

32ND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME NOVEMBER 7, 2021

FROM OUR PRIESTS' DESKS

Dear Brothers and Sisters of Sacred Heart:

Every year right around this time our religious community gathers at Ascension Cemetery in Monsey to conduct a prayer service for the deceased members of the Augustinian Recollect Order who are buried there. It's something of a bittersweet moment when our friars put aside a few hours from their work to thank God and to pray together for our deceased brothers, many of whom we personally knew, and with whom we labored side by side in carrying out the ministry of the Church right here in Rockland County. Of course, it's all part of the larger custom of Catholics during the month of November to remember the faithful departed, the "Poor Souls" as we used to say: all of our relatives, friends, and brothers and sisters in the Catholic faith who have died, and yet whom we believe are still living through the power and love of the One who has assured us: "I am the Resurrection and the life; whoever believes in me, even if they die, shall live forever." In affirming our belief in this promise of Jesus, we say in the Creed that we recite each Sunday that we believe ". . . in the resurrection of the dead and life everlasting."

Certainly this belief in a future life, in life beyond the grave, is one of the most consoling and reassuring aspects of our faith: that we have not permanently lost those who are dear to us and have been separated from us by death—a mother or father, a wife or husband, a close relative, or a good friend—but that this separation is only a temporary one; that we shall see them again in that place where, as the funeral liturgy says so beautifully, "we shall never lose a friend, where every tear will be wiped away, and death shall be no more." During this month of November, then, we continue to pray for all the Faithful Departed, and in doing so to place our trust in the One who has promised us an eternal dwelling place which, as St. Augustine says, is our true homeland.

Fr. John Gruben, OAR

Fr. Michael Rafferty, OAR

Fr. Eric Crelencia, OAR



SACRED HEART LAWN ORNAMENT CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISER

Each donation of \$25 or more will be honored with a family Lawn ornament displayed on the property in front of the church and on the Memorial Walk.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Let my prayer come into your presence. Incline your ear to my cry for help, O Lord.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

Praise the Lord, my soul!

The Lord keeps faith forever, secures justice for the oppressed, gives food to the hungry. The Lord sets captives free.

Praise the Lord, my soul!

The fatherless and the widow he sustains, but the way of the wicked he thwarts. The Lord shall reign forever, your God, O Zion, through all generations. Alleluia.

SACRED HEART CHURCH

\$10,000.00 RAFFLE

**OUR BIGGEST MOST IMPORTANT FUNDRAISER OF
THE YEAR!**

TICKETS \$100 EACH (1 IN 250 CHANCE TO WIN)

**TO DATE WE STILL NEED TO SELL 118
TICKETS**

**Available at the Rectory
Monday to Friday - 9am to 5pm**

1ST PRIZE - \$10,000.00

2ND PRIZE - \$1,000.00

3RD PRIZE - \$500.00

Winning tickets will be drawn at 3:00pm in the school gymnasium on Sunday, November 28th, the first Sunday of Advent.



IN MEMORY OF TREE

We will be honoring all those lost this year with a remembrance ornament displayed on a beautiful Birch Tree, which will be placed in the Church in front of the Tabernacle throughout the Advent and Christmas season. If you wish to have a loved one represented on the tree, please look for a form in the back of the church and fill out the bottom portion of the form and return it to the rectory office. A donation of any kind would be gratefully accepted.

CHRISTMAS FUNDRAISER



CLASSIC WREATHS, GRAVE BLANKETS, CROSSES CENTERPEICES AND GREETING CARDS

NOVEMBER 28TH, 2021

These will all add warmth and fragrance to your homes during the Christmas season. Let's make Christmas extra special this year especially due to the Corona Virus. These will be on sale November 28th the *First Sunday of Advent*. We will also pick our \$10,000 Raffle winner on the 28th.

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY THANKSGIVING BASKETS

We are asking for donations of turkeys and trimmings for Thanksgiving Baskets.

Due to CoVid we will have drive in donations of food on the following dates:

Saturday, November 13th - 10:00am to 12:00pm

Friday, November 19th - 4:00pm to 6:00pm

The baskets will be distributed on Monday, **November 22 from 10am until 12:00pm** in the parking lot (drive through only). Please contribute if possible. This is St. Vincent DePaul Society's Annual Thanksgiving event to help the needy in our midst and this year with the help and support of the Suffern Community Foundation. Thank you for your help!

PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, November 7

Monday, November 8

Rel. Ed Grade 6 – 4:30pm to 6pm

Tuesday, November 9

Rel. Ed. Grades 3-5 – 4:30pm to 6pm

Rel. Ed. Grades 7 & 8 – 7pm to 8:30pm

Parent Meeting 8th grade in the gym 7pm

Wednesday, November 10

Immaculate Heart of Mary Prayer Group – 7:30-8:30pm
-Church

Thursday, November 11

Friday, November 12

Prayer Shawl Mtg.- 1pm in the gym

Saturday, November 13

Religious Education -Grades 1 & 2 – 9:30am to 11am

Holy Rosary - 12pm

SHARING WHAT WE HAVE IN JESUS' NAME

October 31 Collection – \$11,878.

Last Year's - \$11,007

All Saints Collection - \$2,404.

Last Year's - \$1,140.

PARISH MEMORIAL SOCIETY

Alan Meccia

Stefania Ucinska

Lorette Eckoff

Kathleen Cammarata

Marylyn Tie

Dorothy Gary

Christine & Dick Corcillo

Norma Calamito

Herman Jongebloed

Albert Abbriano

Peter Mathangani

Salvador Aguila

Mr. William Hefferon

Mrs. Ann P. O'Gorman

Madelyn Nicpon

Vincent D'Alessio



THE GIVING TREE WILL BE HERE SOON

The Giving Tree is an Advent fixture here at Sacred Heart and many other parishes. This effort highlights the generosity of our parishioners towards those who can use some help. Please take one (or more) of the *ornaments* (Tags) and give them a gift from your heart. Your thoughtfulness will bring great joy to our brothers and sisters in Christ. The Giving Tree donations go to Good Counsel Homes, Birthright, Ramapo Manor, homeless and others in need. Please look for the Giving Tree set up in the back of the Church beginning Sunday, November 28th. **Gifts are due by Sunday, December 12th.** P.S. We are putting the tree out a week early.

GIVING TREE SISTERS OF LIFE VISITATION MISSION CHRISTMAS GIFT COLLECTION

For the last several years one of our recipients of our giving tree gifts has been the **Sisters of Life Visitation Mission** which helps mothers and children. This year with the virus they have found an alternate way to send gifts other than the usual physical gifts we have sent for years. Take a picture of the QR code or visit:

www.sistersoflife.org/registry

The code can also be found hanging on the Giving Tree which will be out beginning on Sunday, November 21st.



BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Saint Margaret of Antioch Church, Pearl River, is hosting a five-week Bereavement Support Group. Meetings are held on Wednesdays at 10:00 AM: November 10, 17, December 1 and 8. Our Bereavement Support Group is a safe place for the bereaved to share, to learn about grief and to receive support, empathy, and acceptance. Registration, in advance, is required! Please call Tracey at the Parish Center Office at 845 735-4746 x112.



BANNS OF MARRIAGE For the Second Time

Mary Miller and Brendan Brown



*Please pray for those who are ill
and have asked us to pray for
them:* **Theresa Anselmi, Paul**

Brennan, Emil Boss, Joe Bauer, Angie Clifford, Robert Conly, Comerford Family, Teresa & Tom Consolo, The Cosentino Family, Fr. Frank Cregan, Janet Curcione, Joe Davey, Anthony DeFrancesco III, Matthew DeMayo, Cledha Desir, Mary Discini, John Duffy, David Eckert Sr., Ginny & Sonny Figula, William Figundio, Stefanie Gaudelli, John Genardi, Teddy Girvan, Joseph Gilson, Debra Gravina, Mary Guarnieri, Senan Halpin, Clement Hayes, Sierra Holmes, Domenic & Anthony Iannaccone, Rob Incognoli, Bob Janson, Fran Janson, Eileen Kennedy, Steven C. Klumpp, Fred Lemoine, Elizabeth Lempka, Robert Liggio, Ginger Listwan, Vasily Lockhart, Roberta Lynch, Laura Mack, Matthew Luludis, Charles Lynch, D. Pat Lynch, Kathy Masserano, Thomas Mathai, Jeanne Matera, Richard McCarthy, Rosemary McCormick, Catherine McMenamin, John McLoughlin, Jacob Mendelsohn, Joyce Miller, John (Jim) Murphy, Barbara Neilson, Robert Nunes, Thomas O'Connor, Jennifer O'Hara, Pat O'Neill, Nancy Overend, Leona Overend, Nolita Padilla, Philippe Pages, Tracey Pavetti, Joseph Payne, Shace Paljusevic, Frances Petrosky, Noreen Pidgeon, Barbara Procopio, James Procopio, Etta Rooney, Phyllis Ross, Rosemarie Scandura, Claudia Spallanzani, Maureen Sweeney, Joseph Pasculli, Ty Reilly, Michael Shumway, Jean Simons, Maureen Starke, Lindsey Sterling, Shaun Stein, Patricia Steiper, Janet Tamburro, Richard Vanadio, Barbara Veraldo Strano, Phyllis Varacalli, Kali Villela.

ALTAR MEMORIALS

NOVEMBER 7, 2021

**ALTAR CANDLES
In Memory of
PASQUALE PELLEGRINO**

**SANCTUARY LAMP
In Memory of
LESLEY AMERES**

BOOSTER CLUB

WEEK 2-MICHAEL PAGANO



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

9:00AM DAILY- (MONDAY – SATURDAY)

SAT. VIGIL MASS - 5:30PM ENGLISH

7:15PM (SPANISH)

SUNDAYS

**8:30AM, 10:00AM, 11:30AM, 1:00PM AND
5:30PM**

LIVE STREAMED ON OUR WEBSITE:

WWW.SACREDHEARTPARISH.ORG

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

9:00am – Aline Hendrickson

12:00pm – Holy Rosary

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 6

5:30pm – **Vigil Mass** – Pramila, Cyril & Swithin D'Sousa

7:15pm – Spanish Mass- Spec. Int. /

Carlos Matrica Llivicata

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 7

8:30am – Douglas Kantor

10:00am – Sabatina Tomeo

11:30am – Aurelio & Caterina Licata

1:00pm – Jacqueline Zangrilli

5:30pm – Parish Memorials and All Parishioners

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 8

9:00am – Harold "Hack" Gravius

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 9

9:00am – Lisa Pilié Jocelyn

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 10

9:00am – Rose Michelotti

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 11

9:00am – ALL VETERANS

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 12

9:00am – Pasquale Pellegrino

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13

9:00am – Susan Jarkiewicz

12:00pm – Holy Rosary

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 13

5:30pm – Louis Diamond

7:15pm – Spanish- Aurora Menendez

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 14

8:30am – Dianne Messina

10:00am – Renzo Rosica

11:30am – Jennie & Robert Puzziferro

1:00pm – Sofia & Luigi Gallo

5:30pm – Parish Memorial / All Parishioners



Let us pray for our deceased parishioners,
and family members and loved ones:
**Robert Seja, Theresa Reda, Gloria Pilla
Cynthia Robbins, Rosemary Gannon,
Patricia Naber, Michelina Bocchichio,
Bruno Cosentino.**