

# THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

## JUNE 22, 2025

### FROM OUR PRIESTS' DESKS:

Hi, brothers and sisters in The Lord:

Did you catch those words of Saint Paul? Here's a lil repeatin': FOR AS OFTEN AS YOU EAT THIS BREAD AND DRINK THE CUP, YOU PROCLAIM THE DEATH OF THE LORD UNTIL HE COMES...There it is! Today, in a short while, many of us will be eating and drinking of His Body and Blood...& while doing so, whether the thought pops into our noggins or not- WE'LL BE PROCLAIMING THE DEATH OF THE LORD UNTIL HE COMES! & this is the fact, friends, that the Holy Eucharist, is the source and summit of our Faith! For those that are not receiving the Eucharist, nonetheless, you are here, sharing His Word in song and proclamation and community! We are, ALL OF US, coheirs in Christ- A pilgrim people celebrating in this Jubilee Year of Hope! The Eucharist embodies us to build ourselves up in mutual love for one another! Last Tuesday's Gospel is one of Jesus's most difficult teachings to embrace- In three words: LOVE THY ENEMIES...Iran/Israel, Russia/Ukraine, India/Pakistan...That declaration of Jesus is a head scratcher for real! Genuine concern for one another, brothers and sisters...GENUINE CONCERN! Such concern consumes every good soul who TAKES AND EATS AND SEES THE GOODNESS OF THE LORD!

Who feels a calling to the vocation as an Extraordinary Minister of the Holy Eucharist? & as Lector of The Word? We, your family in The Lord needs you, God needs you! Should you feel such the call, please reach out to we, your priests and faithful of our blessed community of Sacred Heart. We are looking forward to welcoming new ministers to share these ministries at Holy Mass. Those interested in fulfilling these callings, please call the rectory!

God bless us all!

**Fr. Michael Rafferty, OAR, Pastor**

Fr. John Gruben, OAR  
Fr. Eric Crelencia, OAR



### ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

He fed them with the finest wheat and satisfied them with honey from the rock.

### RESPONSORIAL PSALM:

**You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek.**  
The Lord said to my Lord: "Sit at my right hand till I make your enemies your footstool."

**You are a priest forever, in the line of Melchizedek.**  
The Lord has sworn, and he will not repent: "You are a priest forever, according to the order of Melchizedek."

### SHARING WHAT WE HAVE IN JESUS' NAME

**The Most Holy Trinity– \$10,524.  
Last Year -\$10,995.**

**Latin America/ Home Missions - \$3,008.  
Last Year's - \$4,475.**

### PARISH CALENDAR

**Sunday, June 22**

**Monday, June 23**

Novena Our Lady of Miraculous Medal after 9am Mass  
Grupo Carismático-Cafeteria 7:30pm

**Tuesday, June 24**

**Wednesday, June 25**

Immaculate Heart Prayer Group – 7:30pm Church  
Grupo Estudio Biblico – 8pm in the cafeteria

**Thursday, June 26**

**Friday, June 27 Office closes at 2pm**

**Saturday, June 28**

7:30am – St. Joseph's men's Bible Discussion- pre-k



### CARDINAL'S ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

Our goal this year is \$107,100. Your donations help the entire Archdiocese in so many ways. It is only through your generosity that the Archdiocese can help so many, here in our own area and the entire Archdiocese of New York. Even the smallest amount helps. Please consider donating. To date: \$60,333. has been donated.

**BLOOD DRIVE**  
**HERE AT**  
**SACRED HEART**  
**MONDAY, JUNE 30**  
**IN THE GYM**  
**FROM 1PM TO 7PM**

**To Make an Appointment: Please call: 800-933-2566**

**Appointments Encouraged, Walk-ins Welcome**

**THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD**

O Jesus, since You have left us a remembrance of Your Passion beneath the veils of this Sacrament, grant us, we pray, so to venerate the sacred mysteries of Your Body and Blood that we may always enjoy the fruits of Your Redemption, for You live and reign forever. Amen.

**PRAYER TO THE SACRED HEART**



Lord Jesus, let my heart never rest until it finds You,

Who are its center, its love, and its happiness.

By The wound in Your Heart  
Pardon the sins that I have committed  
Whether out of malice or out of evil desires.

Place my weak heart in  
Your own divine Heart,

Continually under Your protection and guidance,  
so that I may persevere in doing good and in  
fleeing evil until my last breath.

Amen.

*St. Margaret Mary Alacoque*

**DONATING ONLINE  
WITH WE SHARE!**

Have you considered making your contributions online? It is so easy to do and goes a long way to minimize any human errors in accounting and gives you the ability to view your contribution any time. At the end of the year, you still receive a complete accounting of your donations for tax purposes. For the parish it helps with reducing costs associated with sending the envelopes out through our envelope company. So many parishioners forget to use the envelopes. Sometimes people have moved, and the church was not informed and have sent envelopes out already. So please consider donating online. Easy, Safe and Secure. Please visit our website: [www.sacredheartparish.org](http://www.sacredheartparish.org) and look for the donating tab. Thank you for considering online donating.

**MASS BOOK**

**2026 MASS BOOK will open September 1.**

The 2025 Mass book still has Masses available. When there are no Masses available for a particular date, there are Altar Memorials available to remember your loved ones.

Altar Wine - \$40.00

Altar Bread - \$30.00

Altar Candles \$20.00

Sanctuary Lamp \$10.00

**...Together With an Unannounced Mass.**

**A PRAYER FOR OUR COUNTRY**

Almighty God,  
bless our nation  
and make it true  
to the ideas of freedom and justice  
and brotherhood for all who make it great.

*Guard us from war,  
from fire and wind,  
from compromise, fear, confusion.*

Be close to our president and our statesmen;  
give them vision and courage,  
as they ponder decisions affecting peace  
and the future of the world.

*Make me more deeply aware of my heritage;  
realizing not only my rights  
but also my duties  
and responsibilities as a citizen.*

Make this great land  
and all its people  
know clearly Your will,  
that they may fulfill  
the destiny ordained for us  
in the salvation of the nations,  
and the restoring of all things in Christ.  
Amen

**SISTERS OF LIFE**

**Providing Life-affirming choices for women:** If you know someone who is struggling, please urge them to contact: [www.visitationcenterus.org](http://www.visitationcenterus.org) or call (877)777-1277. **Have you suffered an abortion?** Experience God's love and mercy and begin the journey of healing. Please call the Sisters of Life: 866-575-0075 or e-mail: [hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org](mailto:hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org). For men, call Theresa Bonopartis at Lumina: 877-586-4621 or e-mail: [Lumina@postabortionhelp.org](mailto:Lumina@postabortionhelp.org) **"Have you suffered an abortion?** Experience God's love and mercy and begin the journey of healing. Please call the Sisters of Life: 866-575-0075 or e-mail: [hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org](mailto:hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org). For men, call Theresa Bonopartis at Lumina: 877-586-4621 or e-mail: [Lumina@postabortionhelp.org](mailto:Lumina@postabortionhelp.org)

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

We welcome into the Roman Catholic Church and our Parish Community the following children who were recently baptized at Sacred Heart:

**JEHILYN YARELY MOROCHO**

**IKER DANIEL MOROCHO**

Children of Mario and Rosa



*Please pray for those who are ill and have asked us to pray for them:* Helene Marie Biby, Andrew

Bylec, Elantoniette Camagong, Ronald Carlucci, Siobhan Casey, Ramon Noel Crelencia, Angie Clifford, Joseph Collins Jr., Robert Conly, Comerford Family, Gina Conklin, Teresa & Tom Consolo, Laudelina Crowley, Eileen Caulin, Janet Curcione, Joe Davey, William Daniels, Carol Deery, Anthony DeFrancesco III, Matthew DeMayo, Cledha Desir, Marge Diebner, Karen DeJoie, , Mary Discini, Joseph Durante, Joseph Duarte, John Duffy, Gina Gasparre East, Jacqui Elder, Ginny & Sonny Figula, William Figundio, Teddy Girvan, Joseph Gilson, Spiros Grmmenos, Gail Griggs, Mary Guarnieri, Senan Halpin, Clement & Maureen Hayes, Catherine Howard, John Hughes, Rev. Charles Huse OAR, Domenic & Anthony Iannaccone, Rob Incognoli, Yvonne Gangone Ingui, Bob Janson, Fran Janson, Thomas Kelly, Eileen Kennedy, Rick Konrad, Steven C. Klumpp, Fred Lemoine, Elizabeth Lempka, Robert Liggio, Ginger Listwan, Vasily Lockhart, Laura Mack, Matthew Luludis, Thomas Mathai, Jeanne Matera, Chris Mayorga, Richard McCarthy, Thomas McGrath, Catherine McMenamin, John McLoughlin, Leonor Medranda, Jacob Mendelsohn, Joyce Miller, Iraida Molina, Aida Morales, Vanessa Morales, John Murphy, Dennis O'Connell, Thomas O'Connor, Jennifer O'Hara, Nancy Overend, Leona Overend, Nolita Padilla, Joseph Payne, Shace Paljusevic, Noreen Pidgeon, Barbara Procopio, James Procopio, Kathleen Rafferty (Fr. Michael's sister), Danny Ranke, Tony Ramos, Milton Ramos, Jerry Reilly Sr., Rose Romeo, Della Russell, Claudia Spallanzani, Joseph Pasculli, Abdul Shakur, Michael Shumway, Jean Simons, Thomas Sullivan, Grace & Patrick Sullivan, Rose Stark, Maureen Starke, Lindsey Sterling, Shaun Stein, Patricia Steiper, Barbara Veraldo Strano Janet Tamburro, Lissette Taylor, Elisa Greco Wegman Phyllis Varacalli, Kali Villela, and Yolanda Yarleque.

## ALTAR MEMORIALS

**JUNE 22, 2025**

**Sanctuary Lamp In Memory of  
DIANNE MESSINA**



Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, and family members and loved ones, especially: **Barbara Alfieri.**



## SCHEDULE OF MASSES

**7AM & 9:00AM DAILY – (MONDAY – FRIDAY)**

**SATURDAY – 9AM (FOLLOWED BY THE ROSARY)**

**SATURDAY VIGILS – 5:30PM AND 7:15PM**

**SUNDAYS**

**8:30AM, 10:00AM, 11:30AM 4:00PM (S)  
AND 5:30PM**

**SATURDAY, JUNE 21**

9:00am – † Henry Keane

**SATURDAY, JUNE 21**

5:30pm – † Lee Hawley

7:15pm – † Aurora Espinoz Zevallos /  
Gilda Espinoza Zevallos

**SUNDAY, JUNE 22**

8:30am – † Danilo Faraon

10:00am – † Jerry Peden

11:30am – † Nicholas LaBruna

4:00pm – † Delia Hernadez

5:30pm – All Parishioners / Parish Memorial

**MONDAY, JUNE 23**

7:00am – † Lorraine Bartoldas

9:00am – †

**TUESDAY, JUNE 24**

7:00am – †

9:00am – † Michael Zavoski

**WEDNESDAY, JUNE 25**

7:00am – †

9:00am – † Dianne Messina

**THURSDAY, JUNE 26**

7:00am – †

9:00am – †

**FRIDAY, JUNE 27 Feast of the Sacred Heart**

7:00am – † Santa Ingui

9:00am – †

**SATURDAY, JUNE 28**

9:00am – † Jim Randazzo

**SATURDAY, JUNE 28**

5:30pm – † Staci Nardone

7:15pm – † Jose Gabriel Hurtado

**SUNDAY, JUNE 29**

8:30am – † Frank Hagen

10:00am – † Louis Gerard Pierre-Louis

11:30am – † Jerry Peden

4:00pm – † Rocio Gomez

5:30pm – All Parishioners / Parish Memorial /

**BOOSTER CLUB  
WEEK 17- THOMAS KEANE**