

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

June 11, 2023

**The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ
Corpus Christi**



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Office Hours
Monday - Thursday ~ 9:00am - 4:00
Friday ~ 9:00 - noon

Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturday (L) 4:30pm-5pm

Weekend Holy Masses
Saturday Vigil - 5:30 pm (L)
Sunday - 8:30 am (P) & 10:00 am (L)

First Friday Devotions
Holy Hour with Exposition Eucharist
11:15 am (SSPP)
Holy Mass - 12:10 pm (SSPP)

Faith Formation
(716) 763-2815 after the 10:00am
Mass

HOLY MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Saturday, June 10

Vigil Mass

5:30pm (L) +Nikolaus Grunert by Alice Mistretta

Sunday, June 11

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8:30am (P) George & Mary Tichy by Bob & Liz Sprankle

10:00am (L)+ Nina Marsh by Friend

Monday, June 12

9:00am (L) Rey Muniz III by Mom

Tuesday, June 13

No Church Service

Wednesday, June 14

No Church Service

Thursday, June 15

No Church Service

Friday, June 16

The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

9:00am (L)+Brian Jones

Saturday, June 17

Vigil Mass

5:30pm (L)+Nina Marsh by Stan & Mary Cygan

Sunday, June 18

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:30am (P) Kait & Lucius Curtis by Irene Anderson

10:00am (L)+Terence Hayes by Students and Teachers

PARISH STAFF

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WEEKLY REGULAR COLLECTION

Regular Collection \$3517.00



Scan. Pay. Go.

**Remember you can attend any Mass in the Family of Parishes!
You may place your envelope in any collection. It will be sent to us here at
Sacred Heart. God bless you!**

Family members will have to call and give permission to add or remove.

PRAYER LIST

Grant Damon, James Post, the Unborn, Rose Atkins People of the Ukraine, those in the Military, Marty Sargent, and Therese Whit, Dorothy and David Seth, Emily Sechrist, My Nguyen, Megan and Sean, Elizabeth Nguyen. Michelle Cracker, Collins Family, Ellen Tyler, Gayle Boudreau, James Boudreau, Andrea Schneider, Gail Gillig, Nancy Michaels, Erica Collins, Peg Rowley, Donald Segrue, Robert Sprankle, Louis Rieg, and Patti Wasicki

All those touched by loneliness or illness.

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Ex 19 2-6a

Rom 5:6-11

Mt 9:36-10:8

Prayer for Renewal In every age, O God, you have called us to be your people, to be your Church. In this time, we begin anew to discern the pathways that will lead us, your people, closer to you. Continually Bless our journey as we proclaim your Good News, celebrate your saving presence among us, serve others with charity and justice, and steward the world you have entrusted to our care. Send your Spirit to lead and guide Emmaus' journey as we commit ourselves to the renewal of our church. This we ask through Christ our Lord. Amen

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We Remember Those Who Have Died All Those Lost to Violence

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let
perpetual light shine upon them, Amen.*

The Sanctuary Lamp for June is in memory of

Mary Hendrickson & Loreene Twichell by Sally Twichell

The Hosts for the Month of June are in honor of

All Deacons and Priests of the Diocese of Buffalo

Father's Day Envelope Memorials

Father's Day Memorial Envelopes must be in by June 14 for printing in our insert for Father's Day weekend.

Safe Environment Workshop

Are you planning on volunteering now that the Renewal has started?

Perhaps you would like to become a catechist? Or volunteer for outreach or to visit our seniors at our local adult living facilities?

This would be great! To do this you need to have Safe Environment Training. Many of these workshops are held in Buffalo. **This is your chance to take a local workshop at Sacred Heart Parish on June 21, 2023 at 6:00pm-9:30pm. Please go to virtus.org and register ASAP as space is limited!**

Catholic Daughters of America

Court St. Gertrude Grocery Store Gift Card Raffle.

10 Chances to win a \$100.00 Gift Card to your favorite grocery store!

Donation \$4.00 each or 2 for \$6.00

We will be at the following churches one weekend only...bring your wallet!

| Sacred Heart| June 10th & 11| Our Lady of Loreto: June 17| St. John :June 18|Ss. Peter & Paul :June 18

St. James Festival

As Festival plans continue, we are so excited to have our family of parishes joining in many booths at the festival.

Volunteer signup sheets will be available at St. James in the vestibule as well as SS Peter & Paul, St. John, and Sacred Heart in June. We hope you will choose a spot to help before, during or after the festival. There are many spots to fill. We here at Sacred Heart will be collecting the sign-up sheets June 25th, after Masses so they can ensure there are enough volunteers to man the booths or if there are spots that may need more coverage. Please be sure to include a phone number so that you can be easily reached.

If you prefer to help with set-up or tear-down that would also be extremely helpful. We are looking forward to working with members from all our families. This is a great opportunity to get to know one another!

In the meantime, please help us in preparation in any of the following areas:

The next Festival Cookie Baking Session is Saturday **June 17th** times are from 9 - 2. *Many hands make lighter work.* If you can spare an hour or two, that will help a great deal.

Would you consider donating a case of pop or water?

These items can be dropped off at any of the church locations by July 1st and someone from the festival committee will be sure to deliver to St. James for the festival.

If you have any questions, please call the rectory office 763.2815.

From the Desk of Fr. Paul

In the 1600's, a heresy named Jansenism became prevalent in Western Europe. What made Jansenism difficult to root out was that many clergy and bishops were swayed by its teaching. What was Jansenism? It was the belief in a strict moralism claimed to be based in the teaching of St. Augustine. In addition, Jansenism believed in the Protestant Calvinist teaching of predestination meaning that a set number of people are predestined to go to heaven, and nothing can change that, disregarding the reality of free will. This led to the interesting byproduct of Jansenism; a hyper-moralism that resulted in widespread scrupulosity among the faithful. Rather than relying on the mercy of God, it was human action that was the main means to bring about salvation. Certainly, we remember in the Letter of St. James that "Faith without works is dead." (James 2:26) However, Jansenists started to lean more on the works rather than faith. Concretely, this could be seen in the Confessional books that Jansenists priests possessed. These books would give a prescribed penance for each sin as if it were a cure for the sin committed. This is not exactly the way we should look at penance after Confession. Rather, we should rely on God's mercy, trust in his forgiveness, and do the penance the priest gives us as a sign of our sorrow and dedication to God that we want to make restitution.

Why do I mention the Jansenist heresy now? Because it was in this historical context that Jesus appeared to St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, a Visitation Nun in France, as the Sacred Heart. The central message of these apparitions can be summarized by St. Margaret Mary's words she said on her deathbed, "I need nothing but God, and to lose myself in the heart of Jesus." In a time when the Church was struggling with scrupulosity, Jesus came and showed them the compassion and mercy of his Sacred Heart. In my own personal prayer, I love to focus on the human heart of Jesus as I repeat to myself, "Jesus loved us with a human heart." This has grounded me in the incarnational reality and love of God that He has become one of us. Jesus' apparitions reminded the faithful that God's mercy is enough and that while our human actions are not worthless, even our ability to love comes from God as a gift in the first place.

Jesus told St. Margaret Mary the way He wished His Sacred Heart to be honored by devotion. He desired that the First Friday of the month be dedicated to Him and that the faithful receive the Eucharist on that day, that a Feast of the Sacred Heart be established, and that Holy Hours be observed by the faithful. This year the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is on Friday, June 16th. In addition, the Catholic Church celebrates the entire month of June as one dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus, the physical symbol of love in our world. Towards the end of her life, St. Margaret Mary was given the privilege in an apparition to rest her head on the heart of Jesus just like St. John did at the Last Supper. Next time you pray you may want to try this form of imaginative prayer where you also rest near Jesus' heart and also say, "I need nothing but God, and to lose myself in the heart of Jesus."



**Please join us on Friday, June 16th at the 9:00am Mass in honor of
The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus**

IN LOVING MEMORY

LeRoy and Ethel Anderson

Michelle Anderson

The Barnes, Rieg, & Parker Families

Rev. Frank Barone

Ann O'Connell Buckreis

Martha and Howard Brown

Maria Cabaj

Dryja and Weber Family

Charles E.J. Cassidy

Msgr. Joseph Dowdell

Mary Margaret and James Fusco

The Galati and Williams Families

The Giordon, Hurley, and Irwin Families

Fr. John Horn

The Hutchinson and Truax Families

The Irons and Pfurtscheller Families

Andrew B. and Eleanor H. Johnson

Carolyn Karolcia Karolewska

Surlanda Knowlton

Marie F. MacNamara

Laura A. Miller

James and Joan Miller

Mary Jo Mason Montagna

O'Hagan and Dominick Families

Tom Prechtl and Katy Guye

Nicholas Rodriguez, Sr.

Barbara Senske

The Sickler and Maurer Families

The Slipetz and Wendel Families

Irving and Mary Sullivan

The Tichy, Brunecz, and Horvath Families

The Tyler, Nickerson, Degenfelder, McCulla,
and Guiffreda Families

David & Loreene Twichell and David J. Twichell

Jennifer Uhl

Matthew Charles Vullo

Sam and Sally Vullo

The Wescott and Boland Families

Sister Frances Boland

Willis, Mary, and Nancy Wells

Rev. Msgr. Rupert Wright

The Zaczynski and Grabowski Families

The Zahler, Cuffney, and Green 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.,