



Mass Intentions FOR THE WEEK

9-19	Mon	9:00 AM	All deceased parishioners
9-20	Tues	9:00 AM	Lance Jensen By Carol Jensen
9-21	Wed	9:00 AM	All deceased parishioners
9-22	Thurs	9:00AM	Mitch, John & Sharon Wlasiuk By Patricia Wlasiuk Linda Harper By Paula Ciborowski
9-23	Fri	9:00 AM	Communion Service
9-24	Sat	5:30 PM	Noe Vasquez By Marquez family
9-25	Sun	8:30 AM	Frances Gregory By the family
	Sun	10:30AM	James Clum By Mike & Virginia Tiska



Weekend Events Schedule

Sunday, September 18, 2022

Please join us for 10:30 100th Anniversary Mass and brunch afterward. All are welcome!

Please note, we will still have the 5:30 PM Saturday and 8:30 AM Sunday Masses.



Ellen Hogan no longer is the contact person for the prayer chain. Joan Barber is now the contact person for the Sacred Heart prayer chain. Joan can be reached at 607-563-1392. Please call Joan if you know of someone in need of prayers. Thank you, Ellen Hogan



Thank you to J. Jura for the donation of the wooden rosary to the Rosary Society. You can see it in the Rosary Society display this weekend.

Offerings of September 10th & 11th, 2022
Regular, \$2,467.00; Fuel, \$140.00; Religious Education, \$46.00; Evangelist, \$5.00; Feast of the Assumption, \$10.00; Catholic University, \$5.00

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

A little over 100 years ago, Sacred Heart Parish was brought into birth. God pitched his home among us here in this parish family. He planted the seed of the Catholic faith in the hearts of his people in our community. And throughout the past 100 years, parishioners, priests, and lay-leaders have done their best to grow our faith community and bring God's presence to all people in our local area. As we celebrate our centennial anniversary this weekend, I take the opportunity to congratulate all of you parishioners and also commend you for your steadfastness in the Lord, devotion and commitment to our parish family. I wish all of you a happy and a joyous occasion. It is my prayer that you and your family will know God's blessings and the protection of his love and care.

We have much to remember, to celebrate and to be thankful for. Today, we give thanks and praise to God for each other and for parishioners who have gone before us in death. We acknowledge them for their good works of faith, love, charity, and service. We pray that God will grant eternal rest to their souls and help each of us to follow in their stead to build our faith community to become more vibrant.

On behalf of the parish trustees, finance and pastoral councils, the planning committee, and my own self, I welcome all who have joined us in this Eucharistic celebration. We are most grateful to you by your presence and participation in this special celebration.

To all those who made sacrifices and generous contributions toward this centennial celebration, I say thank you so much. I am particularly grateful to Fr. Gordon Polanz, my immediate predecessor, for his generous gift and his best wishes to us on our anniversary celebration. May God richly bless him and grant him good health and long life.

Our anniversary celebration coincides with the Catechetical Sunday held this weekend. As planned, we will bless and commission our Catechists for a new school year during the 10:30 am mass. After the homily we will commission them and pray for God's wisdom upon them to continue to teach the faith to others especially our children and to deepen their own faith. Catechetical Sunday is also an opportunity for each one of us to reflect on our individual call to live out and hand on the Catholic faith to others. On this special day, we rededicate ourselves to the work of God, and pray for the grace to be a witness to the gospel by word and example. The readings for this Sunday talk about social justice and just stewardship. The readings teach us to put God first in our lives and to act justly, prudently, and honestly.

In the first reading, the prophet Amos championed the cause for social justice. He condemned the leaders and the wealthy of his time who sought material possessions at the expense of others. The leaders and the wealthy were driven by possession, greed and dishonesty. They drifted from God's ways and as such trampled upon the poor and the needy. The message of Amos is more relevant in our time. Exploitation and injustices continue in our day. Material possessions, greediness, and selfishness continue to rule many hearts. Amos cautions us against such vices. He calls us to treat all people well especially to seek the interest of the most vulnerable.

Saint Paul advises us in the second reading to pray for those in authority so that moved by God's Spirit they will strive to work for the common good of all people.

In the gospel, we learn about the need to be prudent in the use of material possessions. Jesus uses the parable of the dishonest steward to teach us to be wise in the use of the resources at our disposal. The dishonest steward had foresight. He used his resources to help others and to secure his future. Jesus wants us to be prudent, to live justly and to be generous in sharing our blessings with others especially the less privileged. Let us ask the Lord to help us to be wise and faithful stewards of the gifts he has given us and use them to serve him and one another in our parish family and local area.

God bless you. And a happy and a wonderful 100th Anniversary to all of you!

Long live Sacred Heart Parish Family!
Fr. Ben

Weekend of September 24th & 25th, 2022

First Reading-Amos 6:1, 4-7

Saturday 5:30 PM

Celebrant Fr. Ben

Lector Sheri Youngs

Eucharistic Ministers: Pat Elbrecht

Altar Servers: Anderson & Garret Callender

Second Reading-I Timothy 6:11-16

Sunday 8:30 AM

Fr. Ben

Bill Babbage

Mary Early

Ayla, Quinn & Liam Gronwall

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Gospel- Luke 16:19-31

Sunday 10:30AM

Fr. Ben

Paula Ciborowski

Pat Smith

Brock & Easton Porter



September 11th- Sign-Up Sunday after 8:30 and 10:30 AM Masses
 September 25th- Classes begin for Pre-K-10th grade 9:20-10:20 AM

The weekend of September 10th & 11th, 2022 the regular and the Assumption collection amounted to \$2,477.00. Since July 1st, 2022 we have collected \$27,267.00

Upcoming meetings & Events

September 19th Knights of Columbus Meeting 6:30 PM Rosary followed by 7:00 PM meeting
 September 22nd Share the Bounty dinner 4:30-6:30 PM

Sacred Heart Church

There is a wealth of information about the groups involved at Sacred Heart in the Forever Forward booklet. Stop by the Parish Office to sign out the booklet. The following about church group memberships is included in the booklet and is as pertinent today as it was at the Diamond Anniversary of Sacred Heart.

Ten Sure Ways to Smash Any Church Organization

- 1- Don't come to meetings.
- 2- If you come-come late.
- 3- If the weather doesn't suit you, don't think of coming.
- 4- If you attend a meeting, find fault with the work of the officers and other members.
- 5- Never accept an office; it is easier to criticize than to do things.
- 6- Nevertheless, get rebellious if you are not appointed on a committee, but if you are, don't attend committee meetings.
- 7- If asked by the chairperson to give your opinion regarding some important matters, reply you have nothing to say. After the meeting tell everyone how it ought to be done.
- 8- Do nothing more than is absolutely necessary but when others roll up their sleeves and willingly and unselfishly use their abilities to help matters along, tell the world that the organization is being run by a clique.
- 9- Hold back your contributions as long as possible, or don't contribute at all.
- 10- Don't bother about getting new members. Let someone else do it.

Information from *Forever Forward, A Parish History and Catholic*

September Bulletin Quotes

"Throughout salvation history, God has welcomed repentant sinners with special joy. Jesus concludes the parable of the lost sheep with these words: 'there will be more joy in heaven over one sinner who repents than over ninety-nine righteous people who have no need of repentance' (Lk15:7)*."

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 USCCB Secretariat of Pro-Life Activities
 "Life Matters: Forgiveness and Healing after Abortion"

The Catholic University of America

Next weekend the diocese will be taking up the National Collection for The Catholic University of America. Your gift to the second collection will support Catholic University of America students who go on to serve the nation and transform the world. Catholic University serves dioceses and parishes through innovative research initiatives and training programs, such as the Catholic Project an initiative that aims to heal the breach of trust many have experienced as a result of the crisis in the Church, a master's program in Ecclesial Administration and Management, and a credentialing program that prepares recent graduates to serve as campus ministers. Please be generous. Visit futurecatholicleaders.igivecatholictogether.org to learn more.

Harvest Festival 2022



The Harvest Festival this year is just two weeks away! We need crafts for the Craft Booth, items for the Farmer's Market, Treasure Chest, and baked goods. Please bring your donations for the

Treasure Chest and Craft booth beginning September 19th so the items can be priced. Donations of glassware, ceramics, and dishes must be **CLEAN** and should be chip free. Holiday decorations especially; Halloween, Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter would be most appreciated. Treasure Chest **donations should be brought inside** the Parish Center during office hours. Please contact the Parish Office, 563-1591, if you are unable to come during office hours to arrange for a time to bring in your donations. To be in compliance with fire and safety codes please do not leave items in the hallways

Please pray for the following people, who have requested our prayers: Avery Maggio, Gussie Shifflett, Steve Pickwick, Joe LaFave, Terry Dermody, Ginni Roe, Gabi Bakeman, Bettye Pete George Mertz, Kimberlee Roe, Grady Charles Weigand, Kevin, Julia McCann, Michael Bell, Barbara Bennett, Daniel Rickard, Andre' Lundstrom, Mark & Andrea, Kim Sumski, Elaine Ferretti, Dorothy Kashuda, Alyson Sabillon, Linda Falk, Jake Delay, Debra Barnard, Diane, Bonnie La Voie, Doug Williams, Faith Williams, Don Butler, Debra Patterson, Ed Nicol, Dawn Maruszewski, Carey, Madlyn Sumski, Alex Roberts, Paul J. Hamilton, Sr., Ray & Mary Munetz, Jazmers Moore, Bruce Allen, Kimberly Basket, David Rivera, Jackie Barghar, Matthew Baxter, Darline Smith, Daniel, Joseph Dermody, Alice Anderson, Jeremy Matviak, Sandy Kemp, George Walters, Lorraine Keckeisen, Maria LaBar, Jane Artis, Kathryn Wickham, Frannie Robinson, Patrick, John McCann, Natalie Stone, Mary Kolermous, Clare Sterchak, Terry Cristofaro, Joan Kaiser, Nancy Daugherty, Mark Morotwe, Sharon Guenther, Kira Cronk, Lilianna, Terry Yackel, Fr. Hearn, Jack Yackel, Marian Heeps, Alice Walters, Mariah Pierce, Rev. Steve Deckard, Terry Nicolini, Tammy Byrnes, Nick Gibson, Andy Woods, Bob Jenks, Jane, Dolores Storzinger, Alexis Spencer, Susan Chidester, Sandy Grooms, Agatha Trikourr, Maureen Joy, Ines Warlock, Alyce Hopkins, Bob Oliver, Mark Granan, David Hopkins, Eugene & Yvonne Cutler, Father Joe, Rose LoCasci, Timothy Bell, Jamie Mathewson, Barb Doyle, Ruth Glaum, Tom DeMulder, Holly North, Jim Mylotte, Natalia Ciborowski, Dixy Pflug, Maryann Cottrell, Tony & Lila Donnolo, Stefanie Smith, Celeste Hartman John Alksnis, Sarah Pressler, Aidan Burns, Bill, Alicen Knapp Feroletto, Assunta Siniscalchi, Tina Klein, Leon Matthews, James Jennings, Marge Suriano, Marian Agyemang, Marlena Keath, Frank Holley, Nicholas Gaedeke, Pat Hamilton, Amanda Maggio, Alfrede Duguay, Gary Maraia, Rachel Feyh, Mike Andersen, Marge LaFave, Denise Dinato, Theresa Horton, Olivia Ross & family, Joe Maggio, Steve Barber, Anne Terzo, Eric Roll, Regina Mathewson, Vicki Czapnik, Paul McCarthy, Barbara Haynes, Jess Johansen, Tasha, Renee Joseph, Susan Pondolfino, Margaret O'Hara, Sean Granan, Charlie Washburn, Father Gordon, Marge Ramsey, Beverly Pierce, Mary Cittadino, Fran Groshans, Marion Kiselica, a dear friend, Tony Barber, Jr., Bonnie Tabone, Cynda Burgher, Anne Powell

Please Note: All names will remain on our list and all will be prayed for unless our office is notified to remove an individual.

