

# SACRED HEART PARISH

## SACRED HEART CHURCH

380 E. Fairmount Avenue  
Lakewood, NY 14750

## OUR LADY OF THE SNOWS CHURCH

36 E. Main Street  
Panama, NY 14767

**December 11, 2016**  
Third Sunday of Advent



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### **Office Hours**

Monday – Thursday ~ 9:30 am – 4:30 pm

Friday ~ 9:30 am - noon

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday – 3:00-3:30 pm (L)

or upon request

### **Weekend Holy Masses**

Saturday Vigil – 4:00 pm (L)

Sunday – 8:30 am (P) & 10:00 am (L)

### **First Friday Devotions**

Holy Hour with Exposition of the

Holy Eucharist – 4:30 pm (L)

Holy Mass – 5:30 pm (L)

### **First Saturday Holy Mass**

9:00 am (L)

**HOLY MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK**

**Saturday, December 10**  
**Sunday Vigil Holy Mass**  
 4:00pm (L) +Mary Anne Ferrara by Dan and Sue McIntyre

**Sunday, December 11**  
**Third Sunday of Advent**  
 8:30am (P) All Parishioners by Msgr. Joseph Dowdell  
 10:00am (L) All Parishioners Living and Deceased by Rev. Piotr Zaczynski

**Monday, December 12**  
**Our Lady of Guadalupe**  
 No church service

**Tuesday, December 13**  
**St. Lucy**  
 5:30pm (L) Communion Service

**Wednesday, December 14**  
**St. John of the Cross**  
 9:00am (L) +Otto Niklas by Family

**Thursday, December 15**  
 9:00am (L) +Joseph Marchetti by Dee Muniz

**Friday, December 16**  
 9:00am (L) +Loretta Moretti by Sacred Heart Altar and Rosary Society

**Saturday, December 17**  
**Sunday Vigil Holy Mass**  
 4:00pm (L) All Parishioners Living and Deceased by Rev. Piotr Zaczynski

**Sunday, December 18**  
**Fourth Sunday of Advent**  
 8:30am (P) Wieslaw Piontczak by Rev. Piotr Zaczynski  
 10:00am (L) +The deceased of the Wendel and Gawlik Families by the Wendel Family

**L - Lakewood ~ P - Panama**

**INTENTIONS**

**Lakewood - for the month of December**

Sanctuary lamp in memory of Samuel Restivo by family

**WEEKLY OFFERING - December 4, 2016**

Regular Collection - Envelopes	\$3,404.00
Regular Collection - Loose	\$619.00
Total Collection	\$4,023.00
Weekly Budget	\$3,900.00
Overage	\$123.00
Number of Envelopes Used	109
Fiscal Year-to-Date Budget Deficit	(\$965.22)
Collection for the Needy	\$974.00

*As you heard in the presentation of our annual financial report last week, although we are in better financial shape than at this time last year, we still operated in the red during the past fiscal year. **If you are able to do so, please consider increasing your weekly offering amount by \$3 to \$5.** And thank you so much for your generosity this past week!*

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK  
OF OUR PARISH FAMILY**

Tammy Gable Bishop, Josef Bauer, Bruce Clark, Grant Damon, Gladys Forbes, Haley Laughlin, Sue Laughlin, Janet Lindell, Kristin Schmidtfrerick, Maureen Walker, and Charlie Wescott

**COLLECTION WORKERS**

**This week:** Susan Ibabao, Marti Miller, Geri Swanson  
**Next week:** JoAnne Maitland, Diane Paterniti, Liz Sprankle

**READINGS FOR DECEMBER 18**

Isaiah 7:10-14  
 Psalm 24  
 Romans 1:1-7  
 Matthew 1:18-24

**PARISH STAFF**

Rev. Piotr Zaczynski, Pastor  
 Deacon Daniel Tyler  
 Dineen Muniz, Secretary/Faith Formation Director  
 Doris Pappalardo, Business Manager  
 Maria Perron, SH Director of Music  
 Marie Rensel, OLS Director of Music  
 Lyle Hajdu and Don Pangborn, Trustees

<b>MINISTRY SCHEDULES</b>			
<b>DECEMBER 17-18</b>	<b>4:00 PM (L)</b>	<b>8:30 AM (P)</b>	<b>10:00 AM (L)</b>
<b>Lectors</b>	Carol Bankowski	Irene Anderson	John Mohan
<b>Eucharistic Ministers</b>	Donna DiMaio Rita Freeborough Beth Green Sally Twichell	Judy Prechtl Chris Voorhis	Beth Burlingame Rey Muniz Julie Rodriguez PJ Wendel
<b>Altar Servers</b>	Carter Volk	Aaron Graham Will Hoden Nathan Radka	Matthew Burlingame Samantha Kosinski Brice Lowe Bohdan Wendel

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### CHRISTMAS FLOWER OFFERING

If you would like to have your Christmas flower offering in memory or in honor of someone be listed in our bulletin, please be sure to return it by next Sunday, December 18.

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### WE NEED YOU!

After the 10:00 Mass next Sunday, we will be decorating our church in Lakewood for Christmas. Please join us as we prepare our church for the birth of our Savior. All ages and skill levels are welcome and coffee and donuts will be provided! Please contact Beth Green at 763-1356 or [bethg53@gmail.com](mailto:bethg53@gmail.com) for more information.

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### HIGH SCHOOL TEENAGERS - YOU'RE INVITED

Young people are invited to explore what it means to be *Positively Dangerous* at the 65<sup>th</sup> Annual Diocesan Youth Convention. Gather with over 800 other youth from March 3 to 5 at the Adams Mark Hotel in Buffalo. The weekend is a time for praying, learning, socializing, building friendships, celebrating, and growing in faith. It is a great time to show unity as Catholic youth. There are workshops, prayer opportunities, and general sessions, with Mass on Sunday to conclude the weekend. The evening activities include a coffee house, an expo, and a dance. This is a weekend you don't want to miss!

The cost for the weekend is \$180. This includes two nights in the hotel, two meals, and all of the sessions and activities during the weekend. There are fundraising opportunities to reduce this cost. For more information and to sign up for the event, contact Dee Muniz at 763-2815.

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### CHRISTMAS GIFT FOR TEENAGERS

If you have run out of gift ideas for a teenager on your list, give this a thought - help that special teenager get to the Diocesan Youth Convention (see details above). You can help to defray the cost of the convention by giving a gift certificate in any denomination to the teenager on your list. To purchase one, contact Dee Muniz in the parish office. You will be giving the gift of a faith experience that will last a lifetime.

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### MONTHLY MAINTENANCE COLLECTION

Next Sunday will be the monthly collection for our Maintenance Fund. Please give to help cover the cost of needed repairs to our parish facilities, as well as to fund the performance of regular maintenance so that fewer repairs might be needed in the future.

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### AGING RELIGIOUS NEED YOUR HELP

Senior Catholic sisters, brothers, and religious order priests have offered their lives in service to others - educating the young, comforting the sick, and seeking justice for the oppressed. Today, many are frail, elderly, and in need of assistance. Your gift to the Retirement Fund for Religious helps to furnish medications, nursing care, and other necessities. Please give generously to today's collection.

### THE WEEK AT A GLANCE

Sunday, December 11- after 8:30am Mass - **Cookie and Craft Sale (P)**

11:15am - **Faith Formation and Confessions for Students and Families (L)**

4:00-6:00pm - **Fr. Piotr's Open House (Rectory)**

Tuesday, December 13-10:00am - **Prayer Shawl Group (PC)**

6:30pm - **OLS Altar and Rosary Society (P)**

7:00pm - **Choir Practice (L)**

Wednesday, Dec. 14 - 6:30pm - **Bible Study (PC)**

Thursday, Dec. 15 - 6:30pm - **RCIA (PC)**

Sunday, December 18 - 8:30am - **Mass followed by breakfast with Bishop Malone (P)**

11:00am - **Decorate church for Christmas (L)**

11:15am - **Faith Formation (L)**

(L) - Lakewood ~ (P) - Panama ~ (PC) - Parish Center

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### CHRISTMAS STAR GIFTS

Christmas star gifts are due next Sunday. Please bring all gifts - wrapped and with the star tag attached - to the Parish Center in Lakewood by next weekend. There are still a few star tags available if you want to pick one up after Mass today.

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### PIANO AVAILABLE TO A GOOD HOME

Our Lady of Snows in Panama has an upright piano that needs to go. It is free to anyone who is willing to move it. For more information, contact Irene Anderson at 782-3137.

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### ADVENT PENANCE SERVICE

**Monday, December 12 at 7:00pm**  
**Our Lady of Loreto Church, Falconer**

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### A FRIENDLY CALL

The Telephone Assurance Program (TAP) serves Chautauqua County and is a free volunteer service providing regular telephone calls to homebound elderly and disabled persons to check on their well-being and to give people an opportunity to socialize. Relationships grow and last for years through a regular 5- to 15-minute call. These calls are especially needed during the holiday season to alleviate some concerns facing those who live alone and to help them maintain their independence. If you know of someone who would like to receive calls through the program or to volunteer to make calls, call (716) 218-1400. For other services available or to learn about volunteer opportunities, visit Catholic Charities at <http://www.ccwny.org>.

## *IN LOVING MEMORY*

Michael Abbate and Frank Geaben

Leroy and Ethel Anderson

The Bankowski, Gardner and Shear Families

The Barnes and Rieg Families

Dominic & Rita Carvella

Don R. Carvella

Charles E.J. Cassidy

The Crane, Rieger and Sculley Families

Joseph and Anna Cusimano and Families

Albert and Viola DeMeyere

The Dryja and Weber Families

The Galati and Williams Families

The Hutchinson and Truax Families

The Irons and Pfurtscheller Families

N. Paul and Margaret Jaffy

Andrew B. and Eleanor H. Johnson

Carolyn Karolcia Karolewska

Marie F. MacNamara

Laura Miller

Jeanette Mugle

The Regan and Stranz Families

Samuel E. Restivo

The Rodriguez and Pappalardo Families

Nicholas Rodriguez, Sr.

The Slipetz and Wendel Families

The Snyder Family

Clarence and Iola Sprankle

The Tichy, Brunecz, and Horvath Families

Joseph Tucholski

David & Loreene Twichell and David J. Twichell

Sam and Sally Vullo

Willis, Mary, and Nancy Wells

Rev. Msgr. Rupert Wright

The Zaczynski and Grabowski Families

The Zahler and Cuffney Families

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen.*

*May the prayers of Mary, the Mother of God, who stood by the cross as Her Son was dying, help those who mourn for our brothers and sisters and accompany all of us in our time of need. Amen.*