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ST. ALPHONSUS LIGUORI



FEAST DAY—AUGUST 1ST

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time—July 27, 2025

**Welcome to the Redemptorist Community of
Sacred Heart Catholic Church and School and St. Gerard Mission**
Redemptorists Serving our Parish Since 1926

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.

Fr. John Tizio C.Ss.R., Pastor Fr. Aldrin Nunes, C.Ss.R., Fr. Charlie Donovan C.Ss.R.
Permanent Deacon Tom Meyer

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 Fax: (386) 428-4087
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

Reconciliation-Sun...9:15am—9:45am
Sunday:.....10:00am

Mass Intentions

Saturday, July 26

4:00pm + Antonette & Michael Oliveto by Lori & Frank Oliveto

Sunday, July 27

8:00am Shannon Gonzalez by Husband & Children
10:30am + Andrew Murphy by Sacred Heart & St. Gerard Choirs

Monday, July 28

8:00am + Geneieve Killion by Mary Batisti

Tuesday, July 29

8:00am + Patricia Bice by Mary Batisti

Wednesday, July 30

8:00am + Steven Dalasadro by Dad, Tina & Anna

Thursday, July 31

8:00am + Retired US Army 1 Sgt. August J. Alombro Jr. by Lisa & Joe Familia

Friday, August 1

8:00am Mark Allen Blatnik by Linda

Saturday, August 2

4:00pm Catholic Women's Association
Sue Miller by Family

Sunday, August 3

8:00am + Norman Slifkin by Diane Hoover
10:30am + Norman Slifkin by Susan Slifkin

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

Readings for the Week of July 27, 2025

Sunday	Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Gn 18:20-32; Ps 138:1-2, 2-3, 6-7, 7-8; Col 2:12-14; Lk 11:1-13
Monday	Ex 32:15-24, 30-34; Ps 106:19-20, 21-22, 23; Mt 13:31-35
Tuesday	Memorial of Saints Martha, Mary and Lazarus Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28; Ps 103:6-7, 8-9, 10-11, 12-13; Jn 11:19-27 or Lk 10:38-42
Wednesday	Ex 34:29-35; Ps 99:5, 6, 7, 9; Mt 13:44-46
Thursday	Memorial of Saint Ignatius of Loyola, Priest Ex 40:16-21, 34-38; Ps 84:3, 4, 5-6a and 8a, 11; Mt 13:47-53
Friday	Memorial of Saint Alphonsus Liguori, Bishop and Doctor of the Church Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37; Ps 81:3-4, 5-6, 10-11ab; Mt 13:54-58
Saturday	Lv 25: 1, 8-17; Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8; Mt 14:1-12
Sunday	Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Eccl 1:2; 2:21-23; Ps 90:3-4, 5-6, 12-13, 14 and 17; Col 3:1-5, 9-11; Lk 12:13-21

Beautify our Sanctuary

As we celebrate Eucharist each week, you are invited to share in the gift to beautify our sanctuary with flowers. Your gift will help to defray the cost of the flowers and purchase them in memory of someone or for a special intention. Those who donate for the altar or Blessed Mother flowers, we will put the name and intention in the bulletin that weekend.



Your donation:

Main Altar Arrangement: \$75
Stop by the office or feel free to call 386-428-6426.

Events Calendar

Saturday,	July 26	Religious Article Store open after all weekend Masses Come check us out Gifts, cards, religious articles, free book library
9am—3pm	Adoration	
11:00am	BINGO BASH	
4:00pm	Mass	
Sunday,	July 27	
8:00am	Mass	
10:30am	Mass	
Monday,	July 28	
8:00am	Mass	
6:00pm	BINGO	
Tuesday,	July 29	
8:00am	Mass	
9:00am	Sr. Exercise / Social Hall	
9:00am	Legion of Mary / Fr. Burke Hall	
9:00am	Mat Ministry / Social Hall	
Wednesday,	July 30	
8:00am	Mass	
7:00pm	Wed Evening Bible Study Resumes -Aug 6th	
Thursday,	July 31	
8:00pm	Mass	
9:00am	Sr. Exercise / Social Hall	
Friday,	August 1	
8:00am	Mass	
Saturday,	August 2	
9am—3pm	Adoration / Chapel	
4:00pm	Vigil Mass	
Sunday,	August 3	
8:00am	Mass	
10:30am	Mass	

CWA will be collecting school supplies for local schools starting this weekend,

July 26th & 27th
&
August 2nd & 3rd



SCHOOL SUPPLIES
Needed

Items needed are backpacks, pens, pencils, paper, crayons, notebooks, markers, rulers.

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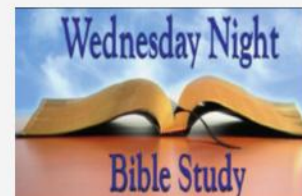
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PROCEEDS TO FUND THE KNIGHTS LOCAL CHARITY WORK
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Wednesday Evening Bible Study
resumes its study of the
Book of Isaiah(ch.10)

on August 6th
at 7:00pm

the Fr. Burke Hall
All are welcome!



Sacred Heart Weekly Offering
July 20, 2025

Offertory Income Last Week.....\$7,020.00
Online Giving this Week.....\$2,924.78
Total Offertory Income.....\$9,944.78
Attendance.....688

CAN YOU HELP?

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY!

We are looking to form a new cooking team that prepares a meal four times a year for the

Community Hot Meals Program and Soup Kitchen in NSB.

If you might be interested please contact **Carol - 419-217-4392**



Dear Parishioners

This week, on August 1st we celebrate the Feast of St. Alphonsus, founder of the Redemptorists. St. Alphonsus also stands near our Our Mother of Perpetual Help on our altar in the sanctuary.

St. Alphonsus Liguori was born in 1696 near Naples, Italy, into a noble and devout family. A brilliant student, he earned a doctorate in law by the age of 16 and began a successful career as a lawyer. However, after a profound spiritual experience, Alphonsus felt called to the priesthood and left his legal career behind.

Ordained in 1726, Alphonsus dedicated himself to preaching and ministering to the poor and marginalized. He founded the Congregation of the Most Holy Redeemer, known as the Redemptorists, in 1732. The Redemptorists focused on missionary work, especially in rural and neglected areas, spreading the Gospel and providing spiritual and material support to those in need.

Alphonsus was a prolific writer producing numerous theological works, devotional writings, and hymns. His most famous work, "The Glories of Mary," reflects his deep Marian devotion. He also wrote extensively on moral theology,

emphasizing the importance of a balanced and compassionate approach to ethical issues.

St. Alphonsus was known for his gentle and pastoral approach to moral teaching, advocating for understanding and mercy rather than strictness and severity. He was declared a Doctor of the Church in 1871 for his significant contributions to theology and spirituality.

Although he was sickly for much of his life, Alphonsus' final years were marked by very serious and debilitating physical ailments, especially arthritis, which caused him great pain and confined him to a wheelchair.

He also was plagued with spiritual afflictions, scrupulously fearing he hadn't done enough to serve the God he loved so much. To help him through these times, his confreres gathered with him to pray. They read to him from his own writings about the glory of Mary and how, as heaven's queen, she welcomed all her true and faithful servants at the hour of their death.

Early in the evening on July 31, 1787, Alphonsus made one final request. "Give me my lady," he whispered. They placed a picture of Mary in his hands. He spent the night praying with the Blessed Mother. The next day at the stroke of the noon Angelus, Alphonsus died at the age of 91.

St. Alphonsus was canonized in 1839 and declared a Doctor of the Church in 1871. He was recognized as a patron of confessors and moral theologians in 1950.

Pope St. John Paul II described Alphonsus as "a close friend of the people . . . a missionary who went in search of the most abandoned souls . . . a founder who wanted a group which would make a radical option in favor of the lowly . . . a Bishop whose house was open to all . . . a writer who focused on what would be of benefit to people."

St. Alphonsus, pray for us and God Bless Us All

Fr. Tizio

Email: frtizio@gmail.com

Saint Alphonsus Ligouri Fun Facts

- + Alphonsus became very popular because of his plain and simple preaching.
- + Graduated with doctorates in civil and canon law at age 16.
- + He learned to ride and fence but was never a good shot because of poor eyesight.
- + Gifted musician, composer and poet.
- + Was noted for suspending priests who celebrated Mass in less than 15 minutes.
- + Sold his episcopal ring to give money to the poor.
- + Patron Saint of Rheumatoid Arthritis.
- + Suffered from scruples much of his adult life and felt guilty about the most minor issues relating to sin.
- + One of 37 Doctors of the Catholic Church recognized for their significant contribution to theology and Doctrine.

Pastor's Pun: Did you hear about the psychiatric chiropractor?

He specializes in attitude adjustments.



"Where are you this summer?"

Summer Vacation

Where is our
alumni family-

Cayden M. and his family - this summer?

How blessed are they to see and attend Mass with Pope Leo! Thank you for sharing your vacation with us!



Incoming 7th grader Olivia W. attended the San Pedro Scripture Camp in Winter Park this past week. She had an amazing experience filled with traditional fun camp activities. She also had daily Bible study, attended Mass and Adoration.

Olivia's participation at San Pedro Spiritual Center's Camp is proof of our support of our diocesan-wide programs. Thank you for attending and sharing your photos.

Enjoy the rest of summer!



Incoming 4th grader Harper G. in Lake Tahoe!



What a beautiful vacation! Thanks for sharing with us where you have traveled this summer!

This summer, incoming 2nd grader Isabella K.



is enjoying a staycation, spending fun days with her siblings and family. She loves going around local stores, looking at toys and books, snacks, and fun things to buy. It's a fun adventure close to home!

Enjoy your summer Isabella.

Mrs. Carin Hoblick is having fun times at Jimmy Lane Surf Camp with grandkids! Great way to spend time bonding on a day filled with sunshine, surfboards, and popsicles! Thank you for sharing your fun summer with us and enjoy making memories with grandkids!



Saint Gerard Mission

3171 S Ridgewood Ave, Edgewater, FL 32141

Mass Schedule—

Sunday - 10:00am



MASS INTENTION

Sunday, July 27
10:00am + Retired US Army 1Sgt by Dianne & Mike
August J. Alombro Jr. Fynmore

Sunday, August 3
10:00am + Retired US Army 1Sgt by Parents Augie
August J. Alombro Jr. Dottie Alombro

St. Gerard Events Calendar

July 28, 2025—August 3, 2025

MONDAY—FRIDAY

10am—2pm **SVDP Operations Open M-F till 1:30pm**

Tuesday, July 29
10:30am Intercessory Prayer Group

Wednesday, July 30
1:00pm Small Church Community Group
6:00pm The Chosen- Season 5

Friday August 1
10:00am Small Church Community Group
1:00pm Nazareth Faith Sharing Discussion
2:00pm Adoration Holy Hour

Sunday, August 3
9:30am Confession & Rosary
10:00am 18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
11:00am Hospitality in the Gathering Place

St. Gerard Weekly Offering

July 20, 2025

Offertory Income Last\$2,896.00
Online Giving this Week.....\$425.00
Total Offertory Income.....\$3,321.00
Attendance.....192



Gluten Free Host

If you require a gluten free host during communion you will need to receive the host from the priest.

AFTER MASS AUGUST 3RD

Meet you in the Gathering Place!

The St. Gerard Hospitality Team invites all to join your fellow parishioners for a light snack and coffee after Mass on August 3rd.

Aloha!



We offer healthy choices, sweet treats, and fresh coffee to share over friendly conversation. **Aloha!**

The Chosen playing at St. Gerard's

SEASON 5
6:00 pm Every Wednesday
in the Gathering Place



St. John Bosco said, “Do you want the Lord to give you many graces? Visit Him often. Do you want Him to give you a few graces? Visit Him rarely. Do you want the devil to attack you?”

Visit Jesus rarely in the Blessed Sacrament. Do you want him to flee from you? Visit Jesus often. Do you want to conquer the devil? Take refuge often at the feet of Jesus. Do you want to be conquered by the devil? Forget about visiting Jesus. My dear ones, the visit to the Blessed

Sacrament is an extremely necessary way to conquer the devil. Therefore, go often to visit Jesus, and the devil will not come out victorious against you.”



ADORATION HOLY HOUR

St. Gerard Church every Friday
2 p.m. – 3 p.m.

- ♦ ♦ Silent meditation using Lectio Divina and the Gospel
- ♦ ♦ Divine Mercy Chaplet
- ♦ ♦ Calming songs and psalms.



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?
WOULD YOU LIKE TO EXPLORE AND LEARN MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

Come, Journey with us. If you know someone who

- ♦♦♦ Was baptized in another denomination but is interested in learning about the Catholic faith.
- ♦♦♦ Has expressed an interest in becoming Catholic.
- ♦♦♦ Has a child over the age of seven who has not been baptized.
- ♦♦♦ Was baptized as a child but has not received the Sacraments of Holy Eucharist or Confirmation.



OCIA Classes begin August 14th at 7:00 p.m. in the Fr. Thomas Burke, C.Ss.R. Hall
 Contact Sacred Heart Church Office at 386-428-6426 for more information.



Volunteers are invaluable to the Religious Education program at Sacred Heart. Volunteering with the children of our parish is a rewarding, joyful experience!

WE NEED YOUR HELP!

Needed: 1. Catechists & assistant Catechists.

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2. Must be a practicing Catholic and must love children.

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