

# CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART

## HARTSDALE, NEW YORK 10530

### Weekend Masses

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

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

### Daily Masses

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

### Holy Day Masses

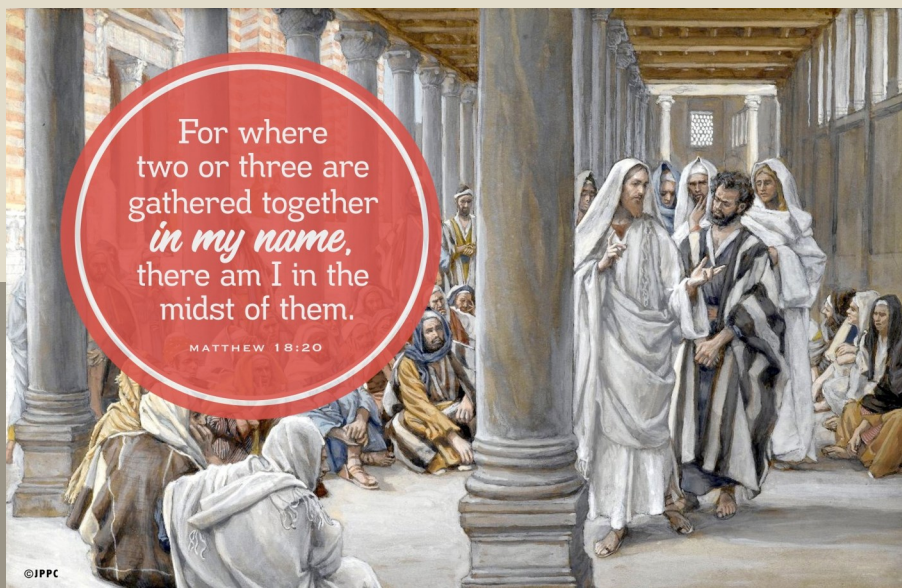
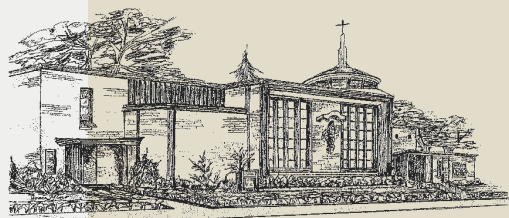
When on a work day  
Vigil: 7:00 pm,  
Day: 7:00 am and 12:10 pm

### Adoration

Friday  
11:00 am - 12:00 pm

### Reconciliation

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



### Served by

Rev. Michael Moon  
*Pastor*

Rev. Anthony Uwandu  
*Parochial Vicar*

Rev. Christian Goebel  
*German Speaking Priest*

Rev. Ralph Barile  
*Retired*

Rev. Robert O'Neil  
*Mill Hill Fathers*

## SEPTEMBER 10, 2023

## THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### Rectory

10 Lawton Avenue  
Hartsdale, NY 10530  
shchartsdale@gmail.com  
914-949-0028/29

### Hours

Monday - Friday  
9:00 am - 4:00 pm

For sacramental inquiries  
please call the rectory

### School & Religious Education

59 Wilson Street  
Hartsdale NY, 10530  
sacredheartreprogram@gmail.com  
Tel: 914-946-7242, ext. 1  
Fax: 946-7323

Dr. John Fruner  
*Principal*

Mr. Cesar Rivera

*Administrative Assistant*

Mr. Christopher Siegfried  
*Religious Ed Coordinator*

### Music Ministry

Karan Chin  
*Music Director*  
Susan Muller  
*Organist*  
Elizabeth Laskie-Gonzalez  
Mary Cinguina  
*Cantors*  
Jonathan Goldwasser  
*Folk Group Director*

### Website

<https://shchartsdale.com>

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LAST WEEK

Collections ©JPPC thank you

August 20, 2023 - \$6,479
August 27, 2023 - \$7,024
Religious Education Program - \$1,681



SHC Service Fair

Please join members of Parish Council and other important groups in our parish, and visit our Volunteer Fair on Sunday, September 10th from 9am—1pm in the breezeway. We will have representatives from each group, important information available, and volunteer opportunities. We will have food, prizes and a 50/50 raffle. All are welcome!

Childhood Cancer Awareness Month

BLOOD DRIVE

Sunday September 24th
8:30am—2:30pm
School Gym
59 Wilson St.

To sign up:
Call 800-933-2566,
visit nybc.org/donate
or scan the QR code



Eucharistic Adoration

Nocturnal Adoration Women's Group

We will hold Nocturnal Adoration for the women's group next week, September 16th. Exposition will begin on Saturday at 9:00PM, and Benediction

will begin on Sunday at 5:00AM. The first and last hours will be open to the public. For security purposes, the doors will be locked between 10:00PM—4:00AM.



Help Wanted

Marian Woods is an Adult Home in Hartsdale New York serving aging women of religious congregations. Our mission includes providing care to ensure safety and maintain independence. We are seeking a personal care aide / home health aide with experience working with an elderly population. The position is part time, primarily the night shift, with some fill in on the day and evening shifts. Tasks include light duties, assistance with activities of daily living and medication assistance. Salary starts at \$16.50/ hr. with shift differential. Free parking on site and a meal provided on the day and evening shifts. Interested persons please send your resume to lkeogh@marianwoods.org or call 914-750-6147



Classes have begun!

Registration for the Religious Education Program is still open. Classes are for children grades 1-8 of our registered parish families. Please contact the school to register.

59 Wilson St.
Hartsdale, NY 10530
914-946-7242, ext. 1
sacredheartprogram@gmail.com
Monday-Friday 8:00am-11:30am



Legion of Mary

Meetings are held in the lower meeting room of the Rectory on Wednesday, at 10:45 AM. Join us as we pray the Rosary and plan other spiritual activities. Right after the meeting we attend the 12:10 Mass.



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*Masses For  
The Week*



**Week of September 10, 2023**

**The Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Saturday, September 9: Saint Peter Claver**

8:30 Celia Tori (+)(B)  
5:00 Henry Benvenuto (+)(B)  
7:00 Romelia Espana (+)(A)

**Sunday, September 10:**

8:00 Divina Ines & Guido Cestra (+)  
10:00 Francis Valiyaparambil (A)  
12:00 Michael Muccio (+)(A)  
2:00 **Korean Mass**  
7:00 Peggy Sullivan (+)(B)

**Monday, September 11:**

7:00 The Living Members of the Akhavan Family  
12:10 Jayne & Richard O'Sullivan

**Tuesday, September 12:**

7:00 Maria Zygmunto Zaluski (+)  
12:10 Edwards Q. Lewis Jr. (+)(A)

**Wednesday, September 13: St John Chrysostom**

7:00 Rufino & Cerelina Luistro (+)  
12:10 Francis P. Valdes (+)(B)

**Thursday, September 14: The Exaltation of the Holy Cross**

7:00 Fr. Michael Moon (L)(B)  
12:10 Catherine Bryceland (+)(B)

**Friday, September 15: Our Lady of Sorrows**

7:00 Oliva & Juanito Zarsuelo (+)  
12:10 Louis P. Agosto (+)(6th A)

**Saturday, September 16: Sts Cornelius & Cyprian**

8:30 In Honor of St. Thérèse of Lisieux  
5:00 Linda & Francesco Dilello & the Deceased  
Members of the Dilello Family  
7:00 Special Intentions

**Sunday, September 17:**

8:00 Antoinette DiMeglio (+)  
10:00 Angelina, Mary & Davide Villani (+)  
12:00 George Joseph Araujo (+)  
2:00 **Korean Mass**  
7:00 Primo A. (+) & Nella Gambetta & Family (L)

Pray  
For The Sick



Alexandra Laurent, Lianna Amendola,  
Enilda Reynoso, Genevieve Colletti,  
Jane Vicari, Barbara Cautero,  
Frances Molloy, Michael Comar,  
Margaret Gaughan, Benjamin Ortiz,  
Ricardo Ruiz, Felix Santana,  
Alex Eccles, Nicholas Eccles,  
Miguel Rodriguez, Sr., Mike Kennedy,  
Evangalina Gonzalez Garcia,  
Vicky Neidigh, Xavier Francis,  
Louis Accurti, Baby Edward Bento,  
Geshika Chirinos, Carmel O'Sullivan,  
Jacquelyn Graziano, Marie Ruvo,  
Ramon Anover, Dawn Ann Donnerton,  
Geraldine Towey, Matthew Coughlin,  
Louise Fursich, MaryLou Allgaier,  
Frank Allgaier, Mary McGarry,  
Dean S. Travalino, Erica Torres,  
Robert De Jour, Theresa Leuzzi,  
Michael Keehan, Linda Muoio,  
Koshi Cherian, Anythony Stiano  
Adele Giottron, Vicki Giottron,  
and Peter Tomasini

Pray  
For The  
Deceased



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

Cerelina Luistro and Peter Hunce

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

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



by Leonard N. Peterson

“Word Trivia,” is a favorite website of mine. I suppose that the former English teacher in me surfaces now and then. At any rate, the word chosen for an early July day happened to be: “vexatious.” The definition given for this adjective was “annoying and frustrating.” That led me to apply the word to one of our Christian obligations of fraternal correction. You know what that is. To correct someone, usually a friend or family member, who has made a bad choice and is on the slippery slope to disaster.

We learn from the First Reading that Ezekiel the prophet, as the divinely appointed watchman over Israel, had to preach this obligation to Israel. It could not have been a popular pronouncement, there was an urgency at hand because the powerful kingdom of Babylon was breathing down Jerusalem’s neck.

St. Paul echoes the call. But it the Gospel tells us of God’s elaborate three step procedure for handling the matter. It starts with a caring one-on-one conversation between the parties, and if that does not work, then present it to the community of the Church. If even that fails, then dismiss the offender in his chosen pursuit. Not a happy result.

But the “good news” that this gospel conveys is that short but very sweet promise of Jesus that when 2 or 3 of us gather in His name for matters like prayer, or decision-making, or change of lifestyle, He will be in our midst.

We Catholic Christians know that Christ has all the answers we need. But His presence adds strength to our purpose. Even to the demanding task of fraternal correction, He adds His insight and power. But, as always, we have to maintain a sense of truth and unselfishness. We can never stoop to the level of a certain senior citizen I read about.

It seems this certain old man was strolling on the beach when he came upon a magic lamp. He picked it up, dusted it off, when suddenly a genie appeared. “Because you have freed me,” the genie said, “I will grant you a wish.”

The startled old man though for a few moments and then responded, “My brother and I had a fight some thirty years ago, and he hasn’t spoken to me since. I wish that he will finally forgive me.”

There was a thunderclap and the genie declared, “your wish has been granted. But then the genie continued, “You know, most people would have asked for wealth or fame. But you only wanted the love of your brother. Is that because you are dying?”

“No way!” the man answered. “But my brother is dying and he’s worth about \$60 million.”

## September Devotion

### Our Lady of Sorrows



Devotions are manifestations of our profound love of God, rooted in worship and service to his Holy Name. As Catholics, it is our readiness to give honor and glory to God, whether in public or private prayer, or by performing some act of God’s will, that exercises our own spirituality. Through prayer, our devotions reaffirm our total commitment to our Lord, Jesus

Christ. Since the 16th century, the Church has assigned special devotions to each month of the year based off the Liturgical Calendar.

The month of September is dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows, celebrated on September 15. It commemorates the profound union of heart that existed between the Mother of the Redeemer and the Savior. The imagery of Mary’s heart being pierced by swords comes from Simeon’s prophecy at the Presentation. “Behold, this child is destined for the fall and rise of many in Israel, and to be a sign that will be contradicted. And you yourself a sword will pierce so that the thoughts of many hearts may be revealed.” (*Luke 2:34-35*) Seven swords are depicted, representing the seven sorrows Our Lady suffered.

- I. The prophecy of Simeon
- II. The flight into Egypt
- III. Loss of the Child Jesus for three days
- IV. Mary meets Jesus on His way to Calvary
- V. Crucifixion and Death of Jesus
- VI. The body of Jesus taken from the Cross
- VII. The burial of Jesus

In the 14th century, Our Lady of Sorrows appeared to St. Bridget of Sweden and revealed the Rosary of Seven Sorrows to her. The chaplet gained popularity in modern times following the Marian apparitions to three young girls shortly before the Rwandan genocide in 1994. Our Lady of Kibeho, as she is now known, asked the girls to reintroduce this special rosary to the world.

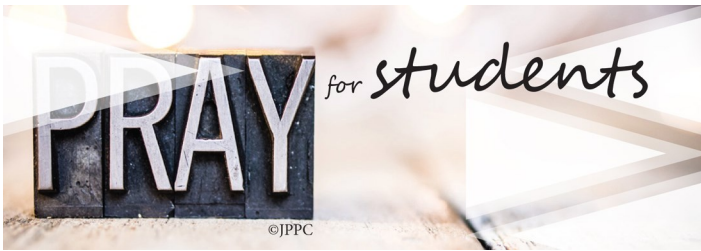
#### How to pray the Chaplet of Our Lady of Sorrows

Meditate on each sorrow, and pray 1 Our Father and 7 Hail Mary’s. For the full prayers, visit:

<https://hallow.com/blog/7-sorrows/>



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◆ For updates on Parish news and/or announcements, please visit our website at:

<https://shchartsdale.com>

◆ For daily readings you can also visit United States Conference of Catholic Bishops at:

<http://www.usccb.org>

◆ For online giving, please go to: **WeShare** at

<https://shchartsdale.churchgiving.com/>

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Col 1:24-2:3 | Ps 62:6-7, 9 | Lk 6:6-11

**Tuesday:** Col 2:6-15 | Ps 145:1b-2, 8-9, 10-11 | Lk 6:12-19

**Wednesday:** Col 3:1-11 | Ps 145:2-3, 10-11, 12-13ab | Lk 6:20-26

**Thursday:** Nm 21:4b-9 | Ps 78:1bc-2, 34-35, 36-37, 38 | Phil 2:6-11 | Jn 3:13-17

**Friday:** 1 Tm 1:1-2, 12-14 | Ps 16:1b-2a and 5, 7-8, 11 | Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

**Saturday:** 1 Tm 1:15-17 | Ps 113:1b-2, 3-4, 5 and 6-7 | Lk 6:43-49

**Sunday:** Sir 27:30-28:7 | Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-12 | Rom 14:7-9 | Mt 18:21-35



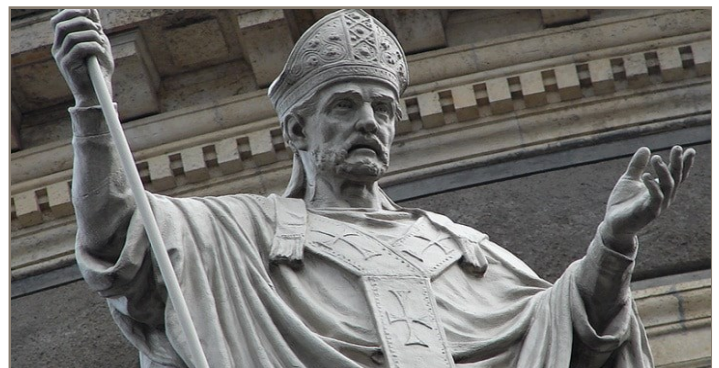
### The Exaltation of the Holy Cross September 14

In 320AD Emperor Constantine's mother, Saint Helena, razed the temple of Venus which had been built over the tomb of Jesus. She reclaimed it in the name of Christ and erected a basilica and shrine, the Martyrium and Calvarium, in its place.

Beneath the former temple, she found three crosses. To test their veracity as a holy relic, they touched each to a dying woman. When she was immediately healed, they knew which of the three was the True Cross.

The holy site housed the Cross for veneration until 614, when the structures were destroyed and the Cross was carried off by the Persians. After 15 years, Emperor Heraclius was able to retrieve it. He intended to carry it back to Jerusalem himself. However, he was unable to carry it until he took off his imperial garb and proceeded forth barefoot.

In 1149 the crusaders built the Church of the Holy Sepulcher on the site and the feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross was added to the Liturgical calendar to commemorate its dedication. The entrance antiphon for the Feast of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross is: "We should glory in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, for he is our salvation, our life and our resurrection: through him we are saved and made free."



### Saint John Chrysostom September 13

Saint John was given the title Chrysostom, meaning "golden-mouthed." This was due to his passionate and moving sermons. The Bishop of Constantinople's words were piercing and he often spoke out against hypocrisy and over-indulgence within the Church. He deposed many bishops who attained their positions through bribery. His sermons emphasized the need for the wealthy to share with the poor and needy. This gained him many enemies in high places, including the archbishop of Alexandria and the Roman Empress. However, he would not be bullied and continued to be a stalwart defender of the true faith. Let us pray to this outspoken and courageous saint, that we may also stand firm and with bold confidence in the face of adversity.