

SACRED HEART PARISH
Sacred Heart Church/Stamford & St. Philip Neri/Grand Gorge



Saturday, June 19, 2010

4:30 pm—Vigil Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Joan Buzek, req. John & Sue Buzek

Norman Fetzer, req. Nancy Haney

Sunday, June 20, 2010—*Father's Day*

9:00 am—Mass: St. Philip Neri Church

Stanley Weredyk, Sr., req. Family

11:00 am—Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Joseph Stock, Sr., req. Family

Teresa Kissane, req. Maggie Rickett

Monday, June 21, 2010

12:00 noon—Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Special intention for John Pacifico, req. Donofrio Family

Tuesday, June 22, 2010

8:00 am—Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Francis L. Govern & Family, req. Estate

Wednesday, June 23, 2010

8:00 am—Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Francis L. Govern & Family, req. Estate

Thursday, June 24, 2010

No Mass Scheduled Today!

Friday, June 25, 2010

12:00 noon—Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Francis L. Govern & Family, req. Estate

Saturday, June 26, 2010

4:30 pm—Vigil Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Richard Pickett, req. Family

Jimmy Harrington, req. M/M A. Sturniolo

Sunday, June 27, 2010—*Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

9:00 am—Mass: St. Philip Neri Church

June Faulkner, req. Family

11:00 am—Mass: Sacred Heart Church

Edna Chastaine, req., M/M L. Chastaine

Louise Laubmeier, req. M/M D. Bellotti

Daily Readings for June 21-27, 2010

Monday, June 21, 2010—*St. Aloysius Gonzaga*

2 Kings 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Matthew 7:1-5

Tuesday, June 22, 201—*St. Paulinus of Nola & St. John Fisher*

2 Kings 19:9b-11, 14-21, 31-35a, 36; Matthew 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday, June 23, 2010

2 Kings 22:8-13; 23:1-3; Mathew 7:15-20

Thursday, June 24, 2010—*Nativity of St. John the Baptist*

Isaiah 49:1-6; Acts 13:22-26; Luke 1:57-66, 80

Friday, June 25, 2010

2 Kings 25:1-12; Matthew 8:1-4

Saturday, June 26, 2010

Lamentations 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Mathew 8:5-17

Sunday, June 27, 2010—*Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

1 Kings 19:16b, 19-21; Galatians 5:1, 13-18; Luke 9:51-62

Losing and Finding Our Lives

The minute life gets miserable and we feel that "things are not as I want them to be", we must choose a reaction. The Christian Gospel says we should form that reaction based on the person of Jesus—not only what he says, but who he is. And Jesus is saying, "Whoever loses his life for my sake will save it." A parent who stays with a commitment to a child...a friend who refuses to let unkindness destroy a friendship...a lover who forgives infidelity...Yes, these people suffer losses, but they will find their lives again—renewed with energy, restored in love, made whole again—when they see themselves present in Christ.

If we are one in Christ, then all of us in that one Body are sharing, not only in Christ's losses—and we know he suffered terrible losses, including his life. But by choosing to deny ourselves and take up our crosses daily, we can really feel our oneness with him in the Resurrection and the victory over evil and death, as well.

A man we'll call Joe, and his oldest daughter, were on the front porch talking late into the night. His daughter teased him, "Dad, on your wedding day, you look pretty scared in the pictures! Did you know that your marriage to Mom would work out for over 50 years?" In the darkness, Joe said quietly, "I made the decision on my wedding day that if things went wrong with this marriage from my perspective, you mother would never know about it. Because that would have killed her."

We have to come to a mature level of accepting what are the "givens" in life—not with despair, but with a healthy spirit of accepting who we are in the whole scheme of creation.

Happy Father's Day!

Something Nice for Dad!

Unable to attend the funeral after his father died, a son who lived far away called his brother and told him, "Do something nice for Dad and send me the bill."

Later, he got a bill for \$200.00, which he paid. The next month, he got another bill for \$200.00, which he also paid, figuring it was some incidental expense.

Bills for \$200.00 kept arriving every month, and finally the man called his brother again to find out what was going on.

"Well," said the other brother, "you said to do something nice for Dad. So I rented him a tuxedo."

Happy Father's Day! I will pray for all the fathers, Godfathers, step-fathers and grandfathers. God bless you all!



JUNE 19/20, 2010
TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME/FATHER'S DAY



I would like to extend my sincere "thank you" to all who helped organize my "25th Anniversary of Ordination" party last Saturday, June 12th. It was a great turnout, everyone who came enjoyed themselves. I would like to especially thank the following people, *Jackie Lamport,*

Cathie Weredyk, Lou O'Connor, Marianne Raso, members of the Women's Guild: Linda Palm, Evelyn Bellotti, Ann Manzanero, Margaret DeFilippo. The area Restaurants for the "delicious" food: *TP's, Vasta's, Mama Maria's and Jackie's Catering.*

I would also like to thank all who came to the party to help me celebrate my 25 years, all who sent cards and gifts and words of congratulations. Fr. Joe

Last Week's
 *Collection*

June 12/13, 2010

<u>4:30 PM</u>	<u>9:00 AM</u>	<u>11:00 AM</u>
\$1,420.00	\$1,160.00	\$534.00

Total: \$3,421.00



**SECOND
COLLECTION**

Help us Connect the World with God's Word! Today we will hold the Collection for the Catholic Communication Campaign. This collection funds media projects that spread the Good News through the Internet, radio, TV and print media. These projects evangelize, nourish the faithful, foster community and grant easy, direct access to thousands of Catholic resources. Help connect the world with God's Word! Support the Catholic Communication Campaign in today's Collection. Thank You!

56th Annual Bishop's Appeal

The 56th Annual Bishop's Appeal is ongoing throughout our Diocese. Our parish has pledged **\$19,243.00** so far from our parishioners and visitors.

As you can see we are still approximately **\$10,000.00** **SHORT** of our Diocesan assessment of **\$29,907.00**. Your gift to Our Bishop's Appeal benefits not only our parish but the Diocese as a whole. It's an extremely valuable gift to both!

Thank you to everyone who has responded to the Bishop's Appeal.

IF YOU HAVE ALREADY FILLED OUT A PLEDGE ENVELOPE, PLEASE DO NOT FILL OUT ANOTHER ENVELOPE OR SEND MONEY TO THE PARISH, the diocese will bill you through the mail during this coming year. **THANK YOU!**

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of *Carmella Donofrio* who passed away on June 3, 2010.



Congratulations to *Joanna Clark and Michael Caiazza* who received a \$500.00 Scholarship Award each from our parish last weekend. We wish them luck and much happiness in their College years!



Vacation Bible School for 2010 for *ages 5 to 11*, is the week of *August 9th thru the 13th from 9 am to 12 noon* at the parish hall. If your child is interested in attending, please fill our VBS registration form which are located on the table at the front entrance of church.



Mount Saint Alphonsus, located on the Hudson River in Esopus, NY, announces its first annual camping and music festival. An entire family can camp and enjoy the music groups and other presentations for only \$60.00.

FESTIVAL OF FAITH 2010—Friday-Sunday, August 6-8, 2010. An outdoor festival of camping, music and presentations. Begins with camping Friday afternoon and opening ceremonies Friday evening. Saturday includes prayer time in the morning and 12 hours of music and talks. Saturday evening will have a nighttime musical service and a bonfire. Concludes Sunday morning with Mass. Catholics and all Christian denominations are invited.

Music group include: Terry Dunham and God's Own, The Sounds of Life Choir, Rock of Refuge Worship Team, Follow Me, The Mount Saint Alphonsus Choir, Pointe of Praise Worship Team, Glory Road and more!

Reservations are required. For pricing and more info, please visit MountSaintAlphonsus.org or call (845)384-8000.

A Family Perspective by Bud Ozar

In today's gospel Jesus asked, "Who do people say I am?" We are often misunderstood. And at times we even misrepresent ourselves and get away with being who we aren't. In our family we are known, accepted and loved for who we really are. Today we honor dads for who they really are in our lives.

Marriage Moments by Susan Vogt

Summer officially begins tomorrow. Do something "hot" for your spouse. It might be a hot meal in a cool place, hot clothes for a romantic date, or just hot popcorn and conversation. Be creative!

