

# 29<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## OCTOBER 16, 2016

### A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners:

What a beautiful Saturday it was in our Church last weekend for the eighth graders of our School, and once again this Saturday for the young people of our Religious Education Program, as they experienced their own personal Pentecost and were filled with the Holy Spirit in the Sacrament of Confirmation. We hear in the Acts of the Apostles, that on the first Pentecost morning, the Apostles were made new men, filled with the Holy Spirit. The same men who denied Jesus and fled out of fear on the night before He died were now boldly and courageously bearing witness to Him in the face of great opposition. They were united in mind and in heart, and strengthened interiorly in their faith and in their love for the Lord and for one another. What a difference the Holy Spirit made in the lives of the Apostles.

May the Holy Spirit have the same effect in the lives of our newly Confirmed young people. Like the first disciples, they face a very difficult world that is becoming more and more hostile to our faith and to the Gospel of Jesus Christ. How easily it is for them to be deceived, to blend in with the ways of the world and be drawn away from Christ and His Church. How much they and all of us need the Holy Spirit to remain strong and faithful in this difficult world, and to live as true children of God.

It is the same Holy Spirit who vivifies the Church and drives the preaching of the Gospel. Today we join the Church throughout the world in observing World Mission Sunday when we are asked to give our support in a special way for the missionary activity of the Church throughout the world. *Mission* is at the very heart of the Church's identity. From the moment of our Lord's Command to His first disciples over 2000 years ago to "*Go and teach all nations,*" heroic men and women right up to today have left their homelands to be missionaries in faraway lands, strengthened by the Holy Spirit and driven by our Lord's desire that all might be saved and come to knowledge of the Truth.

Certainly not all are called to be a missionary in a faraway land. However, we are all called by our Baptism to be missionaries where we live and work. In fact, the real challenge today is not so much reaching those in distant lands who never heard of Jesus, but reaching those right here at home who

need to be *re-introduced* to Him and to our beautiful Catholic faith - so many who, for various reasons, have stopped practicing their faith, stopped coming to Sunday Mass, or just stopped believing. We are in great need today of re-evangelizing our culture, of re-introducing Jesus and the timeless Truth of His Gospel to the modern age. May we commit ourselves to praying for the missionary work of the Church throughout the world, and for our own missionary work here at home in making the Love and Mercy of Jesus known by all, beginning in our own homes. May God bless us all.

Sincerely in Christ,  
Fr. Matthew J. Furey

### SACRED HEART SCHOOL

### SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

BISHOP LAGONEGRO  
OCTOBER 8, 2016

### CONGRATULATIONS!

Ly'Dea **VICTORIA** Archampong

Anna **FELICITY** Arnowich

Joseph **PETER** DiCandio

Jocelyn **MARIANA** Domond

Colin **PATRICK** Frawley

Bryan **JOSEPH** Garbutt

Pedrina **MARIA** Germain

Ryan **VINCENT** Gorman

Elizabeth **EMILY** Granholm

Elijon **ISIDORE** King

Robert **DAVID** Little III

Gianna **ELIZABETH** Lopez

Evan **JOSEPH** Matthews

Damien **AIDAN** Michel

Christine **KATERI TEKAKWITHA** Meehan

Jennifer **GENEVIEVE** Pierre

Alexander **DAVID** Rizzo

Shannen **ANASTASIA** Wright

**FAREWELL MASS FOR FR. MICHAEL MOON**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2016 6:00 pm**

**Reception to follow in the cafeteria with light refreshments.**

**All are Welcome!**

**YOU ARE ALL INVITED TO  
SACRED HEART HOME SCHOOL  
ASSOCIATION  
3RD HANDBAG BINGO  
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2016**

The winner of each game wins a Designer Handbag  
Doors open at 6:00pm / Numbers called at 7:00pm

**ADMISSION: \$35.00pp  
BRING YOUR OWN BEVERAGES AND APPETIZERS  
COFFEE AND DESSERT PROVIDED  
LIMITED SEATING!  
RSVP 10/24/16  
Kerry Gorman – kerry619@aol.com**

**SHARING WHAT WE HAVE IN JESUS' NAME  
27<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time Collection - \$13,834.  
Last Year's Collection - \$14,414.**

**FORTY DAYS FOR LIFE  
September 28- November 6, 2016**

Forty Days for Life is a peaceful, highly-focused, non-denominational initiative that focuses on 40 days of prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil at abortion facilities, and educational outreach with the goal of protecting mothers and their children from abortion. To learn more visit: [www.40daysforlife.com](http://www.40daysforlife.com)

**WORLD MISSION SUNDAY  
OCTOBER 16, 2016  
TODAY**

**This weekend, October 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> the Church will celebrate World Mission Sunday.** This year we are invited to act in solidarity with missionaries in India and throughout the world. Every day, faithful missionaries are reaching out in the name of Christ, offering practical, emotional and spiritual care to communities, children and families in desperate need. Please support the missions! For more information visit: [www.IAmAMissionary.org](http://www.IAmAMissionary.org)

**PARISH CALENDAR**

- Sunday, October 16**  
CYO – 2 to 4pm in the gym
- Monday, October 17**  
Rel. Ed. Grade 6 – 4:30pm in the school  
CYO Basketball- 5pm in the gym  
Rel. Ed. – Grade 7 – 7:00pm in the school  
Hispanic RCIA – 7:15pm rectory  
**Novena –7:15pm**
- Tuesday, October 18**  
Rel. Ed. – Grades 3-5 – 4:30pm in the school  
CYO Basketball- 5pm in the gym  
Rel. Ed. – Grade 8 – 7:00pm  
Rel. Ed. – 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Parent Mtg. -7pm cafeteria
- Wednesday, October 19**  
CYO Basketball- 5pm in the gym  
Youth Choir Practice – 5:00pm  
Choir – 7:00pm in the Church  
Hispanic Prayer Group – 8pm in the cafeteria
- Thursday, October 20**  
CYO Basketball- 5pm in the gym  
RCIA -7pm in the rectory  
Our Lady's Guild – Committee Mtg.-7:30pm cafeteria
- Friday, October 21**  
ZITI Dinner/Our Lady's Guild-6pm in the cafeteria
- Saturday, October 22**  
St. Joseph Group – 7:30am in the Rectory  
Rel. Ed. Grades 1 & 2 -9:30am
- Sunday, October 23**

**FORMED  
SACRED HEART JUST GOT FORMED!!**

**FORMED** Is An Innovative Online Platform Through Which You Can Have Access To A Wide Range Of Top Quality Faith Formation Resources. Our parish has a free one-year subscription. This can be compared to Netflix for Catholics, but it is so much more. Now, the best Catholic study programs, movies, audio presentations and eBooks from the most trusted apostolates are all just a click away. Visit [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) and click the "Register" link and use the parish code **CK6N9W**. You can then complete the simple registration form and create a username and password. You only need to register one time. After that, when you visit [www.formed.org](http://www.formed.org) just click on the "Login" button to access all of the information on the **FORMED** web site.

**CATHOLIC CHARITIES COMMUNITY  
SERVICES OF ROCKLAND**

CCCSR is the principal social service agency of the Catholic Church in Rockland County. Among other services, CCCSR provides emergency financial assistance to persons facing homelessness, a food pantry, food stamp outreach, community vegetable garden and immigrant services. CCCSR will celebrate its 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary this year with a dinner on Thursday, October 20<sup>th</sup> at Town & Country Caterers in Congers and honor 2016 Community Service Award Honorees.

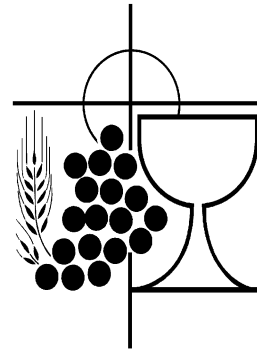
**MAKE SURE TO VOTE AS A CATHOLIC**

The Church wishes to help form consciences in political Life and to stimulate greater insight into the authentic requirements of justice as well as greater readiness to act accordingly, even when this might involve conflict with situations of personal interest... The Church cannot and must not take upon herself the political battle to bring about the most just society possible. She cannot and must not replace the State. Yet at the same time she cannot and must not remain on the sidelines in the fight for justice. **–Pope Benedict, God is Love.**

**OUR LADY'S GUILD  
ZITI DINNER**

**THIS FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2016  
6PM IN THE CAFETERIA**

**Ziti, salad, bread, dessert and refreshments.  
Advanced Ticket Sales \$8 per person  
\$10 per person at the door  
Children 12-5 years \$5  
(Children under 5 free)**



**SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

**ANUNCIOS**

El Grupo de Oración en Español tiene lugar habitualmente los miércoles, a las 8 de la noche en el cafetería.

Los próximos bautizos en español tendrán lugar el 19 de noviembre 2016 a la 1pm. Contactar en el 357-0035.

**BANNS OF MATRIMONY**

**For the Second Time**

**FRANCISCO J. LEON & ELIZABETH IZQUIERDO**



We pray for all those serving in the **Armed Forces** and for those who are ill and have asked us to

pray for them: Larry Adler, Keith Alanis, Daniel Albarelli, Frank Paul Allegretti, Jenna Applebaum, Janet Bentley, Peter Boano, Harris Brownstein, Lisa Eckert Brownstein, Annette Burbridge, Dolores Cangelose, Frank Calfa, Comerford Family, Teresa & Tom Consolo, Lorraine Cortez, Robert Cosenza, Joe Davey, Lilla DiBerardino, Anthony DeFrancesco III, Matthew DeMayo, Cledha Desir, Mary Discini, Florence Downey, John Duffy, Nicholas Eckert, Peter Eckert, Jamie Erwin, Denise Ferrara, Stefanie Gaudelli, Tia Gardner, Arlene Gentile, Debra Gravina, John Grasso, Sarah Hyman, Domenic & Anthony Iannaccone, Susan Jarkiewicz, Adrienne Kelly, Mary Kierman, Anthony Kulik, Jay Leone, Fred Lemoine, Elizabeth Lempka, Laura Mack, Thomas Mathai, Barbara Mazza, Jeanne Matera, Richard McCarthy, Debra McGovern, Catherine McMenamin, Ken Meyer, Florence Mohan, Fr. Louis Molinelli, Betty O'Brien, Jennifer O'Hara, Fr. Jack Oldfield, Stacey Olayan, Tina Osika, Joseph Pasculli, Patricia Plotkin, Adolf Radeljic, Maura Reynolds, Etta Rooney, Mary Russo, Virginia Ryan, Daniel Sammarone, Nicholas Salzman, Erica Scully, Ruth Schwetz, Jean Simons, Claudia Spano, Claudia Spallanzani, Kate Stack, Maureen Starke, Barbara Veraldo Strano, Margaret Szaro, James P. Toner, Phyllis Varacalli, Carol Van Vandt, Millie Vazquez and Irene Wanamaker.

**ALTAR MEMORIALS  
OCTOBER 16, 2016**

**Altar Wines, Altar Breads and Altar Candles  
In the Memory of  
CRAIG HANDWERKER**

**Sanctuary Candle In Memory of  
DEACON JOSEPH WITT**

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 15**

9:00am – Frank Doyle

**SATURDAY, VIGIL MASS FOR SUNDAY**

6:00pm – MaryAnn Blanton

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 16**

7:00am – Maria Velez

8:30am – Parish Memorial Society

10:00am – Marie Renner

11:30am – Deacon Joseph Witt

1:00pm – Bill Sinclair

5:30pm – All Parishioners

**MONDAY, OCTOBER 17**

7:00am – Nina Boano

9:00am – Antoinette Tanner

7:15pm – **Novena**

**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 18**

7:00am – George A. Szermer

9:00am – Deacon Joseph Witt

**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19**

7:00am – Mary Ann Blanton

9:00am – Margaret Kravic

**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 20**

7:00am – Special Intentions Daisy Jonas

9:00am – Thomas J. Newman

**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 21**

7:00am – Thomas Mathai

9:00am – Andrew & Johanna Seman

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 22**

9:00am – Paula Panico

**SATURDAY, VIGIL MASS FOR SUNDAY**

6:00pm – Felicia Ausbury

**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 23**

7:00am – Angelo Arena

8:30am – Parish Memorial Society

10:00am – Ralph Sepulveda

11:30am – Gloria Ammerata

1:00pm – Rose Formichella & Vito Licata

5:30pm – All Parishioners



Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, friends, benefactors, relatives, priests, religious and especially **Paul Stuewer and Catherine Billotti.**