

SACRED HEART OF JESUS ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

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SUNDAY MASSES
Saturday 5:00 P.M.
Sunday 8:00, 9:30, 11:30 A.M.

WEEKDAY MASSES
Monday-Saturday 8:30 A.M.

Holy Days of Obligation
7:00 P.M. (Eve) & 8:30 A.M. (Day)

OFFICE HOURS
Monday-Friday
9:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon
1:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.
Saturday
9:00 A.M. to 12:00 Noon
Sunday—Closed



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Confessions

Saturday 3:30 P.M. to 4:30 P.M.

Rosary and Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Monday - Saturday at 8:00 A.M.

Miraculous Medal Novena &

Veneration of the Relic of St. Catherine Laboure

Mondays after 8:30 A.M. Mass

Exposition & Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

First Friday of the month in honor of The Sacred Heart of Jesus - after the 8:30 A.M. Mass until 10:00 A.M.

Saturday following the First Friday of the month in honor of The Immaculate Heart of Mary - 7:00A.M. to 8:00A.M.

Celebration of Baptism

Third Sunday of each month at 1:00 P.M.

Registration: By appointment; Please contact a Priest or Deacon at the Rectory at least 1 month in advance of the Baptism.

Please bring your child’s Birth Certificate to Registration.

Instruction: Arrangements will be made at the time of Registration.

Celebration of Marriage

Arrangements should be made at the Rectory at least six months in advance, prior to the proposed wedding date. Then log on to

<http://www.bqprecana.org>

for complete information about marriage preparation in the Diocese.

Parish Mission Statement

We, the parishioners of Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, established in 1929,

are blessed with the responsibility to God, ourselves and to others to share our faith through actions, ministries, witness and prayer.

We will love, respect and support each other and our community by being responsive to the needs of our brothers and sisters.

FAITH FORMATION

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

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SATURDAY JANUARY 18
 5:00 p.m. Daniel Paul Duffy

SUNDAY JANUARY 19
 8:00 a.m. Donald Jensis
 9:30 a.m. Lidia Viola
 11:30 a.m. For The People of The Parish AND
 Ethan Maingrette (living B-D); Sofia
 Gugala, Jan Gugala, Fryderyk
 Medrek; Angelo Lavenia

MONDAY JANUARY 20
MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. HOLIDAY
SAINT FABIAN, Pope & Martyr
SAINT SEBASTIAN, Martyr
 8:30 a.m. Eugene J. Lowery

TUESDAY JANUARY 21
SAINT AGNES, Virgin & Martyr
 8:30 a.m. George & Patricia Polesko
 and Family

WEDNESDAY JANUARY 22
 8:30 a.m. DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE
 LEGAL PROTECTION OF
 UNBORN CHILDREN

THURSDAY JANUARY 23
SAINT VINCENT, Deacon & Martyr
SAINT MARIANNE COPE, Virgin
 8:30 a.m. Marie Kossmann (Birthday)

FRIDAY JANUARY 24
SAINT FRANCIS DE SALES
Bishop & Doctor of the Church
 8:30 a.m. Bernhard Erdtmann

SATURDAY JANUARY 25
CONVERSION OF SAINT PAUL, Apostle
 8:30 a.m. Irene Cicconetti
 5:00 p.m. Getrude & Joseph Schauer

MEMORIALS THIS WEEK



The **HOSTS & WINE**
 in loving memory of
EUGENE J. LOWERY
 by His Children Eileen & Craig



FLOWERS for the
BLESSED SACRAMENT ALTAR
 in loving memory of
PATRICIA MARY & GEORGE POLESKO
AND FAMILY



MEMORIAL MASSES

A Memorial Mass will be celebrated for
ANGELA RANNAZZISI
 on Saturday, January 25th at 10:30 a.m.



Rest in Peace

RAYMOND WHITMAN
ROSEANN DI CANDIO

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY: Heb 5:1-10; Mk 2:18-22
 TUESDAY: Heb 6:10-20; Mk 2:23-28
 WEDNESDAY: Heb 7:1-3, 5-17; Mk 3:1-6
 THURSDAY: Heb 7:25—8:6; Mk 3:7-12
 FRIDAY: Heb 8:6-13; Mk 3:13-19
 SATURDAY: Acts 22:3-16; Mk 16:15-18
 SUNDAY: Neh 8:2-4a, 5-6, 8-10; 1 Cor 12:12-30;
 Lk 1:1-4, 4:14-21

SACRED HEART CHURCH
SUNDAY COLLECTION REPORT

January 12, 2025.....\$5,401.00
Give Central.....\$ 995.00

*Everything we have is a gift from God.
 And you share your giftedness with others.
 Thank you!*

Let us pray for all the men and women who are serving in our **Armed Forces** especially: John David Schatzle, US Navy; SGT Jonathan Femenella, US Army; SP4 Cody Nelson, US Army Infantry; Kevin Shaloo, US Air Force; LT Mark Foris, US Navy; LTC Eileen Frances Gillespie, US Army; Capt Jeanmarie Kratzer, US Army; Paul Eric Krische, US Navy; ILTC Keith Nonnenmann, US Navy; Joshua R. Ruiz, US Marine Corp; Cpt. Alex Spiegel, US Army; Cpt. Seamus McCaffrey, US Air Force; Romeo Soria; Robert Soria; Cpt. Zachary Kurre, US Army; Kevin Patrick Mullin, U.S. Navy.

JANUARY 19, 2025—SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Dear Parishioners,



CATHOLIC SCHOOLS of
BROOKLYN and QUEENS
FOUNDATION for LIFE

Next Sunday, January 26th, marks the start of an exciting week in our parish and school academy. At the 9:30 AM Mass we will begin our celebration of Catholic Schools Week (CSW) and both teachers and students will be present along with Mr. C, our school principal, Ms. Victoria Smallwood, assistant principal, school staff, and Academy Board of Directors to pray in thanksgiving for Catholic Education and the wonderful things that happen at Sacred Heart Catholic Academy throughout the year.

Already you can sense a buzz of anticipation and joy as our school community spends time in highlighting this year's Catholic Schools Week. There will be many worthwhile and fun events including Mix-Up Monday, Vocation Day, Teacher Appreciation Day, Bingo and much more!

Without a doubt, a happy school makes for a successful school. For the principal, teachers and staff who enjoy their work as administrators, educators and assistants, for parents who are very involved in the school life with different ideas and programs, for priests in the parish who love coming to the school and are always welcomed in, and to students who work hard and make new friends, this creates a happy and thriving school.

Promoting Gospel and human values in every subject and throughout the school day are some of many good reasons why parents enroll their children in our school. This is made evident in the ways students share and help each other, at their daily prayers, showing respect to teachers and honor to parents/guardians, and a happy smile both at the beginning and end of the day.

For any parents in the parish and neighborhood and others who know of parents looking for a quality education in a Catholic school setting, please consider Sacred Heart Catholic Academy.

There will be an OPEN HOUSE next Sunday, January 26th from 10:30 AM to 12 Noon. Parents and their children are most welcomed to tour the school, meet the teachers and students and share in some of the successes taking place at Sacred Heart Catholic Academy!

You may also wish to visit the attractive school website at www.sacredheartglendale.org for more information. God bless you.

Father Mc Bruin

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

All couples celebrating their 10th, 15th, 20th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th Wedding Anniversary and above in 2025 are invited to the **11:30 AM Mass on Sunday, February 9th.**

Each couple will receive a special blessing and a token of this milestone time in their lives together.

Please call the Rectory Office and register by Tuesday, February 4th.



WORD OF GOD SUNDAY

Next Sunday marks the sixth annual Sunday of the Word of God and the 2025 theme is "The Words I spoke to You are Spirit and Life" (Jn. 6:63). In 2019 Pope Francis began the "Sunday of the Word of God" to promote "the celebration, study and dissemination of the Word of God" which will help the church "experience anew how the Risen Lord opens up for us the treasury of His Word and enables us to proclaim its unfathomable riches before the world."

As we commemorate this "Sunday of the Word of God" let us become more attentive to the many ways God is speaking to us everyday and at every moment of our lives. Particularly through the Scriptures proclaimed at Mass and in our private prayer with the Bible, may we know of God's personal love for us and His call to be true disciples of His Son Jesus.



Sacred Heart Catholic Academy OF GLENDALE

OUR SCHOOL FEATURES:

1:1 TECHNOLOGY

GYM, SPANISH, MUSIC AND ART CLASSES

EARLY CHILDHOOD INDOOR AND OUTDOOR
PLAY SPACES

75" NEW LINE INTERACTIVE FLATSCREENS

3D PRINTER CLUB, ART CLUB, AQUATICS CLUB,
BOOK CLUB, ROAD RUNNERS CLUB AND MORE!

SUMMER CAMP

CYO

REGENTS CLASSES OFFERED

STEM LAB



OPEN HOUSE INFO

Sunday January 26, 2025
Following 9:30 am Mass

- NYC DOE 3K - 4K
- GRADES K-8
- AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT PROGRAM
- EARLY MORNING AND AFTER CARE PROGRAMS
- *FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE AVAILABLE

APPLY HERE:



[SACREDHEARTGLENDALE.ORG](https://www.sacredheartglendale.org)

CALL:

(718) 456-6636

CONTACT:

SECRETARY@SACREDHEARTGLENDALE.ORG

50/50 RAFFLE

How about taking a chance and winning some extra cash? 50/50 Raffle envelopes are available in the vestibule of the church today. Each raffle is \$5.00 and already the drawing has grown over \$175.00. Feel free to drop your envelope into the collection basket or at the Rectory Office. The next drawing will be on Monday, January 27th.

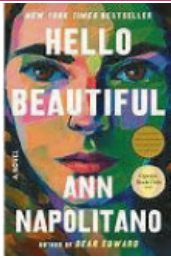
Please support Sacred Heart Parish and Good Luck to all!

GIFT COLLECTION

The St. Gabriel Youth Group is sponsoring a collection of special items to help the young patients at St. Mary's Hospital for Children in Bayside. The children in the hospital are with serious and chronic illnesses and how much our gift collection can make things better for them. A beautiful pink Valentine collection box is in the church vestibule and the children's wish list includes pajamas, onesies (all sizes), socks and underwear, rattles and hand held toys, arts and crafts, kinetic sand, musical or sound books, sensory toys, gift cards, etc.

Donations are being accepted until Monday, February 10th. Thank you for your generous Valentine Day gifts for boys and girls at St. Mary's Hospital for children.

MONTHLY BOOK CLUB



Adults are welcomed to the newly-formed parish Book Club that will meet again on Thursday, January 23rd at 7:00 PM in the Cronin Meeting Room. Those who enjoy reading and sharing are encouraged to read "Hello Beautiful" by Ann Napolitano.

If interested text Trish @ 646-785-7278 and invite other parishioners and friends to join our new Book Club!

CHURCH ENVELOPES

Church envelopes are mailed regularly to all registered parishioners who use the weekly envelopes. If you did not receive the mailing please contact the Rectory Office. If you do not receive envelopes we encourage you to formally register in the parish as active parishioners and help support the parish throughout the year. Lastly, we kindly ask you to mark your offering amount on the front of the envelope each week. Thank you for your cooperation and generosity to Sacred Heart Parish.

SPREAD THE GOOD NEWS

As part of the Church's call to evangelization we invite you to take an extra bulletin to a friend or neighbor in the community who may inquire about Sacred Heart Parish. Also, check in on our elderly and those affected by the weather, illness etc. by making a phone call or visit.

MARCH FOR LIFE PRAYER TO OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE

Our Lady of Guadalupe, we turn to you who are the protectress of unborn children and ask that you intercede for us that we may more firmly resolve to join you in protecting human life.

Let our prayers be united to your motherly intercession on behalf of those whose lives are threatened, be they in the womb of their mother, or the bed of infirmity or in the latter years of their lives.



May our prayers also be coupled with peaceful action which witnesses to goodness and dignity of all human life, so that our firmness of purpose may give courage to those who are fearful and bring light to those who are blinded by sin.

Encourage those who will be involved in the March for Life; help them to walk closely with God and to give voice to the cry of the oppressed, in order to remind our nation of its commitment to life, liberty, and the pursuit of happiness for all people.

O Virgin Mother of God, present our petitions to your Son and ask Him to bless us with abundant life. Amen.



Sacred Heart Catholic Academy held their Kindergarten Information Session this past Tuesday. Parents had an opportunity to learn about our academy, the high academic standards and speak with our faculty and staff. We were extremely pleased with the numerous families that attended the session.

Those who were unable to attend the information session are more than welcome to attend the Catholic Schools Week Open House scheduled for Sunday, January 26th.

After much anticipation, our Class of 2025 received their High School Acceptance notifications. We will share this information shortly.

Looking Ahead

1/20/2025-SHCA Closed in Observance of Martin Luther King Day

1/26 - 31/2025-Catholic Schools Week

Thank you and God Bless,
Mr. C and Mrs. Smallwood

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS
MSGR. SHERMAN COUNCIL #5103

The Knights of Columbus/Msgr. Sherman Council #5103 would like to get a group of parishioners to attend the March For Life in Washington DC, on Friday, January 24, 2025. Depending on Church, price could be Free to \$50 per person.
SEATS GO FAST!!!

Expect to leave at 6am and return at 11pm.

Hope to see you there to show your support for Life.
Contact Grand Knight Sal Laurenzano at 917-612-6231 or Kofc5103@gmail.com



PRESENTATION OF THE GIFTS

If you memorialized a Mass for a loved one or for a special intention, for the 5:00 pm Saturday Vigil Mass, or the 8:00 am, 9:30 am, or 11:30 am Mass on Sunday and wish to present the Gifts at that Mass, please contact the Rectory, no later than Friday prior to the weekend.

We will inform the Ushers of your interest, so that you can work with them to present the gifts during the Offertory of the Mass.

WHITE WELCOME ENVELOPES are located in the church vestibule for those who are new in the parish, for those who would like to receive weekly envelopes and for those who may have forgotten their envelope today. Place the envelope and offering in the collection and thank you for your support.



Sacred Heart Faith Formation students are reminded to continue with their lessons/assessments in their courses. Mid-year progress reports are in the process of being released over the course of this month.

Grade/Level 7 students are reminded to submit their Saint reports to the Faith Formation office before January 31st.

Grade/Level 8 students should have submitted their confirmation prayers and retreat permission forms to the Faith Formation office.

Mark Your Calendars for a special event in February. Join Sacred Heart for a Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experience on February 11th. Our families with children in Grades 3-8 are expected to attend this special evening. More details to follow shortly.

“The Holy Name of Jesus is, first of all, an all-powerful prayer. Our Lord, Himself, solemnly promises, that whatever we ask the Father in His Name, we shall receive. God never fails to keep His Word. Each time we say “Jesus,” it is an act of perfect love, for, we offer to God, the infinite love of Jesus.” -St Alphonsus Liguori, Doctor of the Church

PRAYER PARTNER BOX



Our Parish Prayer Box is located in the vestibule on the right side as you enter the Church. We all have something or know of someone that needs help and through our intercessory prayer, that we can ask God to heal. Please place your written intention slip into the Prayer Partner Box, so that your intention can be prayed for by a Prayer Partner. Details of the Prayer Partner ministry can be found on the flyer above the Prayer Partner Box.

Our Sacred Heart Parish family will grow stronger together in faith and peace by praying for one another's needs.

****Please remember to include only the intention and no names or contact information.****

PARISH EVENTS

MONDAY, January 20th

NO ACTIVITIES

TUESDAY, January 21th

3:00 pm-Variety Show Practice-Church Basement

3:30 pm-Centering Group-Cronin Meeting Room

WEDNESDAY, January 22nd

3:00 pm-Variety Show Practice-Church Basement

THURSDAY, January 23rd

3:00 pm-Variety Show Practice-Church Basement

FRIDAY, JANUARY 24th

3:00 pm-Youth Leadership Planning-CMR

7:30 pm-Boy Scout-Cronin Meeting Room

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25th

10:30 am-Twirlers-Church Basement

DIOCESAN VOCATIONS EVENT

JEREMIAH PROJECT, a High School-College Vocational Discernment Retreat for young men, this Fri., Jan 24th to Sun., Jan. 26th, at St. Joseph's Seminary in Yonkers, NY.

FRATERNITAS, fraternal group for middle school students who are striving to live a model life of good Catholic gentlemen through the discernment of God's will in their lives, meets at Cathedral Preparatory School and Seminary, Elmhurst on Sat. Feb 1st from 1 PM to 5 PM.

For more information on these events speak to Father McBrien, Father Fullum, Deacon Peter or call the Vocation Office at (718) 827-2454 or go to brooklynpriests.org.

HOLIDAY CLOSING

In observance of the national holiday honoring Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., the Rectory Office will be closed this Monday, January 20th. All emergency calls will be answered promptly. Also, there will be one Mass celebrated on Monday at 8:30 AM.

Hospitality Sunday

Hospitality Sunday is an opportunity to meet fellow parishioners, enjoy light refreshments, and have some fun.

Hospitality Sunday is this Sunday, January 19th and is being sponsored by an anonymous donor.

Please join us after all the Mass today.

If you wish to sponsor a Hospitality Sunday, please contact Mike Gorton at 718-386-8017.

**"The time is always right
to do what is right."**

Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.

LADIES GUILD

The Ladies Guild will not meet in the months of January and February. **The next meeting is March 4th.**

BULLETIN ADVERTISERS

We are grateful to those merchants and businesses that support our weekly bulletin by placing an ad. We ask all parishioners to patronize these merchants and anyone is welcomed to take an advertisement by calling the bulletin company at 1-800-477-4574.

2024 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Here is the latest report as of
January 6, 2025

Amount of Goal: **\$63,870.00**

Amount Pledged: **\$81,793.33**

Amount Received: **\$79,568.33**

Number of Donors: **162**

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the diocesan appeal this year. As you can see we have surpassed our assigned goal and collected monies. You are wonderful!

Remember any monies received over the goal are returned to the parish which is a great incentive. Please continue to complete your pledges and all parishioners are encouraged to participate in the Annual Catholic Appeal. You can go to www.catholicfoundationbq.org/annual-catholic-appeal to make a donation.

Thank you for your help and generosity!

THIS WEEK ON **FORMED**

Week of January 19, 2025



Paul the Apostle | The Bible Collection

The church's greatest enemy became Christ's most prolific messenger. Beautifully shot in the Moroccan desert, Paul the Apostle is a sweeping saga of the man who brought the Gospel to the Western world.



Mass

There is infinite grace available in every Mass and confession, but our subjective experience may not reflect this objective reality. We need to switch on. The focus of this episode is unlocking more grace from Mass and confession.



Saint Francis de Sales and the Character of a Christian: Devotion (Part 1 of 4)

In this four-part series, Dr. Ben Akers and Dr. Christopher O. Blum sit down to discuss St. Francis de Sales, his best known work "The Introduction to the Devout Life", and the character of a Christian.

Our parish has a FORMED subscription.
Visit signup.formed.org and select our parish name.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY began yesterday January 18th and concludes on Saturday, January 25th. The theme for this year is “Do You Believe?” The entire passage is John 11:17-27, where Jesus arrives in Bethany and raises Lazarus from the dead. A part of that story is the encounter between Jesus and Martha, at the end of which Martha confesses faith in Jesus as the Messiah and Son of God. May we consider our response to Jesus’ question to Mary.



The Sacred Heart Senior Guild will meet **Thursday, January 23rd at 11:00 a.m. in the Church basement.** Information on the trip to Woodlock Pines will be discussed and deposits will be accepted.

PRAYER SHAWL GROUP

The Prayer Shawl Group will meet on **January 23rd at 2:00 p.m. in the Parish Ministry Office.**

**The Mass Book for
January 1st through June 30, 2025
is now open.**

Please contact the rectory office if you wish to purchase an announced Mass or week long memorial.

Please note:

- All Sunday Masses at 11:30am are “Multiple Intention Masses.”
- The cost of a Mass remains at \$15.00.
- The cost for Bread & Wine, Tabernacle Candle and Altar Candles, and Bells remains at \$30.00 each.
- The cost of Flower Memorials is \$50.

NO PRIVATE INTENTIONS WILL BE TAKEN FOR THE FOLLOWING DAYS: January 22rd, Ash Wednesday, Holy Thursday through Easter Sunday, Mother’s Day, Memorial Day, Father’s Day, Feast of The Sacred Heart AND on the 1st Saturday of each month at 8:30 (Purgatorial Society Members Mass).

COMMUNITY NEWS

WOMEN’S RETREAT at Thomas Berry Place, Jamaica Estates, Fri., Jan. 31st to Sat., Feb. 1st. Sister Marie Mackey CSJ, retreat leader, will speak about “Plug in the Power of God.” Cost \$175.00. To register please call 929-357-6700 no later than January 24th.

WOMEN’S BRUNCH RETREAT on Saturday, February 15th at American Martyrs Parish, Bayside from 9:30 AM to Noon. “A Tambourine of Hope and a Cup of Faith” sponsored by Sr, Ave Clark, OP. Free will offering. For more information please call Sr, Ave at (718) 428-2471.

ST. JOHN’S UNIVERSITY CENTER OF PSYCHOLOGICAL SERVICES is offering evidence-based assessment & therapy services for both children & adults. The center is open Monday to Thursday from 9:00 AM - 8:00 PM & Fridays from 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM. Services are offered on a sliding-fee scale based on income only, no insurances. Please call (718) 990-1900 for information.

SPEECH AND HEARING CENTER will be offering FREE “Hearing Aid Help”, and FREE Speech and Hearing screenings at 152-11 Union Turnpike, Flushing, NY. Please call (718)-990-6480

SCRIPTURE STUDY

Fr. Fullum’s 1/2 hour talks on Scripture take place weekly from 10:45 to 11:15 a.m. following the 9:30 a.m. Mass on Sunday. All are welcome!

CHURCH DONATION REQUEST FORM

If you would like to have a record of your Church contributions for 2024, please let us know by filling out the form below and returning it to the Rectory Office.

(PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY WITH COMPLETE ADDRESS)

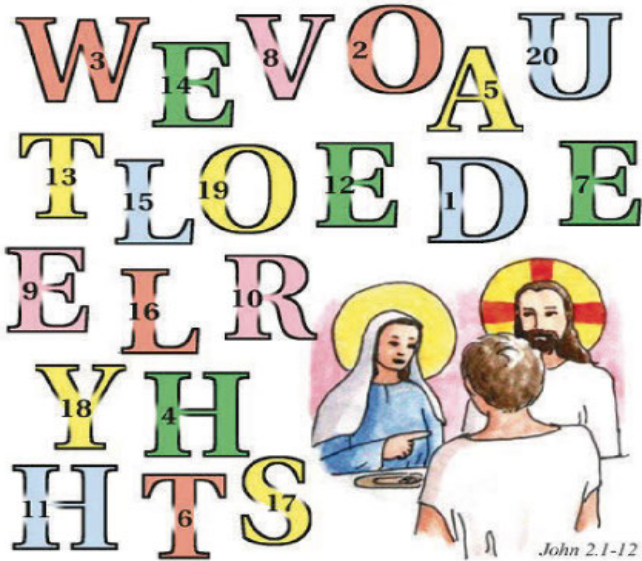
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Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ **Church Envelope Number:** _____

The Kids' Bulletin

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time
January 19th, 2025



Do you know what Mary said to the servants at the wedding feast at Cana? Sort out the letters by their numbers to find out!

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11 12
13 14 15 16 17 18 19 20

Mary asks Jesus for a Miracle



In today's Gospel we hear the story of Jesus' first miracle. Wine was an important part of a wedding, and Our Lady felt bad for the people when they ran out.

When Mary hinted to Jesus to do something, Jesus said that the time wasn't ready yet. But do you know what? He did what His mother wanted anyway! He told the servants to fill six big jars with water, and when they did it turned into wine! And not just ordinary wine, but the very best.

We can learn from this story that we should listen to our parents. Jesus is God and even He obeys His mother!

Here's another thing: if you need Jesus to help you with anything, pray to His Blessed Mother to ask Him for it. You know He will listen to His Mother!

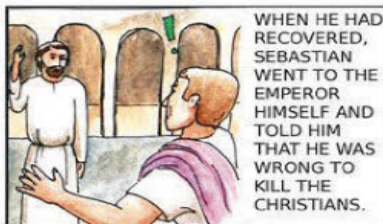
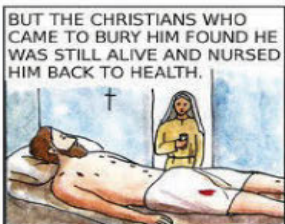
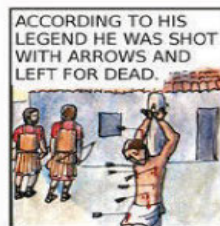
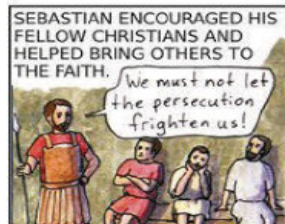
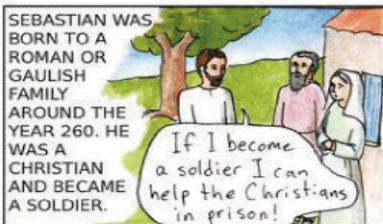


Answers to Crossword: Across: 1.six 2.woman 4.now 8.least 9.tells 10.said 11.servants 13.wine 16.everyone 17.Jesus 18.when 19.do Down: 1.signs 3.mother 5.was 6.wedding 7.became 12.serves 13.water 14.where 15.good Answer to front page: Do whatever He tells you.

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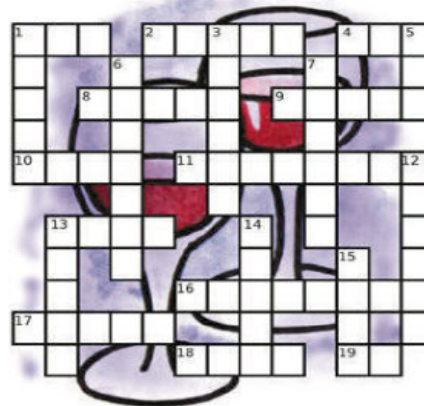
January 20



AT FIRST THE EMPEROR THOUGHT SEBASTIAN WAS A GHOST, BUT WHEN HE REALIZED HE WAS REALLY ALIVE HE HAD HIM BEATEN TO DEATH WITH CLUBS. THIS STORY REMINDS US NOT TO GIVE UP ON OUR FAITH EVEN WHEN THINGS ARE VERY HARD. IF YOU FEEL LIKE GIVING UP, JUST THINK OF SEBASTIAN!

thekidsbulletin@gmail.com

The Miracle at Cana Crossword



ACROSS:
1. How many water jars were at the wedding at Cana?
2. "_____, what has this to do with us?" (Jesus' words)
4. What had been water was _____ wine.
8. Mary and Jesus were invited to the wedding _____.
9. "Do whatever He _____ you."
(Mary's words)
10. Jesus _____ "Fill the jars with water."

11. Who filled the jars with water?
13. They had run out of _____ at the wedding.
16. "_____ else serves the good wine first, but you have saved it till now."
17. _____ and His disciples were also at the wedding.
18. Mary turned to Jesus _____ she saw there was no more wine.
19. "_____ whatever He tells you."

DOWN:
1. Jesus did this first of His _____ in Cana in Galilee.
3. The _____ of Jesus was at a wedding in Cana.
5. Jesus _____ also there.
6. They were guests at the _____.
7. The water _____ wine.
12. "Everyone else _____ the good wine first, but you have saved it until now."
13. They filled the jars with _____.
14. Cana in Galilee was _____ Jesus did His first public miracle.
15. "You have saved the _____ wine until now."

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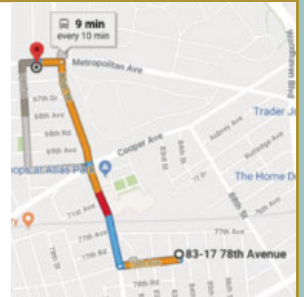
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