

**SACRED HEART OF JESUS CHURCH
215-35 38TH AVENUE
BAYSIDE, N.Y. 11361**

Corpus Christi- June 14, 2020

**Saturday, June 13th
Alice Fitzpatrick
Intentions of the Donor**

**Sunday, June 14th
Intention of Donor
Collective Mass
Marande Valencia, Jr. (Family)
Antonia Hildago (Family)
John Maracich (Ann & Family)
Diana Velazquez (Pastor Family)**

**Monday, June 15th
Gaspar Modica (Family)**

**Tuesday, June 16th
Robert Sansosti (Shelia Sansosti)**

**Wednesday, June 17th
Mary & Anthony Miceli (Catalano Family)**

**Thursday, June 18th
Manuel Imperila (Pulga Family)**

**Friday, June 19th _ FEAST OF THE MOST
SACRED HEART OF JESUS
For the Parishioners**

**Saturday, June 20th
Intentions of the Donor
Father's Day Novena**

**Sunday, June 21st
Father's Day Novena**

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

The Masses listed on this bulletin page while not being said in church are being said by Msgr. Machalski and Fr. Alex Lee in the rectory each day for the listed intentions.

The names of deceased and living fathers, grandfathers, great-grandfathers, godfathers, uncles and those special men you would like remembered in the Father's Day Novena of Masses must be submitted to the rectory by June 19.

If someone you know is suffering from coronavirus or has died due to it please call the rectory. Fr. Alex, Monsignor and the Sisters have a prayer list and we will add their names to the list so that we can pray for them. I have called all those who receive Holy Communion at home, all those who receive Meals on Wheels from our parish and a list of Leisure Club members given to me by Sr. Kathleen. If I missed anyone please let me know. so that I can give them a call. Also, if you know anyone that would like a call from me just give me their number and I will gladly reach out to them.

Please consider saying the Rosary or at least one decade of the Rosary for all our doctors, nurses, hospital personnel and support staff, police officers, firefighters, EMS/EMT personnel, and all other essential workers who are truly heroes. May God bless them through Our Lady's intercession for their selfless acts of love and charity on our behalf.

A special word of thanks to all those who have mailed in or dropped off their weekly contributions or continue to support the parish using electronic giving. Thanks to those who have made special gifts to help us financially get through this time of crisis.

A word of thanks from Fr. Alex and myself to those who have dropped off delicious home made foods of all types. Thanks to those who have written us notes of encouragement and support or called to "check in on us" via phone. We appreciate your kindness, support and prayers.

Thanks to all who have returned their updated parish census forms to the rectory. If you have not done so as of yet please do as soon as possible. You can mail them, drop them off in the rectory mail slot or send them via email. Even if you have filled out a census form in the past PLEASE fill out the one sent in the mail or print it

online. We are trying to update our parish database.

Please check our parish web page and FaceBook page for updates and important [announcements](#).

After a few setbacks and lots of attempts and trail and error, we have begun to have Sunday Masses pre-recorded each week. There are links on our FaceBook page, and parish website that will allow you to participate in Mass celebrated in our Church. Many thanks to Paul DeBenedittis for volunteering to help record the Masses and get them uploaded onto YouTube.

The Church will be open Monday-Thursday from 11:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M. and Fridays and Saturdays from 11:00 A.M.-2:00 P.M. Please remember that only 10 people will be permitted in the church at any given time, masks must be worn at all times, you may only sit in designated seats, no touching statues or lighting candles. The restroom will be locked and therefore is not available. Please follow the instructions of the volunteers who will be present in the church. If I get a few more volunteers then I will be able to have the church open on Sundays too. If you can volunteer, please contact me at the rectory.

(718-428-2200)

I have been informed that Bishop DiMarzio is assigning a seminarian to our parish during the summer for his parish internship training. The seminarian assigned to our parish is Vincent Vu who has completed his third year of theological studies at St. John XXIII Seminary in Massachusetts. Vincent will begin his assignment on June 29 and will be with us until August 16. Please join me in welcoming Vincent to our parish family.

If you have been participating in Mass online, you might have noticed that there is a new crucifix in the sanctuary. It was donated by a family in the parish that wishes to remain anonymous. The crucifix arrived from Italy at the beginning of Lent. We intended to have Bishop Chappetto bless it during our St. Peregrine Triduum but the pandemic lockdown prevented that from happening. It will be blessed by the Bishop in the future. The crucifix that was in the sanctuary for many years is now located in the Reconciliation Room which did not have a crucifix in it.

***Stay Safe! Stay Healthy!
Isolate! Remember: Social
Distancing, mask & gloves***

Today is the Feast of Corpus Christi—the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. In these strange times we have not been able to gather as a community to celebrate the Eucharist and to receive Our Lord in Holy Communion. So many of you have told me how you long for the day when you will once again be able to receive Holy Communion. As I said in my homily for today, if anything good comes out of this pandemic maybe it will be to realize not to take the Eucharist for granted— to get to Mass regularly, to receive Him more reverently, to make our love for Him in the Most Blessed Sacrament stronger and grow deeper.

**O Sacrament most holy, O
Sacrament divine, all praise and
all thanksgiving be every
moment Thine!**

Friday, June 19 is the Feast of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, our parish's Patronal Feast. Let us entrust all our needs and intentions to His Most Sacred Heart .

**SACRED HEART OF JESUS,
PRAY FOR US and HAVE
MERCY ON US!**