# SACRED HEART OF JESUS CHURCH 117 Washington Street Bath, Pennsylvania 18014-1524

## OUR MISSION

Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish is a defined community of the Roman Catholic Church which seeks, as its ultimate goal, the fullness of the Kingdom of God as proclaimed by our Lord Jesus Christ, and as taught by the authentic teaching authority of the Holy Catholic Church.

We profess unity in belief, worship, and morals with our Holy Father and our Bishop. We seek to provide the fullness of life in the Church through the Sacred Liturgy, prayer, education, religious formation, outreach, and service to our neighbors and each other.



*ТHIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME OCTOBER 23, 2022* 

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#### MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday,	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time (anticipated)
October 22	Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14
	Parishioners of Sacred Heart
Sunday,	30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
October 23	Sir 35:12-14, 16-18/2 Tm 4:6-8, 16-18/Lk 18:9-14
7:00 AM	Catherine and Stephen Gasper
	r/b George Gasper
9:00 AM	Brothers, Edward and George
	and sisters, Dorothy and Marguerite
	r/b sister, Ruth Nafus
11:00 AM	Mary Denise Schneider
	r/b Betsy Lavelle
Monday,	Saint Anthony Mary Claret, Bishop
October 24	Eph 4:32-5-8/Lk 13:10-17
8:00 AM	Karen Skubin
	r/b O'Reilly Family
Tuesday,	Weekday
October 25	Eph 5:21-33/Lk 13:18-21
8:00 AM	Monsignor James McHale (anniversary of death)
Wednesday,	Weekday
October 26	Eph 6:1-9/Lk 13:22-30
8:00 AM	Rose Alles
	r/b Elfriede Kardos
Thursday,	Weekday
October 27	Eph 6:10-20/Lk 13:31-35
8:00 AM	Maryann Guynn
	r/b niece Maria, Steve and Katie Kresge
Friday,	Saints Simon and Jude, Apostles
	Eph 2:19-22/Lk 6:12-16
8:00 AM	Lou Savarese
	r/b wife
Saturday,	31st Sunday in Ordinary Time (anticipated)
	Wis 11:22-12:2/2 Thes 1:11-2:2/Lk 19:1-10
5:00 PM	Ramon and Catherine Curiel
	r/b daughter Christine and Stephen Nederostek
	31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
	Wis 11:22-12:2/2 Thes 1:11-2:2/Lk 19:1-10
	Parishioners of Sacred Heart
9:00 AM	Carmella and Joseph Cavallo
	r/b mother, Carol
11:00 AM	Evelyn and Leo Hoff
	r/b granddaughter, Sharon



## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF

Ronald Jankowski and Anne Ragucci

both of Sacred Heart Parish



#### **SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

Saturday Evening (Vigil): 5:00 PM Sunday Mass: 7 AM, 9 AM and 11 AM Weekdays: Monday-Friday, 8:00 AM



THE SACRAMENT OF PENANCE Saturday 3:45 – 4:30 pm Thursday during Adoration at 7:00 pm Monday through Friday mornings 7:30 – 7:50 am Anytime upon reasonable request



BLESSED MOTHER CANDLES are burning from October 21 through October 27 for the repose of the soul of



Julia Marasco r/b Mr. & Mrs. Robert Bem

#### SAINT JOSEPH CANDLES

are burning from October 21 through October 27 for the repose of the soul of



Michael Hurley r/b Sandra Tucker, O.P.

#### THE SANCTUARY LAMP

is burning from October 14 through October 27 for the repose of the soul of

> Ronald Landsiedel r/b Natalie

#### SACRED HEART OF JESUS PARISH, BATH, PENNSYLVANIA

#### **NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE**

## Liturgical +Roles\*

10/29-10/30	Lectors	Deacons/EMHCs	Altar Servers
5:00 PM	William Doncsecz	Deacon Lewis Ferris	Mia Arbushite
7:00 AM	Lisa Wilde Barnhorst	Deacon Lewis Ferris	
9:00 AM	Beth Skinner	Deacon Edward Saukulak	Daniel Holub
11:00 AM	Chris Gonella	Deacon Edward Saukulak	Caden Kocis

#### FLOWERS ON THE ALTAR



for the week of **October 21 through October 27** are in memory of **Matthew and Cecelia Pulaski** 

r/b Family

#### **REMINDER—ALL DAY ADORATION**

Adoration Start Time Change: Eucharistic Adoration on Thursdays will now begin immediately following daily Mass with all-day Adoration from 8:30 am to 9:00 pm. Confession time from 7:00-8:00 pm remains the same.



## NEXT EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Thursday, October 27th 8:30 am-9:00 pm in Church

Confession: 7:00-8:00 pm

#### **WELCOME**

**Sacred Heart of Jesus would** like to extend a warm welcome to the following new parishioners:

> James, Heather, JT, Ty and Finley Cunningham

Alex, Lindsay, Emerson and **Everly Newton** 

Albert Sinisi and Julia Raybuck

**Christopher and Kathleen Vent** We hope they will feel at home in our parish!

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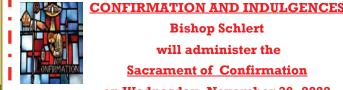


## **ONLINE MASS** WITH FATHER BUTERA



Please "join" Father Butera online via Facebook as he celebrates daily Mass on Wednesdays in his private chapel. You can view the Mass live on Facebook at 8:00 am or watch a video recording of the Mass at a later time. Look for other updates from Father on Sacred Heart's Facebook page. It is a great way to keep up-to-date with the Parish and current events and to stay connected spiritually through the livestreamed liturgical services!

Sacred Heart Live Streaming events found at: Facebook: follow @sacredheartofjesusbath (https:// www.facebook.com/sacredheartofjesusbath) Twitter: follow @sacredheartbath (https://twitter.com/sacredheartbath) Periscope: follow @sacredheartbath (https://www.pscp.tv/sacredheartbath/follow) Videos may also be live-streamed on YouTube or uploaded when available: https://www.youtube.com/SacredHeartBath



## **Bishop Schlert**

will administer the

#### Sacrament of Confirmation

on Wednesday, November 30, 2022

Please pray for our young adults who are receiving ' the sacrament.

As the Bishop is present for his canonical visitation, the following indulgences may be gained:

† A plenary indulgence to the faithful who assist at ceremonies at which the Bishop presides during his pastoral visitation.

†A partial indulgence to the faithful who make a visit to the parish church at the time of the **Bishop's visitation.** 

## SACRED HEART PARISH "HOLIDAY FUNDRAISER"

## WINTER WONDERLAND AND GOURMET GOODNESS

**ORDERS DUE Sunday, October 23rd** 

#### IT'S NOT TOO LATE! WE NEED YOUR HELP IN MAKING THIS HOLIDAY FUNDRAISER A SUCCESS! DON'T MISS YOUR CHANCE TO DO SOME CHRISTMAS SHOPPING WHILE SUPPORTING SACRED HEART!

#### PICK-UP A PACKET, LOOK THROUGH THE CATALOG AND PLACE YOUR ORDER BY FILLING OUT THE PAPER ORDER FORM OR BY ORDERING ONLINE

The Winter Wonderland and Gourmet Goodness program is a fun and convenient way to buy gifts for everyone on your Christmas shopping list. And best of all, Sacred Heart will receive <u>40% to 50% profit</u> with this exciting <u>NEW</u> fundraiser. It's easy to participate! Just pick up a catalog/order form or go online. Catalogs and order forms available in the church vestibule, parish and lower level offices in Burkhart Building. Make gift giving easy!

IF YOU NEED HELP PLACING AN ORDER OR HAVE QUESTIONS, PLEASE CONTACT KAREN AT 610-837-6391



#### SAINT SIMON AND JUDE, APOSTLES Feast Day—October 28th



Simon was often called "the Zealot." Simon firmly believed in

the importance of people following Jewish law. Once he met Jesus, his life was changed and he became convinced that the most important thing was to follow Jesus and his teachings.

Saint Jude starts his letter by stating: Address and Greeting. Jude, a slave of Jesus Christ and brother of James, to those who are called, beloved in God the Father and kept safe for Jesus Christ: may mercy, peace and love be yours in abundance. He ends the letter with: Doxology. To the one who is able to keep you from stumbling and to present you unblemished and exultant, in the presence of his glory, to the only God, our savior, through Jesus Christ our Lord by glory, majesty, power and authority from ages past, now, and for ages to come. Amen (Jude:1-2). Read the verses of Saint Jude concerning our salvation.

Both Simon and Jude were ordinary men who were chosen by Jesus himself to teach others about God's love and to "make disciples of all nations" (*Matthew 28:19*). Their lives help us to understand that even the most average people can become saints when they decide to follow Jesus.

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST IS BACK!!! SACRED HEART PARISH, BATH SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH



The Knight of Columbus are starting their delicious breakfast on Sunday, November 13th. Come and enjoy an outstanding breakfast with your family and fellow parishioners here at Sacred Heart Parish.

\*\*\* DON'T FORGET TO BRING YOUR APPETITE \*\*\*



## <u>KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS</u> <u>Food Bank Donation Update</u>

Due to the generosity of Sacred Heart parishioners, our Council of the Knights of Columbus delivered 105 pounds of non-perishable items to the Bath Area Food Bank on October 11; this is the fourth donation for our Council's 2022-2023 fraternal year, bringing the total year-to-date to 723 pounds. Our next donation will be made to the St Vincent de Paul Food : Bank in mid November. Supreme Council of the: Knights of Columbus rebates \$100, up to \$500 annually, to local Councils for each 1,000 pounds of food delivered. This rebate is then passed on by our Council: to the Food Banks; THANK YOU for your past donations. The need in our communities is still great with current economic conditions; please continue to support this worthwhile endeavor.

Please check the "Best By" date on all food items before donating, we cannot accept items with a "Best By" date earlier than 2020.



#### WIN SOME EXTRA MONEY! NOVEMBER LOTTERY CALENDARS



Take a chance to win from \$25 up to \$100 and more on our November Lottery Calendar! If you are feeling lucky, fill out the return portion with a check or cash to the parish offices, collection basket or by mail before October 31st. Extra calendars are available in parish offices. This is a fun way to help support our parish.

GOOD LUCK!!!!!!

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Monday October 24 – Monthly Planning Meeting 7:00 pm Meeting Burkhart Bldg. And Zoom All Members are welcome to attend Sunday November 6 – Mass honoring the deceased Brother Knights of Our Council -11:00 am, Sacred Heart of Jesus Church Sunday November 13 – KofC Breakfast (FULL BUFFET) 7:00 am to 11:00 am Sacred Heart Church Social Hall Begin collection of food and monetary donations for "Christmas Food Baskets" Monday January 9 – A Night of "Knights" (see article below)

Did You Know: Our Holy Father's Monthly Prayer Intention is "We pray that the death penalty, which attacks the dignity of the human person, may be legally abolished in every country."

<u>For additional information about joining our Council; the activities we foster and the sharing of fellowship</u> with millions of Brother Knights; go to www.KofC14464.org or contact our Grand Knight, Paul Bunting at pwbunting@gmail.com for details.

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS FOOTBALL CRAZR SWEEPSTAKES

A new NFL season is upon us, and with the new season comes the sale of <u>Football</u> <u>Crazr Sweepstakes Tickets</u> in support of the Pennsylvania Knights of Columbus.

The cost per ticket is \$10.00 and here is how it works. Each Crazr Ticket has 4 random NFL teams listed each week, the teams change weekly. The points each of the four teams score are added together to determine your score for the week. Winners from all tickets sold include \$400.00 for the highest total points all the way to \$40.00 for the 17<sup>th</sup> highest point total. The lowest scores also win, \$150.00 for the lowest to \$30.00 for the 8<sup>th</sup> lowest total. All totaled \$3,000.00 is awarded each week.

The contest runs from Nov. 6<sup>th</sup> through the last week of the regular season, January 8<sup>th</sup>. Please contact Brother Bud Schuster at bud328@msn.com for information and to acquire your tickets.

## NIGHT OF "KNIGHTS" MONDAY, January 9th

On Monday, January 9th our Monthly Membership Meeting will become a Night of "Knights"

The purpose of this event is to encourage new membership by highlighting what the Knights are all about and the activities in which our Council participates.

We will begin the evening at 7:00pm with a recitation of the Rosary, followed at 7:30pm by a <u>"short"</u> review of Council business.

We will continue the evening with informative <u>"brief"</u> presentations by Council Officers and Committee Chairpersons highlighting what the Knights are all about, what we do to support Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, and our involvement in community affairs. To wrap up the evening, refreshments will be served, along with time to mingle with Brother Knights.

ALL Men of the Parish are encouraged to attend; wives are also most welcome. This is a time for Brother Knights to re-engage with our Council and for other Catholic Gentlemen to find out if they wish to join in this journey to become stronger "Catholic Men," The event will be held in the Burkhart Building.

If you would like to attend or just want information about the event, please RSVP, ANightofKnights@kofc14464.org

#### **PRO-LIFE CORNER**

Aaron Judge breaks Roger Maris' American League baseball's all-time home run record. Judge, a Yankee, and a non-performance enhancing athlete, hit home run number 62 at the end of this year's regular season. By the way, for those of us who went to Yankee stadium this year on the parish bus, we were privileged to see Judge hit one of those 62 home runs. (Great trip, thanks Bud Schuster and the Knights!)

So, what does this have to do with the "pro-life corner" you may ask. Well, ask away. Aaron Judge thanked his adoptive parents for adopting him and raising him in a loving Christian home. It seems that Aaron was one of those unwanted babies. The type that the pro-abortionists warn us about. How many times have you heard them say; "all children should be wanted." That is ideal, of course, but their implication is that if a child is not "wanted" it will not be "worth" bringing into this world, so you might as well do the baby and society a favor, and abort it.

An arrogant implication at best. No one should be deciding which lives are worth being born and which aren't. Let God decide that. Yankee fans are certainly grateful that his adoptive parents had the courage to adopt him. And after all, we all know that God is a Yankee fan!!

#### - - Deacon Lewis Ferris

## **RESPECT LIFE CORNER**

Life Facts: 28 days after conception a baby has eyes, ears, and even a tongue! Muscles are developing along the future spine. Arms and legs are budding.

"It is a poverty to decide that a child must die so that you may live as you wish". -St. Teresa of Calcutta

Action: Donate baby items to a pregnancy center such as the Cay Galgone Center in Bethlehem. Pray for the unborn.

"We encourage all citizens, particularly Catholics, to embrace their citizenship...as an opportunity meaningfully to participate in building the culture of life. Every voice matters in the public forum. Every vote counts...We must exercise that power in 2 ways that defend human life, especially those of God's children who are unborn, disabled or otherwise vulnerable." (US **Bishops, Living the Gospel of Life, n34)** 



#### SACRED HEART PARISH WOMEN'S GUILD "LIVING ROSARY " OCTOBER 24TH at 6:00PM

The Women's Guild will be hosting a Living Rosary in the Church for the women of our parish and sodalities from four other parishes, followed by a social / dinner in the Auditorium. All women of the parish are invited to join us in honoring Our Blessed Mother, Mary during October - Month of the Rosary. If you have any questions, please contact Colette Mitch at 610-762-5067.

#### **ALLENTOWN DIOCESAN DISABILITY INCLUSION AWARENESS SUNDAY** Sunday, November 6, 2022

The Diocese of Allentown welcomes and encourages all with disabilities to fully participate in our parish communities. In celebration of their gifts and talents, we will **Diocesan Disability Inclusion** celebrate Awareness Sunday on November 6, 2022.

#### THE COMPASSION OF JESUS

Jesus went around to all the towns and villages, teaching in their synagogues, proclaiming the gospel of the kingdom and curing every disease and illness. At the sight of the crowds, his heart was moved with pity for them because they were troubled and abandoned, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is abundant but the laborers are few: so ask the master for the harvest to send out laborers for this harvest." (Mark 9:35-38) Jesus then sent the disciples out to spread His word and to heal people's mind, body and soul.

#### PRAYER FOR THE DISABLED

Lord, you are the Great Physician, and we pray that you will heal our loved one's body and soul.

We ask you to comfort them in their time of need and to give them the strength to face their challenges.

We pray that you give them hope for the future and to give them a renewed sense of purpose.

We pray that you will help them to grow even stronger through their experiences.

Help them to find strength in never giving up, and guide them as they set out on their journey.

In Jesus name, we pray. Amen.

### SACRED HEART OF JESUS PARISH, BATH, PENNSYLVANIA

Your Stewardship Report - October 9			THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE PARISH		
First Collection	\$7,686	Other collections	<u>Next Week's Collections - October 30</u>		
Facilities Repair	\$1,410	- from envelopes			
Other Collections	\$330	dated other than	<u>First</u>		
<u>Other</u>	<u>\$40</u>	<u>October 9</u>	Sunday Collection		
Total Collections	\$9,466	<u>Other</u> - dona- tions, candles, etc.	OFFERING Second None		

## ALL SOULS DAY DEVOTIONS

Please join us for cemetery devotions on <u>Wednesday, November 2nd at 6:00 pm</u>. We will meet at the church at 6:00 pm and process to the cemetery. If you are unable to process to the cemetery, please meet at the cemetery at 6:10 pm. Please remember a flashlight to aid in reading the prayers and chant responses. In case of inclement weather, devotions will be held in church.



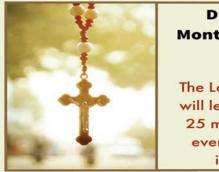
DOMINICAN CHAPTER MEETING The Lay Fraternities of St. Dominic meeting will be held on Saturday, October 29 from 8 am to 12 pm (noon) in the Father Post Room of the Burkhart Building

<u>COMPASSIONATE CAREGIVER NEEDED</u> Employment opportunity for elder care/companionship. Hours may vary. Days, overnights and occasional weekends. Experience in healthcare a plus. Please email Chris @ <u>CTallarico@aol.com</u>.



#### BIBLE STUDY—OPEN TO ALL BURKHART BUILDING SATURDAYS 10:00 AM-11:30 AM November 5th and 26th

We will be studying St. Paul's epistles starting with Romans, using Dr. Scott Hahn's "Ignatius Catholic Study Bible" RSV, Catholic edition. Please contact Deacon Lew Ferris at Iferris\_2000@yahoo.com if you are interested in joining the group or have any questions.



## During the Month of October

The Lay Dominicans will lead the Rosary 25 minutes before every Mass held in Church.

## WEEKLY OFFERING

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If you are not able to attend Mass, please continue to submit your weekly offering envelopes:

 $\Rightarrow$  Mail your envelopes to:

Sacred Heart Church 210 E. Northampton Street Bath, PA 18014

- ⇒ Online Giving available through Sacred Heart's website at <u>www.sacredheartbath.org</u>. Click on the "Donate" button on the home page below the picture of the altar.
- ⇒ Drop-off your envelopes at our "self-service station" in the Burkhart Building during Parish office hours

Thank you for continuing to support Sacred Heart of Jesus parish!

#### THE RECEPTION OF SACRAMENTS

The location where you receive your sacraments is governed by the territorial boundaries of the Parish within which you live, as prescribed by the Code of Canon Law. As a reminder, and to prevent delay or confusion when the time nears for the sacraments (and sacramental preparation), reception is not governed by where one attends school nor by where you attend Mass nor receive Religious Education. For example, if you live in the territorial boundaries of Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, and your 2nd grader attends Good Shepherd School in Northampton, they will receive their Religious Education from Good Shepherd School, but receive the sacrament of First Holy Communion at Sacred Heart. If you have any questions, please contact the Parish Office and we will be glad to assist you. Thank you!

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#### SAINT ELIZABETH PARISH STEAK SANDWICH SALE Saturday, October 29th, 2022

St. Elizabeth Parish is sponsoring our famous Steak Sandwich Meal.

Steaks are \$12 each and Cheese Steaks are \$13.00 each

Orders are due by October 24th, 2022

Pick up is in St. Elizabeth Parish Hall, 435 Pershing Boulevard, Whitehall from 4 – 5:30 pm.

For more information or to place an order, see our parish website for the order form or, please contact Joan at 610-349-7791or email <u>dirreled@sercc.org</u>

Orders can be dropped off at the parish office or placed in the weekend collection basket or mailed to: Steak Sandwiches. St. Elizabeth Church. 618 Fullerton Ave., Whitehall, PA 18052

ST. THOMAS MORE ANNUAL HOLIDAY **CRAFT FAIR AND BAKE SALE** Saturday, November 12, 2022 10:00AM-4:00PM



STM Gymnasium, 1040 Flexer Ave, Allentown

**Free Parking, Free Admission** 

60 Crafters, Holiday Bake Sale, Lunch available in the Candy Cane Cafe, Face Painting, Carolers

For more information or questions, please contact Jan Gough, Event and Volunteer Coordinator at jgough@stmteachers.org or 610-432-0396

BECAUSE WE ARE CATHOLIC DAILY MASS St. Peter the Apostle, Reading October 27 at 8:00 am

SAVE THE DATE: MASS CELEBRATED by The Most **Reverend Alfred A. Schlert D.D. Followed by light** refreshments in the Parish Center.

## SAVE THE DATE!!! **KOLBE ACADEMY**



#### **3RD ANNUAL "STEPS FOR RECOVERY"**

Kolbe Academy will be hosting the 3rd Annual "Steps for Recovery" Virtual Walk/Run the week of November 12th-19th, 2022.

The week will conclude with a live, 1.2 mile walk November 19th, at 12:30 PM, with a celebration at Kolbe Academy to follow. More information coming soon!!



Monday, October 24, 2022 at 6:30 pm **Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish** 3219 Santee Road, Bethlehem

FOREVER IN OUR HEARTS MASS

"He heals the brokenhearted and binds up their wounds." Psalm 147:3

Most Reverend Alfred. A. Schlert will celebrate a Mass of Remembrance at Our Lady of Perpetual Help Parish in Bethlehem. The Commission for Women warmly invites you and your loved ones to attend a mass of remembrance for those who have lost a child due to miscarriage, abortion, stillbirth, or in early infancy.

Registration is confidential and not required, but helpful. If you plan to attend, please let us know below. If you have any questions about the event,

> please contact Kristin Osenbach at kosenbach@allentowndiocese.org

SAINT FRANCIS CENTER FOR RENEWAL

3918 Chipman Rd., Easton, PA **Join St. Francis Center for Renewal & Sister Nancy Iampietro** for our October Twilight Retreat: Grief In All Its Forms on Thursday, October 27 from 6:30-8:30 PM **Registration can be found at Upcoming Events** — St. Francis Center for Renewal (stfrancisctr.org) or call 610-867-8890

#### COME AND SEE WEEKEND St. Charles Borromeo Seminary Wynnewood, PA November, 11-13, 2022

The Office of Vocations is offering a "Come and See" discernment retreat to young men ages 15+. The weekend will include holy hour, Mass, visits to the shrines in Philadelphia, and more.

This event is free, but registration is required by the deadline of November 4, 2022. To register go to

allentowndiocese.org/come-and-see-weekend.

For more information or questions, please contact the Office for Vocations Promotion at 610-437-0755 or msearles@allentowndiocese.org.



#### **CATHOLIC MEN'S CONFERENCE** "Warriors for Christ" by the **Commission for Men** November 19, 2022 at DeSales University

Men of the Diocese of Allentown are invited to learn how to be a Catholic man in the world today and listen to keynote speakers Devon Schadt, Dr. Edward Sri, and Father Patrick Lamb. To learn more and view the flyer, visit the Commission for Men website at www.menaliveinchrist.org/events/conference.

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## <u>SACRED HEART PARISH GIFT CARD PROGRAM</u> GROCERY GIFT CARDS



Sacred Heart Will Earn 5% Every Time You Grocery Shop Make grocery shopping more convenient by purchasing gift cards in the lower-level parish office Ahart's, Giant, Wegmans, Weis, Redner's



## **OTHER AVAILABLE GIFT CARDS**

Sacred Heart can earn up to 16% from sales of the gift cards listed below that we have on hand.



amazon

Please stop by the lower office in the Burkhart Building (Blue Doors) and check out our supply of cards or pick up a list of available gift cards that can be ordered.



For more info: Please email Karen at kshimko@sacredheartbath.org or call 610-837-6391 - Monday through Friday between 8:00 am to 3:00 pm.

This is a great way to help support our Parish!!! For full list of available gift cards for ordering go to: ww.sacredheartbath.org

Gift Card	Percentage Earned	Denominations	Gift Card	Percentage Earned	Denominations
Apple Store	5%	\$15/\$25	Sheetz	3%	\$25
Bed, Bath & Beyond	7%	\$25	Starbucks	4.5%	\$5/\$10
Best Buy	4%	\$25	Domino's	8%	\$10
Home Depot	7%	\$25	Red Robin	8%	\$25
Kohl's	4%	\$100	Panera	8%	\$10
Land's End	15%	\$25	Wendy's	6.5%	\$10
Target	2.5%	\$25	Visa	1,25%	\$50
Walmart/Sam's	2.5%	\$25	Cabela's	10%	\$25
Amazon	1.7%	\$10/\$25	CVS	6%	\$10/\$25

DID YOU **LOSE** SOMETHING? Look for it in the LOST AND FOUND BOX or call the office at 610-837-7874



DID YOU FIND SOMETHING?

Please put it in the LOST AND FOUND BOX

**<u>Do not</u>** take it to the sacristy

The Lost and Found Box is located in the stairwell to the choir loft on the Blessed Mother side of the church.

## SUPPORT SACRED HEART CHURCH BY SHOPPING AT AMAZON SMILE

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- $\Rightarrow~$  When you shop at AmazonSmile, Amazon will donate to Sacred Heart Church. Support us every time you shop.
- $\Rightarrow$  Use this link (<u>smile.amazon.com/ch/24-0799592</u>) when buying on Amazon!

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#### **PARISH INFORMATION**

SACRED HEART OF JESUS RECTORY 210 East Northampton St., Bath, PA 18014-1625 PARISH OFFICE - BURKHART BUILDING Office Hours - Monday - Friday, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. Closed 12 p.m. to 1 p.m. Rectory and Parish Office: Phone : 610-837-7874, Fax: 610-837-4570, Email: office@sacredheartbath.org Website: www.sacredheartbath.org Pastor: Rev. Christopher S. Butera Deacons: Mr. Lewis Ferris, Mr. Edward Saukulak Director of Accounts: Mrs. Sharon Hillhouse Administrative Assistant: Mrs. Kathleen Wachholz Outreach & Advancement Office: Ms. Karen Shimko

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shillhouse@sacredheartbath.org

#### **WELCOME**

We welcome all who join us at our Mass. We encourage you to become an active participant in the life of our Parish. All Catholics who live within our Parish boundaries should register. Please call the Parish Office for more information.

#### SACRAMENT OF ANOINTING OF THE SICK

is given to those who are seriously ill and in danger of death. When there is danger of death, please call the Pastor anytime, day or night.

#### **GODPARENT/SPONSOR ELIGIBILITY FORMS**

In order to act as a godparent for Baptism or a Sponsor for Confirmation, one must be a Catholic in good standing. Specifically this means Mass attendance every Sunday (Exodus 20:8), striving to live the moral precepts of the Church, and if married, a valid marriage in the Catholic Church.

#### THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

is celebrated on Sunday at Noon. If you are a parishioner and would like to schedule a Baptism, please contact the Parish Office. Prior to the baptism, parents must attend a Baptism Preparation Class which is designed to instruct the parents about the teachings of the church regarding Baptism, and to offer assistance in the spiritual preparation for their child's reception of the first of the Sacraments of the Church.

#### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Parishioners who are contemplating the Sacrament of Matrimony should contact the Pastor and mutually agree upon a date at least a year prior to the Wedding. The Church takes the preparation for the Sacrament of Matrimony very seriously, and requires completion of the Diocesan Marriage Preparation Program six months before the wedding. The normative time for weddings is Saturday between 10:00 AM and 1:30 PM. Weddings are not celebrated on major holidays, nor on the first weekend of June in deference to Ordination of Priests each year at that time. Either the Bride or the Groom must be a practicing member of Sacred Heart Parish in order to request a wedding date.

#### **COMMUNION TO THE HOMEBOUND**

A Priest or Deacon will visit monthly. Extraordinary Ministers visit those who wish to receive more often. Always notify us about the homebound parishioners who wish to be visited.

#### **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

Those who desire entrance into the Catholic Church are warmly welcome through the **<u>RCIA</u>**. Please contact the Pastor for more information.

#### **CONSOLATION MINISTRY**

The Consolation Ministry Reaches out to families who have experienced the death of a loved one in order to help them prepare for the Funeral Mass and gain an understanding of death as a believing Catholic. For more information on this ministry, please contact Joan West at 610-216-8062.

#### **PARISH MEMORIALS**

Following the death of a relative or friend, offerings may be made to the Church in loving memory of the deceased. Offerings may specify a particular request or be placed in the Memorial Fund for parish needs.

#### VICTIM ASSISTANCE COORDINATOR

The Diocese of Allentown provides assistance to anyone who, as a minor, was sexually abused by a priest, deacon, or employee/volunteer of the Diocese/Parish. Parents, guardians, children, and survivors of sexual abuse are invited and encouraged to contact the Diocese of Allentown for more information about this program. The fullness of compassion should be extended to these victims by the Church.

#### Diocesan Victim Assistance Coordinator,

Ms. Wendy S. Krisak, M.A., NCC, LPC, Direct Telephone Number: 1-800-791-9209 Secretary for Youth Protection

Pamela J. Russo, MSW, MS, Telephone Number: 610-871-5200, Ext. 2204, prusso@allentowndiocese.org

To learn more about the <u>Diocese of Allentown's Youth</u> <u>Protection Programs</u>, Sexual Abuse Policy, and Code of Conduct, visit <u>www.allentowndiocese.org</u> and click on "Youth Protection" in the upper right-hand corner.

**<u>COURAGE – Diocesan Help Line:</u>** Father Ezaki at 610-573-7150 or Deacon Christopher May at 484-602-9400.

#### **CATHOLIC BISHOP ABUSE REPORTING SERVICE**

If you have an allegation of abuse against a bishop, please contact the Catholic Bishop Abuse Reporting Service at <u>www.ReportBishopAbuse.org</u> or by calling 800-276-1562.

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