

Sacred Heart of Jesus Roman Catholic Church

Mission Statement

The Roman Catholic Faith Community of Sacred Heart of Jesus welcomes all! Guided by the Holy Spirit, we proclaim the Good News of Jesus Christ through Eucharist, Worship, Education and Service. We are committed to build the Kingdom of God in our world.

Sacred Heart is not just a parish—it's a way of life.

Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil—5:00pm

Sunday

8:00am, 10:00am, 12 Noon

Monday—Saturday at 9:00am

Holydays

Eve of Holyday at 7:30pm

Holyday at 9:00am & 7:30pm

Devotions

Rosary: Monday—Saturday after 9:00am Mass

Miraculous Medal Novena:
Mondays after 9:00am Mass

First Friday:

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and
Sacred Heart Novena after 9:00am Mass
Benediction at 10:00am

Our Lady of Loretto Novena:
First Saturday after 9:00am Mass

Confession

Saturdays 3:30pm—4:30pm

Baptism

Designated Saturdays at 1:00pm.
Call to inquire and register.

Marriage

Arrangements must be made six months prior to
the wedding. Contact rectory for details.

Anointing/Communion for the Sick

Anointing of the seriously ill: call rectory.
Communion for the homebound: call S. Kathleen.

Rectory Office Hours—Daily

9am to 1pm & 2 to 5pm Closed Saturday & Sunday



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Pastoral Staff

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- Rev. Msgr., Thomas C. Machalski, Jr., Pastor
- Rev. Alex Lee, Parochial Vicar
- Rev. James J. Meszaros, In Residence
- Mr. John F. DeBiase, Deacon
- Sr. Kathleen Masterson RSM, Pastoral Associate
(718-224-5695)

School

- Mrs. Alexandra Conlan, Principal 718-631-4804

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- Mrs. Georgette Lyons, Director 718-631-1307

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- Mrs. Angelina Fusco, Director 718-428-2200

Parish Pastoral Council

Mrs. Marianne Cooney, Facilitator

Parish Secretary

Ms. Catherine Sorge 718-428-2200

Parish Support

Sr. Ellen Smith, RSM 718-428-2200

Sunday Mass Assistance

Rev. Msgr. Richard Marchese

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday, September 19th

5:00 **Catherine Lyons** (Lyons Family)

Sunday, September 20th

8:00 **Betty & Joseph Giannola** (Family)

10:00 **Collective Mass**

Romolo Catalano (Peg Riconda)

Mary Mahon (Constance Cahn)

John Cody (McCabe Family)

Fr. Timothy Hirten (Peg Riconda)

Alfonso Rojas (Lon & Joanna Blais)

12:00 **Intention of Donor**

Monday, September 21st

9:00 **Ligia Tobon** (Restrepo Family)

Tuesday, September 22nd

9:00 **Mario Borini** (Susann Secor)

Wednesday, September 23rd

9:00 **Intention of Donor**

Thursday, September 24th

9:00 **Intention of Donor**

Friday, September 25th

9:00 **Intention of Donor**

Saturday, September 26th

9:00 **Intention of Donor**

5:00 **Robert Masterson** (Sheila Sansosti)

Sunday, September 27th

8:00 **Intention of Donor**

10:00 **Collective Mass**

Rita Gallagher (Katie Epifane)

Bruna Antonioli

(Tuseo & Fressle Families)

Edward Rogowski (Wife)

Blanca Alvarado (Edith Kofteris)

Vincent Chadzutko (Douglas Libby)

Patricia Hermosura (Family)

12:00 **Intention of Donor**



*Twenty-Fifth Sunday in
Ordinary Time
September 20th 2020*

“Seek the Lord while He may be found...” While seeking Him in prayer and the sacraments, listen to Him. Could it be you are being

called by Jesus to serve as a priest, deacon, sister or brother? If you think He may be offering you this grace, contact the Vocation Office at 718-827-2454 or email:vocations@diobrook.org.



Please remember in your prayers those who are ill especially:



Please pray for our deceased parishioner

BEREAVEMENT MEETING

Until further notice our Bereavement Group will not be holding meetings.

When we can restart our meetings information will be posted in the bulletin. If you require any additional information please contact Sr. Kathleen Masterson at 718-224-5695.

FROM THE PASTOR'S DESK

ITEM #1

Thanks to Lucille Russo for donating two beautiful red vestments to the parish in memory of Russell Krizek.

ITEM #2

Many times, when a loved one dies people buy vestments, chalices, pyxes, etc. in their memory. While we are grateful for the gesture please know that there are only so many that any parish can use and many times we send them to the missions where they will be put to use and where the person in whose memory they were donated will be prayed for when the item is used.. Presently, we have more than enough chalices and pyxes. I do, however, have a list of other items that we can use or need to be replaced. Please contact me for further information.

ITEM #3

Please pray for the two groups of young people and adults who were confirmed this past Saturday and for the groups that will be confirmed on Saturday, September 26 at 12:00 PM and 2:30 PM. You can also participate in the ceremonies via live stream. Just go to our parish webpage and look for the Mass Stream tab to watch the Mass. I will be administering the Sacrament of Confirmation; Bishop DiMarzio has given delegation to the pastors of the Diocese to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation because of the pandemic.

ITEM #4

On Saturday, October 3, the children of the parish will be making their First Holy Communion. The two ceremonies at 12:00PM and 2:30PM will take place at and both ceremonies will be livestreamed.

ITEM #5

Mark the date: Blessing of Animals on Sunday, October 4 after the 12PM Mass. The blessing will take place around the Prayer Garden.

Continued from The Pastor's Desk

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.

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 data base.

Please check our parish webpage and FaceBook page for updates and important announcements.

You can watch Mass on TV or livestreamed from our own church by going to the webpage <https://sacredheartbayside-queens.org> and clicking on the "Watch Mass Stream" button. The Mass will also be available to be viewed "on demand".

Masses are being celebrated weekdays and on Sundays. We are allowed to have 25% of our capacity in church at one time. We can have 65 people at each Mass. The rules of social distancing will be strictly adhered to and it is required that masks be worn at all times except when receiving Communion. Families (meaning you all live in the same household) will be able to sit together in designated pews.

The church will not be open until approximately 15 minutes before the Mass is scheduled to begin so that proper sanitizing can take place between each Mass. Once our allowed capacity is reached no one will be permitted to enter the church. Please cooperate with the greeters and understand that this is for the safety and well-being of everyone.

The Sunday Mass schedule will be as follows: Saturday, at 5pm and Sundays at 8:00am, 10:00am and 12 Noon. At present, there will not be a Sunday evening Mass at 5:00pm.

continued from The Pastor's Desk

After Mass, please refrain from applause and exit the church quickly so that the church can be sanitized before the next service begins.

We still need greeters/ushers especially for the Saturday 5pm Mass to ensure that the guidelines of the CDC are being followed—i.e. that people are seated in the spots measured out using social distancing guidelines, making sure people are wearing masks, that we only have the amount of people allowed in the church at a given time, to ensure the six feet space between people especially when approaching the altar to receive Holy Communion. If you can help in these matters please call Monsignor Machalski at 718-428-2200.

If you are ill, have a medical issue or are in any way compromised please stay home.

The obligation to attend Mass on Sunday was dispensed by the Bishop at the outset of the Pandemic and still remains in effect.

**PLEASE NOTE THE NEW MASS
SCHEDULE:
Saturdays 5pm
Sundays 8am, 10am & 12 Noon
NO SUNDAY EVENING AT 5pm.**

With the change in Mass schedule please note that if you have requested Masses for an intention, they are being satisfied but perhaps at a different time than when you arranged for the Mass. The Saturday, 5:00pm Mass is not affected by this change. The intentions and Mass time remain the same.

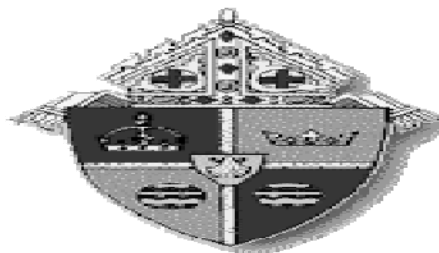
Mass Intentions originally requested for Sunday 9:30am are being fulfilled at the 8:00 am Mass on Sunday.

Mass Intentions originally requested as part of the Collective Mass at 11:30am are being fulfilled at the 10:00am Mass.

Mass Intentions originally requested for Sunday at 5:00pm are being fulfilled at the 12:00 pm Mass.

Thank you for your understanding as we try to adjust to a “new normal” due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

If you desire a worship aid to use during Mass and, since we cannot use missalettes you can purchase one at the rectory for \$2.00 that you can bring to Church with you. You can also order the prayer aid –MAGNIFICAT—BY CALLING 866-273-5215 OR VISIT www.magnificat.com



ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

A special word of thanks to all those who have participated in The Annual Catholic Appeal. The “shut down” has prevented our usual procedure of having an in pew commitment Sunday this year. However, many of you have received the appeal via the mail because of your previous participation in the ACA.

As of September 14th, 131 parishioners have made pledges totaling \$79,119.00 of which \$74,399.15 has been paid. Once again, a very generous family pledged and paid in full \$25,000.00.

We are only \$17,675.00 away from reaching goal.

Our goal for this year is \$96,794.00 Please prayerfully consider participating in the ACA 2020. As always, anything we collect over goal comes back to the parish in full.

You may view the ACA video at:
<https://catholicfoundationbq.org/annual-catholic-appeal/>



RCIA
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The RCIA Team and Sacred Heart Family invite you, a relative or a friend on a journey to find that special relationship and enrich your life with Christ. The RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) aims to guide adults to full membership in the Catholic Faith. We invite you who have never been baptized or have been baptized a Catholic but have not received the Sacraments of Eucharist or Confirmation.

Our group meets each week to pray, discuss the teachings of our Church, and reflect on the call of faith in your life. If interested in completing your sacramental involvement please call Mrs. Georgette Lyons, Director of Religious Education at 718-631-1307.

ATTENTION VOLUNTEERS!!!

Anyone in the parish who volunteers in any position that involves children is required

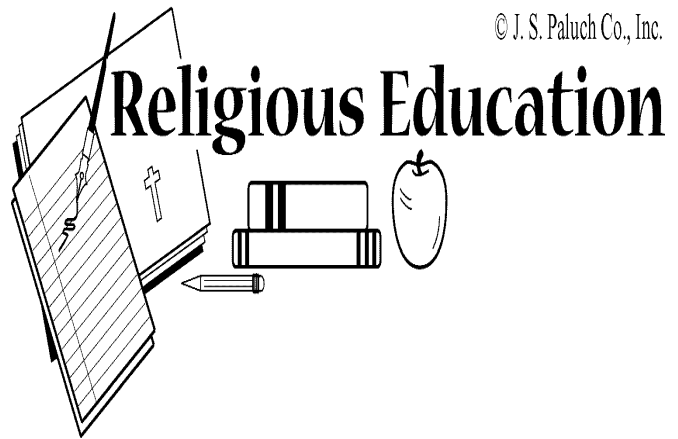
By our Diocese to attend at three hour workshop called **"PROTECTING ALL GOD'S CHILDREN."**

If you need to take the workshop, please go online to www.virtusonline.com to find the listing for the workshops and to register. We are in the Diocese of Brooklyn. If you have any questions, please call Mrs. Lyons at 718-631-1037.

TACHS EXAM

Students in 8th grade during the 2020-2021 school year, wishing to apply for fall admission into Catholic High Schools in the Archdiocese of New York and the Diocese of Brooklyn need to take the TACHS EXAM. Students attending Sacred Heart Catholic Academy will receive the information package in school. The test is designed to measure school aptitude & scholastic achievement in reading/mathematics/language. Note the test will be administered differently this year. All the information can be obtained by going to www.tachsinfo.com or calling 1-866-618-2247. The exam will be given on Saturday, 11/7/2020.

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TIME TO REGISTER FOR THE 2020-2021 SCHOOL YEAR

PARENT INFORMATION

Classes began Sept. 19th virtually for our Saturday Religious Education Students.

Our program is for children in public or private schools. The Diocese requires two years of religious instruction to receive the sacraments of communion and confirmation.

This program is for children first thru eight grade, older children and special needs children.

**If you wish to register a child for classes please call
Mrs. Georgette Lyons,
Director of Religious Education
at 718-631-1307 or email
shreligiousdbayside@yahoo.com.**

The registration form is also available at the parish website at www.sacredheartbayside.net

SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

Streaming of the Sacrament of Confirmation and First Holy Communion... Our Sacraments will be live streamed this year. Information for Streaming is listed below.

All of the streams can be watched live on the Sacred Heart Web Site:
<https://sacredheartbayside-queens.org/>
Click on "Watch Mass Stream" below the large photo, and the stream will be in the player at the designated time.

If viewers prefer to sit back and watch from their couch on a Smart TV using its YouTube app, they can find our stream on the Sacred Heart YouTube Channel:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCUlfxknxSIFB8yR9BJxtv7w/featured>. The options above are to watch live only.

We are also providing the following individual links for each ceremony. These links take you straight to the player, and will also work after the ceremony to watch it on demand later.



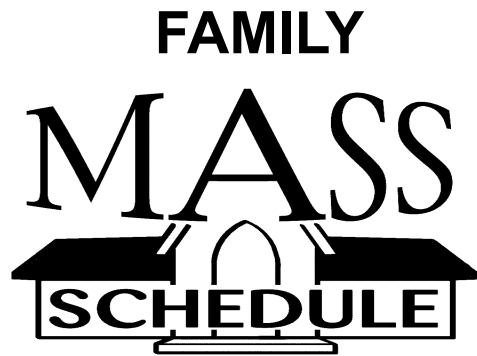
Confirmation no. 3
Sat. Sept. 26th 12-1:45
<https://boxcast.tv/view/confirmation-3-sat-9262020-12pm-355857>

Confirmation no. 4
Sat. Sept. 26 2:30-4:15
<https://boxcast.tv/view/confirmation-4-sat-9262020-230-pm-476024>

First Communion no. 1
Sat. Oct. 3 12-1:45
<https://boxcast.tv/view/first-communion-1-sat-1032020-12-pm-739727>



First Communion no. 2
Sat. Oct. 3 2:30-4:15
<https://boxcast.tv/view/first-communion-2-sat-1032020-230-pm-356542>



This year we will continue to celebrate Family Mass the first Sunday of each month (with some exceptions). However because of the Corona Virus ti will be different.

Since we have a limited number of people permitted in Church at each Mass we will not designate only one Mass for Family Mass. Rather, on the weekend designated for Family Mass we invite families to attend any of the four Sunday Masses most convenient for them.

Unfortunately, the Children's Choir will be on hold until further notice.

2020 Family Mass Schedule
October 3rd & 4th
November 7th & 8th
December 5th & 6th

BOY SCOUT TROOP 49

Come Join Us! See what we are all about. Our parish is the sponsor of the BEST Boy Scout Troop in Bayside. Membership is open to all eligible boys regardless of school, religion, race ethnicity, etc. You must be 11 years old or in the 6th grade or higher to join. Parent's permission is required. We offer the opportunity to have fun while learning personal responsibility, self-reliance confidence, leadership skills and teamwork. The Scouting program is designed to strengthen a boy's character, and through action and example develop citizenship, spirituality, environmental awareness, and community service. Our group meets on Friday evenings at 7:45 pm in the Church Hall. (enter doors west side of church). Membership is open year long. Interested Boys and parents may stop in at a meeting to learn more.

Please visit [http://www.tognan.org/Scout troop 49/index htm](http://www.tognan.org/Scout%20troop%2049/index.htm) or you can contact our Scoutmaster Thomas Tran at troop49queens@gmail.com

From the desk of
Sister Kathleen

LEISURE CLUB

The year 2021 marks our Leisure Club's 50th anniversary. We will be having a fitting celebration dinner to acknowledge this milestone. More information on when and how we will be celebrating will follow. As with all meetings, we must wait until we receive the ok to gather again.

Mary Fowler who was a life-time member of Sacred Heart and long-time member of our Leisure Club died this past year. In her will she bequeathed the Leisure Club \$10,000. It was Mary's wish that we have a proper celebration and so we shall! Thank you, Mary.

WELLNESS

Our next WELLNESS session will be held via Zoom on Tuesday, September 22nd at 1PM. This month's topic is "HOSPICE: WHAT IT IS AND WHAT IT IS NOT." If you wish to receive email notices about our Wellness series, please call Sister Kathleen at 718-224-5695.

SEASON OF CREATION:

September 1st thru October 4th

The Season of Creation has begun! Join this movement and *thousands of Christians* around the world in this Spirit-filled celebration.

It is a time to renew our relationship with our Creator and all creation through repenting, repairing, and rejoicing together. During the Season of Creation, we join our sisters and brothers in the ecumenical family in prayer and action for our common home. This year's theme: Jubilee for the Earth

Go on their web page for daily inspiration.
(seasonofcreation.org)

GHEGK
THIS OUT!

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Sacred Heart Wellness Series
Tuesday, September 22, 2020
1PM Zoom Teleconference

Session Summary:

Join us this month when Dr. Albert Riddle, MD, CMD, President of the Riddle Medical Group and Medical Director for Ulster County Hospice, will join us to talk about the process of medical decision-making for individuals and their caregivers. A continuation of our previous conversations on ADVANCE DIRECTIVES, Dr. Riddle will offer a physician's perspective on identifying treatment preferences and respond to our questions about advocacy for ourselves and those we care for. At a time when COVID-19 has caused many families to face difficult decisions at a time of crisis, this conversation will offer a proactive process for ensuring that you and your loved ones receive care consistent with your values and preferences.

To register, please email Sister Kathleen at siskate913@verizon.net

To see what else is happening, go to ABOUT US and a list of ministries will drop down.

Click on any of them for more information.

- Bereavement
- Justice & Peace
- Laudate Si- Environmental Committee
- Leisure Club
- Prayer Shawl
- Social Action Committee

Under **LITURGICAL MINISTRY**, do check out CLOW: Children's Liturgy of the Word

Under **GET INVOLVED WITH YOUR FAITH**, click on

- Spirituality



News from
Sacred Heart Academy:

Dear Parishioners,

Thank you for your continued support of collecting Box Tops. Because of your efforts, we are happy to report the Academy will receive a check for nearly \$400. Our collection efforts will continue throughout the school year, so please continue to clip the Box Tops and place them in the new receptacle located in vestibule of the Church.

A few things to note when clipping:

Please remember not to cut off the expiration date at the bottom, or the product abbreviation in the top left corner.

If possible, please check expiration dates before submitting.

The only label you need to clip is the one that looks like this:



Finally, by 2021, clipping Box Tops will be phased out. The program is moving away from clipping and encouraging the use of their app. To earn Box Tops for our school using the app simply:

Download the App

Shop products with the following label:



Scan your receipt within 14 days and you're done.

For more information you can visit the Box Tops web site at www.boxtops4education.com, or speak with our school's Coordinator and Parishioner, Nicola Fressle. Once again, thank you for all your efforts, and support of our school.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Conlan

SACRED HEART ACADEMY

If you would like information about registering a child at Sacred Heart Academy, please contact the school office, at 718-631-4804 and speak with our Principal, Mrs. Conlan.

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