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22nd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME—SEPTEMBER 3, 2023

**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. Aldrin Nunes, C.Ss.R., Fr. Charlie Donovan, C.Ss.R.

Sacred Heart Masses

Reconciliation- Sat.....3:00—3:45pm
Saturday Vigil.....4:00pm
Sunday:8:00 & 10:30am
Weekdays:Mon—Fri—8:00am only
Holy Day Vigil:.....7:00pm
Holy Day: Please check with the Parish Office and Bulletin for varying schedules or contact parish office to schedule an appointment for reconciliation.

Sacred Heart Catholic School

1003 Turnbull Street
New Smyrna Beach, FL 32168
Pre-Kindergarten - 8th Grade
Principal: Mrs. Elizabeth Labreche
Phone: (386) 428-4732
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Website: www.shseagles.org

St. Gerard Mission Church

3171 S. Ridgewood Ave.,
Edgewater, FL 32141

**All administration is at
Sacred Heart Parish Office**

St. Gerard Mission Masses

Saturday Vigil: No MASS
Reconciliation-Sun.....9:15—9:45am
Sunday: 10:00am

Mass Intentions

Saturday, September 2

4:00pm Catholic Women's Association

Sunday, September 3

8:00am Patricia Galbreath by Larry & Catherine
10:30am + Mother Theresa's Devotion

Monday, September 4

8:00am + Rene Schroeder by Lori & Frank Oliveto

Tuesday, September 5

8:00am Living & Deceased Members of Legion of Mary

Wednesday, September 6

8:00am + Antolino Ramos by Daughter Beatrice Connell

Thursday, September 7

8:00am + Kathy Orel by Husband

Friday, September 8

8:00am + Abandon Souls in Purgatory by Jan & Dave Nixon

Saturday, September 9

4:00pm + Clara Breault by Family

Sunday, September 10

8:00am + Barbara McNerney by Husband Larry
10:30am Dina Giordano by Wed Evening Bible Study

*Cross indicates the person is deceased.
No cross the person is alive.*

Readings for the Week of September 3, 2023

Sunday	Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Jer 20:7-9; Ps 63:2, 3-4, 5-6, 8-9; Rom 12:1-2; Mt 16:21-27
Monday	1 Thes 4:13-18; Ps 96:1 & 3, 4-5, 11-12, 13; Lk 4:16-30
Tuesday	1 Thes 5:1-6, 9-11; Ps 27:1, 4, 13-14; Lk 4:31-37
Wednesday	Col 1:1-8; Ps 52:10, 11; Lk 4:38-44
Thursday	Col 1:9-14; Ps 98:2-3ab, 3cd-4, 5-6; Lk 5:1-11
Friday	Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary Mi 5:1-4a or Rom 8:28-30; Ps 13:6ab, 6c; Mt 1:1-16, 18-23 or Mt 1:18-23
Saturday	Memorial of Saint Peter Claver, Priest Col 1:21-23; Ps 54:3-4, 6 & 8; Lk 6:1-5
Sunday	Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Ez 33:7-9; Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9; Rom 13:8-10; Mt 18:15-20



**PRAYERS FOR OUR
DECEASED**

**Eternal rest grant
unto them, O Lord,
and let perpetual
light shine upon them.
May the souls of all the
faithful departed, through the
mercy of God, rest in peace.**

Carol Swoyer

Barbara Brown

Loretta Wells

Deborah Studer

Events Calendar		Religious Article Store open after all weekend Masses
Saturday, 4:00pm	September 2 Mass	
Sunday, 8:00am	September 3 Mass	
10:30am	Mass	
Monday, 8:00am	September 4 Mass	
6:00pm	NO BINGO!! / RESUMES SEPT 11TH	
Tuesday, 8:00am	September 5 Mass	
9:00am	Sr. Exercise / Social Hall	
9:00am	Legion of Mary / Fr. Burke Hall	
9:00am	Mat Ministry / Social Hall	
10:00am	SHS MASS	
Wednesday, 8:00am	September 6 Mass	
10:00am	School Mass	
7:00pm	<i>Wed Evening Bible Study</i> / Fr. Burke Hall	
Thursday, 8:00am	September 7 Mass	
9:00am	Sr. Exercise / Social Hall	
7:00pm	RCIA / Fr. Burke Hall	
Friday, 8:00am	September 8 Mass	
Saturday, 4:00pm	September 9 Mass	
Sunday, 8:00am	September 10 Mass	
10:30am	Mass	

Diocesan Special Collection

September 17, 2023

Priest Retirement and Priest Care

This collection supports the needs of our senior diocesan priests (not religious order). The funds are needed to attend to the spiritual, pastoral, and human needs of senior priests by providing opportunities for them to participate in priest gatherings, retreats, convocations, and assist with their growing medical needs. The priesthood is a lifelong gift, and your gift will be a blessing to the senior priests of our diocese.

Sacred Heart Weekly Offering August 27, 2023

Offertory Income Last Week.....\$5,981.00
 Online Giving this Week.....\$937.00
Total Offertory Income.....\$6,918.00
 Attendance.....563



The Parish office will be **CLOSED** Monday, September 4th in observance of Labor Day. Parish office will reopen on Tuesday at 10:00am.

The Redemptorist Community, Parish & School staff wish you a Happy and Blessed Labor Day.

AN INVITATION

Are you or someone you know interested in learning what the Catholic Church believes? If so, you are invited to come to the Class starting **This Thursday Sept 7th at 7:00pm** in the Fr. Burke Hall.

The 1st night will be an introduction and an Inquiry session to the Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults.

We welcome new members into our Catholic Family.

Please call the church office at 386-428-6426



Bereavement Ministry

Our Sacred Heart & St. Gerard

Bereavement Ministry provides a variety of services to the members of our parish who are grieving at the loss of a loved one.

We Need You!

Sacred Heart & St. Gerard

**Please call the Parish Office for more information
(386) 428-6426**



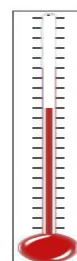
Our parish goal for
2023 Our Catholic Appeal

\$97,841.00

**Sacred Heart Balance
is \$34,781.62**

Paid to Date - \$63,059.38

\$63,059.38





Dear Parishioners

Americans have celebrated Labor Day weekend since 1882. From picnics and parades, to fireworks and barbecues, thousands of people every year take time to relax and recreate. Every working person in the nation knows that Labor Day means a day off from work. But for Christians, celebrating Labor Day should mean much more than honoring the workers of America. It should be a time set aside to assess their priorities, both in the working arena and in their personal lives. Labor Day, with all of its fun and frolic, can be a time that Christians set aside each year to assess where they are with their goals, their priorities and the like. They can look at their personal life and determine if they are staying on track with their personal walk with God, and their overall organization and time management. They can look at their family life and see if they are keeping their priorities in line with God's will, such as their relationships with their spouses, their children and others. And lastly, they can look at their working life and determine if they are following Godly principles when it comes to how they handle their work responsibilities, their relationships with coworkers and employers, and their choice of occupation. And so, just as the secular world sets aside a day every year to honor the accomplishments of the workers of America, so Christians can set aside a day to honor the accomplishments that God has done both through their lives, and in their lives.

Of course, for the Christian, a day of rest began at Creation: *"And on the seventh day God ended His work which He had done, and He rested on the seventh day from all His work which He had done. Then God blessed the seventh day and sanctified it, because in it He rested from all His work."* (Genesis 2:2, 3) This day of rest was of such importance to God, that He established it as part of His law: God created the heavens and the earth, birds of the air and beasts of the field. Every living thing seen today originally was created by God. But the scriptures teach that God does not sleep nor does He need rest, yet He chose to set aside a day to rest from His work. He did so as an example for all of mankind to follow. This day of rest is meant to be a time of refreshing, of looking over accomplishments and either enjoying the results or seeking ways for improvement. God, upon His day of rest, looked over everything He created said it was good. His work was complete. Unfortunately, this is not the case for workers today. There will always be more work to finish. **Happy Labor Day!**

God Bless Us All!
Fr. John
frtizio@gmail.com

Pastor's Pun: Did you hear Apple is designing a new automatic car?
But they're having trouble installing Windows!



Religious Education 2023 – 2024 Register Now!
Classes every Tuesday at Sacred Heart Catholic School
from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm (Drop off starts at 5:30 pm)
CLASSES START - September 19TH

Registration Forms are available at the Church vestibule and Parish Office. For questions, call the Parish Office at 386-428-6426 or contact Maria Bilodeau via email at mbilodeau@sacredheartcatholic.com

TEACHERS / CATECHISTS NEEDED

We are looking for 4-5 catechists to join our team to teach Faith Formation to our parish children.

NO experience needed; just love for kids and our faith.

All materials provided. Classes are every Tuesday from 6:00 pm to 7:00 pm.

SACRED HEART SCHOOL NEWS

S.T.R.E.A.M. with Saints—Mrs. Glynn's second grade class engaged in a STREAM activity while studying our Saint of the Day (August 21) Pope Pius X, patron Saint of First Communicants.

In order to celebrate the life of Italian Saint Pope Pius X, our second graders used Play Dough to make "Patata Zeppole di San Giuseppe." They applied their science, math, and art skills by choosing a color, kneading, measuring, dividing, and creating a cross-shaped product. They also learned how to label and give information such as recording length and weight. We also prayed to St. Pope Pius X to help them prepare for their First Communion.



Our first graders taking a break at recess, after a friendly competition.



Mrs. Walker's middle school Physical Science class is learning properties of matter and is engaged in hands-on experiment.



SACRED HEART MINISTRIES IN ACTION!



The Knights of Columbus will be selling Football Mania Tickets after all the Masses this weekend' **September 2nd and 3rd.**

For a \$20 Donation the recipient will have 18 Chances to Win every Sunday for 18 Weeks of the NFL

Football Season. The Knights appreciate all the support that the Parishioners of Sacred Heart and St. Gerard's have given us and continue to give us.

Thank you and GOD bless!



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NO MONDAY NIGHT BINGO!

LABOR DAY—SEPT 4th

BINGO will resume Monday Sept 11th



DOORS OPEN AT 4:00pm

GAMES START AT 6:00pm



JOIN US FOR LOTS OF FUN & GREAT PRIZES!

OK SENIORS! TIME TO MOVE



Exercise is an important part of everyday senior health and designed to increase muscle strength, range of movement and improve activities for daily living.

A chair is used for seated exercises and standing support and class can be modified depending on your fitness levels.

JOIN US!

Sr. Exercise continues TUES & THURS at 9:00AM in the Parish Social Hall

Call parish office for more Info 428-6426

Saint Gerard Mission

3171 S Ridgewood Ave, Edgewater, FL 32141

Mass Schedule—

Sunday - 10:00am - Only



MASS INTENTION

Sunday, September 3
10:00am + Wife Arlene & by Husband & Father
Sons, Michael & Gregory Dobosz Arthur Dobosz

Sunday, September 10
10:00am + Henry & Ste by Madelyn & Steve
Dardinski Meagher

St. Gerard Events Calendar

September 4, 2023—September 10, 2023

MONDAY—FRIDAY

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

Tuesday, September 5
11:00am Community Prayer Hour- Rosary Divine
Mercy Chaplet

Thursday, September 7
3:00pm Practice St. Gerard & S. Heart Vigil Choir

Friday, September 8
10:00am Small Church Community meets

Sunday, September 10
9:30am Confessions
10:00am 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

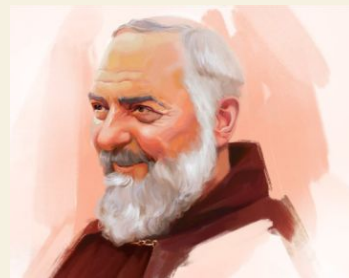
St. Gerard Ministry Corner

Summer is the perfect time to consider getting involved with Ministry at St. Gerard's. 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

“A thousand years of enjoying human glory is not worth even an hour spent sweetly communing with Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament.”

St. Pio of Pietrelcina



small church communities make a BIG difference!

Do you ever wonder, “Why am I not understanding the readings at Mass?” Perhaps you might benefit from the fellowship of a small church community. These groups are 6-8 people who gather each week to discuss the upcoming readings of the week. All participants believe they are growing in a deeper understanding of Jesus’ teaching and find strength by sharing views on scriptures. Establish new friends and grow in your walk with your Lord and Savior.

We currently have two groups meeting at St. Gerard.

Monday at 1:00 pm (begins Sept. 18)
Friday at 10:00 am (currently operating)

Feel free to stop in and you will certainly be welcomed!



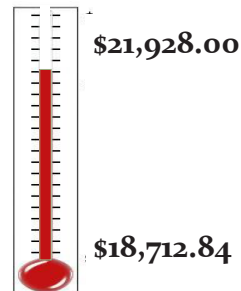
OUR CATHOLIC APPEAL

The Catholic Foundation of Central Florida

Our parish goal for
2023 Our Catholic Appeal

St. Gerard Balance
is \$3,215.16

Paid to Date - \$18,712.84



St. Gerard Weekly

Offering August 27, 2023

Offertory Income Last Week\$1,843.00

Online Giving this Week.....\$127.00

Total Offertory Income.....\$1,970.00

Attendance.....165



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St. Gerard's Memorial Brick Program



This program is being run by the St. Vincent de Paul Conference.

The engraved bricks cost \$50; bricks with a logo cost \$10 more.

Forms with Instructions are available on the bulletin board in the vestibule of St. Gerard's.

**St. Vincent de Paul's Food
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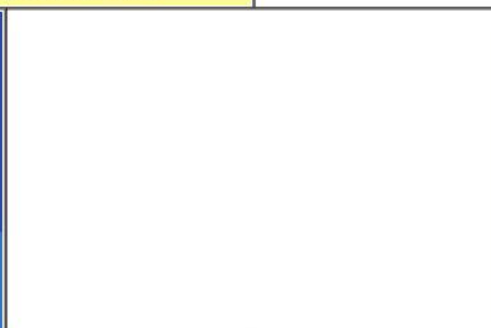
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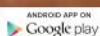
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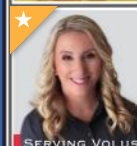
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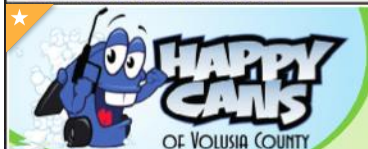
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