

Sacred Heart Cathedral



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

The Cathedral Community at Sacred Heart
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Cathedral Office Hours

Monday—Thursday 9:00 am — 3:00 pm
(We close for lunch 12:10 pm—12:40 pm)
Friday 9:00 am — Noon

CELEBRATION OF PENANCE

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

April 6, 2025
Fifth Sunday Of Lent



5TH SUNDAY OF LENT

Jesus said, "Neither do I condemn you. Go, and from now on do not sin any more." - Jn 8:11b

Dear Parishioners:

Last Sunday at Mass, Saint Paul’s words to the Corinthians reminded us that, regardless of our vocations, we are called to renewal in our own lives, particularly during this Lenten season: “Whoever is in Christ is a new creation: the old things have passed away; behold, new things have come. And all this is from God...” (2 Corinthians 5:17-18).

It is with this faith in Jesus Christ, who renews all things, that I wish to inform you that I have given my permission and support to Father Van Lieshout to be away from the Cathedral for a period of time for rest, personal prayer and renewal. Father remains deeply committed to his vocation and to our parish. Please know that this does not in any manner concern misconduct with any minor or adult person. Let us continue to remember Father in our prayers and also pray for all of our priests who truly seek to serve you, God’s people, with priestly zeal and enthusiasm.

During this time, my office will work with the parish staff to meet the needs of the Cathedral, as best as we are able. However, please be sure to regularly check the weekly bulletins and/or the Cathedral website in case changes to the schedule are necessitated due to the availability and obligations of other priests. Your patience and understanding are deeply appreciated.

Assuring you of my prayers during this holy season of Lent and asking a remembrance in your good prayers, I remain

Sincerely yours in Christ,

+ Salvatore R. Matano

*The Most Reverend Salvatore R. Matano
Bishop of Rochester*



**MASS
INTENTIONS**

Consider requesting a Mass for a deceased loved one.
The donation is \$10.
Many weekday and weekend Masses are now available for 2025.

Most Rev. Salvatore R. Matano, Bishop of Rochester
In residence: Rev. Daniel White, Secretary to the Bishop

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Make a \$10 donation to have a sanctuary lamp burn in honor of your loved one in 2025. The name of the honored person will be listed in the bulletin. Cards are available with this donation. Please call or stop by the Cathedral Main Office to request this memorial.

Joseph’s Place Food Frenzy will **NOT** take place during the month of April. The next Food Frenzy will take place during the weekend of May 17 & 18. More information will be placed in the May bulletin.

Lenten Calendar

Stations of the Cross



Stations of the Cross

Stations of the Cross every **Friday** during lent immediately following the 12:10 pm daily mass. The texts of these stations are mediations written from the perspective of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

Solemn Stations of the Cross

One of the Cathedral Clergy will lead the Stations of the Cross every **Friday afternoon** at 5:45 pm featuring a variety of beloved versions — but especially the meditations written by St. Alphonsus Liguori.

Holy Hour

On the **Friday's of Lent** there will be Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, immediately following the "Stations of the Cross after the 12:10 pm mass and lasting until 3 pm with Benediction.

**Holy Week and
Easter Sunday Schedule**



Palm Sunday, Saturday, April 12 at 4:00 pm and Sunday, April 13 at 7:00 am 9:15 am & 11:15 am

Diocesan Chrism Mass with Bishop Matano
Tuesday, April 15 at 6:00 pm

Holy Thursday, April 17 at 7:00 pm — Mass Of Our Lord's Supper

Good Friday, April 18 at 3:00 pm — The Passion Of The Lord

Easter Vigil, April 19 at 8:30 pm

Easter Sunday Of The Resurrection Of The Lord
April 20 at 7:00 am, 9:15 am and 11:15 am

Holy Week Chrism Mass

We invite you to join us in prayer as we participate in our Diocesan "Chrism Mass".



During this Sacred Liturgy, the Holy Oils are blessed and Priests renew their promises made during Ordination.

This will take place on Tuesday, April 15, 2025, at 6:00 pm at Sacred Heart Cathedral, 296 Flower City Park, 14615.

Food and Fellowship



Please bring a meatless dish to share, when we gather in the Cathedral Hall immediately following the 5:45pm Stations of the Cross **on Friday, April 11th.**

This Weeks Sanctuary Candle

*In Memory Of — Sandra L. Harness
Requested by — Grace*



Tenth Year Anniversary of Joseph's Place

This month marks the tenth anniversary of our parishes outreach ministry at Joseph's Place, we are so grateful that during these past ten years, with God's help, and with your support we have been able to assist members of our parish and our neighborhood who seek help from the Body of Christ. We continue to thank all who have given assistance these past ten years.

On the Sunday, of May 18th, we will celebrate this important anniversary with an open house at Joseph's Place after the 9:15 am and 11:15 am mass, and with more information about our ministry there.

God's blessings to all.



***UPDATE on Tenebrae
Morning Prayer***

The Catholic Tenebrae service is a somber observance that takes place on the three days leading up to Easter. The service includes chanting, music, and extinguishing candles to symbolize the events of Holy Week.


Tenebrae will take place on Holy Saturday at 7:00 am at the Cathedral.



Newly Baptized

Prince Nathan Ntakirutimana

We welcome our newly baptized into our parish community!



PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

In your charity, please pray for all of our deceased

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

Parish Offertory March 29 & 30, 2025

Actual	Goal	Variance
\$6,321	\$8,100	-\$1,779
YTD Actual	YTD Goal	YTD Variance
\$348,126	\$323,000	+\$25,126


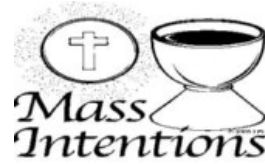
PRAY FOR OUR SICK



Pope Francis, Shirley Atwell, Heather Beisheim, Fr. Alex Bradshaw, Robert DiFulio, Sr. Elia, Heidi Erb, Sr. Joan Hilbert RSM, Jon Herron, Megan E. Miller, Irene Morgan, Fr. Thomas P. Mull, Peggy Ribaudo, John Spinosa, Barb Steblen, Dan & Debbie Stella, Donald Stiner, Steve Tolle, Joseph Whipple

Easter Flowers

Donations—Anyone wishing to make a donation toward the Easter flowers in memory of their loved ones may do so by *using the Easter Flower envelope in your mailed packet* or by dropping an envelope into the collection basket with their name, their loved ones' name(s) and the amount donated.

- Saturday, April 5, 2025**
Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53
 2:30 pm—3:30 pm Confession
 3:00 pm Rosary
 4:00 pm—Mass Gina Galletto—Giorgi Family
 Patti Lissow—Rachel Lissow
- Sunday, April 6, 2025—Fifth Sunday Of Lent**
Is 43:16-21, Phil 3:18-14; Jn 8:1-11
 7:00 am Marlene Coniff—Flemig Family
 9:15 am Benedeto Carfagna—Antonia Carfagna
 Ralph Condino Jr.—Luciann & Ralphie
 11:15 am For the people of the Cathedral Community
 8:00 pm Solemn Compline
- Monday, April 7, 2025**
Dn 13:1-9, 15-17, 19-30, 33-62 or 13:41c-62; Jn 8:12-20
 11:30—Noon Confession
 12:10 pm Richard M. Sciascia—Family
- Tuesday, April 8, 2025**
Nm 21:4-9; Jn 8:21-30
 7:30 am Sr. Stephanie Riley—Sr Joan Hilbert,
- Wednesday, April 9, 2025**
Dn 3:14-20, 91-92, 95; Jn 8:31-42
 11:30—Noon Confession
 12:10 pm David & William Ferrari—Family
- Thursday, April 10, 2025**
Gn 17:3-9; Jn 8:51-59
 11:30—Noon Confession
 12:10 pm Santino Gulino—Dcn. Mike Kristan
- Friday, April 11, 2025**
Jer 20:10-13; Jn 10:31-42
 11:30—Noon Confession
 12:10 pm Ken Cross & Diane Burnham—Family
 1:00 pm Stations of the Cross
 2:00 pm Holy Hour of the Blessed Sacrament
 3:00 pm Benediction
 4:45 pm—5:30 pm Confession
 5:45pm Stations of the Cross
- Saturday, April 12, 2025**
Ez 37:21-28; Jn 11:45-56
 2:30—3:30 pm Confession
 3:00 pm Rosary
 4:00 pm Intentions of Nancy Ferrari—Sue Follaco
 Jeff & Kevin McCarthy—Tracy Family
- Sunday, April 13, 2025—Palm Sunday Of The Passion Of The Lord**
Lk 19:28-40, Is 50:4-7, Phil 2:6-11; Lk 22:14—23:56 or 23:1-49
 7:00 am Mary Jo Whalen—Margaret Whalen
 9:15 am For the people of the Cathedral Community
 11:15 am Toni Magliozzi—Guy & Sally
 8:00 pm Compline

You Are Cordially Invited



to a
Mass of Recognition
 of the
Sacrament of Matrimony.

Please join
The Most Reverend Salvatore R. Matano, Bishop of Rochester
 and couples celebrating anniversaries of Matrimony

on
Sunday, April 27, 2025
 at quarter after eleven in the morning

at
Sacred Heart Cathedral
 296 Flower City Park • Rochester, NY 14615

All married couples and their guests are welcome to attend and renew their vows with Bishop Matano. Those celebrating milestone jubilees will be given special recognition.

Please help us plan by letting us know you are coming
 by registering at <https://forms.gle/UVdG2SUKbvJw81ok8>
 or emailing donald.smith@dor.org.

Additionally, the June issue of the *Catholic Courier* will feature a Wedding Jubilee section.
 If you would like your name and anniversary (25, 50, and above) to be included,
 please send an email, or a letter with the following information:

**Names, Church, Town where you were married,
 wedding date/year, and a wedding photo (optional).**

Email: weddings@CatholicCourier.com

Submissions are due by April 30

**Mail: Wedding Anniversaries
 Catholic Courier
 PO Box 24379
 Rochester, NY 14624-0379**

Photographs must still be submitted by US Post or email.



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