 All Souls (Spanish Mass)

Sunday, September 10:

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 Mary Grace and Giacomo Macri

9:30 Michael Muccio (A)

11:00 Sacred Heart Parishioners

12:30 Dirce Bernabei (+)

4:00 Korean Mass

7:00 Sixto Ancheta (1st A)

Monday, September 11:

7:00

8:30 A Mass of Thanksgiving

12:10 Bernard and Gina Guarascio (+)

Tuesday, September 12:

The Most Holy Name of Mary

7:00

8:30

12:10 Edward Q. Lewis, Jr (A)

Wednesday, September 13: St. John Chrysostom

7:00

8:30 Monica Masterson (+)

12:10 Dr. Dolores San Jose Lewy (+)

Thursday, September 14: The Exaltation of the Cross

7:00 Fr. Michael Moon (Happy Birthday!)

8:30 Peggy Sullivan (B)

12:10 Jayne and Richard O'Sullivan (+)

Friday, September 15: Our Lady of Sorrows

7:00

8:30 Theresa Panicker (+)

12:10 Jaime L. Guerrero, Sr. (L)(B)

Saturday, September 16: Sts. Cornelius and Cyprian

8:00 Oliva and Juanito Zarsuelo (+)

9:00 In Honor of St. Thérèse

5:00 Marie and Joseph Brody (+)

7:00 Romelia Espana (2nd A) (Spanish Mass)

Sunday, September 17: 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 Bertita Rojas (+)

9:30 Dot Messler (+)

11:00 Sacred Heart Parishioners

12:30 Andrea Fernandez (+)

4:00 Korean Mass

7:00 Otmar Boser (+)

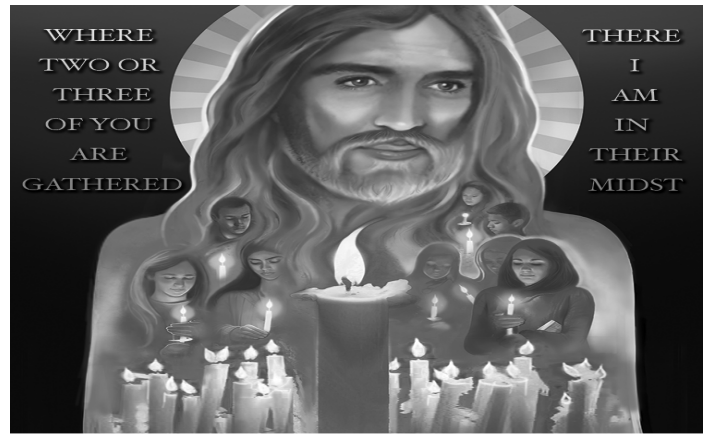
Reference Key

A - Anniversary (Deceased)

B - Birthday (Deceased)

L - Living

+ - Deceased



GOD'S WATCHERS

In the ancient world watchmen were extremely important people. They kept communities safe, and were there to alert them to any impending danger or attack. Before locks, alarms, and security systems, watchmen were the protectors, the safety measure. So when the Lord charges Ezekiel as a watchman today, it is a weighty charge. So weighty, we learn, that if Ezekiel fails to sound the alarm for those around him and they perish in a state of wickedness, Ezekiel will be held responsible! This profound connection between God's will on earth and in heaven is repeated in today's Gospel, where Jesus instructs us that we are to be the security force, the watchers placed on alert that nowhere in the Body of Christ, the church, will there be any two members of the one Body who are not reconciled. Scripture tells us that Jesus reconciled all things in heaven and on earth through the blood of his cross. But we are given the mission to continue that reconciliation on earth as in heaven through our ceaseless efforts to be, as Paul would write, ambassadors of reconciliation. Let us not get too comfortable thinking that we are responsible only for keeping our own lives from the path of wickedness and disagreement. We are also held accountable for the lives of the members of Christ's body around us.

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READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Col 1:24 — 2:3; Ps 62:6-7, 9; Lk 6:6-11

Tuesday: Col 2:6-15; Ps 145:1b-2, 8-11; Lk 6:12-19

Wednesday: Col 3:1-11; Ps 145:2-3, 10-13ab; Lk 6:20-26

Thursday: Nm 21:4b-9; Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-38;

Phil 2:6-11; Jn 3:13-17

Friday: 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14; Ps 16:1b-2a, 5, 7-8, 11;

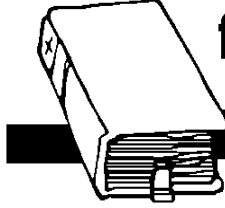
Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Saturday: 1 Tm 1:15-17; Ps 113:1b-7; Lk 6:43-49

Sunday: Sir 27:30 — 28:9; Ps 103:1-4, 9-12;

Rom 14:7-9; Mt 18:21-35

A Message from the Pastor



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I hope everyone had a happy, healthy and blessed summer, especially all our children, as they are about to begin this new school year.

For the past four months there have been reports of vandalism and robberies in six Catholic Churches and a number of other religious organizations in Westchester County. Several parishioners in these places have been robbed too. As a result of the recommendations of the Police Department and our insurance provider, we had installed a security system with 36 surveillance cameras. The installed cameras are for the safety of our parishioners. The areas covered include our Church, our rectory and the parking lot. The current security system in our school will also be upgraded in September.

Our air conditioning system in the Church was replaced over the summer. The old system was 38 years old and needed to be replaced. I am sorry that last Sunday we had a leak in our Church coming from the ceiling. Most likely, while installing the new air conditioning system the ceiling was disturbed. The problem has now been fixed, and let us hope that this will never happen again.

Landscaping work has started on the garden on Central Avenue by the school building. Certain sections of the garden will be assigned to each grade and can be dedicated to parish families in memory of loved ones.

The fence in the Church parking lot by the convent was replaced due to the significant number of problems with the old fence. A new white plastic fence has replaced the old one.

The upkeep of our facilities is key to ensuring the safety of our parishioners as well as the longevity of our parish plant.

Now that our place is secured. We are looking into hiring some young people to work as part-time receptionists at the rectory and weekend sacristans. Applications will be available by the end of September and will be in the back of church.

May God continue to bless our parish.



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Mass for Father Moon

Installation Mass for our new appointed Pastor, Fr. Michael Moon will be held on Sunday, September 17, 2017 at 12:30 PM. This special Mass will be officiated by The Most Reverend Bishop Gerald T. Walsh. Following the Mass there will be a reception in the school gym. All are welcomed.



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Rite of the Christian Initiation of Adults

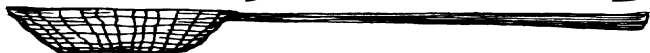
Sacred Heart Church will start the Rite of the Christian Initiation of Adults program both in English and Spanish for anyone who has not completed their three initiation Sacraments, (Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation). If you know anyone who would be interested in becoming a full member of our Church, please call the rectory for further information at 914.949.0028. Thank you.



Mass Attendance

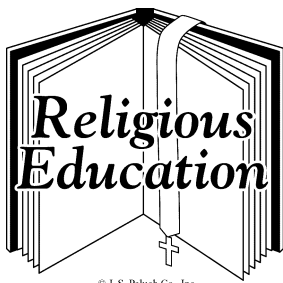
Our Mass attendance last Sunday was 1,168.

Weekly Offering



Our collection last week was \$ 8,307.41.
Same Sunday last year was \$ 8,941.72.
Parish reserve fund was \$ 3,453.41.

Thank you for your continued financial support to our Parish and its many needs. Your financial generosity for the upkeep of our Parish buildings and programs is essential and greatly appreciated.



We would like to welcome Christopher Siegfried as the Director of our Religious Education program. Classes will start this Sunday, September 10, 2017 and will meet from 9:15 am – 10:30 am.

Registration forms can be found at the rectory office, at Sacred Heart School and online at: shchartsdale@gmail.com.

Positions are available for volunteer catechists and aides. If you have any questions, please call our office at (914) 946-7242, extension 4 or you may send an email to: sacredheartreprogram@gmail.com.

Adult Education

Msgr. Carney's lectures started on Friday, September 8th and will continue every Friday. The class meets at Sacred Heart Rectory in the meeting room from 10:20 am to 12 pm.

Mass Book 2018

The Mass Book for 2018 is open. The form to request your Mass intentions can be found in the back of our Church.

Please mail your form to the rectory or place it in the collection basket. The offering is \$15.00 per Mass. Please clearly mark on the envelope Mass Intention 2018 and include your payment. A daytime telephone number is needed in case we need to contact you with alternate dates in the event the day and time you request is not available. You will receive a confirmation of your Masses in the mail. Thank you for your patience as we try to make the process easier for all.

Cardinal's Appeal

In the Bible, Jesus teaches us to act with mercy, compassion and love. Your help plays a vital role that ensures the Cardinal's Appeal continues to serve so many throughout our communities. To date, 225 families have made their commitment to the Appeal effort in our parish totaling \$66,276.00 which is 77% of our goal of \$86,000.00. Please join your fellow parishioners in stewardship and make your gift to the Cardinal's Appeal today. Thank you to all who have already made your commitment – your generosity is most appreciated! You can also make your gift online at: www.cardinalsappeal.org

PRAY FOR THE SICK

Joan Allaier
Beverly Barna
Leonor Beltran
Vidal Billalovos
Joyce Bogetti
Mary Brady
Isabella S. Braga
Rachel Brown
Catherine Bryceland
George Busler
Renee Cambridge
Kathryn Capofari
Carlos Cardenas
Geshika Chirinos
Margaret P. Craig
Frank Crea
Mary Cremin
Jessie Crisci
Thomas DelGuidice
Elizabeth De Vito
Alda DeScenza
Raymond Diggs
Ambrogio Domenicano
Kaelynne Driscoll
Joseph Falzon
TJ Finan
Michelle Floriano
Jeff Fox
Elizabeth Garrett
Joseph Gjelij
Marion Gruber
Diana Haydon
Angela Jones
Herman Jones
Maria Kucharzyk
Jocelyn Laetzo
Agustin Lago
Maria A. Leite
Flora Liberatore

Lilia Lopez Orola
Veronica Marasciulo
Fabiana Mazzocco
John McManus
Kathleen McManus
Joan McPhillips
Anita Moranski
Thomas Motta
John A. Pascucci
Judy Petersen
John Petriccione
Thomas Pieczynski
Amalia Piomelli
Andrew Pisacreta
Stephen Rawson
Ben Rivera
Nancy Rizzari
Rosa Maria Santos
Grace Scoppa
Richard Shellenberg
Thomas Sorrentino
Nicole Spano
Vita Spano
Christopher Terracciano
Lisa Terraciano
Maria Terracciano
Marcilio Testa
Erica Torres
Geraldine A. Towey
Joy Noel Travalino
Helena Trindade
Stanley M. Wicinski
Frank Wilcox
Enrico Zaluski
Silvia Zaluski
Carmen R. Zapata
Dominik Zapata
Fanny Zappi
Vincent Zappi

Pray Always
Always Pray

