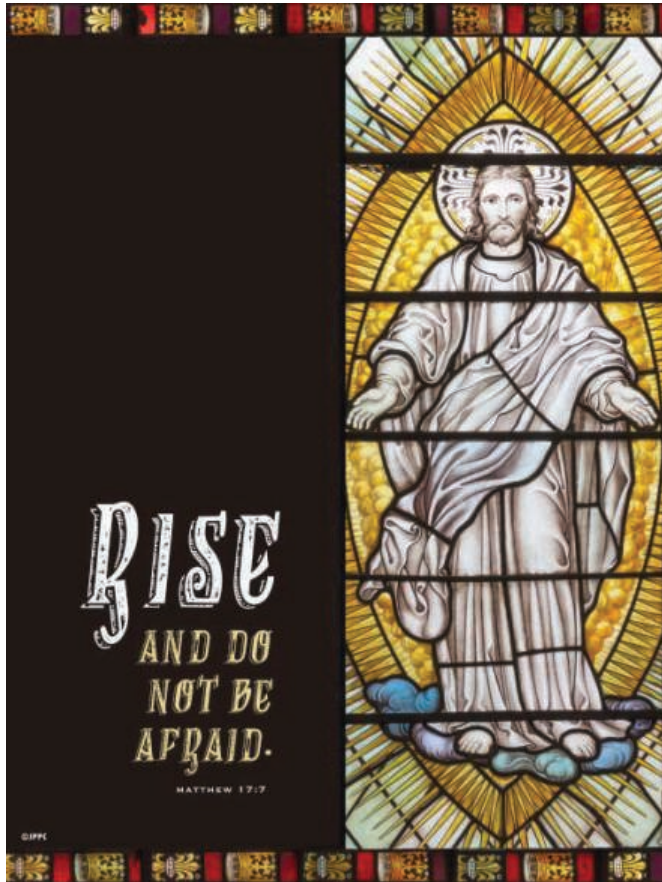


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SUNDAY, AUGUST 6, 2023

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Weekend Masses

Saturday: 4:00 p.m.

*Sunday: 7:30 a.m., 9:30 a.m. and
11:30 a.m.*

Weekday Masses (Chapel)

7:00 a.m. Monday to Friday

Holy Days of Obligation

Vigil Mass: 5:30 p.m.

Holy Day: 7:00 a.m., 12:15 p.m.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

*Saturdays: 3:00 - 3:30 p.m. or
by appointment*

Sacrament of Baptism

*Baptisms are celebrated on Sundays at
12:45 p.m. Please call the parish office
in advance to schedule a Baptism.*

*For those anticipating the birth and
subsequent Baptism of their first child,
class is held on the third Saturday
every month at noon in the Rectory.*

Sacrament of Matrimony

*The Sacrament of Matrimony should be
arranged at least 6 months in advance.
Call the parish office for more
information.*



**THE ALTAR FLOWERS ARE
IN LOVING MEMORY OF
HENRIETTA PROSCIO
(BIRTHDAY)
FROM ANITA TERRANOVA**

Saturday, August 5

4:00 PM Members of La Virgen Del Cisne & Divino Nino Jesus
by Angel Zhungo

Sunday, August 6

7:30 AM ☐ Don Kolok (Anniversary)
by Family
9:30 AM ☐ Orlando Presto (11th Anniversary)
by The Parelli Family
11:30 AM ☐ Dan Amelio (Birthday)
by Mary Ann & Ralph Amelio

Monday, August 7

7:00 AM All the Members of the Parish

Tuesday, August 8

7:00 AM ☐ Marie Keegan
by Alice Neal

Wednesday, August 9

7:00 AM Conversion of Sinners

Thursday, August 10

7:00 AM Birthday Blessing for Mejio
by Gianna

Friday, August 11

7:00 AM ☐ Sally Kowaleski
by The Family

Saturday, August 12

4:00 PM ☐ Peggy P. Lee
by The Macri Family

Sunday, August 13

7:30 AM Birthday Blessing for Michael Convey
by Wife, Margaret
9:30 AM ☐ Ann Mary & John Herbert Bryson
by Their Daughter
11:30 AM ☐ Jean Hammond (Birthday)
by Daughter, Candace

Monday, August 14 VIGIL OF THE ASSUMPTION

7:00 AM NO MORNING MASS
5:30 PM Blessing for Armela Olaes
by The Olaes Family

Tuesday, August 15 THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

7:00 AM Special Intention
by Loren Pesentes
12:15 PM ☐ Kathleen Carlin
by Veda & Joe Fratello

Wednesday, August 16

7:00 AM ☐ Anna & Domenick Latella & Daughter,
Joanne Phin
by Virginia & Catherine Latella

Thursday, August 17

7:00 AM ☐ Anne M. Kristoff
by Husband

Friday, August 18

7:00 AM Birthday Blessing for Fr. Raja
by Jan Gunnip

**THE ALTAR BREAD & WINE ARE
IN LOVING MEMORY OF
DON KOLOK
(ANNIVERSARY)
FROM THE FAMILY**

**THE SANCTUARY CANDLE
IS IN LOVING MEMORY OF
DAN AMELIO
(BIRTHDAY)
FROM MARY ANN & RALPH AMELIO**

Masses are available on following dates:

September: 18, 24, 26, 27 & 28.
October: 1, 2, 3, 9, 11, 12, 13, 15, 17, 19, 20, 24, 25, 29.
November: 3, 5, 12, 15, 17, 19, 24 & 26.
December: 1, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10, 13, 15, 17, 20, 21, 30 & 31

For Altar Bread & Wine, the dates available are:

August: 27. **September:** 3
October: 8 & 29. **November:** 19 & 26.
December: 3, 10,

For Altar Flowers, the dates available are:

August: 20. **September:** 3 & 24.
October: 8 & 29. **November:** 12 & 26.

For Sanctuary candles, the dates available are:

December: 3 & 10

Collections ©1999 thank you

THIS WEEK : Utility Fund
NEXT WEEK : Monthly Collection

JULY 30:

Weekly Offertory: \$ 2,918.60
Miscellaneous: \$ 275.00

ARE YOU MISSING OFFERTORY ENVELOPES?

If you have not been receiving your set of Envelopes. Please notify the Parish Office at 203-531-8730.

ONLINE GIVING

Would you please consider online giving?

This is a direct payment program whereby your contribution is debited automatically from your checking, savings or credit card account into the parish bank account. Online Giving allows you to make donations, payments, and pledges via your mobile phone, smart device or computer.



Ministry to the Homebound
If you, or someone you know, is homebound and would like our priest visit you, please contact the Rectory at 203-531-8730.

SCHOOL HALL RENTAL
Our School Hall is available for your use:

1. Business Meetings
2. Birthday Parties
3. Baptism Parties
4. Confirmation Party
5. Wedding Reception
6. Reception after Funeral
7. Halloween Party
8. Thanksgiving Party
9. Baby/Bridal Shower
10. Any other special event

If you are interested, please contact the office during the office hours, at 203-531-8730.

Please pray for the sick of our Parish, especially Liz & Tom Williams and Mary Heminway. Please pray also for the deceased members of our Parish.



We welcome the new members to our Parish Family

1. Grance, Maida & Diego
2. Novoa Salcedo, Diana & Francisco
3. Villagra, Sinthya



The last date for Registration was July 1, 2023. However, we still admit children with a late Registration fee. Classes for Grade 1 through 5 are at 3:45 - 4:45 p.m. and Grade 6 through 8 at 6:30 to 7:30 p.m. If you haven't registered your child and would like to enroll, please visit our website at www.sacredheartgreenwich.org

Please remember, students who attended classes last year should continue their Faith Formation right through grade 8th. Registration is required every year. All classes are held on Wednesdays.

Substitute Teachers

We are looking for a couple of substitute teachers: one or more to cover 1st Grade to 5th Grade and one or more to cover 6th Grade to 8th Grade. Their responsibility will be to come in and cover the class only when a teacher is absent due to ill-health or other valid reasons. Please contact the office for more details at 203-531-8730.

Also, we welcome any past 8th graders of our Religious Education program as a teacher's helper. Please contact the office.

PARISH PARKING LOTS

As you may recall, in the past parishioners coming to Masses had difficulty parking due to cars left in our lots. As a result we needed to install signage, cordon off our property and hire a towing service. Please note that there is no parking on Sacred Heart property except for Church activities and services. Unauthorized vehicles will be towed at the owner's expense.

Sacred Heart Advertiser of the week is: Go local! Advertise in our Bulletin!



If you would like to learn more about advertising call our Bulletin Representative: Judy McNee at jmcnee@jpp.net 203-856-9085.

Sacred Heart Prayer Group, will be happy to pray for anyone needing healing. If someone does not wish to be listed in the Parish bulletin, we can pray for a "special intention". Please contact the parish office.

Family Centers is looking for Literacy volunteers who would like to tutor English to adult students and make a distinctive impact in their community. If you are interested, please contact Literacy Volunteers at Family Centers at 203-324-3167.

SACRED HEART PARISH MISSION STATEMENT

We are the presence of Jesus Christ manifesting through our Faith Community of Sacred Heart Parish, rooted in the Gospel of Jesus Christ, committed to living and sharing of Faith, to invite all to listen to the message of Christ as expressed in our parish and to foster the Gospel values in and around our parish for the ongoing transformation by the saving power of Christ.

DO YOU KNOW?

To be officially registered in any parish, you need to complete a Registration Form. Online. Even if you attend Mass regularly, contribute or receive Offertory envelopes, you are not registered in a parish if you haven't completed a Registration Form. If you have never completed a Registration Form, or if you don't remember if you completed it a while ago and your family information has changed, why not fill one out today? Please visit our website www.sacredheartgreenwich.org. Thank you!

Dear Parishioners,

Below is a note from Jan Gunnip, our Music Director, regarding the ORGAN. She has explained so well about the need to replace our old Organ with a used organ. The total cost is \$8,000.

Here I come with a request to all the parishioners to contribute generously towards the cost of the organ. Any donation/contribution, however small, is welcome and will be greatly appreciated.

You may drop off your check (Memo: Organ) in the collection basket, or mail it to the Office.

God bless you and your families.

Fr. Mark D'Silva
Pastor

A note from the organist:

Over the past year, the organ has been degrading. It started with one key not playing from time to time and as of last week, there were 9 keys not working on both keyboards. Unfortunately, the manufacturer is no longer in business, and we could not get a replacement keyboard. That left us with two choices – either buy a new organ or purchase a used organ. We were fortunate to find a used organ that would meet our needs. We bought the organ through the organ repair company that we have been using for several years now. They are providing a 5-year, full warranty on the organ and it will cost less than half as much money as a new organ. I felt that this was a prudent investment for parish and asked Fr. Mark and the Finance Committee for their blessing.

While the price is less than a new organ, it is still a significant investment and one we were not planning on. We are hoping that the parishioners can assist to defray some of the cost by donating toward this purchase.

Thank you for your consideration and support,
Jan Gunnip



Thank you for your service!

Our long time parishioners, Lynn Stempien and Tim Duff are leaving us to start a new chapter in their life in Naples, Florida. We were very fortunate to have them in our Parish all these years. Lynn volunteered numerous years with our Easter Baskets and Thanksgiving Baskets. Tim was one of our Ushers and helped us with any traffic and safety issues we had for many years. A very special thank you to both. We will miss them.

Fr. Mark D'Silva
Pastor



Birthright Baby Shower

Sacred Heart will host their annual Birthright Baby Shower September 10-24. Items can be placed in the bassinet in the Baptismal area. Birthright is in need of diapers any size, wipes, infant clothing 0-9 months for both girls and boys. They can also use baby shampoo, bath soap, lotion, Aquaphor, burp cloths and bibs. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please make your check payable to "Birthright of Greater Norwalk" and leave in an envelope in the bassinet. If you have any questions, contact Kathy Wiegand at

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