

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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MARCH 30, 2025—FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT



SATURDAY MARCH 29
5:00 p.m. Alma Haller
SUNDAY MARCH 30
LAETARE SUNDAY
8:00 a.m. Vincenza Pompeo
9:30 a.m. Agnes Walsh
11:30 a.m. For The People of The Parish AND
Jerry Opitz; Patricia Tuohy;
Nicholas Smith; Arthur Holste:
Resurrection Conde
MONDAY MARCH 31
8:30 a.m. Rev. John J. Garkowski (1st Anniv)
TUESDAY APRIL 1
8:30 a.m. Brigitte Ropenus
WEDNESDAY APRIL 2
SAINT FRANCIS OF PAOLA, Hermit
8:30 a.m. Anna Hutter
THURSDAY APRIL 3
8:30 a.m. Joseph Tronolone
FRIDAY APRIL 4
SAINT ISIDORE, Bishop & Doctor of the Church
8:30 a.m. Michael, Victor & Maria Schirling
SATURDAY APRIL 5
SAINT VINCENT FERRER, Priest
8:30 a.m. SH Purgatorial Society Members
5:00 p.m. Debra Giannini

MEMORIALS THIS WEEK



The HOSTS & WINE
in loving memory of
SABA BIASI
by Kenneth, Annette & Nickolas Dubin

SACRED HEART PURGATORIAL SOCIETY

Mass will be offered for those enrolled in the Sacred Heart Purgatorial Society during the month of March on Saturday, April 5th @ 8:30am.

Blanca Lopez Maldonado
Hilde M. Kreiner
Giuseppe Salvaggio
Kevin G. Dumbach
Robert Khailer
Lourdes I. Rolan
Peter Radovich
CJ Fragapane

IN YOUR CHARITY PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Giovanna Ducroiset, Frances Schneider, Theresa Erdtmann, Antoinette LaVenia

If you know someone who is sick, homebound and/or hospitalized and you would like their name to be included in the bulletin, please call the Rectory Office and let us know. The names will remain on the list for three months. If you wish to have their name put back on the list, please contact the Rectory Office. In the event the person recovers, we ask you to notify us, so we can keep our sick list updated. Thank you!

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

MONDAY: Is 65:17-21; Jn 4:43-54
TUESDAY: Ez 47:1-9,12; Jn 5:1-16
WEDNESDAY: Is 49:8-15; Jn 5:17-30
THURSDAY: Ex 32:7-14; Jn 5:31-47
FRIDAY: Wis 2:1a, 12-22; Jn 7:1-2,1-,25-30
SATURDAY: Jer 11:18-20; Jn 7:40-53
SUNDAY: Is 43:16-21; Phil 3:8-14; Jn 8:1-11

Rest in Peace
ERICA KEARNS

SACRED HEART CHURCH SUNDAY COLLECTION REPORT

March 16, 2025.....\$5,414.00
Give Central.....\$ 670.00
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.

MARCH 30, 2025—FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT



**CONGRATULATIONS TO THE FOLLOWING CHILDREN
WHO WILL RECEIVE CONFIRMATION WITH
BISHOP ROBERT BRENNAN, BISHOP OF BROOKLYN,
THIS SATURDAY, APRIL 5, 2025.**

Amaya Baron
Heidi Brandl
Jaylene Carreras
Gian Caruso
Nicole Ciecierski
Cara Colon
Evan Colon
Mary Colon
Savannah Czak
Mariella D'Amico
Arianna Demou
Antonio DiGiovanna
Kevin Dobrzyn
Maya Gniedziejko
Victoria Gorski
Gia Guallpa
Chris Guaman
Xavier Healy
Tristan Heerey
Hailey Horvat

James Hyland
Peter Interrante
Nicole Jankowski
Nela Kacperski
Olivia Knaps
Isabelle Koczela
Matthew Kozdra
Marco Landeta
Adriana Laurenzano
William Mair
Emma Marino
Nicholas Matisi
Aminda Minagro
Leanna Moncayo
Analisa Monegro
Izabela Mosio
Olivia Mosquea
Justin Mueller
John Pacheco
Kevin Paskewitz

Mia Perlicki
Ryszard Piwnik
Alex Pyrzak
Aliana Quinonez
Natalia Romero
Vincent Schiro
Kayleb Schmitt
Adrianna Smith
Aubrey Sullivan
Olivia Terepka
Sienna Terrasi
Alex Tokarczyk
Kaya Truskolaski
Rylee Velasquez
Ryan Weeks
Mia-Nicole Wissert
Sophie Zalewski
Robert Zavala

PARISH MISSION 2025

Our Lenten Parish Mission will be Monday, April 7th to Wednesday, April 9th. We welcome Father Richard Veras, Director of Pastoral Formation and Professor of Homiletics at St. Joseph Seminary in Yonkers, NY. Retreat Master at numerous Parish Missions, retreats and convocations, Father Veras will speak each evening at 7:00 PM in the church with the Mission Theme: "The Word Made Flesh: Foreshadowed, Fulfilled, Forever." Please mark your calendars and invite family, friends and parishioners in the area to a faith filled, awe-inspiring and extraordinary Parish Mission this Lent.

CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES collection takes place today. Your donation will help in providing humanitarian aid to displaced families and individuals. Extra Catholic Relief Services envelopes are in the vestibule and thank you for your support.

RECONCILIATION MONDAY

It is hoped that all Catholics will have the opportunity to come to confession before Easter. Here at Sacred Heart, Father McBrien and Father Fullum will hear confessions on **Monday, April 14th between the hours of 9:00 AM - 10:00AM, 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM and 6:30 PM - 7:30 PM.** We hope that these varied times will allow every parishioner to celebrate the sacrament of Penance before Easter.



STATIONS OF THE CROSS will be prayed this Friday, April 4th and every Friday of Lent in the church beginning at 7:00 PM. Join in walking with the Lord on His Way of the Cross throughout this holy season.

2025 ANNUAL CATHOLIC APPEAL

Here is the latest report as of
March 24, 2025
Amount of Goal: \$57,483.00
Amount Pledged: \$18,430.00
Amount Received: \$14,736.82
Number of Donors: 40



ST. GABRIEL SOCIETY
Inspire Middle School Group
is youth ministry for students
in grades 6-8 to share faith,
pray and socialize.

The St. Gabriel's Society will meet next Sunday, April 6th at 6:00 p.m. in the Church Basement.

Please contact our Youth Minister Pete Stamm, Jr. by e-mail for additional information
YM101212@diobrook.org.

DIOCESAN VOCATIONS EVENT

PROJECT ANDREW is an opportunity for young men (high school and older) to learn more about the priesthood by joining Father Chris Bethge, Vocation Director and other priests and seminarians for prayer, dinner and conversation. The next Project Andrew gathering will be this Sat. Apr. 5th at 5:00 PM in Regina Pacis Parish in Brooklyn.

JEREMIAH PROJECT, a High School-College Vocational Discernment Retreat for young men Fri. Apr. 11th to Sun. Apr. 13th 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. May 10th 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.



FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS
EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & BENECTION

On **Friday, April 4th** Sacred Heart Parish will have a Holy Hour after the 8:30 a.m. Mass in honor of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. There will be Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament from 9:00 to 10:00 a.m. concluding with Benediction. All are invited to honor the Sacred Heart of Jesus every 1st Friday.

On **Saturday, April 5th following 1st Friday**, there will be Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament from 7:00-8:00 a.m. in honor of The Immaculate Heart of Mary.

ALL ARE WELCOME!

EASTER GIFT TO MY CHURCH

The annual "Easter Gift to My Church" will be taken on Sunday, April 13th at all the Masses. We ask that every parishioner make a fair share offering during this holy season of Joy and Hope. Extra "Easter Gift to My Church" envelopes are in the church today for those who did not receive the mailing. Thank you in advance for your EASTER GIFT TO MY CHURCH this year.

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)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone Number: _____ Church Envelope Number: _____

Easter Dinner

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS/MSGR. SHERMAN COUNCIL

EASTER DINNER RAFFLE

HAVEN'T YOU DONE ENOUGH THIS YEAR? WHY NOT HAVE SOMEONE ELSE MAKE YOUR HAM DINNER FOR YOUR FAMILY. \$10 RAFFLE TICKETS

WIN A EASTER HAM DINNER WITH ALL THE FIXINGS. FROM STEVE'S DELI. UP TO \$500 VALUE/FEEDS BETWEEN 12-15 PEOPLE . ORANGE GLAZED SPIRAL HAM (Sliced), ROASTED FINGELING POTATOS, SAUT'EED STRING BEAN AND CARROT MEDLEY, HOUSE SALAD WITH DRESSING AND ASST DINNER ROLLS.

TO PURCHASE, PLEASE SEND CASH/CHECK TO THE SCHOOL OFFICE, OR SACRED HEART, ST. MARGARETS AND ST. PANCRAS CHURCH RECTORYS BY SUNDAY, APRIL 6th. YOU WILL BE ASSIGNED A RAFFLE TICKET, ONCE WE RECEIVE FORM & PAYMENT.

(Make check payable to Msgr. Sherman Council.) YOU CAN SEND CHECK TO: MSGR. SHERMAN COUNCIL #5103, 79-03 Myrtle AVENUE, GLENDALE, NY 11385

OR SEND ONLINE. PAYPAL: PRODIGY212@YAHOO.COM OR VENMO: @Salvatore-Laurenzano

☆JUST ADD YOUR CONTACT INFO TO YOUR ONLINE PAYMENT. FOR ANY ADDITIONAL RAFFLES. PLEASE CONTACT SAL AT 917-612-6231 or Kofc5103@gmail.com

*ALL PROCEEDS ARE SPLIT BETWEEN SACRED HEART 8th GRADE/CHURCH AND ST. MARGARETS & ST. PANCRAS PARISHES. DRAWING TUESDAY, APRIL 8thTH

Name/Phone/Qty: _____

PLEASE RETURN THIS FORM TO ENTER THE RAFFLE. THE DRAWING WILL BE DONE LIVE ON FACEBOOK AT 8PM, TUESDAY, APRIL 8th . GOOD LUCK AND GOD BLESS!!!

MARCH 30, 2025—FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

THIS WEEK AT SACRED HEART
MONDAY, MARCH 31

5:00 pm Daisies-Church Basement
6:00 pm Brownies-Church Basement
7:00 pm Liturgy Committee-CMR

TUESDAY, APRIL 1

3:30 pm Centering Group-Cronin Mtg Rm
7:00 pm Ladies Guild-Church Basement

THURSDAY, APRIL 3

7:00 pm Laudato Si—Cronin Meeting Rm

FRIDAY, APRIL 4

10:30 am SHCA School Mass-Church
7:30 pm Boy Scouts-Church Basement

SATURDAY, APRIL 5

10:30 am Confirmation-Church & CHB
2:30 pm Confirmation-Church & CHB

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 \$825.00. Feel free to drop your envelope into the collection basket or at the Rectory Office. The next drawing is this Monday, March 31st. Please support Sacred Heart Parish and Good Luck to all!

SCHEDULE CHANGE

**Due to the Confirmation Masses
10:30 AM and 2:30 PM this Saturday,
April 5th confessions will not be heard
and the Parish Office will be closed.**

PRAYER SHAWL GROUP

The Prayer Shawl Group is on pause until further notice. Thank you for your understanding.

PATHWAY TO PRAYER

A brick can be in memory or honor of your special intentions. Each is carved with a personal sentiment, \$250.00.



EASTER FLOWERS that will decorate our church throughout the Easter Season may be donated. You may wish to donate IN

MEMORY OF or IN HONOR OF a loved one. Easter plant donation envelopes are available in the church today. Please return your offering in the collection or at the Rectory Office.



The Sacred Heart Senior Guild will meet this **Thursday, April 10th at 11:00 a.m. in the Church basement.**

GETAWAY TRIPS

Sacred Heart Seniors are sponsoring two wonderful trips. From August 23rd to August 25th there will a motorcoach ride to Boston for three days and two nights. The cost is \$415.00. From September 8th to September 12th, there will be a fabulous bus trip to Niagara Falls and Toronto, Canada for five days and 4 nights. The cost is \$795.00. For more information and reservations please call Carol Gressert at (718) 497-1223.

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CATHOLIC MEN 18 AND UP ARE INVITED TO JOIN THE MSGR.

SHERMAN COUNCIL #5103. FIRST YEAR IS FREE! WE ARE

CATHOLIC MEN, THAT DO CHARITABLE WORK FOR OUR

COMMUNITY AND PARISHES. CONTACT SAL AT 917-612-6231.

KOF5103@GMAIL.COM OR www.Kofc5103.org

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MARCH MADNESS RAFFLE

The next drawings of March Madness Raffle took place this week and the winners are:

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| Thursday, March 20th | Mario Mitarotonda | \$125.00 |
| Friday, March 21st | Donald Gander | \$125.00 |
| Saturday, March 22nd | Dorie Figliola | \$125.00 |
| Sunday, March 23rd | Bill Cook | \$125.00 |
| Monday, March 24th | Gina Lehman | \$125.00 |
| Tuesday, March 25th | Abuso Family | \$125.00 |
| Wednesday, March 26th | Matthew Cummings | \$125.00 |

More winners will be announced in next week's bulletin. You can still get in on the fun and excitement using the raffle sheet on the tables in the church vestibule and have the chance to win daily cash prizes in March ranging from \$125.00 to \$1000.00! Remember, winning tickets will return to the drum for the chance to win again! You may return your payment in the collection or to the Rectory Office. Good luck!

FOOD DRIVE sponsored by Msgr. Sherman Knights of Columbus #5103 takes place on Saturday, April 12th from 11 AM to 2 PM in the schoolyard and will support our parish food pantry. Please consider donating non perishables including flour, sugar, pasta, peanut butter & jelly, tuna fish, mayonnaise, canned soups and vegetables, rice, mac & cheese, cereal, coffee & tea. Thank you for your donations on Saturday, April 12th.

MONTHLY BOOK CLUB

Adults are welcomed to the newly-formed parish Book Club that will meet again Thursday, April 24th at 7:00 PM in the Cronin Meeting Room. Those who enjoy reading and sharing are encouraged to read "The Spectacular" by Fiona Davis. If interested text Trish @ 646-785-7278 and invite other parishioners and friends to join the Book Club!

Parish Ministry Office....(718) 821-3285

(Located in the Convent basement.

Entrance is in the rear.)

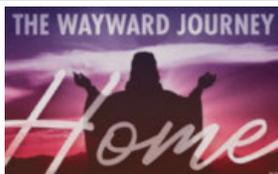
The Parish Ministry OFFICE & FOOD PANTRY hours of operation are Monday through Thursday from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. The Office opens at 9:00 a.m. and the Pantry opens at 10:00 a.m.

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!

A WARM WELCOME

If you are new to our parish please feel free to introduce yourself to Father McBrien, Father Fullum or Deacon Peter after Mass today. We kindly invite you to come to the Rectory Office and register as a member of Sacred Heart Parish. Registration is important for all parishioners because then we are able to issue sponsor letters for Baptism, Confirmation and Matrimony. We can also give end of the year statements of your contributions to the church through regular use of the envelopes. We can also help you with letters of recommendation for employment, school, etc. Your registration will also help us with our parish census in knowing the number of Catholics in Glendale and surrounding areas. Thank you and welcome!





This Week on Formed

Week of March 30, 2025



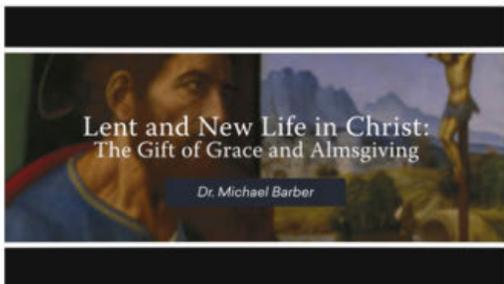
The Boy from Milan

You may have heard of him, the sneaker-wearing, computer-loving "gamer saint" of our time. But beyond the headlines and hashtags, the real story of Carlo is something deeper, something the world desperately needs to hear. Known for his deep love of God, devotion to the Eucharist, and quiet acts of charity, Carlo's life was a testament to everyday holiness.



Metanoia

In the Gospel of Mark, the first words of Jesus are an invitation to metanoia, to repent, to change, to be converted. Join Fr. Dave Pivonka in this incredible series as he preaches on conversion.



Lent and New Life in Christ

What is the importance of almsgiving? Dr. Michael Barber discusses the transformative power of almsgiving for your life.

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



The month of March is quickly coming to an end. We are looking forward to the warmer weather ahead.

The Academy students in grades 3 through 8 started the week with

Lenten Confessions at the church.

Grades Kindergarten through 3rd grade enjoyed a trip to Queens Borough College for an amazing performance this past Thursday.

Academics as usual for the remainder of the week.

Looking Ahead

Confirmation - April 5th

Breakfast with the Easter Bunny Event (prepaid) - April 6th

Early Dismissal - April 16th (No After School)

Easter Recess - April 17-25, 2025

Thank you.

Mr. C and Mrs. Smallwood

PARISH/SCHOOL WEBSITES

Visit www.sacredheartccglendale.org and see an abundance of information about our parish including parish ministries, special events, the weekly bulletin, C.Y.O. and much more.

Visit www.sacredheartglendale.org and find out important information about Sacred Heart Catholic Academy. Happy surfing!

PALM CROSS AND PLANT SALE

A tradition of decorating the gravesites of our beloved dead for Easter begins with palm crosses for Palm Sunday. It is a fitting tribute to the faithful departed to be remembered at the start of Holy Week. Sacred Heart Catholic Academy will have palm crosses and Easter plants available for purchase after all the Masses next weekend, April 12th/13th and all the proceeds will benefit our school academy.



This coming week our Grade/Level 8 children will participate in Confirmation practices on April 1st and April 2nd at 7 PM. Practice sessions have been assigned depending on Mass times. The Sacrament

of Confirmation will take place on Saturday, April 5th with Bishop Brennan. Please keep our Confirmation candidates in your prayers as they continue preparing for their special day.

Faith Formation Updates:

Faith Formation Grade/Level 2 children must complete their *My Catholic Faith Delivered* (MCFD) coursework by May 1st in order to receive the sacrament of First Eucharist.

Students in Grades 1, 3, 4, 5 and 6 should complete their *My Catholic Faith Delivered* (MCFD) coursework by no later than May 15th.

Grade/Level 7 reminders: Saint reports were due January 31st. Letters to the Pastor are being collected during the month of March from our Grade/Level 7 Academy and Faith Formation students. Students should work towards completing their community service hours by May 2025. **All Grade/Level 7 requirements including completion of their MCFD coursework must be met in order to receive a confirmation interview appointment in June.**

A special upcoming event for the Church in April:

Blessed Carlo Acutis, the first millennial saint, is expected to be canonized on April 27, 2025 during the Jubilee for Adolescents in Rome. Remember to visit the photograph of Blessed Carlo located in the back of our Sacred Heart Church in the Saints alcove. Bl. Carlo Acutis, pray for us!

"True charity consists in putting up with all one's neighbors faults, never being surprised by his weakness, and being inspired by the least of his virtues."

- St. Therese of Lisieux

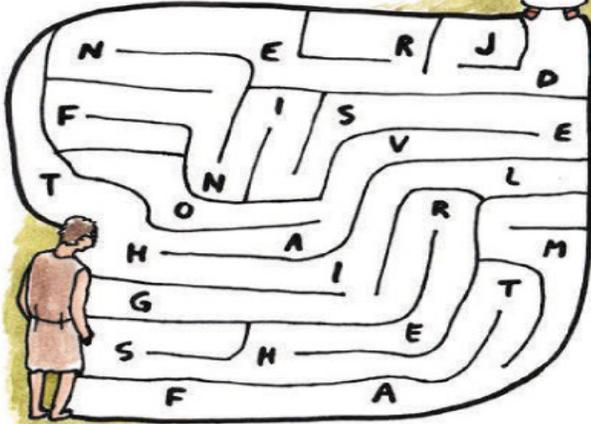


The Kids' Bulletin

Fourth Sunday of Lent
March 30th, 2025

What did the son in today's Gospel reading say to show his father he was sorry?

Luke 15.1-3, 11-32



As you go through the maze, use only the letters in the right path to fill in the blanks:

The Son who was Sorry



Today's Gospel reading tells us about God's forgiveness. We are like the son who ran away and wasted all his money whenever we don't use our gifts or talents to serve God or others.

God is like the father in this story. He lets the younger son do whatever he wants, but he loves him even when he chooses to be bad. All he wants is for his son to come home and be sorry. He is ready and waiting to forgive the prodigal son.

God is waiting to forgive us too, in the sacrament of Confession. He wants us to be sorry for our sins and tell Him we are sorry so He can take them away.

Try to make sure you go to confession before Easter so your soul will be clean and ready for the great celebration!



Answer to Front Page: Father I have sinned. Answers to Cross-Word ACROSS: 1.His 3.Let 6.us 8.humble 9.praise 10.that 13.from 16.name 17.together 18.answered DOWN: 2.soul 4.times 5.glorify 7.set 10.taste 11.cross 12.sec 14.on 15.make

www.thekidsbulletin.com

Saint Vincent Ferrer April 5

VINCENT WAS BORN TO NOBLE AND VIRTUOUS PARENTS IN SPAIN IN 1357. HE WAS GENEROUS TO THE POOR FROM A VERY YOUNG AGE.

Here, Vincent. You can give these to the poor.

BY THE TIME HE WAS 18 HE HAD FINISHED HIS STUDIES AND BECAME A DOMINICAN.

HE STUDIED THE BIBLE WITH GREAT DEVOTION.

Vincent understands philosophy and can explain it well.

SOON HE WAS ASKED TO TEACH.

VINCENT BEGAN TO PREACH ALL OVER WESTERN EUROPE.

THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE REPENTED AND WERE CONVERTED.

I should go to confession. I want to be better!

Yes... God will forgive me!

I will offer up sleeping on the floor for peace in the Church.

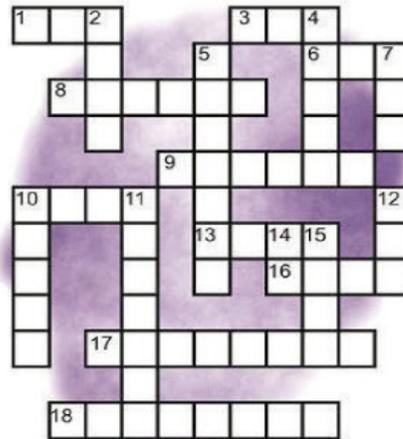
VINCENT WORKED HARD TO END THE DIVISION IN THE CHURCH AT THAT TIME. HE DIED AT AGE 69 IN BRITTANY.

SAINT VINCENT ONCE WROTE THAT TO STUDY WELL MEANS CONSULTING GOD MORE THAN BOOKS. TO KNOW WHAT IS REALLY IMPORTANT WE SHOULD READ AND KNOW AND LOVE THE BIBLE, SINCE IT TEACHES US ABOUT GOD. TRY TO READ A BIT OF THE BIBLE EVERY DAY!

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Psalm 34 Cross-Word Puzzle

Use these words to fill in the blanks for the crossword puzzle:



- FROM TERRORS
- PRAISE
- SET
- GLORIFY
- LET HIS ANSWERED NAME ON SEE TASTE THAT HUMBLE ITS TIMES SOUL MAKE TOGETHER

10D and 12D 10A the Lord is good.
I will bless the Lord at all 4D,
His 9A is always 14D my lips;
In the Lord my 2D shall 15D 6A boast.
The 8A shall hear and be glad.



5D the Lord with me.
17A 3A us praise
1A 16A
I sought the Lord
and he 18A me,
all my 11D he 7D me free.

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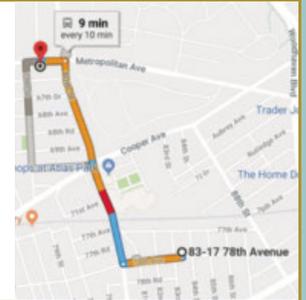
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