

Roman Catholic Church of the Sacred Heart
720 Merrick Ave
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The Heart of Jesus in North Merrick



Rather, whoever wishes to be great among you
will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among
you will be the slave of all.

For the Son of Man did not come to be served
but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many."

October 17, 2021
Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pastoral Staff

Rev. Stephen Brigandi, Pastor
 Rev. Peter Sarpong, Associate Pastor
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 Deacon John Heverin

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 cbradleyshrep@gmail.com

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**Parish Center
Fax**

516-379-1356
516-379-1610

Parish Center Hours:

Mon.—Fri. 9am—12pm & 1pm -4pm

Website: sacredheartnm.org

Mrs. Kathy Ammirati—Volunteer Coordinator ext. 22
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** Please visit our Parish Facebook Page: ***Roman Catholic Church of the Sacred Heart*****

We hope that all new residents will come to the Parish Center to register.

Adult Christian Initiation

If you are interested in exploring the Catholic faith or completing your initiation into the Church please call the Parish Center.

Infant Baptism Preparation If you wish to arrange a baptism at Sacred Heart Church, please contact the Parish Center at 516-379-1356 ext.10. One of our baptism coordinators will be happy to arrange a time to meet with you. Ideally, both Godparents should be practicing Catholics. We will review the procedures for the sacrament and you will be able to fill out all the necessary paperwork. Baptisms are held on the first and third Sunday of each month at 2pm in the church. First time parents need to attend a baptism class. They are held on the last Monday of each month in the church at 7:30pm. Crying babies welcome! Godparents are encouraged but not required to attend.

Sacrament of Matrimony Please contact the Parish Center ***at least one year in advance*** of the intended date of the wedding. A priest or deacon of the parish will interview you, set the wedding date and help you register for the required marriage preparation program. Marriage Preparation is held in the parish three times a year. Please contact Deacon John @ DunmoreDoc@gmail.com for dates and times.

Sacrament of Reconciliation A priest is available each Saturday at 4:00PM in the church. Please don't hesitate to call a priest at the Parish Center for an appointment for Confession at another time.

Sacraments for the Homebound If you or a family member are not able to attend Mass due to temporary or chronic illness, and would like to receive the Sacraments of Communion, Reconciliation and/or Anointing of the Sick, please call the Parish Center.

Sunday, October 10, 2021

Mass Attendance:	820
Envelopes used:	328
Collection:	\$14,660.00
(Fiscal) Year to Date:	\$82,659.00



Mass Intentions
FOR THE WEEK

Monday, October 18, 2021

9 AM John P. Hill

Tuesday, October 19, 2021

9 AM Robert Wendelken

Wednesday, October 20, 2021

9 AM Jacqueline Wynne

Thursday, October 21, 2021

9AM Peter Amedeo

Friday, October 22, 2021

9AM Joseph Sommer

Saturday, October 23, 20215PM Fidel Villaflor
Nicola Naumov
Ramon Garcia, Jr.
Joseph Massaro**Sunday, October 24, 2021**8AM Vincent & Tessie Balis
10AM Jacqueline Kelly
12PM Guido Pacitti
5PM Roland Belay
Gail Karren Birka
Jorge Auturo Ponton Toro
Lydia Pena*In our thoughts and prayers.*

<i>Joanne Angelastro</i>	<i>Jeff Kravitz</i>
<i>Taylor Agurto</i>	<i>Kathy Keegan</i>
<i>Joyce Baranek</i>	<i>Jackie Kraemer</i>
<i>Milan Baranek</i>	<i>Brian Mohr</i>
<i>Edward Bennett</i>	<i>Joseph Massaro</i>
<i>Joanne Campbell</i>	<i>Jack McGreevy</i>
<i>Yolanda DeLustro</i>	<i>Katherine McGreevy</i>
<i>Matthew Dwyer</i>	<i>Taylor Oshan</i>
<i>Baby Carleigh Feaser</i>	<i>Jack Palamaro</i>
<i>Matilde Franzese</i>	<i>Peter Palamaro, Jr.</i>
<i>Baby Jack</i>	<i>Eileen Pio</i>
<i>Baby Madison</i>	<i>Flo Puff</i>
<i>Baby Kaylee</i>	<i>Ginesia Reale</i>
<i>Marjorie Cardinale</i>	<i>John Gabriel Rivera</i>
<i>Marjorie Cirello</i>	<i>Christine Rizzaiti</i>
<i>Allison Cottone</i>	<i>Debbie Ryan</i>
<i>Bob Cruickshank</i>	<i>Alex Salvaggio</i>
<i>Julio Curra</i>	<i>Benny Sarnelli</i>
<i>Betty DiNicola</i>	<i>Christina Scelfo</i>
<i>Robert Galvin</i>	<i>Ann M. Sullivan</i>
<i>Sr. Marie Vianney Gallagher</i>	<i>Mary Sweeney</i>
<i>Frank Godla</i>	<i>Joan Tamburello</i>
<i>Marta Godla</i>	<i>John Tamburello</i>
<i>Annmarie Guertin</i>	<i>Ashley Towers</i>
<i>Frank Guertin</i>	<i>Lara Traum</i>
<i>Gloria Hannifin</i>	<i>Theresa Vacchio</i>
<i>Elena Heil</i>	<i>Danielle Valerioti</i>
<i>Pat Hesse</i>	<i>Aidan Walden</i>
<i>Bob Hill</i>	<i>Rosemarie Ziminski</i>
<i>Brian Katz</i>	<i>Robert Ziminski</i>

Prayers for the Sick

In an effort to make sure parishioners who are ill are properly prayed for we would like to keep our Sick List as up to date as possible. Names will remain for one full month, but will be **removed at the end of every month**, unless there is a request by the family to extend the prayers for the following month.

Ministry of Praise

Pope's Prayer Intention October

Missionary Disciples

We pray that every baptized person may be engaged in evangelization, available to the mission, by being witnesses of a life that has the flavor of the Gospel.

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Ministry of Praise

We cannot know all the crosses each person carries,

but we can like Simon, help carry them by our prayers.

We cannot heal every ill, or solve every problem, but we can minister to those suffering like Veronica, with our petitions.

We can weep with the women who wept.

We can stay awake in the garden with the one who feels alone.

Prayer for others is the gift of time, it is the gift of love.

It is always an offering of self, willing the good, willing

God's will for someone else.

If you feel called to join a group of faithful people offering daily prayers for the monthly intentions of our Holy Father and those of others in need, please contact Tanya at Outreach. Once a month a mailing goes out to our Ministers of Praise with news from our parish as well as the monthly prayer requests and intentions. It is a wonderful Ministry that you can participate in from your home and on your own schedule.
Prayerful folks needed.



*Let us remember all our parishioners who have been called home to our Loving God. We especially remember
Frances Warren
Patricia Grzymalski*



The Bread & Wine for the week of October 17th has been donated by

Jan & Sal Severino

in memory of

Joseph Massaro

Check out our new parish website. Same, name different look.

www.sacredheartnm.org

Bulletin Deadline is **Monday**. Please submit all bulletin information by noon the Monday prior to the weekend you'd like the information in the bulletin.
Thank you.



Community

BLOOD DRIVE

SATURDAY • OCTOBER • 30 • 2021

8:00am – 2:00pm

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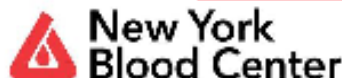
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For more information, please contact Tanya Kasprzyk 516-379-1356 x 19

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MEN'S PRAYER GROUP

We meet on Saturday mornings from 7:30-9:00. Prayer, scripture study of Sunday readings and camaraderie. All are invited! The remaining dates for 2021 are as follows; 10/23, 11/6 & 20, 12/4 & 18.



The next Anointing of the Sick is Friday, November 5th

Anyone in need of being anointed is invited to receive the Sacrament when it is offered.

This Sacrament brings the blessings of God's comfort, peace and grace, offering strength and the assurance that one is facing the illness in union with Christ. Who should be anointed?

"Through this holy anointing may the Lord in his love and mercy help you with the grace of the Holy Spirit."
—Rite of Anointing of the Sick



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Saturday, October 30	<i>from</i> 3:30 to 5:30 PM
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Games • Pumpkin Painting
Scavenger Hunt • Music
Photo Booth • Cider & Snacks

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Our next meeting is Tuesday, October 19, 2021 at 1:30pm in the school cafeteria. We will discuss plans for a 'Christmas Gathering' and your input is needed.
See you there!

Any problems, please call
Mary @ 516-378-1335



Our Next Meeting Is:

MONDAY OCTOBER 18, 2021

at 7:00 pm

In the Teacher's Lounge

masks and
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CONFIRMATION PARENT MEETING

Thursday, October 28, 2021
at 7pm in the church.



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For Registration & Information:

<https://www.ncbcenter.org/ncbc-events-calendar/2021-newyork>

Contact: Julie Kelley at jkelly@ncbcenter.org

PARISHIONERS IN THE ARMED FORCES

Sacred Heart Parish salutes and commends to prayer:

Sgt. Richard DeTommaso, U.S. Army, Korea
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 Sgt. First Class Lee Ann Gouveia, U.S. Army
 L CPL Anthony Rusciano, U.S.M.C.
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 SSgt. Edgar C. Francisco, U.S.M.C.
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 3rd CS P.O. Joseph La Form, U.S. Navy
 L CPL Kevin P. Vaughan, U.S.M.C.
 Major Christopher Darconte, U.S. Air Force
 U.S.M.C. Deployed Aircraft Carrier Iwo Jima
 Sgt. Brandon Furia, U.S.M.C.
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 Lt. James Corino, Army
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 John Devoti Lt. Col. U.S.M.C.

Prayer For The Safety of Our Service Men & Women

Almighty and Eternal God, protect these men and women as they discharge their duties. Protect them with the shield of your strength and keep them safe from all evil and harm. May the power of your love enable them to return home in safety to all who love them. May they ever praise you for your loving care. We ask this through Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Sacred Heart Purgatorial Society

Teresa & Joseph Sullivan, Helen & Joseph Tatarka, Marianne Collins, Patricia A. Bove, Caroline & Francis Cacossa, Margaret E. Riordan, Joan Fisk, Everett Corum, Jr, James J. Stasi, Maureen & Robert Murphy, Fred Peruggia, Josephine Valenti, Ellen C. Rafter, Donald J. Johnson, Eileen Clarke, Dolores Kulich, Vera Farrell, James Tannehill, William G. Mohr, Shaun Hughes, Edward Walsh & Family, Frances Forgione, Lillian Milana, Randall Cordero, Teresa Sullivan, Joseph Sullivan, Edward Hesse, Regina Platt, James Artura, Edward A. Kennedy, Carolyn McDonough, Carmel L. Carleo, Raymond P. Carleo, James G. Dwyer, James P. Soldo, Robert Tom Riordan, Henry Darnaud, Stephen J. Brigandi, Sr., Ryan Palma, John Fitzpatrick, Amesse Furchak, Marlene Lawson, Richard Brazenor, Joseph & Dora Accurso, Mary & Frank Gandini, Pat Darienzo, Jr., Tom and Mary Carroll, Brother Hugh Patrick Turley, FMS, Michelle Palma Furchak, Charlotte & Joe Francomano, John Hursala, Mae & John Dugo, Ann Kelly, Margaret, Joseph, Jack & Catherine Eschmanns, Joseph Sommer, Charles Vaccaro, Epifania Napit, Nancy DeStefano, Lester Smith, Camille and George Pashalides, Patrick M. Darienzo, Thomas J. Maloney, Jack Faust, Theresa Reilly, Fred J. Cardinale, Thomas McLoone, Joseph Massaro

*If you would like to enroll someone in our Purgatorial Society, please call the Parish Center.
The offering is \$50 per person per year.*

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Thanksgiving Pie & Bread Fundraiser

Skip the baking and order delicious fresh baked pies, breads, and more from White Post Farms Bakery!

Baked goods will be individually wrapped or boxed and available for pickup on Tuesday, November 23rd between 2-3pm and 5-6pm. Pickup details will be provided with order confirmation via email.

Please mail the order form below with payment (cash or check made payable to SEAS) to SEAS at 2341 Washington Ave. Bellmore, NY 11710.

Orders are due no later than Thursday, November 11th.

For ingredient lists or questions, please contact: Andrea Colgan at apinho1@gmail.com or you may call the main office at 516-785-5709.

Name: _____ Cell Number: _____ Email: _____

10" Pies			
	Price	Quantity	Cost
Apple	\$20		
Apple Crumb	\$22		
Blueberry	\$20		
Dark Chocolate Pecan	\$22		
Fruits of the Forest <small>Apples, rhubarb, strawberries, raspberries, blackberries</small>	\$20		
Peach	\$20		
Pumpkin	\$18		
Pecan	\$20		
Gluten Free Breads (12 oz.)			
	Price	Quantity	Cost
GF Banana	\$10		
GF Banana Dark Chocolate	\$10		
GF Banana Nut	\$10		
GF Zucchini	\$10		
GF Zucchini Dark Chocolate	\$10		
GF Zucchini Nut	\$10		

Jumbo Breads (24 oz.)			
	Price	Quantity	Cost
Apple Crumb	\$14		
Banana	\$14		
Banana Dark Chocolate	\$14		
Banana Nut	\$14		
Banana Campfire S'mores	\$14		
Hot Chocolate & Oreo Cookie	\$14		
Pumpkin	\$14		
Pumpkin Dark Chocolate	\$14		
Zucchini	\$14		
Zucchini Walnut	\$14		
Other White Post Favorites			
	Price	Quantity	Cost
Chocolate Chip Cookies (12 oz. bag)	\$8		
Gluten Free Chocolate Chip Cookies (12 oz. bag)	\$8		
Oatmeal Raisin Cookies (12 oz. bag)	\$8		
Butternut Squash & Apple Soup (1 quart)	\$12		
Spinach Dip (1 lb.)	\$10		

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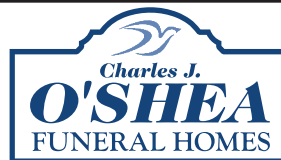
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