

Sacred Heart Cathedral



The Cathedral Community at Sacred Heart

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Cathedral Office Hours

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

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

June 21, 2026

Twelfth Sunday In Ordinary Time



12th Sunday

I N O R D I N A R Y T I M E

"What I say to you in the darkness, speak in the light; what you hear whispered, proclaim on the housetops. And do not be afraid of those who kill the body but cannot kill the soul."

Matthew 10:27-28



PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED



In your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of Fr. Robert Bradler and all our faithful departed.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace.

This Week's Sanctuary Candle

*Special Intentions
Requested by — Anonymous*

*Intentions Of — Colleen & Mike Wangler
Requested by — Michele & Jim Kelly*

*In Memory Of — Joseph Dolney
Requested by — Daughter*



HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!

Heavenly Father, you entrusted your Son Jesus, the child of Mary, to the care of Joseph, His foster father. Bless all fathers, grandfathers and godfathers in their noble vocations. Give them strength and wisdom, tenderness and patience, give them the ability to love in a way that reflects your Divine love.

"A man of prayer is capable of anything!" -St. Vincent de Paul

STAND TOGETHER FOR LIFE

Every 4th Saturday

PEACEFUL PUBLIC WITNESS AND PRAYER TO END ABORTION



June 27, 2026
114 University Ave.
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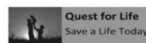
FEATURED SPEAKER:
Joanna Myers
Director of Life Matters
Training Center

9:45 – 11:00AM
Rosary 9:15

This month's event will end with a walk to the NYS Courthouse for prayer for our beloved nation.

July 4th!!!

9:30 am gathering at Brighton Town Park, walk to the Brighton Planned Parenthood
Featured Speaker: Peter Vazquez host of Next Steps show on WYSL



Saturday, June 20, 2026

2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34

2:30 pm—3:30 pm Confession
3:00 pm Rosary
4:00 pm Norma Savelli de Menezes
For all living and deceased fathers

**Sunday, June 21, 2026—Twelfth Sunday In Ordinary Time
Father's Day**

Jer 20:10-13, Rom 5:12-15; Mt 1:26-33

7:00 am For all living and deceased fathers
9:15 am For all living and deceased fathers
11:15 am For all living and deceased fathers

Monday, June 22, 2026—Saint Paulinus of Nola, Bishop; Saints John Fisher and Thomas More, Martyrs

2 Kgs 17:5-8, 13-15a, 18; Mt 7:1-5

11:30—Noon Confession
12:10 pm Charlene O'Brien—Ripton Family

Tuesday, June 23, 2026

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

7:30 am Patti Lissow—Rachel Lissow

Wednesday, June 24, 2026—The Nativity Of Saint John The Baptist

Is 49:1-6/Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

11:30 am—Noon Confession
12:10 pm Audrey Zuber—Dcn. Mike & Angela Kristan

Thursday, June 25, 2026

2 Kgs 24:8-17; Mt 7:21-29

11:30 am—Noon Confession
12:10 pm Joseph Schlosser—Pryor Family

Friday, June 26, 2026

2 Kgs 25:1-12; Mt 8:1-4

11:30 am—Noon Confession
12:10 pm Shirley LaRosa—Piersall Family
4:45 pm—5:30 pm Confession

Saturday, June 27, 2026—Saint Cyril of Alexandria, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

Lam 2:2, 10-14, 18-19; Mt 8:5-17

10:00 am Priest Ordination w/Bishop Bonnici
2:30 pm—3:30 pm Confession
3:00 pm Rosary
4:00 pm Walter Fadowski—Ania
Elva Garcia—Jeff & Darlene Piersall
Julita Kondragowcz—Ania
Intentions of the Grabb Family—Ania

Sunday, June 28, 2026—Thirteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

2 Kgs 4:8-11, 14-16a, Rom 6:3-4, 8-11; Mt 10:37-42

7:00 am Intentions of Charles Lauriat—Mary Jo Lauriat
9:15 am For the people of Sacred Heart Cathedral
11:15 am James Canavan—Tim & Marlene Canavan

Money Counters Needed

Sacred Heart Cathedral is in need of money counters. If you are interested and feel called to serve in this ministry, contact Michele at 254-3221. For those who are interested, you are also invited to attend the Money Counter Appreciation Lunch, which will take place on Tuesday, July 28 at 12:30 pm at the Cathedral. If you plan on attending this lunch please RSVP to Michele.

The OCIA Program

Are you or is someone you know interested in becoming Catholic? It is that time of year that we begin to gauge interest and gather names for the next round of OCIA classes (**The Order of Christian Initiation of Adults**) here at the Cathedral.

Technically speaking, the OCIA program is an intellectual and spiritually journey for those individuals who have never been baptized, but are interested in exploring the teachings of the Catholic faith in view of potentially seeking baptism and entrance into the full life of the Church next Easter. OCIA classes can also serve as helpful formation for those non-Catholic Christians who are already baptized, but are considering “converting” to the Catholic faith by being received into full communion with the Catholic Church.

No prior connection to the Cathedral is required for these classes, so feel free to spread the news far and wide and invite friends and acquaintances from all around the greater Rochester area. If you are interested, or need more information, or are even “just a little interested” and want to discuss it a little more—please email Fr. Van Lieshout directly at

fr.peter.vanlieshout@dor.org or call the Cathedral office at (585) 254-3221.

Introductory classes will begin during the summer (time and date TBD based on the needs and schedules of those who are interested).

Why is it IMPORTANT that we register in a Parish

Registration is the official way we join a parish community. Many people think that because they attend a particular parish, they automatically belong. At times, young adults are still signed up under their parents. Membership requires signing up, formally enrolling yourself in a parish. Registration is a commitment, a way to be included in the religious, social and ministerial activities of your parish. Your registration affects the parish in many ways. Census numbers can determine how many priest are assigned to a church, what benefits and obligations the community has to the diocese and how Masses, Confession and devotions are planned and scheduled.

Registration shows you belong. It is also necessary for certain benefits, like scheduling sacraments, obtaining sponsor certificates and getting donation statements for taxes. Most importantly, it lets the parish count on you to call on you to assist in its mission. Registering in your parish is a statement of faith and confidence in the life and work of your parish.

Blessing of Religious Items



Blessing of religious items/articles will take place the weekend of June 27 & 28 a table will be located in the narthex.

Please do not place any item(s) on the table until after mass and when Fr. Van Lieshout is at the table for the blessing. Thank You!



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. Weekend and weekday masses are available for 2026.

Sick, Infirm and Homebound



Because of HIPAA laws, the only way the Parish Staff learns of parishioners who are ill or infirmed is if the **parishioner, or a family member notifies the office.**

If you, or someone you know is ill, hospitalized or moved to a nursing facility or family member’s home, please let the Cathedral Office know.

If you/they are unable to attend Mass, please contact the office to arrange to receive communion.

If a family member has gone to hospice care or needs healing prayers, the Sacrament of Anointing of the Sick can be administered by a priest. Please call the office at (585) 254-3221.

Peter’s Pence Collection, June 27 & 28

Next week we will take up the Peter’s Pence Collection to support the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including the charitable works of Pope Leo XIV. These works benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression and disasters. Be a sign of hope with your generosity. For more information, visit www.obolodisanpietro.va/en.html.

GIVING BACK TO GOD

Thank you for your generosity!
Your steadfast, sacrificial financial support keeps our Cathedral parish running and able to serve God and our neighbors.

Parish Offertory for June 13 & 14, 2026

Actual	Goal	Variance
\$10,310	\$9,200	+\$1,110
YTD Actual	YTD Goal	YTD Variance
\$476,952	\$431,600	\$+45,352

CONSIDER USING THE ONLINE GIVING PLATFORM:



Electronic giving, via the QR code or website, is simple and convenient way to support the Cathedral Parish, either on a one-time, weekly or monthly basis.

LEAVE A LEGACY: Remember Sacred Heart Cathedral in your Will! Doing so is a meaningful and tangible way of leaving a legacy that will benefit future generations of Catholics.

Volunteers Needed

Joseph's Place Food Pantry is looking for volunteers to join our ministry of serving neighbors experiencing food insecurity.

The commitment is flexible and does not have to be large. Volunteers can serve as little as once a month with a typical shift lasting just 3-4 hours.

We are currently seeking volunteers to assist our guests shop during pantry hours on Wednesdays from approximately 11:30 am to 3:00 pm. Your time and kindness can make a meaningful difference in someone's life.

Please consider sharing your gifts and talents with this important and rewarding ministry. If you would like more information or are interested in volunteering, please contact Pat Scarbinsky at pscarbinsky@gmail.com

Together we can continue to provide food, dignity and hope to those in need.

The Most Reverend John S. Bonnici, Bishop of Rochester
In Residence: Rev. Aaron J. Kelly, Secretary to the Bishop

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PRAY FOR OUR SICK AND HOMEBOUND



Bernadette Anastasi, Shirley Atwell, Gary M. Butterfield, Manjo Das, Scott Davis, Muriel DeMartino, Robert DiFulio, Heidi Erb, Frank Campione, Deborah Hard, Sr. Joan Hilbert, RSM, Kristin Helms, Jon Herron, Robert Lighthouse, Andrew Mastin, John McGarvey, Irene Morgan, Fr. Thomas P. Mull, Susie Shoemaker, Sharon Springer, Susan Spinosa, Donald Stiner, Candice Verdon



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.

Event Information

High School Youth Retreat

The retreat will include lunch!

COST: \$40 (per person)

A day of prayerful reflection, friends, and fun for high school youth (entering grades 9-12) sponsored by the Office of Evangelization & Catechesis. The day will include engaging talks on the theme, discussion, team-building, and more. **REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS JULY 31!** For more information, contact Mark at Mark.Capellazzi@dor.org.

When?

Thursday, Aug 13, 2026, 10:00 AM



LISTENING, LEARNING, AND LOVING WITH JESUS AND MARY

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