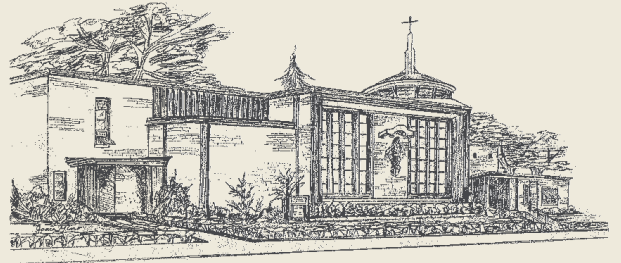
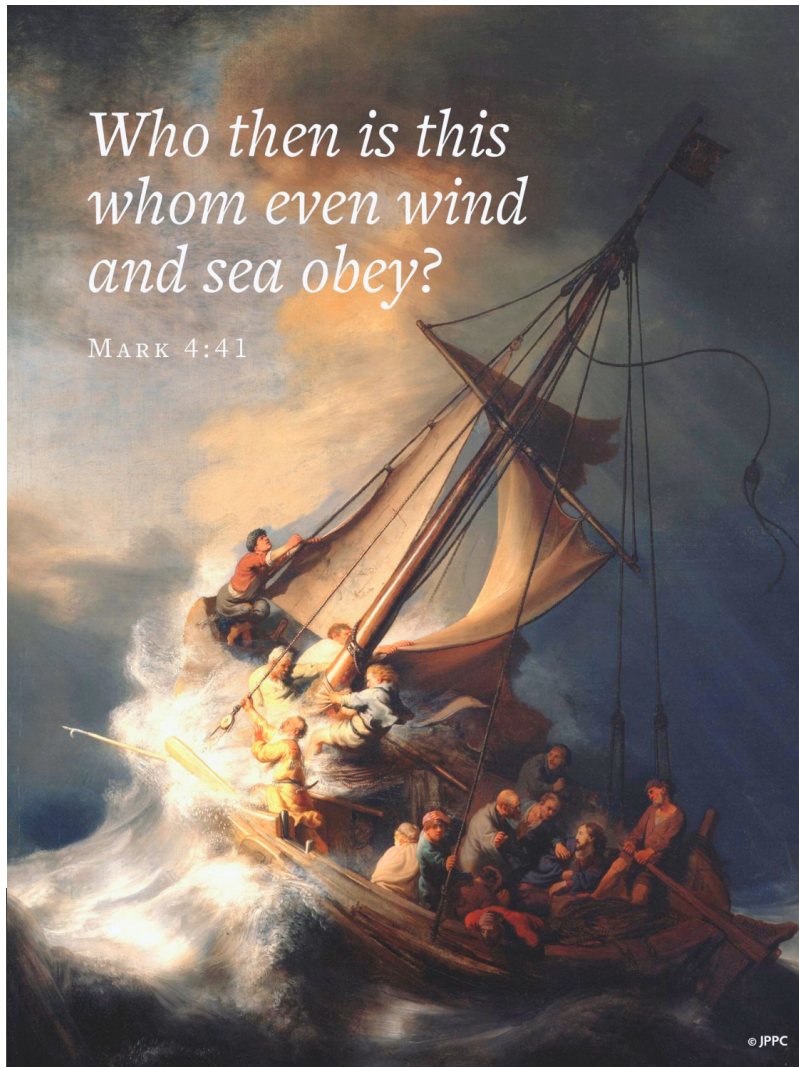


Who then is this  
whom even wind  
and sea obey?

MARK 4:41



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**JUNE 23, 2024**

THE TWELFTH SUNDAY  
IN ORDINARY TIME

**Weekend Masses**

Saturday Vigil  
5:00 pm, 7:00 pm *Spanish*  
Sunday  
8:00 am, 10:00 am,  
12:00 pm and 7:00 pm  
2:00 pm *Korean*

10:00 am in German  
(Archbishop Stepinac HS  
Chapel, White Plains, NY)

**Adoration**

Friday 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

**Daily Masses**

Monday - Friday  
7:00 am, 12:10 pm  
Saturday  
8:30 am

**Holy Day Masses**

*When on a work day*  
Vigil: 7:00 pm,  
Day: 7:00 am and 12:10 pm

**Reconciliation**

Saturday in Sacristy  
3:45 pm - 4:30 pm

**CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART**

HARTSDALE, NEW YORK 10530

June 2, 2024 - \$8,132

June 9, 2024 - \$8,532

Ascension Thursday - \$1,254

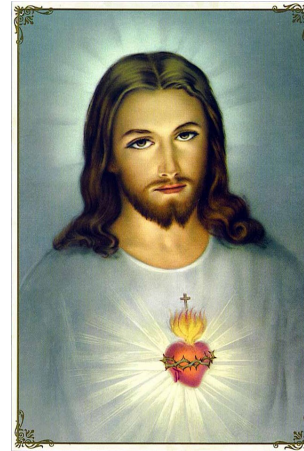
June Parish Reserve Fund - \$3,385

Home Missions & Latin America - \$2,262

### The Promises of the Sacred Heart

St. Margaret Mary Alacoque received several private revelations of Jesus which showed her the form of devotion for his Sacred Heart. Firstly, Jesus asked that Holy Communion be received on the first Friday of each month. Second, a Holy Hour of Eucharistic Adoration on Thursdays in memorial of Jesus' agony in the garden of Gethsemane. Finally, a celebration on the Feast of the Sacred Heart. Jesus also revealed twelve promises that He would bestow upon all those who practice this devotion.

1. I will give them all the graces necessary in their state of life.
2. I will establish peace in their homes.
3. I will comfort them in all their afflictions.
4. I will be their secure refuge during life, and above all, in death.
5. I will bestow abundant blessings upon all their undertakings.
6. Sinners will find in my Heart the source and infinite ocean of mercy.
7. Lukewarm souls shall become fervent.
8. Fervent souls shall quickly mount to high perfection.
9. I will bless every place in which an image of my Heart is exposed and honored.
10. I will give to priests the gift of touching the most hardened hearts.
11. Those who shall promote this devotion shall have their names written in my Heart.
12. I promise you in the excessive mercy of my Heart that my all-powerful love will grant to all those who receive Holy Communion on the First Fridays in nine consecutive months the grace of final perseverance; they shall not die in my disgrace, nor without receiving their sacraments. My divine Heart shall be their safe refuge in this last moment.



### Act of Consecration to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, to Thee I consecrate and offer up my person and my life, my actions, trials, and sufferings, that my entire being may henceforth only be employed in loving, honoring and glorifying Thee. This is my irrevocable will, to belong entirely to Thee, and to do all for Thy love, renouncing with my whole heart all that can displease Thee.

I take Thee, O Sacred Heart, for the sole object of my love, the protection of my life, the pledge of my salvation, the remedy of my frailty and inconstancy, the reparation for all the defects of my life, and my secure refuge at the hour of my death. Be Thou, O Most Merciful Heart, my justification before God Thy Father, and screen me from His anger which I have so justly merited. I fear all from my own weakness and malice, but placing my entire confidence in Thee, O Heart of Love, I hope all from Thine infinite Goodness. Annihilate in me all that can displease or resist Thee. Imprint Thy pure love so deeply in my heart that I may never forget Thee or be separated from Thee.

I beseech Thee, through Thine infinite Goodness, grant that my name be engraved upon Thy Heart, for in this I place all my happiness and all my glory, to live and to die as one of Thy devoted servants. Amen.



Week of June 23, 2024 The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time



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**Saturday, June 22:**

- 5:00 Susan Serafin (+)(A)  
7:00 Altagracia Camacho (+)(A)

**Sunday, June 23:**

- 8:00 The Deceased Members of the Tan Family  
10:00 Donato Giglio (+)  
12:00 Joseph V Maistre & The Living &  
Deceased Family Fathers  
2:00 **Korean Mass**  
7:00 Mary, Carmela & Carl Raso (+)

**Monday, June 24:**

**The Nativity of St. John the Baptist**

- 7:00 Theresa Panicker (+)  
12:10 Cesar Baviera (+)

**Tuesday, June 25:**

- 7:00 Sacred Heart Novena  
12:10 William Maxwell Smith (+)(74<sup>th</sup> B)

**Wednesday, June 26:**

- 7:00 John Bosco (L)(B)  
12:10 Antoinette Schilero (+)(9<sup>th</sup> A)

**Thursday, June 27:**

- 7:00 Thambi Panickassery (+)(A)  
12:10 Sacred Heart Novena

**Friday, June 28: St. Irenaeus**

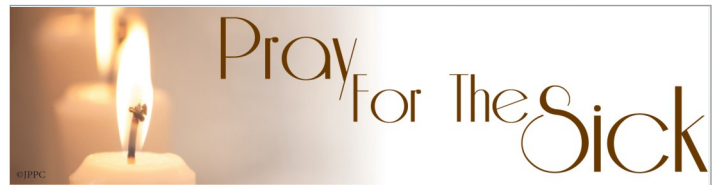
- 7:00 Todd Russell Mucaro (+)(B)  
12:10 Rosaria Armonia (+)(A)

**Saturday, June 29:**

- 8:30 Marie, Salvatore & Josephine Imperati (+)  
5:00 Vivienne Dupre (+)  
7:00 Special Intentions

**Sunday, June 30:**

- 8:00 Sacred Heart Novena  
10:00 Catherine Meaney (+)  
12:00 Richard Hughes (+)  
2:00 **Korean Mass**  
7:00 Jimmy Ortiz Escobeda (+)



Peter Tomasini, Joan Voight,  
Caroline Alongi, Andrea Kallaras,  
Julie Diaz, Jose Rivera,  
Robert Muller, Geshika Chirinos,  
Marie Ruvo, Robert DeJour,  
Geraldine Towey, Dawn Ann Donnathan,  
Javier Zapata, Katherine Mary Rya,  
Rita Duque, Anna Fucci,  
Roseanne Lucid, Bette Schillberg,  
Andrea Cuevas, Jeff Haydon,  
Barbara Marra Louise Fursich,  
Barbara Caution, Daniel Raftery



Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, benefactors, relatives, for those who are most forgotten and for those who recently died, especially:

Agatha Choi

We extend our deepest condolences to everyone who has lost a loved one.

**May God grant you peace and comfort!**

If you would like the name of a loved one to be placed on the Pray For the Sick list, please contact the rectory or leave a note in the collection basket.



The Altar Bread & Altar Wine are available to offer in honor of a loved one for several months of 2024. If you wish to reserve one of them, please call or email the rectory.



by Leonard N. Peterson

We are approaching the 24th anniversary of a thrilling, gripping, and terrifying film called “The Perfect Storm.” It was especially for me because I have a fear of deep water, probably because I never learned to swim.

Based on a true story, the film tells of the courageous men and women who risk their lives every working day, pitting their fishing boats and rescue vessels against the capricious forces of nature. It’s the story of the “Andrea Gail” a commercial fishing vessel that was lost at sea with all hands on Halloween of 1991, when they were confronted by 3 raging weather fronts which unexpectedly collide to produce the greatest, fiercest storm in modern history – “The Perfect Storm.” It was no help to have handsome George Clooney at the helm in the movie version!

Mark’s gospel is often sparing in detail, but we can well imagine the fear in the hearts of even these professional fishermen later to be called “Apostles” when such a storm arises with them in a relatively small fishing boat. But Mark adds that someone else was with them in the boat. We know Him as Our Lord and God, a most powerful person whom we know can take away all fears. And He’s asleep, of all things! (May I observe that “Even God can take a nap”?) And so, He is forced to wake up and then scold the very wind and waters that He created and tell them to quiet and still. Of course, the men had to ask themselves “What sort of man us this?” Later, they would learn about Him for sure.

Now what about us? What do we do with all our twenty plus centuries of Christian dogma tucked away somewhere? We can’t just regard this episode as a fun story for a Summer’s Day.

One reaction we could have, with not a little effort on our part at select times, is to pack up all our fears and figuratively lay them at Christ’s feet. If it’s too difficult to do it at once, do it one step at a time.

Here’s a little story I like called “The Bishop.” One Saturday night a newly ordained priest received a last-minute assignment from his bishop to deliver the Sunday homily at the bishop’s cathedral. “But how can I do this?” he asked the bishop. “I’ve never before preached to a large congregation such as yours, and I have noth-

ing prepared!” To which the bishop replied, “Trust the Lord, young man. Just trust the Lord.”

Later that night the young preacher leafed through the bishop’s bible, searching for inspiration. He came upon some typed notes the bishop had tucked in the bible. After reading them over the priest liked them so much that he took them to the pulpit next morning. The young priest impressed the congregation with words having a wisdom in them beyond his years. After Mass, many people thanked him for his excellent preaching. Then the bishop himself came through the crowd and said “Young man, you preached the homily I was going to deliver tonight. Now what shall I do?” “Trust the Lord, bishop,” said the young man. “Just trust the Lord!”

God love you and give you His peace.

### St. Gertrude’s Prayer to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

O Sacred Heart of Jesus, fountain of eternal life,  
Your Heart is a glowing furnace of Love.  
You are my refuge and my sanctuary.  
O my adorable and loving Savior,  
consume my heart with the burning fire  
with which Yours is aflame.  
Pour down on my soul those graces  
which flow from Your love.  
Let my heart be united with Yours.  
Let my will be conformed to Yours in all things.  
May Your Will be the rule  
of all my desires and actions.  
Amen.



On June 12, 2024, the NYPD Holy Name Society held a memorial ceremony for our deceased parishioner and retired NYPD Captain Thomas Cunningham. The Ceremonial Honor Guard presented his family with an NYPD Department flag in his honor.

## Week of June 23, 2024 The Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### The History of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Devotion

Today, the feast of the Sacred Heart is one of the most popular Catholic devotions. However, it took centuries to become a universal celebration, and its path was paved with the words and visions of many saints.

Though not directly mentioned in Scripture, the feast finds its roots in the New Testament's abundant mention of Jesus' love as well as the Gospel's depictions of his crucifixion and death.

In medieval times, Christians often meditated on the Five Wounds of Jesus. It is thought that the Sacred Heart stemmed from the fifth wound at his side, from the centurion's lance which pierced deep enough to reach his heart. The Sacred Heart became a twofold symbol; one, it adored the infinite and self-giving love of Jesus, and two, this adoration was given to Jesus' heart in reparation for the disdain, rejection, and coldness his loving heart endured from others. One of the first mentions of this dual yet united aspect is found in the 12th century writings of St. Bernard of Clairvaux, a Doctor of the Church.

In 1281, two Cistercian nuns, St. Gertrude the Great and St. Mechtilde, would have the first of many mystical visions. On the feast of John the Evangelist, St. Gertrude had a vision of Jesus in which she was granted the grace to rest her head on his fifth wound where she could hear the beating of his Divine heart. She asked St. John why he did not write about this exquisite experience, to which he replied, "My mission was to write of the Eternal Word...but the language of the blissful pulsations of the Sacred Heart is reserved for latter times, that the time-worn world, grown cold in the love of God, may be warmed up by hearing of such mysteries." She penned a prayer to the Sacred Heart, found in her work, "The Herald of Divine Love", thus spreading the devotion.

Centuries later, St. Jean Eudes composed the first Office and Mass of the Sacred Heart. The first recorded feast of the Sacred Heart was celebrated on August 31, 1670 in Rennes, France.

In December 1673, St. Margaret Mary Alacoque, a French Visitation nun, was granted a similar vision to St. Gertrude's. Jesus said to her, "My Heart is so full of love for men that It can no longer contain the flames of Its burning love. I must discover to men the treasures of My Heart and save them from perdition." St. Margaret Mary became the champion of the Sacred Heart and, on Our Savior's behalf, petitioned for an official and universal feast day to be celebrated each year on the Friday following Corpus Christi.

It was not until May 8, 1873 that the devotion to the Sacred Heart was formally approved by Pope Pius IX. Twenty-six years later in 1899, Pope Leo XIII recommended that all dioceses throughout the world annually observe the feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus.

## Weekly Readings

HOLY BIBLE

**Monday:** Is 49:1-6 | Ps 139:1b-3, 13-14ab, 14c-15 | Acts 13:22-26 | Lk 1:57-66, 80

**Tuesday:** 2 Kgs 19:9B-11, 14-21, 31-35A, 36 | Ps 48:2-3AB, 3CD-4, 10-11 | Mt 7:6, 12-14

**Wednesday:** 2 Kgs 22:8-13; 23:1-3 | Ps 119:33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 40 | Mt 7:15-20

**Thursday:** 2 Kgs 24:8-17 | Ps 79:1b-2, 3-5, 8, 9 | Mt 7:21-29

**Friday:** 2 Kgs 25:1-12 | Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 | Mt 8:1-4

**Saturday:** Acts 12:1-11 | Ps 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9 2 | Tm 4:6-8, 17-18 | Mt 16:13-19

**Sunday:** Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24 | Ps 30:2, 4, 5-6, 11, 12, 13 | 2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15 | Mk 5:21-43 or 5:21-24, 35b-43



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