

THIRD SUNDAY EASTER

APRIL 15, 2018

A NOTE FROM THE PASTOR

Dear Parishioners:

We continue to celebrate this beautiful Easter Season, as the Joy of the Resurrection spills over into the days leading up to the Ascension and Pentecost. Nature itself seems to be celebrating the new life of the Resurrection. This is such a beautiful time of year, with so many wonderful events coming up such as First Communions, Baptisms, Weddings, and Graduations. This year has the added festivity of the culmination of our 150th anniversary year, with the closing Mass on the Feast of the Sacred Heart, Friday evening, June 8th, and the Gala Dinner Dance at the Crowne Plaza the following evening, Saturday, June 9th. Please be a part of this momentous time in the history of this great Parish as we give thanks to God for the treasure we have here in our beautiful Parish of Sacred Heart.

Another added blessing we have this Easter Season is the Deaconate Ordination of our own Walter Genito last Saturday. Walter will be returning home the first weekend in May to begin his Parish assignment for the Summer in Poughkeepsie. He will serve his first Mass here with us as a Deacon and preach the homily at the 5:30pm Mass on Saturday May 5th. We will have a reception for Walter after the Mass for us as a Parish Family to congratulate him and thank him for saying "Yes" to God. We look forward with great anticipation to next May when Walter will be ordained a Priest and celebrate his very first Mass with us here at Sacred Heart.

As we come to the Third Sunday of this Easter Season we have another Gospel account of Jesus appearing to His Disciples after His Resurrection. In today's Gospel from St. Luke, the Risen Jesus appears to his disciples in the same upper room in which He ate the Last Supper with them, and again eats a meal with them. It calls to mind the Eucharist. Of all the beautiful things that go on here, the essence of our parish life is what we do at Mass every Sunday as we come together for our "family meal" on the Lord's Day, where we are connected to all the Power of the Cross and Resurrection of Jesus, and the Risen Jesus becomes present to us just as really, truly and substantially as He was to the disciples who ate with Him after His Resurrection from the dead.

Cardinal Dolan has been saying since he arrived as our Archbishop that, of all of the pressing

issues facing the Catholic Church today, nothing is more urgent and essential for the vibrancy of our Catholic faith and the clarity of our Catholic identity than our participation in Sunday Mass. With the new life and renewed hope that Easter brings, let us recommit ourselves to putting Sunday Mass, to putting Jesus in the Eucharist, at the heart of our lives and of the lives of our families, as it has been the heart of the life of our Parish Family here at Sacred Heart for the past 150 years. May God bless us all.

Sincerely in Christ,
Rev. Matthew J. Furey

WELCOME HOME DEACON WALTER GENITO!

Please join us for the 5:30pm Mass on Saturday, May 5th, 2018 as newly ordained Deacon Walter Genito returns home to serve his First Mass here with us as Deacon and preach the homily. A coffee and cake reception will follow in the cafeteria. All are welcome!

150th ANNIVERSARY MASS JUNE 8, 2018 7:30PM

FEAST OF THE SACRED HEART
MAIN CELEBRANT- ARCHBISHOP CHARLES BALVO
(Graduate of Sacred Heart School)

150TH GALA DINNER DANCE
JUNE 9, 2018 CROWNE PLAZA
6:00PM COCKTAIL HOUR AND 7:00 PM DINNER

Ticket Sales close on May 25th
Tickets available at the Rectory Office



OUR LADY'S GUILD ZITI / PASTA DINNER APRIL 20TH, 2018

On Friday, April 20th Our Lady's Guild will host their Annual Ziti Dinner in the school cafeteria. Doors will open at 6:00pm. Tickets are available at the Rectory for your convenience. (9am to 5pm) Adults - \$10, Children 5-12 \$5.00 and under 5 free. All our welcome.

IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
PRAYER GROUP
HERE AT SACRED HEART

Meets every Tuesday evening from 7:30pm to 8:30pm in the rectory Chapel. Please consider joining us for prayer before the Blessed Sacrament.

SHARING WHAT WE HAVE IN JESUS'S
NAME

April 8th Collection - \$15,202.
Last Year's Collection - \$14,152.

PARISH CALENDAR

Sunday, April 15

Monday, April 16

Rel. Ed. – Grade 6 – 4:30pm

Rel. Ed. – Grade 7 – 7:00pm

Novena – 7:15pm

Tuesday, April 17

Rel. Ed. – Grades 3-5 – 4:30pm

Rel. Ed. – Grade 8 – 7:00pm

Prayer Group – 7:30PM in the Rectory Chapel

Wednesday, April 18

St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry – 2:00pm to 4:00pm

Children's Choir – 5:00pm

Choir Practice – 7:00pm

Hispanic Prayer Group – 8:00pm

Thursday, April 19

Our Lady's Guild Mtg. – 7:30pm in the cafeteria

Friday, April 20

Pasta / Ziti Dinner – Our Lady's Guild 6:00pm in the cafeteria

Saturday, April 21

St. Joseph Group – 7:30am in the Rectory

Rel. Ed – Grades 1 & 2 – 9:30am

Sunday, April 22

**WeSHARE
ONLINE GIVING**

If you are subscribed to electronic giving and have not signed on to your WeShare account since the February transition from Parish Pay, please do the following to verify your account: Send an email to adnygiving@4lpi.com with the following info:

Full Name, Home address, Email, Phone, Our Parish Name and City.

WeShare will then send you an email to allow you to reset your password and access our donation site. Please note that, for security reasons, the link will expire 24 hours after receipt of the email. WeShare LPI will call you to resolve any issues. You can also contact them at 800-950-9952. If you would like to begin subscribing to online giving please visit our website and access the Parishpay/WeShare website on our home page.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES
BLESSING OF THE SOIL

CCCSR will host the Annual Blessing of the Soil Event with guest of honor His Eminence, Archbishop Timothy Cardinal Dolan.

The event will take place on Saturday, April 28, 2018 at noon at 78 Hudson Avenue, Haverstraw, NY 10927.

This is a special event running from noon to 3PM. There will be activities for the entire family and refreshments.

**GOLDEN JUBILEE WEDDING MASS
JUNE 3, 2018**

The Archdiocese of New York's **Golden Jubilee Wedding Mass** will take place on Sunday, June 3, 2018 at 2:15pm, at Saint Patrick's Cathedral. The Mass is for couples celebrating 50 years of marriage in 2018. His Eminence, Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan will be the celebrant. All those who wish to attend must contact Sacred Heart Parish at 845-357-0035 to register. All couples must be registered by **May 14th**. **Sacred Heart's 25th and 50th Anniversary Mass will be here on May 6th at the 10am Mass.** Please call the Rectory for details.

**SACRED HEART PARISH
25TH AND 50TH WEDDING ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION MAY 6, 2018**

On Sunday, May 6, 2018 our parish will honor all those celebrating these milestone anniversaries at the 10:00am Mass followed by a reception. If you are celebrating your 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary this year please contact the Rectory Office and let us know. 845-357-0035. We will need the date and place of your wedding in a Catholic Church.

ST. ZITA'S VILLA FOR WOMEN

When your loved one needs a Home away from home. NYS certified St. Zita's Vila for women in Monsey NY, provides private rooms with three meals a day, in a comfortable environment. Catholic setting with housekeeping and some medical assistance. Please call 845-356-2011.

BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP

Spring 2018 At St. Francis of Assisi
April 24, May 1,8,15,22,29 – 7:00pm / Rader Hall, Rm #6. Please call 634-4957 to register.

ANUNCIOS

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

Los próximos bautizos en español tendrán lugar el 19 de mayo 2018 a la 1pm. Contactar en el 357-0035.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

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

JAMES ROBERT GENTILE

Son of Robert and Melissa



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

For the Third Time

Antonio Giovanni Caguana and Maria Transito Loja Duchi



We pray for all those serving in the **Armed Forces** and for those who are ill and have asked us to pray for them: **Keith Alanis, Luciano Antonucci, Jenna Applebaum, Theresa Anselmi, Michael Brady, Annette Burbridge, Dolores Cangelose, Frank Calfa, Kelly Collins, Robert Conly, Comerford Family, Teresa & Tom Consolo, Robert Cosenza, Joe Davey, Anthony DeFrancesco III, Matthew DeMayo, Cledha Desir, Mary Discini, Mary Donato, John Duffy, Stefanie Gaudelli, Arlene Gentile, Debra Gravina, Catherine Greeley, Senan Halpin, Carrin Holborn, Domenic & Anthony Iannaccone, Rob Incognoli, Bob Janson, Susan Jarkiewicz, Fred Lemoine, Elizabeth Lempka, Vasily Lockhart, Laura Mack, Matthew Luludis, Marie Marasuilo, Thomas Mathai, Jeanne Matera, Richard McCarthy, Debra McGovern, Catherine McMenamin, John McLoughlin, Ken Meyer, John Marotta, Florence Mohan, Joseph Mikulka, Thomas O'Connor, Jennifer O'Hara, Shace Paljusevic, Claudia Spallanzani, Joseph Pasculli, Philomena Pelzer, Richard Porpora, Etta Rooney, Mary Russo, Daniel Sammarone, Janet Schwartz, Ruth Schwetz, Michael Shumway, Jean Simons, Maureen Starke, Barbara Veraldo Strano, Margaret Szaro, Fr. Peter Tarantino, SA, Phyllis Varacalli, and Fr. Wing.**

ALTAR MEMORIALS

APRIL 15, 2018

**Altar Wines In Memory of
NANCY ELIZABETH WALSH**

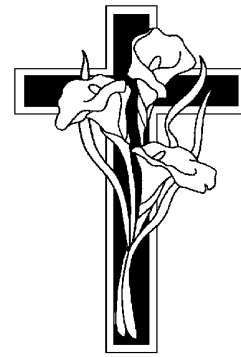
**Altar Candles In Memory of
RALPH JEFFREY**

**Sanctuary Lamp In Memory of
BARTOLOMEO VERNACE**



Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, family members and loved ones.

Especially: **Rosemary Schellaci,
Diane Reichert**



SCHEDULE OF MASSES

SATURDAY, APRIL 14

9:00am – Mary Keane

SATURDAY, VIGIL MASS FOR SUNDAY

5:30pm – Daniel Greeley & Andrew Statham

SUNDAY, APRIL 15

7:00am – All Parishioners

8:30am – Dianne Messina

10:00am – Mary Szwakz

11:30am – Raymond Harvey

1:00pm – Louis Rittendale

5:30pm – Parish Memorial Society

MONDAY, APRIL 16

7:00am – Special Intention Jacob George

9:00am – Richard Lynch Jr. & Jessie Cici

7:15pm – Novena

TUESDAY, APRIL 17

7:00am – Lester Bernstein

9:00am – Jimmy Halloran

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18

7:00am – Lester Bernstein

9:00am – Kate Stack

THURSDAY, APRIL 19

7:00am – Albert E. Buchanan, Jr.

9:00am – Malgovzata Szczpanik

FRIDAY, APRIL 20

7:00am – Stephen & Paula Gangone /
Pat & Tony Chiulli

9:00am – Florence & Charles Marsalisi

SATURDAY, APRIL 21

9:00am – Special Intention of Ryan Patrao

SATURDAY, VIGIL MASS FOR SUNDAY

5:30pm – Martha & Louise Battaglia

SUNDAY, APRIL 22

7:00am – All Parishioners

8:30am – Joseph Balducci

10:00am – John P. Hoffman Sr.

11:30am – Nicole Giselle Herman

1:00pm – Michael Bugdin

5:30pm – Parish Memorial Society

BOOSTER CLUB

WEEK 19-JEAN POWER