

# **SACRED HEART CATHOLIC CHURCH AND SCHOOL AND SAINT GERARD MISSION**



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## **A Redemptorist Parish Since 1926**

### **Redemptorists**

#### **Serving our Parish:**

*Fr. John F. Murray, C.Ss.R.*  
*Fr. Edward Gray, C.Ss.R.*  
*Fr. Francis Nelson, C.Ss.R.*  
*Fr. George Rosario, C.Ss.R.*  
*Deacon Darrell Cevalco, C.Ss.R.*

### **Permanent Deacons**

#### **Serving Sacred Heart Parish:**

*Deacon Tom Murray,*  
*St. Gerard's Community*  
*Deacon Steve Cooley,*  
*Sacred Heart Community*

### **Sacred Heart Masses:**

*Saturday Vigil: 4:00pm*  
*Sunday: 7, 9 & 11:30am*  
*Weekdays: 7 & 11am*  
*Saturdays: 7:00am*  
*Holy Day Vigil: 7:00pm*  
*Holy Day: 7:00 & 11:00am*  
**Rosary:** Mon.- Fri. at 10:30am  
Mon.-Sat after 7 am Mass

### **Reconciliation:**

*Saturday 3:00—3:45 pm*  
*Thursday before 1<sup>st</sup> Fri. 4—5 pm*

### **Adoration of Blessed Sacrament**

*Friday 7:30am -4:00 pm*

### **Divine Mercy Devotions Fri.4:00 pm**

### **St. Gerard Mission Masses:**

*Saturday Vigil: 4:30pm*  
*Sunday: 10:00am*  
*Wednesdays: 9:00am*  
*Holy Days: 9:00am*  
*Rosary, Divine Mercy Chaplet  
and Marian Prayer*  
*Priest Prayers: Mondays -9:30am*

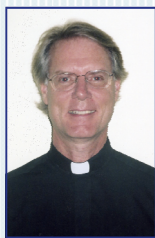
*Reconciliation half hr. before Mass*

### **Sacred Heart School:**

*Principal: Mrs. Leigh Svajko*  
*Phone: 386-428-4732*



September 14, 2014



Dear friends,

**T**his month we are having our parish audit, and as promised, a financial and ministerial summary will soon be distributed to everyone. As I was preparing for the parish audit, I was happy to see that the financial situation in our parish has stabilized and continues to get brighter. This is due to your response to the call to stewardship.

As you can see from the "snapshot" of our financial situation below, our weekly offertory has increased and our weekly expenses have decreased. We are now in a healthier financial position, so we can begin looking at other expenses, such as, church repairs and maintenance. It is only because of your generosity and kindness that we can now turn our attention to our parish church. This is so important, because this is the sacred place of our prayer and worship.

- ❖ *This is where we come every week as a community to celebrate the mysteries of our salvation, the Eucharist.*
- ❖ *This is the Lord's home, this is where he waits for us day and night, calling out, "I am here for you, I love you, bring me your cares and your worries!"*
- ❖ *This is where the Lord becomes flesh and blood nourishing those who hunger and thirst for food the world cannot provide.*

Thank you for your commitment and the sacrifices you continue to make for God and your parish community. I pray for your continued stewardship, we have so much to do in our parish communities of Sacred Heart and St. Gerard.

Whatever extra you do, whether it is helping out in one of the gardens, or serving in a ministry, or increasing your offertory donation, or praying an extra rosary a day, my heart is truly grateful as I witness your stewardship. God bless you always,

*Fr. John F. Murray C.S.R.*

Your brother in Christ, Father Murray

#### PARISH FINANCIAL SNAP SHOT

##### Fiscal Year 2013

Average Weekly Offertory  
**\$ 9,650.20**

##### Fiscal Year 2013

Weekly Payroll Expense  
**\$6,461.10**  
\*Weekly Operating Expense  
**\$ 9,031.10**  
Total Weekly Expense  
**\$15,492.20**

##### Fiscal Year 2014

Average Weekly Offertory  
**\*\*\$12,652.90**

##### Fiscal Year 2014

Weekly Payroll Expense  
**\$5,609.90**  
Weekly Operating Expense  
**\$7957.90**  
Total Weekly Expense  
**\$13,567.80**

*\*Weekly Operating Expenses includes among other things; utilities, maintenance, insurance, parish ministries and programs, parish office expenses, diocesan assessment*

*\*\*Additional sources of parish revenue such as bingo, donations for flowers, bread, wine, and sanctuary candle, and various fundraising activities, have helped offset weekly parish costs*

*Also, this Fiscal Year, the school did not require a financial subsidy from the parish, this was additional savings to the parish (\$50 - \$75,000)*

#### Stewardship

**"God has given us two hands - one to receive with and the other to give with. We are not cisterns made for hoarding; we are channels made for sharing."** - Billy Graham

#### GOD'S PLAN FOR GIVING Week of Sept. 7, 2014

Stewardship Income Last Week	\$12,201.73
Priest Retirement & Priest Care	\$1,240.00
Online Giving Last Week:	\$256.00
Total Offertory Income Last Week:	\$13,441.73
Income Same Week Last Year	\$8,443.00
2nd Collection:	\$1,779.00
Total Offertory Same Week Last Year:	\$10,213.00
Total Stewardship Income Increase:	\$3,228.73
Attendance Last Week:	760
Attendance Same Week Last Year:	863

Next Special Collection: **Today Sept. 13-14**  
Sister Diocese San Juan de la Maguana,  
Dominican Republic  
Guest Speaker Today at 4 & 4:30 masses  
will be Jane Lane.  
Guest Speaker Today at 7, 9, 10 & 11:30  
masses will be Dick Aldinger

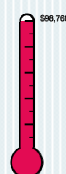
#### Our Catholic Appeal - 2014

Thank you for your generosity.

Sacred Heart Community

Total Registered Households **937**

Target	Pledged Amount	Paid to Date
<b>\$98,768.00</b>	<b>\$88,075.00</b>	<b>\$71,878.16</b>







## Saint of the Week

### St. Januarius,

September 19 (died 305?)

"A dark mass that half fills a hermetically sealed four-inch glass container, and is preserved in a double reliquary in the Naples cathedral as the blood of St. January, liquefies 18 times during the year. This phenomenon goes back to the 14th century. Tradition connects it with a certain Eusebia, who had allegedly collected the blood after the martyrdom. The ceremony accompanying the liquefaction is performed by holding the reliquary close to the altar on which is located what is believed to be the martyr's head. While the people pray, often tumultuously, the priest turns the reliquary up and down in the full sight of the onlookers until the liquefaction takes place. Various experiments have been applied, but the phenomenon eludes natural explanation. There are, however, similar miraculous claims made for the blood of John the Baptist, Stephen, Pantaleon, Patricia, Nicholas of Tolentino and Aloysius Gonzaga—nearly all in the neighborhood of Naples" (Catholic Encyclopedia).

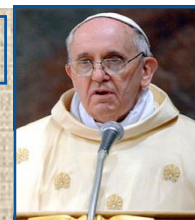
### Did You Know??

There are three classes of sacred relics. The first-class is a part of the saint's body. (It is this type which is placed in an altar stone.) The second-class is a piece of the saint's clothing or something used by the saint, while the third-class is an object which has been touched to a first-class relic.

Isn't the veneration of relics optional for Catholics? Must the Catholic faithful really esteem the bodies of the saints? Once and for all, the Council of Trent (16th century) responded to the claims of the reformers that both the veneration of the saints and their relics is contrary to Sacred Scripture. The Council taught: "*Also the holy bodies of the holy martyrs and of the others who dwell with Christ . . . are to be honored by the faithful.*"

There are several scriptural passages that support the veneration of relics. For example, the Israelites took Joseph's bones when they departed Egypt (Ex. 13:19). The bones of Elisha came in contact with a dead person who then was raised to life (2 Kings 13:21). The same Elisha took the mantle of Elijah and fashioned a miracle with it (2 Kings 2:13). The Christians of Ephesus, by using handkerchiefs and cloths touched to St. Paul's skin, effected the healing of the sick (Acts 19:12).

## The Pope's Corner



### "Love Your Enemies!"

- Pope Francis

**In his homily at Thursday morning Mass in the chapel of the Santa Marta residence at the Vatican, Pope Francis said *that loving one's enemies is the model of Christian life.*"**

Reflecting on the Gospel reading from St. Luke (6:27-38), in which the Lord tells his disciples, "*Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who mistreat you,*" the Holy Father said that this is a model of Christian life – of unconditional love in action.

"Do good," he said, "*lend without hoping to have back what you have lent – [act] without interest, and your reward will be great.*" Pope Francis also recognized that this new way of the Gospel is one by which it is often difficult to live: "*But Father' [one might say], 'I don't feel like behaving that way'. 'Well', [one might reply], 'if you don't feel like it, that's your problem, but that's the Christian way.'*" This is that way that Jesus teaches us. "*And what can I hope?*" [one might ask]. *Go on Jesus' way, which is the way of mercy. Be merciful as your father is merciful. Only with a merciful heart can we do all that, which the Lord counsels us to do – all the way. The Christian life is not a navel-gazing one. It is a life in which one gets out of oneself in order to give oneself to others. It is a gift, it is love – and love does not turn in on itself, it is not selfish, but self-giving.*" (Vatican Radio)

## WHY DID THE WORD BECOME FLESH?

The Word became flesh for us in order to save us by reconciling us with God, who "*loved us and sent his Son to be the expiation for our sins*": "the Father has sent his Son as the Savior of the world", and "*he was revealed to take away sins*": (Catechism of the Catholic Church)

### Reflection on Today's Gospel

#### Jesus links his victory on the cross with Moses act of deliverance

Jesus clearly links Moses' act of deliverance in the wilderness with his impending sacrificial death when he is "lifted up" on the wood of the cross at Calvary. Unlike Moses' deliverance in the wilderness which only resulted in temporary relief for the people, Jesus' atoning death on the cross brought decisive victory over sin, Satan, and death. Jesus' victory on the cross cancels the debt of our sin, and releases us from guilt and condemnation. His death and victory brings us new life - the new abundant life in his Holy Spirit which lasts forever. Jesus' victory on the cross also brought about his glorious bodily resurrection to new unending life and to his ascension to the right hand of the Father in heaven where he now rules and intercedes for us. The result of Jesus "*being lifted up on the cross,*" and his rising and exaltation to the Father's right hand in heaven, is our "*new birth in the Spirit*" and adoption as sons and daughters of God. God not only has redeemed us from sin in Christ, he also fills us with his own divine life through the gift of his Spirit that we might share in his own glory.



*We, the Eucharistic communities of Sacred Heart and St. Gerard, being faithful to the Mission of the Church as expressed by the Redemptorist way of life, seek and invite others into an ever deepening relationship with Jesus and with one another. Seeking to build up the Kingdom of God, empowered by the Holy Spirit, nourished by the Sacraments and Prayer, we commit to reaching out to everyone through evangelization, especially to those most in need.*

**Mission Statement**

## Organ Recital

**Sunday, September 21, 2014,  
3:00pm at Sacred Heart Catholic Church**

Don Roy, organist and Director of Music for Sacred Heart Catholic Church New Smyrna Beach, will present a recital of organ, piano and Choral music, Sunday afternoon Sept. 21 at 3:00pm. He will be performing the music of Bach, Buxtehude, Stanford, Mozart and others. Don has had a successful 20 year career in church music as a choral director, organist and published composer yet he suffers from severe birth defects. You can see an example of his music by going to handicapped organist on YouTube. *This recital is a testimony of God's grace and power of the human spirit.*



### Registration for Religious Education

**September 14 after the 9:00 am &  
11:30 am mass in the Social Hall**

#### Catechetical Sunday

**on September 21, Blessing of Catechists  
and teachers at the 9:00am Mass.**

**1st Day of Religious Education is September 21  
from 10:15am till 11:30 am**

**We will begin Children's Liturgy on September 28st  
at the 9:00 am Mass**

Dear parish family

I would like to welcome back all students and any new students this year. I hope everyone had a great summer. Coffee and donuts (breakfast) are being served after the 9:00am mass.

We are getting ready for a new year of **Religious Education**. Registration will be on September 14 after the 9:00 am and 11:30 am mass in the social hall. Our 1st day of class is September 21, 2014 10:15-11:30 children liturgy will begin on Sunday September 28, 2014. I hope to see everyone.

God bless,  
Agustina Conroy, Religious Education Coordinator (386) 423-1939 Home or (386) 428-6426

### Small Faith Communities

#### Information Night on Small Faith Communities

There are currently many small faith communities active at Sacred Heart and St. Gerard's. Are you currently in a small faith community and wondering what the next step is? Are you part of a group of people who would like to start a small faith community but don't know how? Are you an individual interested in the small community concept but don't know if it is right for you? All parishioners and their friends are invited to an information night on **Tuesday, September 23, 2014** from 6:30-8:30pm in the Social Hall. Valeta Orlando, Manager of Adult Ministry for the Diocese of Orlando will give a presentation on best practices and available resources for small faith communities. This is also a time for established small group members to share their experiences with each other and with those still trying to decide whether or not to become involved. There is no registration, no charge, and no one will pressure you to sign-up! Come explore an exciting and different way to be Church.



### Inspirational Movie of the Month IS BACK - Sept 16 - Presenting

LAMBERT WILSON MICHAEL LONSDALE  
**OF GODS AND MEN**  
A FILM BY XAVIER BEAUVOIS

◆ **When - September 16,**  
**immediately following O.L.P.H. Novena**  
**after 11:00 Mass**

◆ **Where - The Knight's Hall**  
**New Sony Surround Sound Movie Theater**

*September's movie dedicated in loving memory of Eva Goetz,  
a beloved parishioner and a faithful Movie of the Month attendee - R.I.P.  
Refreshments Served*

### Traveling Mother of Divine Mercy Ministry

The ministry's aim is to bring people closer to God by having the statue of the Blessed Virgin Mary and the picture of the Divine Mercy visit their homes. We visited the family of Charlie and Amy Clattenburg in Edgewater last Saturday and we all prayed the rosary and the Divine Mercy Chaplet together with the members of the family and their guests. The family will continue this during their ongoing time with the Statue. When the images are picked up we pray together again and then move on to the next home that will be visited. We currently have four statues going to families for visits.

To reach out to more parishioners, the **Traveling Mother of Divine Mercy Prayer Ministry** has extended its services to St. Gerard Mission, and will be headed by Jean Chavaree and Bonnie Sicbaldi. The current Ministry at Sacred Heart Church is headed by Esper Radosta and Mary Carlson. *For more information please contact Esper Radosta at 386-848-1787 or Mary at 386-689-9122*



**O.L.P.H. Jr. Legion of Mary**  
celebrated our blessed mother's birthday by attending the annual picnic celebration with Legionaries from across our diocese held in Orlando. **Meetings on Wednesdays in the Social Hall @ 3.00PM**





National Blue Ribbon NHS Blessing last Friday and School Mass.



## SACRED HEART CATHOLIC SCHOOL

### Blessing and School Mass on September 10, 2014.



### Sacred Heart Rummage Sale

**October 4th, 8:00am-2:00pm**

2 Days to Drop Off Donations

Oct. 2, 12:00-5:00pm and Oct. 3, 8:00am-5pm

**50/50 Bake Sale Silent Auction**

***This is a great fundraiser for  
SACRED HEART SCHOOL.***

**We need everyone's help!!**

Please take this time to clean out all your closets, cabinets, rooms and your garage. Bring in your gently used items. Please let us know in advance for large item and we will try to arrange pick-ups. Call the Parish Office at (386) 428-6426



### Religious Articles Store

Is Open in the Knights Hall after Masses with traditional Catholic religious goods and gifts, rosaries, scapulars, holy cards, crucifixes, catholic books, medals, pictures, statues and much more! Come and browse and let us know if you have any ideas how we can improve our new store. ***Please take a few moments to come in and see our beautiful and much larger Religious Articles Store.***





## Blessing of the Animals

Friday, Oct. 3, 2014 after  
11:00 Mass

Bring your pet

Blessing will occur at

Fr. Browne Prayer Garden



## Las Vegas Night

Sat., October 18,  
Sacred Heart Social Hall  
5:00pm UNTIL 10:00pm  
Games will open at 6:00PM

- \* 6 Black Jack Tables
- \* 4 Texas Hold'Em Tables
- \* 6 Stud Poker Tables
- \* 2 Big Wheels
- \* Roll the Dice Game
- \* Horse Racing
- \* Sic Bo, Left/Right/Center
- \* Roulette

**YOUR \$10 ticket gives you  
\$1,00 IN Play Money**

At the end of the evening you can  
trade your winnings  
for raffle tickets to use toward prizes.

Buy your tickets at St. Gerard in the  
Gathering Place after Mass starting Sept.  
27-28th and October 4th, 11 and 12th.

Sacred Heart Church tickets available  
Church Office Mon. through Fri.  
Sept. 22nd to Oct. 12 from 10:00am-2:00pm.

Tickets will be available at the door on  
October 18th.

Autoimmune Disease Support Group  
of New Smyrna Beach  
For

those who  
suffer from  
Autoimmune  
Disease,  
their families and  
friends.

Saturday,  
Sept. 20th / 2:00pm

Knights Hall

GUEST SPEAKER:

Cathy Harris,  
A.P., LAC

Acupuncture &  
Alternative Healthcare

Please attend this  
informative meeting.



SACRED HEART CHURCH

**VOLUNTEERS ARE NEEDED!!**

**To Help Call ELLA At 428-6426**

Doors open at 5pm-6:30 EARLY BIRD GAMES 7:00pm  
Call the Parish Office - 428-6426 for more info.

### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS CORPORATE COMMUNION MASS

Next weekend, Sept. 21st, at the 9:00am Mass, the Knights of Columbus from the Fr. Downey Council will join us. They are present with their family members at every 9:00am Mass on the 3rd Sunday of the month. If you are interested in becoming a Knight, please call Fran McGrath - 386-314-6480



**Breakfast after  
9:00am Mass Today-  
Come for Fellowship!**

Scrambled Eggs.....	\$1.00
Sausage Gravy.....	\$.75
1 Biscuits.....	\$0.25
2 Pork Sausage Patty .....	\$1.00
<b>NEW</b> 8 ounces of Corn Beef Hash .....	\$1.00
Coffee, Donuts, Waffles & Juice	<i>Donations requested</i>

### BUY A MEMORIAL BRICK

If you would like to buy a brick, please stop by the office to fill out a form or pick one up from the rear of the church and return it to the office when you get a chance. We will send you a confirmation of your order with the request information included. The next deadline for ordering engraved bricks is this Fall/Spring.

Thank you, Fr. Murray

### WE NEED USHERS!!

Male or Female, (16 yrs or above) we need you at the 4:00pm and 11:30am Mass! Stop by the parish office or call: Fran McGrath, 314-6480



Please consider selecting a week to make an offering of \$15.00 for The Sanctuary Light to burn for the week as a reminder of the Lord's Presence in the Most Holy Eucharist in Thanksgiving for a Loved One.



Please consider selecting a week to make an offering of \$25.00 for altar bread and altar wine. What a wonderful way to remember a love one! During the week, and at all the weekend Masses, as the bread & wine become the Body & Blood of Jesus Christ, the entire worshipping community will be aware of your intention.



Please consider selecting a week to make an offering of \$50.00 for flowers. Your generosity will help defray the cost to the parish, and our **Worship Space** will be greatly enhanced.

Please stop by the office to make your donation.

## Mass Intentions and Events

### SATURDAY VIGIL, September 13

4:00pm † John Deal / Jerry & Dody Sapp  
EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS, Sept 14

7:00am † Cathryn Scofield  
/ Mike & Susan Swortwood  
9:00am Intentions of All Parishioners  
11:30 † Nicanor Jamillarin  
/ Daughter, Esper Radosta

### MONDAY, September 15

Our Lady of Sorrows;  
24th Week in Ordinary Time  
7:00am † The Most Abandoned Souls in  
Purgatory / Dave & Jan Nixon  
11:00am † Richard Clifford  
/ Heasley Family

### TUESDAY, September 16

Ss. Cornelius & Cyprian  
7:00am † Anthony Liss  
/ Mr & Mrs Edward Schneegas

11:00am† Kenneth R. Lisk  
/ Mother, Mary Madorma

### WEDNESDAY, September 17

St. Robert Bellarmine  
7:00am † Shirley Pisegna  
/ Lori & Frank Oliveto  
11:00am † Agnes Walter / Gardening  
Angels of Sacred Heart Parish

### THURSDAY, September 18

7:00am † Richard Kraus / Friend  
11:00am † Eileen Stoup  
/ Frank & Corine Koehler

### FRIDAY, September 19

St. Januarius  
7:00am Intentions of Bob Aucker  
11:00am † Evelyn Kellogg / Husband, John  
SATURDAY, September 20  
Ss. Andrew Kim Toe-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang &  
Comp; Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00am † Vincent Jankiewix Jr. / Family  
4:00pm † Marie Mauzer / Loretta Mauzer

### 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, Sept 21

Catechetical Sunday  
7:00am † Irene Kujawa / Daughter, Terri  
9:00am † Ashley Tarantino  
/ Tony & Dolores Korec  
11:30 Intentions of All Parishioners

## Events Calendar

### Saturday, September 13

### Exultation of the Holy Cross, September 14

9:00-11:30am Religious Education Sign-up

10:00 Breakfast in the Social Hall

### Monday, September 15

7:30-10:00am Grandparents' Day with PreK

6:30pm Bingo

6:30pm Knights of Columbus / Knights Hall

### Tuesday, September 16

9:00am Senior Exercise begins September 15

9:00am Legion of Mary / Social Hall

11:30am Movie of the Month / Knights Hall

6:30pm St. Vincent de Paul / Social Hall

### Wednesday, September 17

12:00pm Council of Catholic Women Meeting

3:00pm Jr. Legion of Mary / Social Hall

7:00pm Bible Study / Social Hall

### Thursday, September 18

9:00am Senior Exercise / Social Hall

### Friday, September 19

7:30-5pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

4:45pm Benediction

4:00pm Divine Mercy Chaplet

### Saturday, September 20

2:00pm Autoimmune Support Group

meeting / Knights Hall

### 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, September 21

Catechetical Sunday

## Readings of the Week

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Monday: 1 Cor 11:17-26, 33; Ps  
40:7-10, 17 or Ps 31:2-6, 15-16, 20;  
Jn 19:25-27 or Lk 2:33-35

Tuesday: 1 Cor 12:12-14, 27-31a;  
Ps 100:1-5; Lk 7:11-17

Wednesday: 1 Cor 12:31 — 13:13; Ps  
33:2-5, 12, 22; Lk 7:31-35

Thursday: 1 Cor 15:1-11; Ps 118:1b-  
2, 16ab-17, 28; Lk 7:36-50

Friday: 1 Cor 15:12-20;  
Ps 17:1bcd, 6-8b, 15; Lk 8:1-3

Saturday: 1 Cor 15:35-37, 42-49;  
Ps 56:10c-14; Lk 8:4-15

Sunday: Is 55:6-9; Ps 145:2-3, 8-  
9, 17-18; Phil 1:20c-24, 27a;  
Mt 20:1-16a Phil 1:20c-24, 27a;  
Mt 20:1-16a



*The Altar Bread and Wine for this  
week have been  
In Memory of  
Jim & Mark Kirby*



*The Sanctuary Light is a Reminder of  
the Lord's Presence In the Most Holy  
Eucharist and will Burn  
in Honor of Joe Losch  
Requested by Wed. Bible Study Group*



## Message from the Parish Finance Council

In the next few weeks, the Parish  
Finance Council will provide its  
**Annual Financial Report** to the parish.



## Please Pray For Our Deceased

Gerry Limoges † Shirely E. Lynn †  
Dolores Sheon Moweks † Agnes Walter  
*And Our Sick*

Norman L. Kaiser, Jane Sherry, Don Mann, Barbara Newschafer, Karen

Uyttewaal, Christine Popolizio, Henry Dreher, Dorothy Konitsky, Andrew Chonko, Ricky Glant, Ann Baslee, Christa Morgan, Tess Lee, Anthony Costanza Jr., James Adkins, Mary Mandell, Gloria Dougherty, Mary & Ed Wilson, Linda Garrito, Cheryl Hoppe, Abby Flanigan, Jim & Peg Willison, Mary Smela, Michael Swortwood, Peter Burhard, James Speyers, C. J. Allen, Amanda Tomazin, Annabella Story, Paula Ross, Agnes Walter, Dolly Visconti, George Goodwin, Tom Vienna, Don Mann, Paula Rice Nemchek, Sandy Szuka, Buddy Norton, Michelle E., Dee Morton, Judy Ribeiro, Frances Rolander, Dorothy Rickman, John Selzer, Andrew Brophy, James Leby, June Urbanski, Cathy Losch, Jeanne Gayson, Donna Cunningham, Patricia Hinds Lindsay Carr, Frank McGrath, Shelsey Polito, Tammy and Pam, Jeanne Meehan, Patrick Finnich, Gina Scott, Bobby Norton, Clarine & Gene Slayton, Bert Lindley, Steve Lamb, Angela Espy, Jean Chavaree, John McGann, Doris & Jim Fabyan, Lisa Ponichtera, Chris Hodgkins, Ronin Assiante, Zachary Troxell, Tom Lorenzen, Al Amalfitano, Bennie Ligeri, Bob Douglas, Irene Connell, Tom Schneider, James Elliott, Rose Marie Ross, Christine Beck, Mary McKey, Frank Berube, Marie Berger, Trish Kinshella, Rita Westberry, Mary Seney, Patricia Goodwin, Christine Beck, Mary Ellen Banks, Estella Harelik, Rita Sweeney, Denise Tranfaglia, Jim & Dorothy Russ, Monica Valentino, Bobbi Montesano, Gary Warren, Lamont Lange, Sowsan George, Angela Hinkel, Taylor Oldham, John Sisbarro, Mary Mandell, Madalena Vitrano, Thomas Sellers, Jr., Deborah Wallin, Julia Gertsch, Lisa Hanson, Mary Alford, Lil Lustig, Tony Talovchik, John Kilsheimer, Darlene Moncheno, Doris Magrich, Linda Gett, Rosemarie Brandriff, Edward Forte, Jeffrey Melleseca, Maggie Labrosse, Mark Swanson, Sr. Michaelyn, Curtis Dunlap Kristie Bishop Longacre, Kenny Tomaszewski, Laura Santos & Joclynn, Linda Barringer, Linda Muessig, John Waters, Bob Morton, Joe Morton, Ulo Uibopuu. Please call the parish office to have someone's name placed on the prayer list. We publish the names of the sick for three weeks in the parish bulletin. After three weeks of publication the names will be placed on the Redemptorist Chapel Prayer List.



## And Our Military

Father, We could never thank our military men and women enough for their courageous service and sacrifice to our country and its people. Show us ways in our communities, churches, and families to thank and love them better. Keep and protect these heroes and their families, in the powerful name of Jesus we pray. Amen

SFC Daniel M. Carr, *Army*, A1C Ashley T. Cooke, *Air Force*, A1C Corey Harrell, *Air Force*, PFC Patrick H. Smith, *Marines*, MSgt. James D. Eaton, *USMC*, Matthew Stallings, *Air Force*, 1st Lt. Sean Knight, *Army*, Chris McFall, *Military*, Lt. Gen. Robert L. Caslen, Jr., Capt. Jeffry Caslen, Lt. Col. Michael Arnold, *Army*, Corey Harrell, *Air Force*, Bryan Hollender, *Air Force*, Josh Obertanze, *Army*, Maj. John J. Goodwin, *Army-retired*, Patrick H. Smith, *Marine*, Sgt. Nathan Benischek, *Marines*, Joseph Keegan, *Air Force*, Sgt. Timothy Dean, *Marines*, SGT John O'Brien, *Army*, Lt. Catherine O'Brien, *Army*, SPC Christopher O'Brien, *Army*, Capt. James Prial, *Marines*, Lt. Terence Prial, *Army*, Lt. Daniel Prial, *Army*, LC Damian A. Pardy, *Marine*, SSG Justin Nixon, *Army*, Major Peter Stambersky, SFC Marlene Harshman, *Army*, M.Sgt. Michelle Young, *Air Force*, Capt. Chris Loschiavo, *Army*, AFC Warren Lanier, Sgt. Timothy Ingoldsby, Major Shannon Stambersky, Lt. Conor O'Donnell, *Navy*, Lt. Marguerite DeHaven, *Navy Pilot*, Lt.JG. Rory O'Donnell, *Navy*, Lt. Brian O'Donnell, *Navy*, Sgt. FC Dominic Rymarczyk, *Army*, Capt. Chris Loschiavo, *Army*, Nick Staats, *Marine*, Jake Cash, *Army*.

To add active-duty family members to the prayer list, please call 428-6426.



## SACRED HEART PARISH OFFICE CHURCH AND SCHOOL:

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## LITURGICAL MINISTRIES:

Altar Servers, Sylvia McCormick ..... 424-9922  
Eucharistic Ministers & Readers, Dody Sapp... 428-6344  
Music/Choirs, Parish Director, Don Roy ..... 428-6426  
Ushers, Fran McGrath ..... 314-6480

## SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION:

Baptismal Instruction, Augustina Conroy ..... 423-1939  
First Communion & Confirmation ..... 428-6426  
RCIA-Inquiry ..... 428-6426

## PRAYER MINISTRIES:

Cursillo, Joe & Cathy Losch ..... 423-3604  
Elijah Cup-Vocation Prayers ..... 428-6426  
Legion of Mary, Ann Baslee ..... 957-4647  
Junior Legion of Mary, Geeta Hyjek ..... 427-7855  
Prayer Line, Eileen Neri ..... 427-5780  
Respect Life, Carol Hummel ..... 427-8456  
Traveling Mother of Divine Mercy Prayer Group

**STUDY GROUPS:** Esper Radosta 386-848-1787  
"Why Catholic" Sacred Heart, Geeta-Hyjek ..... 427-7855  
Bible Study Evening, Dina Giordano ..... 428-6426  
Bible Study Morning, Martha Grimes ..... 427-1259

## OFFICE OF FAITH FORMATION: 428-6426

First Reconciliation, First Communion &  
Confirmation, Maria Bilodeau ..... 428-6426  
High School Youth Ministry, Ivy Wick ..... 428-6426  
Religious Education, Augustina Conroy ..... 428-6426  
Young Adult Ministry, Fr. Murray ..... 428-6426  
Vocations Ministry, Fr. Murray ..... 428-6426

## PARISH OUTREACH:

Bereavement Ministry, Marna Ward ..... 428-0951  
Coffee & Donuts, Gisela & Art Klobucar ..... 322-0882  
Habitat for Humanity, Bob Perry ..... 426-0393  
Community Lunch Program, Jeanne Gayson ..... 428-2584  
Society of St. Vincent de Paul, Jim Bourne ..... 426-0882  
Ministers to the Sick, Loretta Wells ..... 402-4816  
Parish Nurse, Dianne Barr ..... 428-7005  
Prayer Shawl Ministry, Helen Prentiss ..... 427-5432  
Stewardship Committee, Lou Bartos ..... 423-5323  
Welcoming Ministry, Fran McGrath ..... 314-6480  
Social & Events Ministry, Luz Rodriguez ..... 689-0573

## PARISH MEN & WOMEN

### ORGANIZATIONS:

Council of Catholic Women, Barbara Grimm .. 402-8665  
Knights of Columbus, Fr. Downey Council,  
Sacred Heart, Grand Knight Fran McGrath ..... 314-6480

## PARISH MAINTENANCE MINISTRY:

Gardening Angels & Dream Team -  
Catherine Krzeminski ..... 428-6426

**MUSIC:** Parish Director, Don Roy ..... 428-6426  
St. Gerard's, Darryl Greeley ..... 428-6426  
and Ellen Graf ..... 345-0097

## RELIGIOUS ARTICLE STORE:

Call the Parish Office for Inquiries ..... 428-6426



## Note from Pastoral Council:

Please remember, we are eager to hear any comments you have related to our parish.  
Please place our comments in the suggestion box in the church vestibule.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM:

Parents & Godparents are required to attend a  
Sacramental Preparation Class.

Please call the Parish Office at 428-6426 to register.

## SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE:

Couples wanting to be married at Sacred Heart Parish  
must be registered and practicing members of this  
parish. An appointment must be made with one of the  
parish priests at least 6 months in advance of the  
wedding. The Diocese of Orlando requires a marriage  
preparation program for all couples.

## SACRAMENT OF PENANCE / RECONCILIATION:

At Sacred Heart Church the Sacrament of Reconciliation is available every  
Saturday afternoon from 3:00 to 3:45pm and on the Thursday before First Friday  
from 4:00 to 5:00pm or by appointment at 428-6426.

At Saint Gerard Mission confessions are heard a half-hour before Mass

## ANOINTING of the SICK:

If you have a loved one who would like to receive the Anointing of the Sick please  
call the parish office, 428-6426.

Or for an Emergency Sick Call, please call 428-9899.

## COMMUNION for Shut-Ins:

Call the Parish Office- 428-6426 to arrange a Friday visit.

## MINISTRY to the SICK/Homebound:

If there is anyone at home who cannot get to Mass to celebrate the Sacraments  
because of illness or age, please call the parish office, 428-6426



Every Tuesday of the year, at Sacred Heart Parish, we hold a  
Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help. Since Sacred Heart  
Parish is in the care of the Redemptorist Fathers, devotion to  
Our Lady is very much a part of our parish life. The  
Redemptorists Rule of Life as written by St. Alphonsus requires  
that Redemptorists have an extraordinary love and devotion to  
our Blessed Lady and to promote this devotion to all in their care.

**Each Tuesday, after the 11:00am Mass and the 7:00pm Service  
we have Novena Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help.**

Come and be strengthened and blessed by Our Lady.

*"Never was it known that anyone who fled to her for protection,  
or sought her intercession was left unaided. St. Bernard*

**Divine Mercy Chaplet  
Fridays, at 4:00pm  
Followed by Benediction  
Accompanied by Music & Song**

**Followed by Benediction of the  
Blessed Sacrament**





## Collections

### Our Offertory for Sept. 7, 2014

Weekly Church Offering:	\$3,549.00
Online Offering:	\$260.00
Total Offering:	\$3,809.00
Offering Same Week Last Year:	\$2,967.00
Total Increase	\$842.00
Attendance	300
Attendance Same Last Year	368

Next Special Collection: *Today* Sept. 13-14  
Sister Diocese San Juan de la Maguana,  
Dominican Republic  
Guest Speaker Today at 4 & 4:30 masses  
will be Jane Lane.  
Guest Speaker Today at 7, 9, 10 & 11:30  
masses will be Dick Aldinger

## Mass Intentions

**SATURDAY VIGIL MASS, Sept 13**  
4:30pm † Eileen Stoup / Arlene Clay  
**Exultation of the Holy Cross, Sept 14**  
10:00am † Amedio & Anna Matrigali  
/ Elaine Matrigali  
**Wednesday, September 17**  
*St. Robert Bellarmine*  
9:00am † Catherine Triosi  
/ Felice & Grace Albanese  
**SATURDAY VIGIL MASS, Sept 20**  
4:30pm † Angelina Rufrano  
/ Rose Marie Rufrano  
**25th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Sept 21**  
10:00am † Arthur & Emily Poole  
/ Daughter, Joyce Pazman

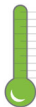
## St. Gerard Events Calendar

**Week of September 15-September 21**  
**Monday, Sept 15**  
9:30 am Rosary (Marian Movement of  
Priests) & Divine Mercy Chaplet  
**Tuesday, Sept 16**  
6:30 pm St. Vincent de Paul Society  
meeting at Sacred Heart  
**Wednesday, Sept 17**  
9:00 am Daily Mass  
**Thursday, Sept 18**  
6:30 pm  
**Friday, Sept 19**  
4:00 pm Cursillo Grouping  
**Saturday, Sept 20**  
2:45 pm Saturday Choir - Practice  
4:00 pm Reconciliation  
4:00 pm Benediction and Rosary  
4:30 pm Vigil Mass  
**Sunday, Sept 21**  
8:30 am Sunday Choir - Practice  
9:30 am Reconciliation  
9:30 am Benediction and Rosary  
10:00 am Mass

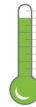
## Our Catholic Appeal - 2014

Thank you for your generosity. **St. Gerard Mission Church**  
Total Registered Households 382

**Target**  
**\$26,131.00**



**Pledged Amount**  
**\$23,749.00**



**Paid to Date**  
**\$20,639.35**



## ST. VINCENT DE PAUL MEETING AT SACRED HEART

A St. Vincent de Paul general meeting will be held on  
Tuesday, September 16 at 6:30 pm at Sacred Heart. All  
parishioners of Sacred Heart and St. Gerard's are welcome to  
attend.

To assist some members who reside in Edgewater and cannot make it  
to the Sacred Heart meetings once a month, carpools are being  
established. If you can offer rides or need a ride, please contact Mary  
Kish at 402-8217.



Pull for the  
House.



Many Hearts. One Home.

### Fr. Dillon Council #13989 Knights of Columbus

**Report on Pop Tab Contest by  
John Gawdun, Deputy Grand Knight**

I'm pleased to report the contest among  
schools throughout central Florida for  
collecting **POP TABS** during the 2013 –  
2014 collection year was very successful.

**The participating schools, which Sacred Heart is one,  
collected a total of 16,385 lbs  
of POP TABS generating nearly \$10,000.**

It has been reported that over 1,800 families stay at one of the (2) Ronald  
McDonald houses in Orlando each year. And because of having to turn  
away some families because of a lack of space, a 3<sup>rd</sup> Ronald McDonald  
house is in the engineering stages right now and is expected to open early  
spring 2016. Orlando becomes the 6<sup>th</sup> city in the country to have (3) or  
more Ronald McDonald houses for families to come to.

The hospitals presently covered by a Ronald McDonald house is Florida  
Hospital for Children, Arnold Palmer Medical Center and the new one will  
be at Nemours Children Hospital, all in the Orlando area.

**COLLECT AND BRING US YOUR TABS!  
THEY MAKE A HUGE DIFFERENCE!**

**"Pop Tab-ulations"** 80 tabs = 1 ounce 1,280 tabs = 1 pound  
1 pound of Pop Tabs returns \$0.60\*

\*approximate value; actual value changes on a daily basis



**Begging at the Door  
Saturday and Sunday  
September 20 & 21**

Jesus working through us in our community



## What is a Small Church Community (SCC)?

A Small Church Community is a small group of 8-15 adults who gather regularly to connect their faith with everyday life. The early Christians gathered in small groups, most frequently in a home. That experience allowed a deep sharing of faith and life. Today, SCCs facilitate that sharing in the presence of trusted friends. Relationships are formed in which sharing, listening, and genuine communication are nurtured. The sharing of faith leads to action on behalf of others.



## Why do Small Church Communities Exist?

To meet and socialize with other parishioners as well as for **MUTUAL SUPPORT** during one's life journey.

For **LEARNING** to help take a more intelligent look at their faith and the world around them.

For **FAITH SHARING** and the connections between Scripture and church teaching and discernment of gospel responses appropriate to the concrete situations of life.

For **PRAYER**, recognizing the centrality of God's active presence in each member's life and in the life of the community.

For **ACTION**, working for compassion, justice, reconciliation and peace within the group, in the family, in the workplace and in the neighborhood.

The purpose of Small Church Communities is to help the participants make strong connections between their faith and their everyday life.

(Information courtesy of Good Shepherd Catholic Community Website / Colleyville, Texas)

**Prayerfully consider getting involved this fall. Contact Tom & Phyllis Murray via phone 428-4510 or email to [ptmury@cfl.rr.com](mailto:ptmury@cfl.rr.com).**



**Dan Stoup  
giving his best  
to the Lord**

## ST. GERARD MINISTRIES:

### LITURGICAL MINISTRIES

Altar Servers	Chase Barry	345-0308
Altar Ministry	Annie McDevitt	427-4604
Eucharistic Ministers	Jan Ford	427-9934
Readers/Commentators	Kathy Ackerson	427-2464
Music/Choirs	Darryl Greeley	428-6426
Ushers	Felice Albanese	427-6682

### PRAYER MINISTRIES

Rosary ( <i>Marian Movement of Priests</i> ) and Chaplet of Divine Mercy	Grace Albanese	427-6682
Cursillo	Beth Burns	427-9138

### STUDY GROUPS

Small Church Communities	Tom Murray	428-4510
Library Ministry	Jacqy Gawdun	386-689-1922

### OUTREACH MINISTRIES

Welcome Ministry	Marge Cyr	428-0025
Bereavement Ministry	Call SH Office	428-6426
Society of St. Vincent de Paul	Jim Bourne	426-0882
Knights of Columbus	Terry Cassidy (Fr. Dillon Council)	402-8127

Prayer Shawl Ministry	Helen Prentiss	427-5432
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### SERVICE MINISTRIES

Maids of Martha	Dan Stoup	423-0863
Maintenance	Bob Burns	386-690-2904



## Las Vegas Night Prizes Needed

**On Saturday,  
October 18,**

**the St. Vincent de Paul Society  
will be hosting the**

**2nd Las Vegas Night Fundraiser.**

**We are in need of gift certificates or  
donations to use as prizes.**

**If you have a business, or  
know of a business who would be willing  
to provide us with a gift certificate  
please contact Roberta Lambert**

**t 386-428-3225 or**

**E-mail [rlambert23@cfl.rr.com](mailto:rlambert23@cfl.rr.com).**

**Thank you for your help and  
God Bless You**



### Note from Leadership Committee:

Please take the time to leave us your ideas and suggestions. We prayerfully consider each item and implement what we can. A Suggestion box is located in the foyer for your input. *Thank you for giving us the opportunity to serve.*



**PRAYER SEMINAR  
FOR THE HEALING OF FAMILIES**



¿Are there behavior patterns that are repeated in your family such as violence, verbal, emotional or physical abuse, divorce, alcoholism, drug addiction, rejection, abandonment, poverty and lack, division, enmity? Stubborn problems you have prayed for and don't seem to go away?

¿Would you like to break the generational chain of sickness, disease or behavior patterns that bring conflict, division and problems in your family?

¿Would like to stand in the gap and pray for the healing of your family?

Come and give your family the most beautiful gift you could offer them!

Jesus wants you to know the truth, show you the way and give you the abundant life that only He can give you and your family.

Based on Father Joseph Ssemakula's, Healing of Families Seminar

**Saturday September 20, 2014**

**9:00 - 5:30 PM (beginning with mass at 9:00 AM at the church) Bring your lunch**

**Basilica of St Paul. 317 Mullally Street, Daytona Beach, FL. Fireplace Room**

**Married couples-  
Do you need a tune-up  
for your marriage?**

**WWME**

Please consider an award winning weekend. The next Diocese of Orlando Weekend will be held in **Orlando on Oct 24th@7:30pm and ends Oct 26@330pm**. For more information or to register call John/Jeanny Busacca@407-529-8782 or wwme.org. Deadline Oct. 13th.