

# *Sacred Heart Church*

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**Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**September 5, 2010**

## **Staff:**

Rev. Msgr. Casimir H. Ladzinski, Pastor  
Fr. Thomas F. Olsen  
James A. Lacey, Deacon  
Silverius Galvan, Deacon

## **Weekend Celebrants:**

Fr. Paul Engel, O.F.M. Cap.  
Fr. Kevin P. Ashe

## **Masses:**

Saturday: 5:15 PM  
Sunday: 7:00 AM, 8:00 AM, 9:00 AM,  
10:15 AM and 11:30 AM

## **Confessions:**

Saturday 4:30 to 5:00 PM  
Other occasions as announced.

## **Marriages:** (Registered Parishioners only)

Please notify the rectory as soon as the decision to marry has been made. There is a prescribed preparation program of one year.

**Baptisms** are held on the first and third Sunday of each month. Please contact the Parish Office to make arrangements as early as possible.

**Sick Calls:** At any time.

**Religious Education** Sunday morning Grades 1-8  
Directly following the 9:15 AM Mass.

## **Rectory Office Hours:**

Monday through Friday 9:00 AM to 3:00 PM  
Closed for Lunch 12:00 Noon - 1:00 PM



**SEPTEMBER 4th and 5th**  
**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY**  
**IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Saturday, September 4, Vigil Mass**

5:15 PM           Angelline and Joseph Soporowski  
 Msgr. Casey     From Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Soporowski  
                       Mary and Hoy Hoffmann  
                       From Dot and Bob Hoffmann

**Sunday, September 5**

7:00 AM           Patricia Dunne  
 Msgr. Casey     From Mom and Dad  
 8:00 AM           Linda Grant  
 Msgr. Casey     From the Kelly Family  
 9:00 AM           Louis Vetter  
 Msgr. Casey     From Mary and Guy Muoio  
                       Richard K. Hurley  
                       From John and Don Sawtelle  
 10:15 AM         Matthew Brand  
 Father Paul     Frances M. Berckman  
                       From Madeline and Michael Menzella  
 11:30 AM         Mary Sweeney  
 Father Paul     Friends  
                       Lloyd H. Bush, Sr.  
                       From M/M Corey W. Heyer and Family

**Monday, September 6, Labor day**

8:30 AM           Deceased Members Sisk, Coughlin and  
                       Eckleson Family  
                       From Larry and Donna Czekay

**Tuesday, September 7**

8:30 AM           Mimi Artz  
                       From Ellen Tobin  
                       Jennifer English  
                       From John Griggs

**Wednesday, September 8, The Nativity of the  
 Blessed Virgin Mary**

8:30 AM           Katherine Napoliello  
                       From Ronnie Hart

**Thursday, September 9, St. Peter Claver**

8:30 AM           William Gross  
                       From Jennifer, John, Jack and Jason

**Friday, September 10**

8:30 AM           Virginia Molineux  
                       From the Ciocca Family

**Saturday, September 11**

8:30 AM           John P. Tracey  
                       From the Griggs Family

**NEXT WEEKEND**  
**SEPTEMBER 11th and 12th**  
**24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**Saturday, September 11, Vigil Mass**

5:15 PM           Eileen Stamos  
 Msgr. Casey     From Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ocone  
                       Marguerite Stenson  
                       From Betty Hurley

**Sunday, September 12,**

8:00 AM           Hugh T. Hurley  
 Father Paul     From Ann Hurley and Lita Treacy  
                       Justice and Life  
                       From Justice and Life Ministry

9:15 AM           Mary Sweeney  
 Father Paul     From Eve Stafford-Smith  
                       Joyce Cooper  
                       From Mary and Jim Brown

11:00 AM         Robert and Rita Armitage  
 Msgr. Casey     From Maureen Nelson  
                       Julia Kohut  
                       From Eileen and Vincent Ferranti

**PLEASE NOTE**

Winter Mass schedule resumes next weekend September 11/12.

**SACRED HEART CHURCH**

|                               |                                     |                |
|-------------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------|
| Mass                          | Monday—Saturday                     | 8:30 AM        |
| Vigil Mass                    | Saturday                            | 5:15 PM        |
| Sunday Mass                   | 7AM, 8:AM, 9:00AM, 10:15AM, 11:30AM |                |
| Rosary                        | Before the 8:30 AM daily Mass       |                |
| Eucharistic Adoration         | Thursday after the 8:30 AM Mass     |                |
| Confession                    | Saturday                            | 4:30PM         |
| Rosary Altar                  | Third Tuesday of month              | 7:30PM         |
| And Holy Name Society Meeting |                                     |                |
| Respect Life                  | Last Thursday of month              | 3:30PM Meeting |
| Breakfast Club                | 2nd and 4th Saturday of month       | 9AM            |

**SEPTEMBER 5TH**  
**TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY**  
**IN ORDINARY TIME**

**EMBRACING YOUR CROSS**—We often speak of the “crosses” we must carry in life. These can range from loss of a job to a serious or terminal illness to unhealthy relationships, and so on. The cross has become the wide-ranging metaphor for the trials, ills, and discomforts that are part and parcel of every human life. While we all understand this use of the word “cross,” it does a disservice to what the Jesus of the Gospels means by it. For him, a “cross” is not something that fate, bad luck, or unfortunate circumstances foists upon one. It is, instead, something one chooses, something one embraces. For Jesus, carrying the cross in discipleship was the rejection of earthly possessions or status, it was the sundering of bonds of kinship or friendship. It was, above all, the necessary kind of self-sacrificing, self-surrendering choice one had to make in order to be a true disciple. When life hands us a “cross,” we pray to the Lord to give us strength to bear it. If we are to be true disciples, we must also pray for the strength to reach out and willingly accept a cross as well. To bear up, with God’s grace, under the burdens that are not of our own choosing does take a strong faith. But to walk willingly under the weight of the cost of discipleship shows an even stronger desire to spread the gospel of Jesus Christ.

**TODAY’S READINGS**

**First Reading**—Who can ever know God’s counsel unless God gives wisdom and sends the Holy Spirit from on high? (wisdom 9:13-18b)..

**Second Reading**—Paul asks Philemon to accept back his slave Onesimus, not as a slave but as a brother (Philemon 9:10, 12-17).

**Gospel**—To be a disciple of Jesus one must carry one’s own cross and renounce all possessions (Luke 14:25-33).

**SAINTS AND SPECIAL**  
**OBSERVANCES**

Sunday: Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time  
Monday: Labor Day  
Wednesday: the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary\  
Thursday: St. Peter Calver  
Rosh Hashanah (Jewish New Year 5771)  
Saturday: Patriot Day  
Day of Mourning and Remembrance  
Blessed Virgin Mary

**SAINT PETER CLAVER**  
**(1581-1654)**  
**SEPTEMBER 9**

Nearly two hundred years before the Declaration of Independence proclaimed “that all men are created equal,” two hundred fifty years before the Emancipation Proclamation mandated an end to slavery, three hundred fifty years before Martin Luther King’s “I Have a Dream,” and four hundred years before the election of an American president boasting African heritage, Peter Claver left his native Spain behind to volunteer for the Jesuit missions in Columbia. There, he was horrified both by slavery as an institution and by the inhuman brutality inflicted upon the slaves. He solemnly vowed to become “the slave of the slaves,” and lived that vow heroically for close to forty years. Not knowing their language, Peter began his ministry among the slaves by using the universal language of practical charity, providing medical care and a tangible though wordless assertion of their human dignity: “We spoke to them not with words but with our hands, kneeling beside them, bathing their faces and bodies, encouraging them with friendly gestures” (See Liturgy of the Hours, Volume 4, p., 2018). Then came evangelization and baptism. Holiness as human wholeness: Peter Claver’s enduring witness.

**HOLY NAME SOCIETY**  
**50/50 LOTTERY**

Win \$500.00 or more in Sacred Heart Holy Name Society’s 50/50 cash lottery. The monthly drawing is held the 2nd Tuesday of each month. \$60.00 gives you 12 chances, one per month, to be a winner. Make your check payable to Sacred Heart H.N.S. Fill out the application blank below. With check, place in envelope and send to rectory or deposit in collection baskets. Good luck to all next month. Thank you very much for the support of all who participate in this monthly lottery.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

TELEPHONE NUMBER \_\_\_\_\_

AMOUNT \_\_\_\_\_

**ST. GREGORY’S FOOD PANTRY**

September requests are fruits and juices. All donations may be left in the baskets in the Church and we will deliver to the Panty. For further information call 732-892-8205 Monday—Friday, 10AM—12Noon. The Pantry is located at 804 Bay Avenue, Point Pleasant. Thank you for your support.

## **RELIGIOUS EDUCATION**

We have a great team but would like to add a few more teacher aides. If you would be willing to share your faith with our parish children, please contact the parish office at 732-899-1398 ext. 1. Our year starts September 19 and ends the first weekend in May. Classes are held Sunday from 10:15 - 11:30 AM. Come have fun while we help the children learn about Jesus. We could really use your support and beginners are welcome. Parents please note the last date for registration is Sunday, September 12.

## **LOVING FOR A LIFETIME**

Married couples of all ages, please join us as we explore and celebrate the essentials of a happy, lifelong marriage. The diocesan office of Family Life invites you and your spouse to enjoy a marriage enrichment seminar entitled **Loving for a Lifetime**. Based on the book by Dr. Richard Johnson of the Johnson Institute, this intergenerational experience will be held at Sacred Heart Church September 19. Registration fee:\$10.00 per couple includes seminar materials, light refreshments and resource ideas for marriage enrichment in your parish. To register, call Mary Ann Romagna at 609-406-7400 ext. 5558.

## **ATTENTION EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND LECTORS**

Meeting—Tuesday, September 7, 2010, 7PM in Church.  
Update meetings for our faithful ministers of Word and Eucharist.

## **WATERSPIRIT STELLA MARIS RETREAT CENTER—ELBERON**

**AUTUMN EQUINOX**—Sunday, September 12, 7:30-9PM.  
Anticipate the coming of this new season in an evening of reflection and prayer. Please call 732-923-9788 or email [waterspirit@stellamaris.comcastbiz.net](mailto:waterspirit@stellamaris.comcastbiz.net).

## **ST. JOSEPH BY THE SEA RETREAT HOUSE MANTOLOKING**

**IMAGES OF GOD**—September 21, 9:30AM—2:30PM.  
Presenter will be Father Mike Sullivan. Call 732-892-8494 to register and for further information.

## **PARISH OFFICE**

Will be closed Monday, September 6, Labor Day. The office will re-open Tuesday, September 7.

**INFORMATION SHEET**

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