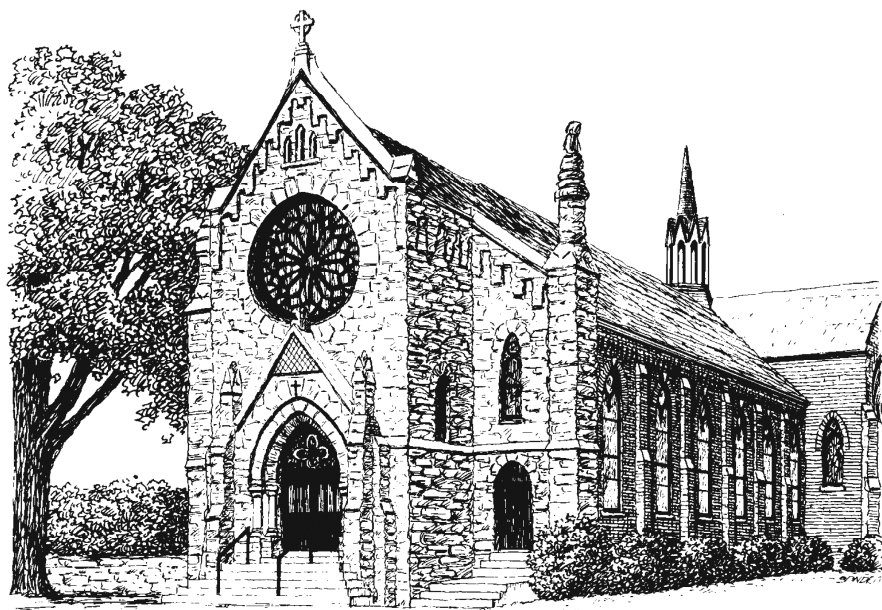


Blessed Sacrament Church

1069 Delaware Avenue

Buffalo, New York 14209



MASSES:

Saturday: 4:30 p.m. • **Sunday:** 9:00 and 11:00 a.m.

(Note: Consult inside pages for announcements of change in schedule.)

Weekday and Holy Day Masses: See inside bulletin.

CONFESSIONS:

Saturday: 3:00-4:00 p.m.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation is celebrated in room to right of Altar.

BAPTISM:

The Sacrament of Baptism will be celebrated after consultation with parents. Parents should notify the Parish Office at least a month before the date of Baptism. A Pre-Baptismal instruction is held for the parents.

MARRIAGE:

The prospective bride and groom must have made arrangements for their wedding at least eight months before the wedding date. No weddings may be scheduled at or near, the times set for parish liturgies (confession, Saturday afternoon Mass, etc.).

NEW PARISHIONERS:

Welcome to active participation in our parish life. New families and individuals should register with us at our Parish Office.

MOVING AWAY:

Please notify our office. Our parish will miss you! Please call us at 884-0053 to give us your new address.

SHUT-INS AND HOSPITALIZED:

Please notify the Parish Office if you know someone who is in a hospital, nursing home facility, or house bound and in need of visitation.

Pastor

Rev. Paul R. Bossi

Pastor Emeritus

Rev. Msgr. Paul R. Juenker, P.A.

Permanent Deacon

Deacon Paul F. Carmody

Priests who help at Liturgies

Rev. George Restrepo, S.J.

Rev. Robert Stolinski

Parish Secretary

Betty Hemingway

Catholic Academy of West Buffalo

Sister Gail Glenn, S.S.J., *Principal*

Religious Education Program

Maureen A. Myers, *Director*

Music Ministry

Tony Domzal, Organist, Music Director

Sacristan

Josephine Di Liberti

Trustees

Mr. Paul F. Jones

Mary C. McCracken

Parish Council President

Alan Walczak

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884-0053 ÉFax: 884-2279

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Hours:

Weekdays: 9:00 a.m.É2:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 9:00 a.m.É12:00 noon

Parish Website

www.blessedsacramentbuffalo.org (NEW)

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INARY

“This man welcomes sinners and eats with them.” This criticism of Jesus is actually unintentional praise. If we are honest, we know that we are among the sinners with whom Jesus breaks bread. As we listen to God’s holy word today, let us hear these stories of God’s mercy and love in all three readings, and think of the times in our own lives when we were in need of such mercy. Then let us give thanks for our merciful God.

Exodus 32:7-11, 13-14 The people worship a golden calf and God loses all patience with them

1 Timothy 1:12-17 Paul, once the worst of sinners, is an example of Jesus’ forbearance.

Luke 15:1-32 When the lost are found, even the angels rejoice.

Announced Masses

Sunday, September 11, 2016 Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a. m. Donald Tomasulo req. by Doug and Mimi Coppola

11:00 a.m. For the People

Morning Prayer is at 7:45 a.m. from Monday to Saturday

Monday, September 12, 2016 Most Holy Name of Mary

8:00 a. m. Rev. Paul R. Cronin req. by Estate

Tuesday, September 13, 2016 St. John Chrysostom

8:00 a.m. Lena and Steven Bellissimo req. by Rosemary Bellissimo

Wednesday, September 14, 2016 Exaltation of the Cross

8:00 a.m. All Souls Intention

Thursday, September 15, 2016 Our Lady of Sorrows

8:00 a.m. Elizabeth Salvo req. by daughter Betty Hemingway

Friday, September 16, 2016 St. Cornelius and St. Cyprian

8:00 a.m. Lucille and Salvatore Tripi, Tripi and Sandino Families req. by Estate

Saturday, September 17, 2016 St. Robert Bellarmine

8:00 a.m. Carmen Rotunno req. by Estate

Vigil Mass for Sunday

4:30 p.m. Betty Peterson req. by Family

Sunday, September 18, 2016 Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00 a.m. Paul Indelicato

11:00 a.m. Paul W. Beltz req. by wife Catherine Beltz

SUMMARY OF COLLECTION for September 3/4 2016

Total collection for the above weekend and the week of electronic donations come to **\$ 4,163.00**

Total number of envelopes used and payments on-line and direct payments for the above week are: 67

Please consider making your contributions to the parish through **a direct withdrawal program, or the option of charging your contribution** to a credit card.

Go to our website or call the rectory office.

Electronic giving this week totaled \$ 1,154.00

MINISTRY SCHEDULE

SATURDAY & SUNDAY September 17/18, 2016

Altar Servers:

4:30 p.m. Volunteer

9:00 a. m. Volunteer

11:00 a.m. L, J. and J. Griffin

Greeters: 4:30 p.m. M. Hudson, 9:00 a.m. M. Sulkowski

11:00 a.m. A. Downing

Lectors

4:30 p.m. S. Falletta

9:00 a. m. P. Flaherty

11:00 a.m. T. Sheedy

Minister of Communion

4:30 p.m. T. and J. Knab, S. Villa

9:00 a.m. M. Beecher, A. Colucci, A. Guercio

11:00 a.m. M. McCracken, F. Conti, M.J. Carroll

VOCATIONS

God our Father forgives us with open arms. Who will preach the Good News of reconciliation? Consider service as a priest, deacon, brother or sister. If God is calling you to a Church vocation, call Fr. Andrew Lauricella at 847-5535. Check out “Priest of the Month” stories on our website-www.buffalovocations.org!

LOOKING AHEAD

On **November 6th** we will have a **Sunday Sauce Spaghetti** dinner. In preparation for this event which will include a silent auction we are looking for helper to find donations for the auction. If you can help with this effort please see Alan Walczak, Fr. Paul or Barb Bielecki. We also are looking for those who would help selling tickets. Help is needed also in the IT sector.



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- Parent and Meet the Teacher Night is Sept 22nd at 7:00 p.m. All parents are asked to attend.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Religious Education **REGISTRATION** for all grades Kô High School will take place after all Masses on Sunday, September 10/11 and September 17/18. Importantly parents need to register their children especially those preparing for First Reconciliation, First Eucharist, Confirmation. Registration materials will also be available at the Rectory during the week.

Catechetical Sunday will be celebrated on September 18th at the 9:00 a.m. Mass followed by a Coffee hour.

Weekly classes Learning Sessions for grade Kô 8 will begin on **Sunday, September 25th at 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. in Marian Hall.**

All young people who attend grades 9 to 12 High School and who have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation are invited to register now. Classes will be held beginning in October.

Any questions contact, Maureen Myers at moey17@aol.com or cell 716-512-8176.

FOOD FOR ALL

The collection will be the weekend of **October 8th and 9th.** Please place your donation in the collection boxes provided in the church. Please, no expired or perishable food, nor used or opened food boxes.

LECTURE BY FR. RONALD ROLHEISER

A lecture will be held on Friday, September 23 at 7 p.m. in the Auditorium of Christ the King Seminary, 711 Knox Rd. East Aurora, NY. Topic: "Living the Ups and Downs of Our Faith: Dark Nights and Doubts." His bestselling books have been translated into many languages. His weekly column is carried by more than 80 newspapers worldwide. The lecture IS PRESENTED AS PART OF THE "Father Thomas Dailey Lecture Series in Christian Ethics and Spirituality." No registration necessary. A Free will offering is welcome.

SEPTEMBER 11, 2016

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Throughout the year we rely on you for your help. Our gratitude for your support of Catholic Charities is beyond just a thank you! The people you help are overwhelmed, and emotional, you give them the answers when they ask for the help with their needs, Catholic Charities Thanks You! Find us at ccwny.org.

TODAY LIVING THE SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY

Today, **Sunday, September 11th at 12:00 p.m.** after the 11:00 a.m. Mass in Marian Hall (below the church), we will have a brief luncheon followed by a special presentation on the Spiritual Works of Mercy. The presenter is **Eileen Warner, Director of Mission and Pastoral Outreach at Christ the King Seminary.** All are welcome, especially all who participated in the retreat at Stella Niagara. Join us as we continue our journey with Pope Francis to celebrate the Jubilee Year of Mercy.

AREA ACTIVITIES

Today Peace-Justiceó Nonviolence Walk and Festival, September 11th from 2:30 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. at Canal side sponsored by the WNY Coalition of Peace, Justice and Non-Violence Advocates

Catholic Biblical Studies Program resumes classes in September. If you are interested in expanding your interest in the Bible, contact the program at 871-9180

Celebrating your 50th, 60th or 70th wedding anniversary? Plan to join our Bishop for a special Mass at St. Joseph's Cathedral on Sunday, October 23, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. with a reception at the Adam's Mark Hotel following. Contact the rectory 884-0053 by September 7th to make reservations to mail a form.

Oktoberfest on Sunday, October 2, 2016, sponsored by the Sisters of St. Joseph at St. Aloysius Gonzaga Church, 157 Cleveland Dr. Cheektowaga, NY from 5:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m. featuring "The Auslanders." German food, dancing, singing and raffles. Entrance is \$5 or \$6 at the door. Call 759-6454 x.20

COLLECTION FOR CHRIST THE KING SEMINARY

On September 23 and 24, Chris Emminger, our summer seminarian will speak at all the Masses on behalf of Christ the King Seminary. The envelopes system included the seminary collection envelope for Sept. 4th Please use it on the 24th