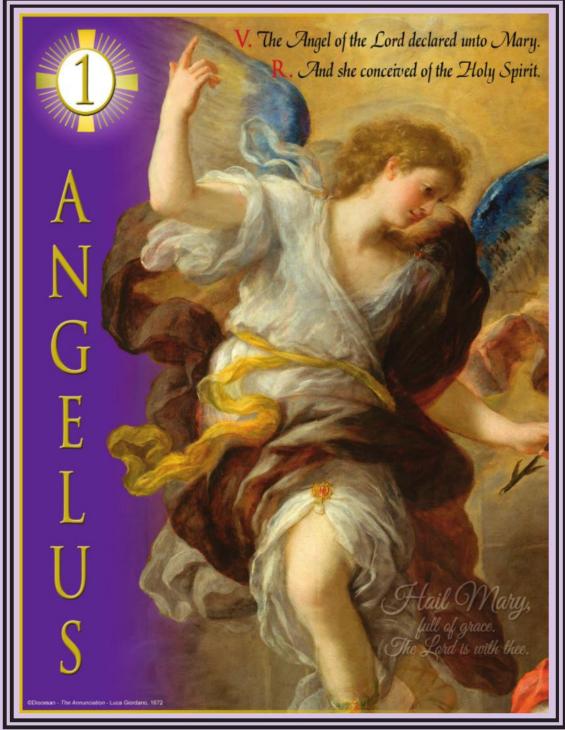


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November 27, 2022

Welcome to Sacred Heart Catholic Church & St. Gerard Mission Church

We are delighted to welcome everyone who has come to share a Eucharistic meal with us today. Whether you are a family member, a friend, a familiar face, or a visitor, know that your presence enlivens our Eucharistic celebration and our community. We are glad you are here.

The Redemptorist Community of Sacred Heart Church & St. Gerard Mission Redemptorists Serving our Parish.

Fr. John Tizio C.Ss.R., Pastor

Fr. Jim McCabe, C.Ss.R., Fr. Aldrin Nunes, C.Ss.R., Fr. Kevin MacDonald, C.Ss.R., Missionary

Permanent Deacons: Deacon Lou Bartos Deacon Stephen Gross

Sacred Heart Masses	Mass Intentions			
Saturday Vigil4:00pm	Saturday, November 26			
Sunday:8:00 & 10:30am	4:00pm +	William Etts	by Etts Family	
Weekdays: Mom—Fri—8:00am only		Sunday, November	er 27	
Holy Day Vigil:7:00pm Holy Day: Please check with the Parish	8:00am +	Margie Allen	by Pat & Craig Adams	
Office and Bulletin for varying schedule	10:30am +		by Sherman Family	
Reconciliation3:00—3:45pm		Monday, Novem		
Or contact parish office to schedule an	8:00am +	Elaine Genest	by Yerrid & Peters Families	
appointment for reconciliation.	<u>Tuesday</u> , <u>November 29</u>			
Sacred Heart Catholic School	8:00am +	Cody Redmond	by Phyllis Cunniffe	
1003 Turnbull Street	Wednesday, November, 30			
New Smyrna Beach, Fl. 32168	8:00am +	Fred Studer	by Grandson Rick	
Pre-Kindergarten thru 8th Grade Principal: Mrs. Elizabeth Labreche		Thursday Dannel	0	
Phone: (386) 428-4732	7.0	Thursday, Decem		
Fax: (386) 428-4087	8:00am +	Todd Martin	by Mom & Dad	
Website: www.shseagles.org	3.0	<u>Friday, Decembe</u>	<u>er 2</u>	
St. Gerard Mission Church	8:00am +	Patricia Huff	by Family	
3171 S. Ridgewood Ave.,		<u>Saturday, Deceml</u>	ber 3	
Edgewater, FL 32141 All administration is at	4:00pm	Catholic Women's Association		
Sacred Heart Parish Office		Sunday, December	er 4	
St. Gerard Mission Masses	8:00am +	Elaine, Katie, Darcy Lamanna	by Connor Family	
Saturday Vigil:No MASS	10:30am +	Grace Albanese	by Gaetano Castricato	
Sunday: 10:00am	Cross indicates the person is deceased.			
Reconciliation9:15—9:45am	No cross the person is alive.			

Reflection

The prophet Isaiah spoke of the Day when the Lord would judge between the nations and establish peace over the earth. In that day the righteous - all peoples who believed in Him and who listened to His teaching and instruction - would come to His holy mountain and house to worship Him and dwell with Him in everlasting peace (Isaiah 2:3-5). The Advent season reminds us that we are living in the time between the first coming and second coming of the Lord Jesus.

The Lord Jesus calls us to be alert and watchful for His coming. He comes to us each and every day and He knocks on the door of our heart and home. Do you listen for His voice and welcome Him into your life? Let His word in the Scriptures and the work of the Holy Spirit who dwells in you draw you to a deeper faith, hope, and yearning for His kingdom of righteousness, peace, and joy. Those who wait upon the Lord today and listen to His word will not be disappointed. The Lord will come and bring you to His banquet table to feast with Him.

Lord Jesus, you have captured my heart for you. Make me strong in faith, steadfast in hope, and generous in love that I may seek to please you in all things and bring you glory and praise. Keep me ever watchful for the coming of Your Kingdom today and every day of my life.

Readings for the Week of

November 27, 2022

First Sunday of Advent Sunday

Is 2:1-5; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9; Rom

13:11-14; Mt 24:37-44

Is 4:2-6; Ps 122:1-2, 3-4b, 4cd-5, 6-7, 8-9; Monday

Mt 8:5-11

Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Lk 10:21-**Tuesday**

Wednesday Feast of Saint Andrew, Apostle

Rom 10:9-18; Ps 19:8, 9, 10, 11; Mt 4:18-22

Is 26:1-6; Ps 118:1 & 8-9, 19-21, 25-27a; Mt Thursday

Friday Is 29:17-24; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Mt 9:27-31 Memorial of Saint Francis Xavier, Saturday

Is 30:19-21, 23-26; Ps 147:1-2, 3-4, 5-6; Mt

9:35-10:1, 5a, 6-8

Second Sunday of Advent Sunday

Is 11:1-10; Ps 72:1-2, 7-8, 12-13, 17; Rom 15:4

-9; Mt 3:1-12

Diocesan Special Collection December 11, 2022

The Retirement Fund for Religious

Provides funding to any religious institute in the U.S. that is listed in the religious institute section of the OCD with an identifying OCD number, and that has an unfunded past service liability. It distributes direct care, planning and implementation assistance from the fund to religious institutes based on a formula and criteria approved by the conferences of major superiors and bishops.

Sacred Heart—Weekly Offering

Due to the Holiday

Weekly totals for November 20st & 27th will be posted in the December 4th Bulletin

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Our parish goal for 2022 Our Catholic Appeal

Sacred Heart is \$81,784.00

Paid to Date - \$68,948.82 Balance \$12,835.18



November 26 Saturday,

Adoration/Church 9-3pm

4:00pm Mass Sunday, November 27

8:ooam Mass 10:30am Mass

November 28 Monday, 8:oooam Mass

6:oopm BUNGO November 29 Tuesday, 8:ooam Mass

9:ooam Sr. Exercise / Social Hall Legion of Mary / Fr. Burke Hall 9:00am Mat Ministry / Social Hall o:ooam

Wednesday, November 30

Mass 8:00am **SHS MASS** 10:00am

Wed Eve Bible Study/Fr. Burke Hall 7:00pm

Events Calendar

Religious Article

Store

open after all

weekend Masses

Thursday, December 1 Mass 8:ooam

9:00am Sr. Exercise / Social Hall RCIA / Fr. Burke Hall 7:00pm

Mass

December 2 Friday, 8:ooam Mass December 3 Saturday, 9-3pm Adoration/Church

4:00pm Mass Sunday, December 4 8:00am Mass



10:30am

HELP WANTED

Part-time Music Director/ Organist/Pianist position is open at Sacred Heart Church,

a vibrant Catholic Community located in beautiful New Smyrna Beach, Fl. This position will require approximately 15 hours/week, with total wages of approximately \$32,000./year. For more information please contact Sacred Heart Church Office at

> 386-428-6426. Resumes may be sent to Rev. John Tizio, C.SsR., Pastor, jtizio@sacredheartnsb.com New Smyrna Beach, FLA. 32168



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Pastor's Corner

Dear Parishioners,

The Advent Argument...it's the yearly debate about Advent, and it goes something like this: The first person began, "Why do we start to celebrate Christmas so early? The decorations are up in early November; the carols begin before Thanksgiving; the tree goes up now. No wonder we're sick of Christmas by December 26th!" Another will chime-in, "Yeah, remember fifty years ago when we were kids? The tree would not go up until Christmas Eve; carols would never be heard till real close to Christmas; there were some added days of fast and abstinence during Advent; even Christmas Eve was a day of penance! Wasn't that better? We so looked forward to Christmas because we waited!"



But – – as the *Annual Advent Argument* continues – – the next person observed, "There's nothing we can do about it! Society begins the Christmas season before Thanksgiving and ends it on December 25. The Church starts preparing for Christmas during Advent – – purple vestments, no Gloria said or sung, advent wreathes, no carols or decorations in church – – then begins the Christmas season with Mass on Christmas Eve, and ends it on the Epiphany. The Church is out of it and will just have to change."

What to do? Well, we can't put the toothpaste back in the tube, as much as we might be nostalgic for a very serious Advent. So, on the one hand, I guess we'll have to make some peace with our culture's way-too-early celebration of Christmas.

But we can hardly forget about Advent altogether! Spiritually, it's part of our Catholic heritage and tradition. Even from a human point of view, we'll enjoy Christmas a lot more if we wait. As the old saying goes, "pleasure delayed is pleasure enjoyed." We haven't "lost" Advent.

Look on the bright side; okay, we admit that society – – including ourselves – – start celebrating Christmas way too soon, usually forgetting about Advent preparation. But at least we can thank God that such noble sentiments abound this time of the year: friendship, generosity, family unity, rallying for the poor and hungry, attention to babies and children, gift-giving, happy memories, goodwill. I'll take that anytime of the year! However, wherever, whenever you do it . . . please do Advent! It's too significant to forget! Christmas will be a lot happier if we prepare and wait. Happy Advent!

God Bless Us All Fr. John

Email: frtizio@gmail.com

Pastors Pun: Where do sheep get their haircuts?

At the baa baa shop.

MINISTRIES IN ACTION!



A large **THANK YOU** goes out to all those who came out for our Bingo Bash on Saturday, November 11th. This event was a huge success and many thanks to all of our volunteers who worked very hard to make this happen.

Our next bash will be in February 2023. See you all then. Don't forget we will be starting Thursday afternoon Bingo on January 5th. Games start at 12:00pm and doors open at 10:30am. Call the parish office for more info 386-428-6426.









SACRED HEART MINISTRIES UPCOMING EVENTS



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SACRED HEART SCHOOL NEWS

Stories of Leadership around Sacred Heart

Mrs. Halsema's 7th grade Social Justice Project is truly 'work of human hands.' Grade 7 students are making fleece throws and blankets for foster children/youth in our local area.

Thank you Mrs. Halsema for leading your Homeroom Class in preparing these fleece blankets with an addition of making dog chew toy from recycled T-shirts.

"Truly I tell you, whatever you did for one of the least of these brothers and sisters of mine, you did for me." -

Matthew 25:40





Saint Gerard Mission

3171 S Ridgewood Ave, Edgewater, FL 32141

Mass Schedule— Sunday - 10:00am - Only



MASS INTENTION

by John & Jacqy

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Sunday, November 27 10:00am Bill & Ann Savola & son Bill

December 4

Richard Paganelli by Wife Joan 10:00am

> St. Gerard Events Calendar November 27, 2022—December 4, 2022

MONDAY—FRIDAY

Sunday,

10am—2pm SVdP Operations Open M-F till 2:00pm

Small Church Community 1:00pm

November 29 Tuesday, Rosary & Prayers 11:00am Wednesday, November 30

The Chosen (in the Gathering Place) 6:oopm

Thursday, December 1

St. Gerard/Sacred Heart Choir Practice 3:00pm

December 2 Friday,

Small Church Community 10:00am

Sunday, December 4

Confessions & Rosary 9:30am

Mass—2nd Sunday of Advent 10:00am

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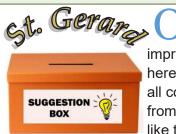
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St. Gerard is \$18,273.00 Paid to Date - \$21,288.00

Balance over goal - \$3,015.00





ur efforts to grow and improve our faith community here at St Gerard, we welcome all constructive suggestions from parishioners. If you would like to offer any ideas for

improvements, please put them in writing and place in the suggestion box located in the main foyer.



St. Gerard Bulletin Board Face Lift!

The St. Gerard Bulletin Board was in desperate need of help. A creative, organized and colorful face lift has been achieved thanks to time and creative talents by Anne Swift of SG Leadership Team and Mary Ann Oliver of SG Arts and Environment. You can now easily identify and view items of interest with the tastefully designed columns that differentiates information according to category.

With this new design, we respectfully request that if you have information you would like displayed, place a request in the Suggestions Box or speak with either Anne Swift or Mary Ann Oliver. They will insure it is placed properly.

St. Gerard Ministry Corner

Contact the following for details on how you can begin serving God at St. Gerard's today

	Altar Servers	Annie McDevitt	386-795-5833		
	Eucharistic Ministers	Jan Ford	386-690-7623		
	Lectors/Commentators	Kathy Ackerson	386-478-9171		
	Music Ministry	Ellen Graf	386-689-7828		
	Ushers/Greeters	Felice Albanese	386-427-6682		
	Hospitality Ministry	Freida Butt	386-427-2635		
		Lynn Jenkins	765-669-4313		
	Maintenance Ministry	Jesse Diaz	386-345-0064		
COMMUNITY OUTREACH					
	St. Vincent de Paul	Melinda Familia	386-426-0882		

St. Vincent de Paul News

ACTS 29 Movement: Living the Gospel Life of Self-Giving in Edgewater.





St. Vincent DePaul would like to give a big shout out to Alliance Church in Edgewater. With their donation of food and turkeys we will



be able to provide Thanksgiving meals for 80 families.



Volunteers at the Society of St. Vincent de Paul in Edgewater work on Saturdays to assist those in need in our community. Thank you for your time and selfless devotion to SVdP, St. Gerard Church, and to our community.

(L-R): Lee Denauw, Ed Grambl, Glenn Strabl Scott Baird



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