

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER



SATURDAY, JUNE 4

5:00 DANIEL & LAURETTA CAREY

SUNDAY, JUNE 5

7:00 MARIE D. CARNEGIE
 8:30 AL AMORE 8TH ANNIVERSARY
 10:00 TERRY WALSH
 11:30 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
 1:00 JOHN MICHAEL SULLIVAN
 5:00 JOSEPH BILOTTI

MONDAY, JUNE 6

7:00 JANE & JACK GORDON
 9:00 JOSEPH SUTERA

TUESDAY, JUNE 7

7:00 BILLY GORDON
 9:00 AIDA BAUMANN

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 8

7:00 MAUREEN GORDON
 9:00 FOR THOSE IN THE ARMED FORCES

THURSDAY, JUNE 9

7:00 JOHN WAUSNOCK
 9:00 NED THOMPSON

FRIDAY, JUNE 10

7:00 CHARLES & MARY DONOHUE
 9:00 JOHN VESPUCCI 17TH ANNIVERSARY

SATURDAY, JUNE 11

9:00 LILY MASTERSON & FRANK MASTERSON
 5:00 BRIDGET JORDAN

SUNDAY, JUNE 12

7:00 SR. ANN TERESA O'CARM
 8:30 JACK & GRACE MURPHY
 10:00 MARGARET & GEORGE KOPF
 11:30 PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
 1:00 FOR THE INTENTIONS OF FR. PAVONE TO END ABORTION
 5:00 LOUISE PIETROMONICO

Sick Relatives & Friends

Susan Pellecchia	Lois Mazzitelli	Rosanne Mezzacappa
Christopher Luciano	Rick Curley	Kathryn Brock
Margaret Shay	Patricia Repoli	Al Frezio
Julie Hunting	Meghan Clark	Mary DiSalvo
Youlanda Santella	Mary DiCostanzo	Mary Fitzgerald
Tim Campagna	Alberto Meranda	Matthew Gleason
Jerry Russo	Ethel Thomas	Aurora David
Gordon C. Gladden	Ian Torello	Anna Parente
James Parente	Ruth Irons	John Lewis
Gerard Crane	Mimi Norberg	Marianne Garlan
Ruth Manieri	Tommy Baratta	Dawn Meade
Rev. Thomas Blessin S.J	Lauren Lam	John Keogh
Mary Kenney	John C Marino	Rafaella Tierno
Alice Longo	Spc. Bryan Camacho	Rose Bradley
Gabrielle Plumy	Michael Rucci	Patsy Jackson
Cpl Justin Campbell	Robert Poggi U.S.M.	Sylvia Lichtenstein
Bernard D NidusMD	Joyce Rusinak	Tom Kopf
Barbara Brennan	Colleen Callahan	Jeffrey Schnorbus
Sam Pezzano	Edward B. Hanson	Venera Delamonico
Christian Pepo	Joan Romano	Roseanne Liveo
Grace Ford Seamans	Sheila Jones	Daniel Gomes
Elizabeth James Timmins	Beverly Andrews	

IN THE CHARITY OF YOUR PRAYERS, PLEASE PRAY FOR:

BANNS

I Alasandra Formica and Sean German
 I Kristen Andersen and Joseph Battiatto
 I Valerie Villanti and Anthony Casalaspro

Lectors & Eucharistic Ministers

Weekend of June 11-12

Saturday, June 11

5:00 Mary Rosso Maureen Driscoll

Sunday, June 12

7:00 Joe Meagher
 8:30 Don O'Shea Dorothy Tarafa
 10:00 Frank DiSalvo
 11:30 Ken Wisniewski Evelyn Bilotto
 1:00 Charles Sullivan Pat Hoey
 5:00 Theresa Hudik

Collection for May 8

Collection.....\$6,947.69
 50/50\$541.00
 Congratulations to Mr & Mrs Patrick McCauley for winning the May 50/50. Remember you have to be n it to win it.

Stewardship Appeal

Goal \$72,800.00
 Pledge \$62,697.00
 Number of Gifts 159
 Date May 27, 2011

The Bread & Wine are for the Intentions of the Sacred Heart requested by Sarah MacDermot

The Sanctuary Candle is in Loving Memory of Sr. Mary Bernadine Denning requested by Sarah MacDermot

THE LOVE OF THE SACRED HEART...

The month of June that we have now entered upon is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. Actually though, due to the late Easter this year, the Feast of the Sacred Heart itself falls on July First. Our parish here in West Brighton is named after the Sacred Heart. That being the case, all of us should have a special devotion to the Heart of Christ.

It was St. Margaret Mary Alacoque who received the revelation of the Sacred Heart way back in the Seventeenth Century. Our Lord appeared to her several times, showed her His Heart and said, "Behold this Heart which loves so very much and yet receives for the most part in return nothing but contempt and ingratitude."

The Heart, has come to mean much more than just a physical organ that pumps blood. The "heart" represents emotion, feeling and affection. We are all familiar with that big red heart that makes its appearance each February on Valentine's Day. But our Lord's Sacred Heart is a little different from the Valentine's heart.

First of all, on top of the Sacred Heart is **A CROSS**. The cross portrays the sacrifice that Christ made for all of us when He died on Calvary. **THE FLAME** on the Heart signifies the ardor and intensity with which Jesus loves each man and woman. **THE THORNS** and **THE BLOOD** on the Heart finally illustrate what he endured during His sacred passion and still continues to suffer from sinners who reject His love.

The late Archbishop Fulton J. Sheen once made reference to what he called "The Continuing Passion of Christ". What he meant was that since there is still a great deal of sinning that goes on in our world, Jesus Christ still suffers today. Of course, He does not suffer in His human nature, but the wounded Heart of Christ is a physical symbol of the hurt that our Lord experiences in a spiritual sense when we ourselves injure him by our pride and sinfulness.



Most Sacred
Heart of Jesus

There was an old song that was entitled, "You Always Hurt the One You Love". In a way, that is the way it is with Jesus our Savior. We do not give the Lord and our faith a second thought at times. Sin becomes natural to us. We do not see the effects of it except when we take a long look at the Sacred Heart - the Lord's Heart is crushed by our opposition and infidelities.

Here in the church a few years ago when restoration work was done, we put a beautiful stained glass window of the Sacred Heart in the alcove above the Sanctuary. The old statue that had been up there for many years was taken down and placed in the niche on the right side of the altar. I am glad that the statue is closer to us now. We can kneel before that Heart and see a little more clearly the great love that God has for us. During this beautiful month of June let us go to that shrine in the church often and place our miseries and cares before Him.

One of the promises that the Savior made to St Margaret Mary when he appeared to her was, "Sinners will find in my Heart a source and infinite ocean of mercy." We who are weak, miserable and inadequate creatures need that mercy of God to lift us up and assist us. May we find that mercy in the Lord's Sacred Heart which is open to all of us at all times!

Sincerely in Christ, Father Jerome

In person registration for CCD for school year 2011-2012 will be held on Wednesday, June 8th from 7-9PM in the school cafeteria. For further information please call the CCD office at 718-448-1536





If you are interested in coaching a **CYO** **Sacred Heart CYO** basketball team next season (2011-2012) please contact Mike Sanborn msanborndd@aol.com or Jeff Franzreb jefffranzreb@aol.com for a coach's application.

Sacred Heart goes to the Holy Land! Fr Deo asks all parishioners to join him on this fantastic once-in-a-lifetime pilgrimage! The tour will be in July or August of 2012 for 7 days. Please see the flyer in today's bulletin for more detailed information and who to contact for reservations.



The Holy Name Society will meet on Sunday June 12th at the 8:30AM mass with a breakfast meeting immediately following in the school cafeteria. All men of the parish are encouraged to attend and become a member of the Holy Name Society and help in continuing and expanding one of the oldest and most traditional parish societies in Sacred Heart.

Sacred Heart Soccer Registration will be held on Monday, June 13th and Monday June 20th from 7-8:30PM in the school cafeteria. See the flyer for more information or call John & Keri Mullen at 718-442-2109 or 646-919-1542.

Sacred Heart Second Annual Auto Show will be held on Sunday, June 12th from 11AM till 5PM in the school parking lot. Please see the flyer for more details.

LAOH, DIV 1 will be having their annual fundraiser on Sunday, June 26th from 3:30PM to 5:30PM at Mount Manresa Mr Jim Hawkins, renowned Irish storyteller (Seanchai) will entertain and refreshments of wine, cheese, fruit platter, desserts, coffee & tee will be served. \$25 per person pre-paid, \$30 at the door. Please call Joan Hughes at 981-3185 for more information.

Our Lady of Mt Carmel-St Benedicta Parish will be having their Spring Chinese Auction on Friday, June 10th in their school gym. The doors open at 6PM. For more information call 718-442-3411.

Kids Praise Choir:(grades 1-5) See you June 5th 11:30AM Loft!

Family Choir (ages Newborn - 120) June 5th 11:30AM Mass Loft Bring the entire family!

Parish Choir: (ages 10-120) Surprise me! You know the formula!

Melody Choir: (ages 10-120) no rehearsals! Just come on up & help sing the glorious melodies of our liturgies...see you June 5th -loft 11:15AM

Traveling Choir (ages 8-100) Grazie Mille for the beautiful music/liturgy for the Archbishop!

Family Choir -your turn June 5th 11:30AM 7th Sunday of Easter- come fill the loft! Coffee! Treats! Prizes! Pinata!

Brides! Grooms! Come plan your 2011 musical Wedding liturgies at least 6 weeks prior to the wedding - come up to the loft after any 1PM mass! Pamela 442-0058 VM 24

Thank You Parish Choir! Many of you sang in Italy this season! You created beautiful & glorious & powerful masses throughout the Christmas & Easter Season & everything in between! Your gifts of time & talent & funds provide instruments for special feasts & for Stuart's assistance! Words fail to express my deep appreciation for all your gifts - that said! One challenge remains - will I see you in the loft during June? You know the formula! See you there! Pamela 442-0058 VM 24

Join a Choir! Buy a CD! Put away a hymnbook! Fill your jar

DATES TO REMEMBER

- June 9 - Pre-K moving up ceremony
- June 10 - Kindergarten Graduation
- June 12 - Boy Scouts Car Show
- June 18 - Grade 8 Graduation