

# 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

January 15, 2023

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



REV. TODD REMICK

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

**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
(L) upon request

**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, January 14**

**Vigil Mass**

5:30pm (L) Lucas, Avery, & Magdelyn by  
Sally Twichell

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**Sunday, January 15**

**Second Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30am (P)+Mary Jill Coon by Hoden Family  
10:00am (L)+Mary Jill Coon by the Hoden Family

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**Monday, January 16**

No Church Service

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**Tuesday, January 17**

**St. Anthony, Abbot**

9:00am (L) All Parishioners by Fr. Todd Remick

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**Wednesday, January 18**

No Church Service

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**Thursday, January 19**

9:00am (L) Nina Marsh by Geri Swanson

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**Friday, January 20**

**St. Fabian, Pope, and Martyr**

9:00am (L)+Victor Bankowski by  
Carol & Wayne Bankowski

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**Saturday, January 21**

**Vigil Mass**

5:30pm (L)+Nina Marsh by Dee Muniz

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**Sunday, January 22**

**Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8:30am (P) +Michael Woodfield by Bob & Liz Sprankle  
10:00am (L) +Christine Rieg by Wescott Family

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**PARISH STAFF**

Rev. Todd Remick Temp. Adm.  
Dineen Muniz, Secretary/Faith Formation  
Doris Pappalardo, Business Manager  
Owen Reyda, SH Music  
Marie Rensel, OLS Music  
Lyle Hajdu and Craig Felton, Trustees  
Renewal Representatives:  
Irene Anderson-**Our Lady of the Snows**  
Rev Muniz Ir. -**Sacred Heart**

**WEEKLY REGULAR COLLECTION**

**Regular Collection -\$4153.75**



**Scan. Pay. Go.**

**Please remember us in your monthly giving. If you don't already tithe. Please consider donating.**

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**PRAYER LIST**

**Grant Damon, James Post, the Unborn, Rose Atkins, Essential Workers, those in the Military, F.Marty Sargent, and Therese Whit, Dorothy and David Seth, Emily Sechriest, My Nguyen, Megan and Sean, Elizabeth Nguyen., Michelle Cracker, Collins Family, Ellen Tyler, Fran Derby, Gayle Boudreau, James Boudreau, Andrea Schneider, Gail Gillig, Nancy Michaels, Erica Collins, Peg Rowley, Donald Segrue**

**THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**IS 8:23-9:3  
1 COR 1:10-13, 17  
Mt 4:12-23 or 4:12-17 (67)**

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## SACRED HEART PARISH

### *We Remember Those Who Have Died* **Edward Turpin**

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

The Sanctuary Lamp for January is in Memory of

**Richard Collins by Dineen Muniz**

The Hosts for the Month of January are in honor of

**All Priests in the Diocese of Buffalo**

**Natural Family Planning** provides couples a safe and effective means to learn about their fertility and use that knowledge to plan their family. The Creighton Model Fertility Care System, offered by the Catholic Health System is available at Sisters and Buffalo Mercy Hospitals. Introductory Sessions occur each month, followed by individualized instruction over the course of a year. **\*\*Pre-Registration is required at all locations\*\*** For information regarding natural family planning, or introductory sessions please either go to [www.WomenCareWNY.org](http://www.WomenCareWNY.org).

### **End of Year Tax Statements**

If you would like your end of year tax statement we ask that you contact us by email at [sacredheartlkwd@yahoo.com](mailto:sacredheartlkwd@yahoo.com). We will send to you by email. If you need a paper copy of your tax statement please call the office at 716-763-2815



**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 our Emmaus journey as we commit ourselves to the renewal our church. This we ask through Christ our Lord. Amen

### **Faith Formation**

January 8 Class

January 22 Class

January 29-Youth Mass 7-8<sup>th</sup> grade-Superbowl Trivia Family Day  
Faith Formation Families are expected to attend with their children!  
Please wear your favorite team jersey!

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED! VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

We need volunteers to be **Ushers, Money Counters, Lectors, Eucharistic Ministers, Children's Liturgy and Altar Servers**. We also need one or many people to step up and take over running of our **Cash Club**. This was our **biggest Fund Raiser** of the year! We ask you to please consider volunteering. Do you have a special gift that you can share with others. Would you like to start a Men or Women's Bible Study, or run an after Mass "Meet and Greet" with Coffee and Refreshments for the parish. Call the office and let's talk. 763-2815 We have many opportunities where you can help! Now is the time!

**Hebrews 13:16**

**Do Not Neglect to Do Good and to share what you have, for such sacrifices are pleasing to God.**

Martin Luther King Jr. is one of the most important African American leaders in U.S. history and one of the iconic figures of the civil rights movement in the United States during the 1950s and 1960s. King's fight against discrimination and segregation changed American history and gave hope to millions of a future of equality. One of the most inspiring moments of King's life was the August 28, 1963, March on Washington, and his "I Have a Dream" speech, where he stated, "I have a dream that my four children will one day live in a nation where they will not be judged by the color of their skin but by the content of their character." Pope Francis noted the importance of King's dream, one that continues to inspire Americans and people from around the world to this day: **"Here too I think of the march which Martin Luther King led from Selma to Montgomery fifty years ago as part of the campaign to fulfill his "dream" of full civil and political rights for African Americans. That dream continues to inspire us all. I am happy that America continues to be, for many, a land of "dreams". Dreams which lead to action, to participation, to commitment. Dreams which awaken what is deepest and truest in the life of a people.**" King's call for racial equality is echoed in the Catechism of the Catholic Church. **"Created in the image of the one God and equally endowed with rational souls, all men have the same nature and the same origin. Redeemed by the sacrifice of Christ, all are called to participate in the same divine beatitude: all therefore enjoy an equal dignity." (CCC 1934).** In his remarks, Pope Francis noted that King's message of equality is rooted in the Gospel passage of the Golden Rule. **"Do unto others as you would have them do unto you" (Mt 7:12).**" This Rule points us in a clear direction. **Let us treat others with the same passion and compassion with which we want to be treated. Let us seek for others the same possibilities which we seek for ourselves. Let us help others to grow, as we would like to be helped ourselves. In a word, if we want security, let us give security; if we want life, let us give life; if we want opportunities, let us provide opportunities. The yardstick we use for others will be the yardstick which time will use for us.** The Golden Rule also reminds us of our responsibility to protect and defend human life at every stage of its development. "The struggle for equality often places us in conflict with policies or laws that seem to contradict this Gospel message. Determining how to respond can be a great challenge. In his famous "Letter from a Birmingham Jail," King eloquently conveyed his approach to resolving this conflict. **His answer was rooted in the teaching of St. Augustine that "An unjust law is no law at all," as well as the guidance of St. Thomas Aquinas: "Now, what is the difference between the two? How does one determine when a law is just or unjust? A just law is a man-made code that squares with the moral law, or the law of God. An unjust law is a code that is out of harmony with the moral law. To put it in the terms of St. Thomas Aquinas, an unjust law is a human law that is not rooted in eternal and natural law. Any law that uplifts human personality is just. Any law that degrades human personality is unjust.**

-Pope Francis -on September 24, his speech to Congress if you would like to read it in its entirety.

**The Parish Office will be closed on Monday in Observance of Martin Luther King Jr. Day. We will reopen on Tuesday.**

**Eucharistic Minister Training**-There will be a Eucharistic Minister training at St. James for anyone interested in assisting with the distribution of Holy Communion at the Mass and /or helping with our retirement home and homebound ministries. The training will be presented in the hall on **Saturday, February 4<sup>th</sup> at 9:30am. Please call the rectory at 716.487.0125. Forms due by January 29<sup>th</sup>.**

# 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 Prechtel 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.*