

# Sacred Heart Church

1817 1<sup>st</sup> Street  
Bethlehem, PA 18020



August 9 - August 10, 2025

**Reverend Frans J. Berkhout, Pastor**

Deacon Hugh Carlin

Deacon Joe Juhasz

**Mass Schedule:**

Daily: Monday – Friday: 7:30am

Saturday: 8am (Civic holiday: 9:00am)

**Weekend:**

Saturday Vigil: 5:00 pm

Sunday: 8:00am & 10:00am

**Confession:**

Saturday: 4:15 to 4:45pm

**CCD:**

Deacon Joe Juhasz

mostsacredheartccd@gmail.com

**RCIA/Safe Environment:**

Deacon Hugh Carlin

hugh@thecarlins.net

**Parish Office:**

Telephone: 610-865-5042 Ext. 3

Email: ParishOffice@SacredHeartBethlehem.com

Website: SacredHeartBethlehem.com

**Organizations:**

**Holy Name Society** – Al Dezubay

adezubay@dezubay.com

**Knights of Columbus**

Steve Felix

stephen.t.felix@gmail.com

**Prime Time Club** – JoAnn Crosson

ubatapred@rcn.com

**Pro-Life** – Veronica Azan

marysonshine@rcn.com

**Music Ministry** – Cathy Hageman

610-392-5306

bigdawg2@ptd.net

**Bereavement Support Group**

Paulette Vuchko

paulettev1220@icloud.com

To arrange for Christian burial contact:  
Holy Saviour Cemetery 610-866-2372x1

**“Glorify God, save souls, make saints, teach truth”**

**Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, August 9**

**5:00pm** Janet Zambo  
by Rita Straub

**Sunday, August 10**

**8:00am** Missa Pro Populo

**10:00am** Peter F. Sherman  
by Elizabeth Sherman and Family

**Mass Schedule**

\*Mass Intentions are subject to change as needed\*

**August 11 - August 15, 2025**

**Mon. (11)** *St. Clare, Virgin*  
**7:30am** Salvatore and Anna Follo  
by The Colarusso Family

**Tues. (12)** *St. Jane Frances de Chantal, Religious*  
**7:30am** Craig T. Muff  
by Linda Raad

**Wed. (13)** *Sts. Pontian, Pope & Hippolytus,*  
**7:30am** *Priest, Martyrs*  
Clement Donlan  
by The Donlan Family

**Thurs. (14)** *St. Maximilian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr*  
**7:30am** Living & Deceased Members of the  
Keretz Family  
by The Boyer Family

**Fri. (15)** *The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary*  
**7:30am** Carl Ferraira, Sr.  
by Jessica Ferraira  
**11:00am** Mass at the Birches  
**7:00pm** Zachary Rodgers  
by Bob and Reggie Fleissner

**Sat. (16)** *St. Stephen of Hungary*  
**8:00am** For the Intentions of  
Steve & Maria Rush  
50th Wedding Anniversary

**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, August 16**

**5:00pm** Matthew and Josephine Petrucella  
by Marcella Henninger

**Sunday, August 17**

**8:00am** Bela Juhasz  
by Mary Lou and Deacon Joe  
**10:00am** Missa Pro Populo

**Upcoming Counting Team Schedule**

**August 18**

J. Kalata, B. Fleissner, J. D'Angelo, T. Thoder

**August 25**

V. Schwarz, D. Makin, C. Hoffert, D. Pilzer

**Parish Office Hours**

**Monday:** 9:00am - 3:00pm

**Tuesday, Thursday, Friday:** 9:00am-12:00pm  
**Parishoffice@sacredheartbethlehem.com**

**Sanctuary Lights**



Candles are lit for 7 days. A donation of \$15 is suggested. To have one of these Sanctuary Lights lit, stop by the Service Desk.

**High Altar:**

**For: Priests, Deacons and Religious**

**Blessed Virgin Mary Altar**

**For: Clementine Vocaturo**  
by: The LeBeau Family

**Sacred Heart Memorial Society**

All donations to the Sacred Heart Memorial Society will be used for the purchasing of items needed to celebrate the Sacraments.



**For: Diane T. Moncman**

**by: Sacred Heart Parishioners**

**Upcoming Liturgical Ministry Schedule**

**Saturday, Sunday: August 16 – August 17**

**Lectors:**

**5:00pm** M. Faccinetto

**8:00am** B. Slavoski

**10:00am** M. Skrincosky

**Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion:**

**5:00pm** T. Thoder, R. Yost

**8:00am** R. Fitzpatrick, K. Figueroa

**10:00am** R. DelVecchio, T. Gaylor

**Upcoming Service Desk Schedule**

**Saturday, Sunday: August 16 – August 17**

**Volunteers:**

**5:00pm** J. Mendes

**8:00am** P. Vuchko

**10:00am** B. Kincaid

**Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator:** Ms. Wendy S. Krisak 1-800-791-9209

**Office of Safe Environment:** Pamela Russo, MSW, MS; P.O. Box F; Allentown, PA 18105;  
610-871-5200, Ext. 2204; prusso@allentowndiocese.org

**Diocese of Allentown Protection of Youth Policy:** www.allentowndiocese.org

**Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service:** If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at www.ReportBishopAbuse.org or by calling 1-800-276-1562.

**Pray for all those who are Sick or Injured:**

Emily FaRannte, Eileen M. Jakob, Ray Sullivan,  
Colin Jerome Boyce, Deborah FaRannte, Bryan  
Eckert, Tabatha Schreck, Chubby Figueroa,  
Donna Humphrey, Tom Morgan,  
MaryChristine D'Angelo, Lollie Englehart,  
Ashlyn Spiker and Clementine Vocaturo.

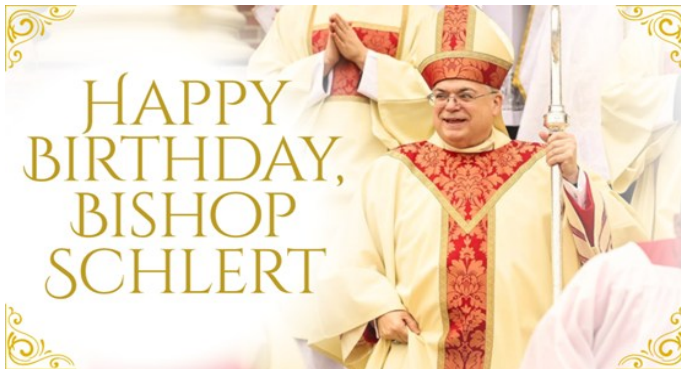


**Rosary and Devotions**

Join your fellow parishioners for Rosary  
every Tuesday from 6:00pm to 6:30pm.  
**Please use St. Joseph Entrance.**

**Next First Friday, September 5, Adoration  
Immediately following the 7:30am Mass.**

**Rosary at The Birches:  
8/21, 9/4, 9/18 @11:00am**



The Diocese of Allentown is pleased to extend its warmest birthday wishes and a spiritual bouquet to the Most Rev. Alfred A. Schlert, Bishop of the Diocese of Allentown. We invite you to share your heartfelt birthday message and indicate how you would like to contribute to his spiritual bouquet..

This spiritual bouquet will be a collection of prayers offered for Bishop Schlert's intentions. Individuals, groups, or parishes may participate by dedicating prayers, such as the Our Father, Hail Mary, Glory Be, Memorare, or a prayer of your choice.

You may drop off your spiritual bouquet in a sealed envelope for Bishop Schlert and place in the box provided at the Service Desk. The parish office will forward them to Bishop Schlert.

**ATTEND**

**Pennsylvania Right for Life March**

Harrisburg State Capitol on Monday, September 22nd.  
Bus **departing** Sacred Heart Church in Bethlehem at  
8:00 am returning around 4:00 pm **COST:** \$20.00 per  
person.

For more information contact:  
Andrew – (484) 259-7740 or  
email at [adrewazan3rd@rcn.com](mailto:adrewazan3rd@rcn.com)

**Weekly Collections:**

**August 2 - August 3 \$6,879.00**

*Thank you.*



*Please pray for our recently deceased:*

Diane T. Moncman

*Eternal rest grant unto her O Lord.*

**Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION**



In Observance of The Assumption of the Blessed  
Virgin Mary on **Friday, August 15,**

**Mass will be celebrated at**

**7:30am and also at 7:00pm**

**11:00 am Mass will be celebrated at The Birches**

**Sacred Heart Advertising**

Please submit your events, requests, notices, etc.  
for placement in our church bulletin to:

**[parishoffice@sacredheartbethlehem.com](mailto:parishoffice@sacredheartbethlehem.com)**

You may also leave your request at the Service  
Desk, or drop it by the Parish Office.

Include contact information, when you want it  
published, a deadline for responses and how often you  
want it to run. Contingent on what else is going into the  
bulletin, we can usually accommodate two or three  
consecutive issues. We need 8 to 10 days lead time to  
plan for the space.

For external advertising, please email Mary  
Vanya ([Mariska@enter.net](mailto:Mariska@enter.net)) the composed blurbs. Mary  
will send the requests to other Parishes, the ADTimes,  
Morning Call and Bethlehem Patch.

All outside advertising (except Bethlehem Patch) needs  
to receive the requests a full two weeks in advance of the  
publication dates.

**Fall C.Y.O. Girls Volleyball**

Any girl in grades 4 - 8 who is a Sacred Heart  
parishioner but is NOT a member of a Catholic School  
C.Y.O. volleyball team is invited to play C.Y.O.  
volleyball. No experience is necessary. Participants  
must be active parishioners and enrolled in the C.C.D.  
program or attending a Catholic School.

If interested, please contact Mary Vanya, C.Y.O. District One  
Volleyball Commissioner at [mariska@enter.net](mailto:mariska@enter.net) or text to:  
610-417-2642 or contact coach Michael Zile, Our Lady of  
Perpetual Help at [michaeljzile@gmail.com](mailto:michaeljzile@gmail.com)



### **Diocesan Cemetery Mausoleum**

The new Diocesan Cemetery Mausoleum-Tongues as of Fire-Assumption of Mary Mausoleum is now available at Holy Saviour Cemetery for the purchase of entombment rights in a single or companion crypt or interment in side by side niches for cremated remains. The Resurrection-Ascension Mausoleum is available at both Resurrection and Holy Saviour Cemetery.

### **St. Mary's Sizzlin Summer Bingo**

St. Mary's Church, 122 Union St., Catasauqua will hold their Sizzlin' Summer Cash Bingo on Sunday, August 17<sup>th</sup> in their Parish Center. Doors and kitchen open at 11:30 AM with Bingo beginning at 1:00 PM. The cost for Bingo is \$15 which includes 15 games, six specials, and one jackpot round. To keep the cost at \$15 no outside food or drinks are permitted. The kitchen will be selling your St. Mary's favorites. Please bring your daubers – no hardboards. Reservations are encouraged by emailing [kim.stmarys122@gmail.com](mailto:kim.stmarys122@gmail.com) or calling 610-264-0332.



Join The Birches, 5030 Freemansburg Ave., on August 21 at 6:00pm for a presentation "10 Effective Strategies to Work with Your Loved One with Dementia".

Please RSVP by August 20 by calling 610-438-6600.

### **NORTHAMPTON COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING CAREGIVER SUPPORT GROUP**

WHEN: 1st Thursday Every Month  
WHERE: 2801 Emrick Blvd Bethlehem, Pa 18020  
TIME: 2:15 p.m.-3:30 p.m.

About: The group is designed for you to share your experiences, expertise and emotional support with other caregivers within the community.

(Light refreshments - Guest Speakers)

RSVP 610-829-4540

Facilitator: Tiffany M Smith

### **NORTHAMPTON COUNTY AREA AGENCY ON AGING GRANDPARENT SUPPORT GROUP**

WHEN: 3rd Thursday Every Month  
WHERE: 2801 Emrick Blvd Bethlehem, Pa 18020  
TIME: 2:15 p.m.-3:30 p.m.

About: The group is designed for grandparents to share your experiences, expertise and emotional support with other grandparent caregivers within the community.

(Light refreshments - Guest Speakers)

RSVP 610-829-4540

**Mass and Dinner for the Memorial of St. Monica**  
Bishop Alfred Schlert will celebrate a Mass for the Memorial of St. Monica at 6:00pm on Wednesday, August 27, at St. Theresa Church, 1408 Easton Road, Hellertown. Mass will be followed by a buffet dinner in Friendship Hall. Tickets for the dinner are \$10 per person. R.S.V.P. at [stmonicaministry27@gmail.com](mailto:stmonicaministry27@gmail.com) or call the St. Theresa Rectory at 610-838-7045. Come join in petition and fellowship with those who are praying for the return to the Church of fallen-away loved ones.

This evening is being sponsored by the St. Monica Ministry

### **"Night at the Races"**

Sponsored by our Sacred Heart Knights of Columbus. Saturday, September 27, in Father King Memorial Hall. Doors open at 6:30 PM; 1st race at 7:00 PM. Enjoy the thrills of being at a real horse race with 12 video races; bet as little as \$1 a race. Win cash prizes. Profits benefit local charities. Come out and have a great time. Forms available at back of church; turn in envelopes with pre-payment to any Knight or in the weekend collection.



- Admission: \$15 (21 years and over)
- Admission price covers free Bar-B-Q, Hot dogs, Chips, Beer, Wine and Soda
- Feel free to BYOB and your favorite lucky snacks
- Reserve tables of 8 for \$100
- Become a Horse Owner and name your horse for \$10; your personally named horse will be slotted in a race and noted on the Race program. If your horse wins the race, you win \$25

Contact Steve Felix at 610-730-9294 or email to [kofc15682@gmail.com](mailto:kofc15682@gmail.com)