**SACRED HEART PARISH**

Sacred Heart Parish Founded 1814, The First Catholic Parish in the STate of New Jersey

Sacred Heart Church, 343 South broad Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08608

Holy Cross Church, 233 Adeline Street, Trenton, New Jersey 08611

**ALL ARE WELCOME**

Whatever your present status in the Catholic Church, whatever your current family or marital situation,

Whatever your past or present religious affiliation, whatever your personal history, age, background, or

race, whatever your own self-image or esteem, you are invited, welcomed, accepted, loved and

respected at the Parish of the Sacred Heart.

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**OFFICE HOURS**

9:00am – 4:00pm Monday – Friday

**SACRED HEART PARISH OFFICE**

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www.trentonsacredheart.org

**CEMETERY RECORDS**

Contact The Office of Catholic Cemeteries at 609-394-2017 or DirectorofCemeteries@DioceseofTrenton.org

**SACRAMENTAL RECORDS**

Sacred Heart Church, Saint John’s Church, Saint Francis Church, Saints Peter and Paul Church, Saint Stanislaus Church, Holy Cross Church, Blessed Sacrament Church, Our Lady of Divine Shepherd Church, Blessed Sacrament/Our Lady of Divine Shepherd Parish and Divine Mercy Parish.

**Liturgy Schedule**

**Sacred Heart CHURCH**

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday

12:10 Noon

Saturday Evening 5:15 PM

Sunday Morning 9:00 and 11:15 AM

**HOLY CROSS CHURCH**

Monday, Thursday and Friday 8:00 AM

Saturday Evening 4:00 PM

Sunday Morning 10:00 AM Gospel

12:00 Noon Polish

For each Holy Day please reference the bulletin

**SACRAMENTS**

**BAPTISM**

Please call the Parish Office at least one month in advance.

**RECONCILIATION**

Every First Friday following the 12:10PM Mass SHC

Saturday afternoon ~ 4:30 to 5:00 PM SHC

Every Saturday from 3:30 to 3:50 PM HCC

Every Sunday 9:30 to 9:50AM HCC

and by appointment.

**EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

First Saturday of the Month 2:30 to 3:30 pm

in Holy Cross Church

**MARRIAGE**

Please call the Parish Priest at least one year in advance to set up initial meeting and to confirm a wedding

date and time.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK**

Please call the Priests any time 609-393-2801.

**COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND**

Call the Parish Office to schedule home visit.

**CONSIDERING PRIESTHOOD?**

Email: [Vocations@DioceseofTrenton.org](mailto:Vocations@DioceseofTrenton.org)

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**THIRTIETH SUNDAY**

**IN ORDINARY TIME**

**October 29, 2023**

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**Saturday, October 28**

4:00 pm ~ H Weiss and Margaret Bliznawcz

5:15 pm SHC ~ Johanna Schino

**Sunday, October 29**

9:00 SHC ~ Steve Yesensky

10:00 HCC ~

11:15 SHC ~ Intentions of the People of the Parish

12:00 HCC Polish ~ Stanislaw Tylutki

**Monday, October 30**

8:00 am HCC ~ All Souls’ Intentions

12:10pm SHC ~ Philomena and William Cracker

**Tuesday, October 31**

12:10 pm SHC ~ Patty Williams

**Wednesday, November 1 ~ All Saints Day**

8:00 am HCC ~ Zbigniew Kolodziej

12:10 pm SHC ~ Eleanor Amoroso Anderson

12:10 pm HCC ~ Ryszard Tatka

6:00 pm SHC ~ Johanna Schino

6:30 pm HCC ~ Deceased priest of the parish

**Thursday, November 2 ~ All Souls’ Day**

8:00 am HCC ~ All Souls’ Intentions

12:10 pm SHC ~ All Souls’ Intentions

6:30 pm HCC Polish ~ All Souls’ Intentions

**Friday, November 3**

8:00 am HCC ~ All Souls’ Intentions

12:10pm SHC ~ Donna Kuebler and Edna Markulec

**Saturday, November 4**

4:00 pm ~ Frank Wisniewski

5:15 pm SHC ~ Ken and Lucille Fisher

**Sunday, November 5**

9:00 SHC ~ Altar Rosary Society & Maria Del Carmen

10:00 HCC ~ Intentions of the People of the Parish

11:15 SHC ~ Linda Wynd

12:00 HCC Polish ~ Zygmunt Knochowski

**OUR SICK LIST**

Robin Haynes, Anne Filipponi, Lorraine Wargo, Robert Paci, Mrs. Loatman, David Carver, Gertrude Siber, Jennifer Lyons, Grace Profy, Steve Jurczynski, Cornell Hess, Ruby Covington, Judith Santigo, Ching Kukis, Dan Breese Jr, Brenna Kennedy-Moore, Dawn Chia, Mark Friedman, Alexander A. Ladnyk, Kelly Nitti, Lauren Clayton, Joseph Edralin, Margie Tiongson, Kevin, Vincent Cooper, Jr., Gail Ladnyk, Leo Genovesi, Sloane Donnelly, Richard Buckley, Tony Ragolia, Barbara Burrows, Charles Burrows, Dorothy Amoroso, Maryann Sullivan, Regina Friedman, Stanley Winowicz, Greg Schafer, Jack Hardiman, Amy Birk, Julia Grazioli, Matt Tydryszewski.

**OUR DECEASED**

Kencito Allaire, Maurice Mbata, Bob Watkin, and our friends at South Village, Riverside Nursing and Rehabilitation Center, Mill House and Waters Edge**.**

**MINISTRY SCHEDULE**

(subject to change)

**Saturday, October 28**

4:00pm HCC ~ Fr Charles L. V. Zielinski Em. A. Lennon

5:15pm SHC ~ Msgr. Dennis L. L. Bellina Em. S & K Farruggio

**Sunday, October 29**

9:00 SHC ~ Msgr. Dennis L. A. Urbaniak Em. H.&M. Figueroa

10:00 HCC ~ Fr. Charles L. F. Kollie Em. G. Mowenn

11:15 SHC ~ Msgr Dennis L. D Allen Em. J. Bautz & J. Diaz

12:00 HCC Polish ~ Fr Marian, Anna, Mieciu

**Saturday, November 4**

4:00pm HCC ~ Fr Charles L. M. Herpel Em. R. Micharski

5:15pm SHC ~ Fr Dennis L. R Hernandez Em. B DuMont & T Hines

**Sunday, November 5**

9:00 SHC ~ Msgr. Dennis L. C. Benitez Em. R.&K. Figueroa

10:00 HCC ~ Fr. Charles L. O. Nnadi Em. Q. Hilton

11:15 SHC ~ Msgr Dennis L. M. Rogers Em. S. Jurczynski & K. Myers

12:00 HCC Polish ~ Fr Marian

**WEEKLY COLLECTION**

Last weekend’s collection amounted to $7,416.00. This includes the donations received in Church and the mail ins. Thank you for your continued support of our parish.

**2023 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL UPDATE**

Goal: $33,000.00 :

Pledged: $45,816.00 (139% of Goal)

**READINGS FOR THE WEEK**

**Thirtieth Week in Ordinary Time   
Sunday** Ex 22:20-26; 1 Thes 1:5c-10; Mt 22:34-40

**Monday** Rom 8:12-17; Lk 13:10-17

**Tuesday** Rom 8:18-25; Lk 13:18-21

**Wednesday** Rv 7:2-4, 9-14; 1 Jn 3:1-3; Mt 5:1-12a

**Thursday** Any readings from the Masses for the Dead

**First Friday** Rom 9:1-5; Lk 14:1-6

**First** Rom 11:1-2a, 11-12, 25-29; Lk 14:1, 7-11

**PROMISE TO PROTECT**

The Diocese of Trenton is committed to the norms of the U.S. Bishop’s Charter for the Protection of Children and Young People in regard to the reporting and investigation of sexual abuse allegations involving minors. If you have been sexually abused as a minor by anyone representing the Catholic Church, you can report that abuse through the diocesan Hotline: 1-888-296-2965 or [abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org](mailto:abuseline@dioceseoftrenton.org). Allegations are reported to the appropriate law enforcement agencies.



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

**Theresa Seabridge**

**Eliza Rivera**

**Brian J. McEvilly, Sr.**

**Theresa L. Bryan**

**Mark Bickham**

**Viola Marino**

**Doris Harcar**

**Michael Drangula**

**Mark Sniadach and Karen Owens**

**Hilda Bastecki**

**Aniela M. Miller**

**William M. Southwick, Jr.**

**Antionette Mydlowski**

**Marie Jaeploe**

**Richard Bodnar**

**Linda Bolton**

**Ethel Nowicki**

**Muna Wreh**

**Richard Tatka**

**Deacon John Grussler**

**Pam Yuhas**

**Elizabeth Fisher**

**Patricia Tagliaferri**

**Christopher Kurilla**

**Edward Bastecki**

**Johnny Matthews**

**Johanna Schino**

**Arlene** Ludwiczak

MaryAnn Zaburski

Thomas Harry

Rita Woods

Paul Leighton

Carole Minotti

Leona Tydryszewski

Ronald Carver

Anthony Burzachiello  
Eileen O’Gorman

Rita Mich

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**A PRAYER FOR THOSE IN MOURNING**

In the depths of our hearts, we carry the weight of sadness and the ache of mourning. We acknowledge these emotions for they are a testament to the love we held for those we have lost and the pain of their absence in our lives.

Help us, O God, to embrace our sadness without guilt or shame. Grant us the wisdom to understand that grief is a natural and necessary part of the human experience. In our mourning, may we find strength in our memories, solace in our tears, and comfort in the support of those who walk this journey with us.

Lord, we also pray for the promise of joy in the morning. We trust in your unfailing love and the hope of new beginnings. Help us recognize the small glimmers of light amid the darkness, the moments of peace amidst the pain. Guide us on the path to healing so that as the dawn breaks, we may find joy once more. May our hearts be open to the beauty of life, even as we remember those who are no longer with us. In the name of your boundless love and grace, we pray. Amen.

**ALL SOULS’ DAY**

Mass will be celebrated at 8:00 am and 6:30 pm in Polish in Holy Cross Church and 12:10 in Sacred Heart Church.

**CEMETERY BLESSING**

Our annual Cemetery Blessing of our cemeteries will be held on Sunday, November 5th :

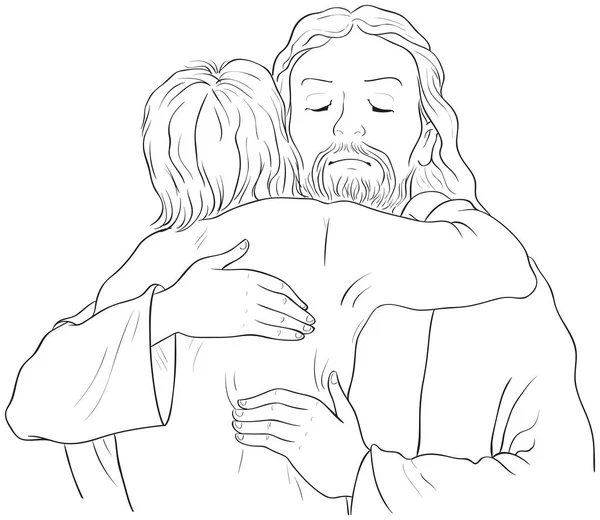
1:00 PM ~ St Stanislaus and H C #2 Cemetery

1:30 PM ~ Saints Peter & Paul Cemetery

2:00 PM ~ Holy Cross Cemetery

**ALL SOULS’ REMEMBRANCE**

Please remember to send in your All Souls’ Mass Remembrance. These envelopes with the names of your deceased loved ones will be placed on the Altars during the month of November.

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**Grief Focused Jesus ACTion**

Death, Loss and Grief: Exploring How to Live in the Present, Heal from the Past and Embrace the Future with Courage.

Presenter:

Rev. Fr. Charles Muorah PhD., STL, LMFT

One Day Workshop! Saturday, November 4, 2023

Time: 9:3Oam – 12:00 noon

Venue: One Centre Street

(Adjacent to Sacred Heart Church), Trenton

“Grief is a natural response to loss. It’s the emotional suffering you feel when something or someone you love is taken away. The more significant the loss, the more intense the grief will be” (Smith & Segal, 2016).

“The souls of the just are in the hand of God” (Wisdom 3:1)

Each year, on November 2nd the Catholic Church commemorates the dead and the month of November is dedicated to honoring and praying for the dead. The feeling of loss is intense. Healthy grief work is a unique way to honor the dead. Come join us to comfort one another.

“Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted” (Matthew 5:4).

Objectives:

• To discuss natural reactions to grief, themes and compounding issues emerging from grief, relational repairs and how spirituality can help.

• To develop more psychological flexibility (upholding my values and responding in a healthy way to life challenges) in exploring death, loss and private experiences

• To find new ways of being in relationship with the deceased

• To live in the present, heal from the past/loss and embrace the future with courage.

**To Register for the workshop please call the parish office at 609-393-2801.**

**MASS BOOK FOR 2024**

Our Mass Intention Book for 2024 is now open for your requests. Please note that since we have many requests for the weekend Mass schedule, we will now be accepting three intentions per Mass only on the weekends. The stipend remains at $10.00 per intention. On weekdays and Holy Days we will schedule only one intention per Mass. Contact the parish office to schedule your Mass intentions.

**YOUR CONTACT INFORMATION**

We have found a new program for our parish that will improve our communication to inform you of events in the parish. We are asking that you write on the back of your church donation envelope your cell phone number where you can receive text messages or email your information to John at secretary@trentonsacredheart.org

**PRAYER FOR THE SYNOD**

We stand before You, Holy Spirit,

as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us,

make Yourself at home in our hearts.

Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it. We are weak and sinful.

do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance

lead us down the wrong path

nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity so that we

may journey together to eternal life

and not stray from the way of truth

and what is right.

All this we ask of You, who are at work

in every place and time, in the

communion of the Father and the Son,

forever and ever. Amen.

**FIRST RECONCILIATION PARENT MEETING**

A meeting will be held next Sunday, November 5th in Sacred Heart Church at 10:00AM for parents and guardians of our Religious Education Program Students who are preparing for First Reconciliation this academic year.

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**ALL SAINTS DAY**

Wednesday, November 1st is a

Holy Day of Obligation this year.

The parish office will be closed.

Mass schedule as follows:

8:00 AM Mass ~ Holy Cross

12:10 Noon Mass ~ Holy Cross

6:30 PM Polish Mass ~ Holy Cross

12:10 Noon Mass ~ Sacred Heart

6:00 PM Mass ~ Sacred Heart

**ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY**

All rosarians, future rosarians, people of our parish are warmly welcomed to join us next Sunday, November 5th 9:00 AM Mass at Sacred Heart Church. The rosary will be prayed before Mass. Following Mass, a meeting will take place at Toomey Hall. Stop by, meet the members and enjoy light refreshments. We are a church support group of dedicated Catholic people who serve our Blessed Mother, our Parish. Hear about the good the Rosarians do for our parish community. God Bless you all. We are looking forward to your participation. Any questions, please call Joan Buckley @ 609-396-7063

**PRAYER IN TIME OF BEREAVEMENT**

Dearest Jesus, who wept at the death of your friend and taught that they who mourn shall be comforted, grant us the comfort of your presence in our loss. Send Your Holy Spirit to direct us lest we make hasty or foolish decisions. Send Your Spirit to give us courage

lest through fear we recoil from living. Send Your Spirit to bring us your peace take root in our hearts. The Lord has given. The Lord has taken away. Blessed be the name of the Lord.

Amen.

