SACRED HEART CHURCH

Bushwood, Maryland – Founded 1755

Father Kevin Fields Deacon Joseph Lloyd

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Parish Website: www.sacredheartbushwood.org Parish Email: sacredheart.bushwood.md@adw.org

Faith Formation Coord. - Kimmie Gibson - Email: HASHfaithformation@gmail.com Youth Ministry - Theresa Friess - Email: southernmarylandroots@gmail.com

Masses: Sunday 6:30 & 8:00 a.m. and Thurs. & Fri. 8:00 a.m.

Eucharistic Adoration: Friday 8:30 – 9:30 a.m. Confessions: Saturday 2:45 – 3:15 p.m. Sunday 7:30 – 7:50 a.m. and Friday 8:30 – 9:00 a.m.

Baptisms: By appointment. **Weddings**: Contact Father six months in advance.

Rectory Office Hours: Mon. – Fri. 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. **Seventh District Catholic Aid Society**: 240-256-4101

MASS INTENTIONS

Mon.	Aug.	28	NO MASS	
Tues.	Aug.	29	8:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
Wed.	Aug.	30	7:00 p.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
Thurs	. Aug.	31	8:00 a.m.	Barbara Russell
Fri.	Sept.	1	8:00 a.m.	Barbara Goode
Sat.	Sept.	2	9:00 a.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
	-		4:30 p.m.	Mass at Holy Angels
Sun.	Sept.	3	6:30 a.m.	Parishioners of S.H. & H.A.
	-		8:00 a.m.	John W. Lacey, Sr.
			10:30 a.m.	Mass at Holy Angels

FAITH FORMATION REGISTRATION: 2023-2024 Faith Formation Registration has begun. Registration forms can be found at the entrance of the church or online at sacredheartbushwoood.org. Forms and payment need to be returned no later than September 3rd. Classes will begin Sunday, September 10th. If you have any questions contact Kimmie at HASHfaithformation@gmail.com.

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: The parish office will be closed from Monday, Aug. 28 - Monday, September 4th. The office will re-open on Tuesday, September 5th. Father Fields will be checking messages.

PARISH PICTORIAL DIRECTORY: Extra evening hours have been added to the dates in October. If you have not signed up yet, please do so as soon as possible. All non-mobility homebound parishioners that would like a photo taken or an existing photo submitted for the directory, there is a fee of \$15 to submit a photograph. This is for individuals that are shut-ins and are not able to come to the parish hall. Please contact Billy & Rachael Lacey at 240-577-1723 or e-mail them at billylacey20609@gmail.com to schedule them to come out and take your picture.

\$100 A MONTH CLUB WINNER: The \$100 A Month Club winner for August is George Quade from Salsbury.

ROSARY FACTS – DID YOU KNOW? The string of beads used to pray the Rosary is called a rosary, which comes from the Latin word 'roserius' meaning garland of roses. The word bead comes from an Old English word 'biddan', which means to pray or to entreat. Using beads to pray dates back to early Christianity when clergy members would use knots or beads to help keep track of prayers. The Men's Rosary Group will meet on Sunday, September 10th, at Still Creek Vineyards, beginning at 6:00 pm.

DISASTER RELIEF FOR MAUI: May we keep those affected by this disaster in our prayers. Donations to assist in the recovery efforts can be made directly through Catholic Charities USA at www.catholiccharitiesusa.org or telephone 1-800-919-9338. Thank you for your corporal and spiritual works of mercy.

CATHOLIC HOMESCHOOL FAMILES MASS: Cardinal Gregory is celebrating a Beginning of the School Year Mass for all Catholic homeschool families. The Mass will be celebrated at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception (Crypt Church) on Sunday, September 10th, at 10:00 AM.

RED, WHITE, AND BLUE MASS: First Responders and their vehicles will be blessed following Mass at Holy Angels Church on Sept. 10th. Southern Maryland ROOTS students will host a Local Heroes brunch across the street at Holy Angels Hall from 12 – 2pm. All First Responders and their families are welcome to attend. For more information visit www.southernmarylandroots.org.

SOUTHERN MARYLAND ROOTS NEWS: "The Journey" 2nd Annual High School Pilgrimage to St. Clements Island is back again this year for high school youth on September 30th 2023 in Colton's Point MD on the Potomac River, from 8:00am to 8:00pm. The cost is \$65.00 per Student or Chaperone. Price includes Boat Transportation, Lunch/Dinner/Snacks, draw sting bag with t-shirt, live concert and so much more.... This year's special guests will be Fr. Peter Pompesello and Joe Melendrez!! You will not want to miss this incredible opportunity for your teens! Please share this event with all youth as they will not want to miss this opportunity! To register or request scholarship information for this event visit: Southernmarylandroots.org or feel free to email: southernmarylandroots@gmail.com. Promotional videos for you to review. https://youtu.be/Bp_tSwS5-30 https://youtu.be/8o5L2Je2MM8

REQUEST FOR INTERCESSORY PRAYER: Sick: Roger & Barbara Raley, Nancy Russell, Joseph L. Quade, Jr., Keith Polk, Mary Ann Hayden, Charles Beaver, Sean Campbell, Anita Lacey, Jeff Woodward, Calestard Gravett, Joann Beavers, David Hill, Ruth Hayden, Matthew Quade, Mike Bailey, Virgie Banagan, Ann Robrecht, Carol Dean and Elaine Frederick.