



Sacred Heart Cathedral

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Cathedral Office Hours
Monday—Thursday 9:00 am — 3:00 pm
Friday 9:00 am — Noon
The office will be closed Mon—Thurs 12:10—12:40 pm

MASS TIMES

Weekend Masses

Saturday 4:00 pm
Sunday 7:00 am, 9:15 am & 11:15 am

Daily Mass

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday at 12:10 pm
Tuesday at 7:30 am

CELEBRATION OF PENANCE

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 11:30 am — Noon
Friday 11:30 am — Noon and 4:45 — 5:15 pm
Saturday 2:30 — 3:30 pm

August 21, 2022
Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

Praised be Jesus Christ!

If you didn't get a chance to read my message in last week's bulletin, I invite you to find a copy (or view it online). In it, I outlined some of the maintenance/functionality problems with the current baptismal font in the back of the Cathedral and explained my reasoning why I think that removal and replacement with a smaller, non-immersion style font from one of the closed churches of the Diocese is the best path forward.

Since the bulletin was published last week, I've received a good amount of feedback on the project—all of it either very positive about the plan, or at least agreeing that it is the best way forward, given the circumstances. I am not under the illusion that these opinions are universally held, but I do hope that the feedback that I have received is at least reflective of a general sentiment within the parish.

Two quick matters that some people asked about:

1. Regarding retiling the floor---If the font is removed, we have in storage a sizeable number of "left-over" floor tiles from the renovation that took place over 15 years ago. I have no reason to think that there should be any trouble in using them to match the current tile design of the floor.
2. Regarding a new font---I don't know what happened to any of the previous fonts that had been used in the parish (whether the old Cathedral font, or those at Holy Rosary or Most Precious Blood). We certainly do not have them here. Perhaps they were donated or sold to other parishes. I do, however, have pictures of each of them, and based on the photos, I'm not sure that any of them are quite the style that would best match the current design of the Cathedral (either if they were still available.)

What IS available in terms of baptismal fonts is one that was recently removed from the now closed St. Rose of Lima church in Sodus Point (see photo for an example of this style). The font is made of wood and can be refurbished with a color scheme that can better blend with the interior of the Cathedral. It has a sturdy and classic look, but is also sufficiently portable that it could be moved to accommodate the needs of large processions, Easter baptisms, etc. Moreover, it is elegant enough that it seems "Cathedral-worthy." We have a donor willing to cover the rather modest cost required for this refurbishment and repainting.

Barring any better option in the short term, I'd like to proceed with this font, especially since we continue to have a sizeable number of baptisms here at the Cathedral, and for over a year have been using just a simple bowl to administer these baptisms. It would be nice to have something more dignified that could be useable soon.

In the hearts of Jesus and Mary,

Fr. Peter Van Lieshout





Calling All Bakers

The Knights of Columbus, Council 15118, are looking for bakers to bake cookies, cake or bread for their **baked food sale** that will be taking place after all the masses on August 27 & 28. Please drop off your baked goods just before the mass you will be attending. Thank you for your help! Any questions, please call the office at 254-



You're invited! Join us as we pray the Holy Rosary for the families of Sacred Heart Cathedral. We meet every Saturday at 3:00 PM.

"There is no problem, I tell you, no matter how difficult it is, that we cannot solve by the prayer of the Holy Rosary." -Sister Lucia of Fatima

Green Team

Food Waste Prevention—Did You Know

- About 1/3 of the food produced for human consumption every year gets lost or wasted
- This costs the average family about \$1,600 a year
- When food goes to waste, so does energy, water, chemicals and land resources
- Much of food waste occurs at the consumer facing level (restaurants and institution 40% households 43%)
- Food waste is the single largest component in NY landfills (20-30% of our landfill waste)
- Food in a landfill creates methane a powerful greenhouse gas (28-36x more powerful than CO₂)

Removing food waste from the landfill is a great way to combat climate change whether backyard composting or using a commercial service.

Some of the many benefits of composting beyond reducing emissions contributing to climate change:

1. Compost releases nutrients (including important micronutrients) slowly back to the soil and balances pH
2. Compost improves soil structure reducing nutrient and water runoff and reduces erosion
3. Compost increases beneficial insects, worms and organisms providing aeration, nutrient conversion and suppressing disease and pests
4. Composting can reduce the need for chemical fertilizers

For more information including composting guidelines and tips visit **Cornell Cooperative Extension**.



MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to schedule a mass for a deceased love one, please call or stop by the office. The offering is \$10.



Saturday, August 20, 2022—Saint Bernard, Abbott and Doctor of the Church

Ez 43:1-7ab; Mt 23:1-12

2:30—3:30 pm Confessions
4:00 pm Gianna Medical of Central and Western NY—Angela Kristan

Sunday, August 21, 2022—Twenty-First Sunday In Ordinary Time

Is 66:18-21; Heb 12:5-7, 11-13; Lk 13:22-30

7:00 am For the people of the Cathedral Community
9:15 am James DeLorenzo—Joe & Mary Giorgi
11:15 am Intentions of Richard Muriel & Isaac DeMartino—DeMartino Family
8:00 pm Solemn Compline w/Fr. Van Lieshout

Monday, August 22, 2022—The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

2 Thes 1:1-5, 11-12; Mt 23:13-22

11:30—Noon Confessions
12:10 pm Julia & Eugene Limkuiaco—Ethel Connelly

Tuesday, August 23, 2022

2 Thes 2:1-3a, 14-17; Mt 23:23-26

7:30 am Theresa Gordinier—Bequest

Wednesday, August 24, 2022—Saint Bartholomew, Apostle

Rv 21:9b-14; Jn 1:45-51

11:30—Noon Confessions
12:10 pm For the Priests of the Diocese Past & Present—Parishioner

Thursday, August 25, 2022

1 Cor 1:1-9; Mt 24:42-51

11:30—Noon Confessions
12:10 pm Theresa Gordinier—Bequest

Friday, August 26, 2022

1 Cor 1:17-25; Mt 25:1-13

11:30—Noon Confessions
12:10 pm Elizabeth Bauer—Bauer Family
4:45—5:15 pm Confessions

Saturday, August 27, 2022—Saint Monica

1 Cor 1:26-31; Mt 25:14-30

2:30—3:30 pm Confessions
4:00 pm Mary & Woodrow Fiorentino—Daughter, Denise

Sunday, August 28, 2022—Twenty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time

Sir 3:17-18, 20, 28-29; Heb 12:18-19, 22-24a; Lk 14:1, 7-14

7:00 am Evelyn Gotham—Mike Coniff
9:15 am For the people of the Cathedral Community
11:15 am Marko Amidzic—Connie Inzana
8:00 pm Solemn Compline w/Fr. Van Lieshout

BANNS OF MARRIAGE



Andrew Berveyesa & Ellen Paddock

Please keep their future happiness in your prayers.

This Week's Sanctuary Candle

*In Memory Of — Cosmo Caterino
Requested by — Susan Spinoia*

*In Memory Of — David Abbott Sr.
Requested by — Michele & Jim Kelly*

*In Memory Of — Sr. Janet Korn
Requested by — Judith Kiehl*



PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

In your charity, please pray for John F. Schantz and all of our deceased.

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



*Luciano Thomas Dimarco
Nova Elise Endress*

We welcome our newly baptized into our parish community

PRAY FOR OUR SICK



Jaime Ananko, Phillip Batchelor Jr,
Bishop Matthew Clark,
Ann D'Amato, Jackie Goldfarb,
Dan Gentile, Sr. Joan Hilbert, RSM,
Karen Hyland, Lucille Ilii, Marcia Mendola,
Lucas Marone, Patti Stetson, Bentley Vega

Most Rev. Salvatore R. Matano, Bishop of Rochester
Most Rev. Matthew H. Clark, Bishop Emeritus of Rochester
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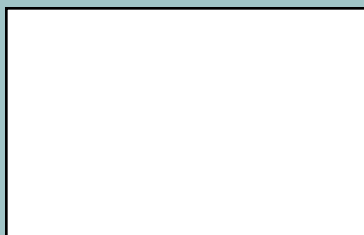


Tabernacle Candles


Make a \$10 offering to have a sanctuary lamp burn in honor of your loved one. The name of the honored person will be listed in the bulletin. Cards are available with this offering. Please call or stop by the Cathedral main office to request this memorial.

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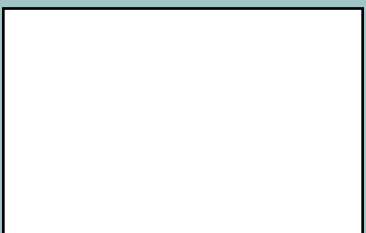

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