

SACRED HEART CHURCH

Bushwood, Maryland – Founded 1755

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Masses: Tues. & Fri. 7:00 a.m., Sunday 6:30 & 8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration: After the Tuesday 7 a.m. Mass

Confessions: Saturday 2:45 – 3:15 p.m.

Baptisms: By appointment

Weddings: Six months advance notice

CCD Classes: Sunday 9:05 a.m. at Holy Angels Sacred Heart School

Rectory Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.	Dec.	17	7:30 a.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
Tues.	Dec.	18	7:00 a.m.	S. Helen & Frank Hall
Tues.	Dec.	18	7:00 p.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
Wed.	Dec.	19	7:30 a.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
Thurs.	Dec.	20	7:00 p.m.	Wendy Gibson
Fri.	Dec.	21	7:00 a.m.	Sonny & Zita Kerwin
Sat.	Dec.	22	4:30 p.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
Sun.	Dec.	23	6:30 a.m.	Zack Hill
			8:00 a.m.	Sacred Heart & Holy Angels Parishioners
			10:30 a.m.	Mass at Holy Angels

SPECIAL ADVENT MASS AND EUCHARISTIC ADORATION WITH CONFESSIONS: We will be having our last Mass this Thursday, December 20th during Advent with Eucharistic Adoration and Confessions. Adoration is from 6-7 p.m., Confessions are 6-6:45 p.m. and Mass starts at 7 p.m.

CONFESSIONS AND ADORATION: On Friday, December 21st, Confessions will be heard from 8 a.m. – 8 p.m. with Adoration from 7:30 a.m. – 8 p.m. Confessions will be heard at Holy Angels on Wednesday, Dec. 19th from 8 a.m. – 8 p.m.

CHRISTMAS CHOIR: Choir practice to prepare for the Christmas Midnight Mass will be Monday, December 17th at 7 p.m. Bring a friend!

DECORATING THE CHURCH: We will be decorating the church for Christmas at 9 a.m. on Sunday, December 23rd after the 8 a.m. Mass. Much help is needed!

SENIOR GIFT WRAPPING: We will be wrapping the senior gifts in the Parish Hall on Tuesday, December 18th at 9:30 a.m. We are in need of fresh baked cookies that are so loved by our seniors. Please bring scissors and tape. Wrapping paper will be supplied. **We are also in need of people to help deliver the gifts on Tuesday.**

MCA FAMILY SANTA BINGO: Have you ever played bingo with Santa? Come out on Sunday, December 16th for a fun filled afternoon of bingo with Santa! Doors will open at 12:00pm and games begin at 1:00pm. Admission is \$5.00 for a child to play bingo. The kitchen will also be open for concessions. Bring your friends and neighbors so they can meet Santa too! If you would like to donate prizes for that day, please contact Mrs. Johnson at mcadebrajohnson@gmail.com.

MCA CHRISTMAS PROGRAM: Join us on Wednesday, December 19th for our annual MCA Christmas Program. The program will start at 6:00 p.m. and admission is free.

SENIORS' CHRISTMAS PARTY: The Seventh District Optimist Club will be sponsoring their annual Seniors' Christmas Party on Sunday, December 23rd, beginning at 12 noon, at Holy Angels Hall.

“WARM” SAVE THE DATE!: Every winter, homeless single men and women are given a place to stay at night through the WARM program (Wrapping Arms ‘Round Many). This program enlists churches and other organizations in St. Mary’s County to host the homeless for one week from November to March. Holy Angels / Sacred Heart’s WARM Hosting week will be Sunday, January 27th, thru Sunday, February 3rd. Overall Hosting Chairs and Committee Chairs are needed. Previous chair people will provide a good pass down of information. To volunteer as a chair person or if you would like additional information contact Cindy Guy @ 301-904-8167.

REQUEST FOR INTERCESSORY PRAYER: Sick: Calestard Gravett, Ruby Cheseldine, Howard Lacey, Joann Beavers, Johnny Williams, Matthew Quade, Larry Hill, Ken Cheseldine, David Hill, Mike Bailey, Elizabeth Graves, Virgie Banagan, Bill Finegan, Ginny Guy, Aloysius Butler, Harrison Robrecht, Bert & Carol Dean, Melanie Gibson, Elaine Frederick, Jr. Farrell, and Anna Marie Quade.

DECEMBER VOTIVE INTENTIONS

- Blessed Mother Altar – In memory of Elmer & Patsy Spalding, given by Steve & Donna Gibson.
- St. Joseph Altar – In memory of Francis & Eloise Gibson, given by Steve & Donna Gibson.
- Sacred Heart Altar – In memory of Myrtle Thompson, given by the family.