

This Week at Sacred Heart

Sunday, July 30
 Readings: 1 Kgs 3:5, 7-12/Ps 119:57, 72, 76-77, 127-130/
 Rom 8:28-30/Mt 13:44-52 or 13:44-46
 8:00 a.m. Mass/People of Sacred Heart
 10:00 a.m. Choir Practice
 11:00 a.m. Mass/Catherine O'Brien
 1:30 p.m. Soup Kitchen #5
 4:00 p.m. Contemporary Music Practice

Monday, July 31
 Readings: Ex 32:15-24, 30-34/Ps 106:19-23/Mt 13:31-35
 All Day Vacation Bible School
 2:00 p.m. Funeral
 7:30 p.m. Centering Prayer

Tuesday, Aug 1
 Readings: Tuesday: Ex 33:7-11; 34:5b-9, 28/Ps 103:6-13
 All Day Vacation Bible School
 5:30 p.m. Daily Mass
 6:00 p.m. Summer Sizzler

Wednesday, Aug 2
 Readings: Ex 34:29-35/Ps 99:5-7, 9/Mt 13:44-46
 All Day Vacation Bible School
 9:30 a.m. Staff Meeting
 5:30 p.m. Daily Mass
 6:00 p.m. Eucharist Adoration
 6:00 p.m. Summer Sizzler

Thursday, Aug 3
 Readings: Ex 40:16-21, 34-38/Ps 84:3-6a, 8a, 11/Mt 13:47-53
 All Day Vacation Bible School
 6:00 p.m. Summer Sizzler

Friday, Aug 4
 Readings: Lv 23:1, 4-11, 15-16, 27, 34b-37/Ps 81:3-6, 10-11ab/Mt 13:54-58
 12:00 p.m. Daily Mass
 5:00 p.m. Wedding Rehearsal

Saturday, Aug 5
 Readings: Lv 25:1, 8-17/Ps 67:2-3, 5, 7-8/Mt 14:1-12
 12:30 p.m. Wedding
 4:30 p.m. Reconciliation
 5:30 p.m. Mass/Betsy Lawless

Sunday, Aug 6
 Readings: Dn 7:9-10, 13-14/Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 9/2 Pt 1:16-19/
 Mt 17:1-9
 All Day Blessing of New Parishioners
 8:00 a.m. Mass/People of Sacred Heart
 10:00 a.m. Choir Practice
 11:00 a.m. Mass/Raymel Tamm
 12:00 p.m. Rosary Group
 1:30 p.m. Soup Kitchen #1



Mark Your Calendars

For Upcoming Sacred Heart Events

Vacation Bible School.....Week of July 31
 Summer Sizzler.....Aug. 1-2-3
 HS Beach Week.....Aug 15-18

Service Members of Our Parish

We pray for members of our parish who are serving overseas, as well as their families.

John Matchett, Thomas Van de Castle,
 Dillon Scherger, Anthony DiMuzio
 Michael Schaefer, Dave Gomez,
 Nathan Clark, Chad Luettel

If you would like to add or remove a name from this list, contact us at:
office@sacredheartnorfolk.org or 625-6763.

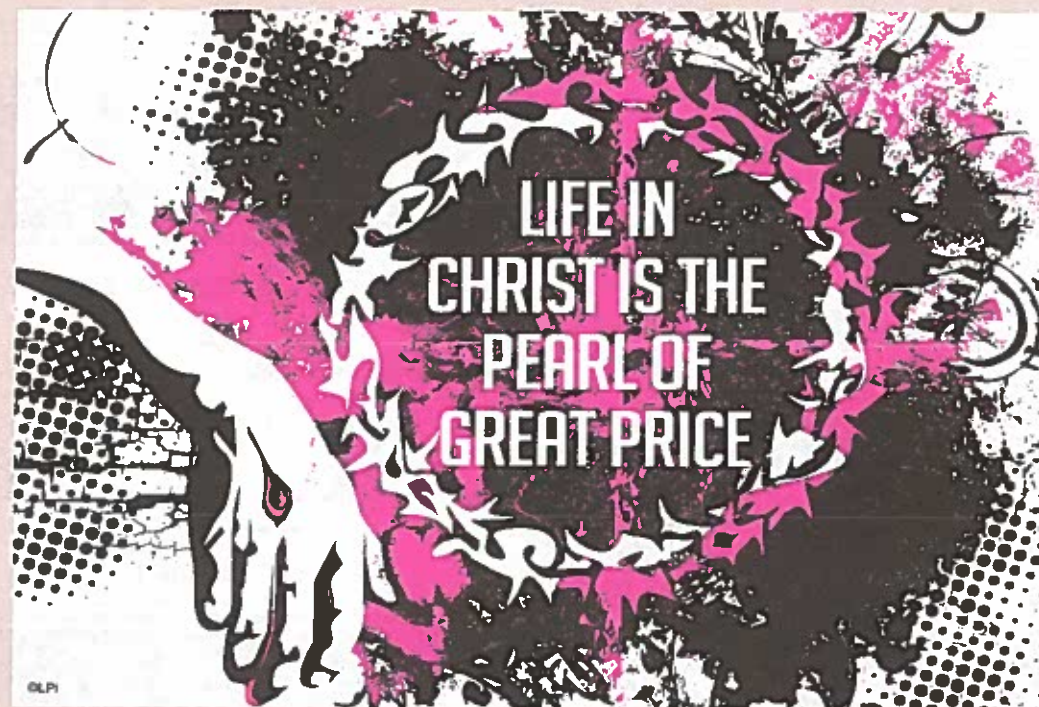
Pastoral Care

We Pray for our sick and those in need of our prayers.

St. Gabriel's parish, Mary Lou McPhaul, Dan Reeves, Dr. Sal Barr, Sr. Agnes Seebach, Kara Cusano, Bernice Van Aalten, Janie Abbott, Erwin & Ellen Schoepf, Hal Wilkinson, Bob Morton, Eileen Powell, Joanne Brausewetter, Walter Marshall, Chris Kennedy, Andrew Wilcox, Terry Kelly, Peter Callo, Alan Morton, Edie White, Eloise Morton, James McMally, Linda Mathews, Gail Anthony, Sebastian Bonaiuto, Tommy White, Elizabeth Von Tersch, Ann Hennelly & Betsy Murray

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

As human beings, we desire to find happiness. This desire is so strong that we often go to great lengths to discover and obtain it. Unfortunately, our search sometimes brings us to the wrong places. We mistakenly think that money, certain possessions, social status, popularity, and even power and control can satisfy the longing that exists in our hearts. Time and again, one after another, these things come up empty and we find ourselves with the same unfulfilled longing gnawing at us deep within. It is only the kingdom of God that can satisfy our desire and that ache. We are made and hardwired for this. When we discover it, we know that we have found something very special--a pearl of great price. Then, everything comes together and is put in proper order: our relationship with God, others, ourselves, and even the universe in which we live.



"The kingdom of heaven is like a treasure buried in a field, which a person finds and hides again, and out of joy goes and sells all that he has and buys that field." - Mt 13:44

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July 30 – 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Matthew 13:44-52

What can you do to bring about Christ's vision of the Kingdom of God?

Children: How can you make your world a little better?

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time – July 30, 2017

For a greater awareness of the richness of every vocation to love Christ and that more men and women will respond to His invitation to follow Him as priests, deacons and in the consecrated life, we pray to the Lord.

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Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time | July 30, 2017

Welcome!

No Rosary for the month of July
 We will resume Sunday **August 6**

Registration of New Parishioners
 Registration will be held Sunday, **Aug 27 at 12:15 p.m.**,
 third floor of the pastoral center.
 Sign up by contacting Pat Walsh at
pat.walsh@cox.net or **757-440-2901**.

Sacramental Preparation
 For more information, contact Amy Woods at
 625-6763 or amy@sacredheartnorfolk.org.

Ministry to the Sick & Homebound
 If you know someone who desires a visit, contact the
 parish office at 625-6763 or
 office@sacredheartnorfolk.org.

Prayer Chain Ministry
 Contact Susan Daniel with prayer requests at
 436-2324 or susdan@me.com

RCIA at Sacred Heart
 If you are an adult and would like to explore the Catholic way of life, our RCIA group meets **every Thursday at 7 p.m.** Contact Amy Woods at 625-6763 or amy@sacredheartnorfolk.org.

Sacred Heart Young Adults Group (21+)
 For information about the young adult scripture discussions and monthly socials. Contact Elizabeth at shyoungadults@sacredheartnorfolk.org



Our Mission
 We, the diverse Catholic community of Sacred Heart, are called to act as disciples of Jesus, respecting the dignity of all, through our Word, Worship, Community and Service.

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Parish Office Hours
 Mon-Thurs: 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Fri: 9 a.m.-Noon

Nursery Hours
 Nursery is Closed for the Summer

Mass Schedule

Reconciliation.....4:30 p.m.
Saturday.....5:30 p.m.
Sunday..... 8:00 and 11:00 a.m.

Daily Mass Schedule

Tuesday.....5:30 p.m.
Wednesday.....5:30 p.m.
Wednesday-Adoration.....6:00 p.m.
Friday.....12:00p.m.

Parish Staff

Rev. Paul Muyimbwa.....*Pastor*
 Amy Woods.....*Pastoral Associate*
 Dr. James Gallatin.....*Music Director*
 Neil Walsh.....*Director of Social Ministry*
 Leanne Besachio.....*Faith Formation Admin. Assistant*
 R. Kevin Kearney.....*Business Manager*
 Diana Kreider.....*Parish Admin. Assistant*
 Calvin Hoffler.....*Maintenance Technician*

Father Paul's Desk

Thank you for your Hospitality!

Dear staff and parishioners,
Thank you for arranging such a wonderful celebration of my 17th anniversary of ordination. I particularly enjoyed the small talk with many of you. The lovely cards, thoughtful messages, warm wishes and precious gifts made me feel loved and appreciated at Sacred Heart Parish.



Parish Financial Monthly Report

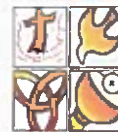
Corrected: June Fiscal News 2016-2017

Monthly Budget	\$39,785.51
Actual Monthly Collection	\$37,818.00
Amount Over (under) Budget	(1,967.51)
Year to Date Budgeted Collections	\$514,500.00
Year to Date Actual Collection	\$491,093.06
Over (under) Yearly Budget	(\$23,406.94)

The amount in () indicates a deficit.

Returning Catholics

Is there a ceremony or preparation for baptized Catholics who never or seldom have practiced the faith? For Catholics who have been baptized, confirmed and made First Communion but then drifted from the faith, the way they return is through the Sacrament of Penance.



Please contact

Fr. Paul at 625-6763 to schedule an appointment

Parish News and Events

"Music questions?"

Feel free to email Dr. Gallatin at jim@sacredheartnorfolk.org or set up an appointment Tuesday through Friday, 10-12 for a more in depth discussion regarding the music at Sacred Heart."

August 15– Solemnity of the Assumption of Mary-

Mass has been changed from 12:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Picture Directory– the company we hired has encountered yet another problem causing more delays. This time it was unforeseen computer problems which caused them to run behind schedule. The proof book should be here next week, and it will be another 3-4 weeks before the final books are mailed.

What is a Mass Card and How Are Mass Cards Used?

A Mass card, also known as a Mass offering card, memorial card or a remembrance card, is a greeting card given to someone to let them know that they, or a deceased loved-one, will be remembered and prayed for in the intentions at a Mass. For more information please contact the office at office@sacredheartnorfolk.org

Religious Education

First Sacraments and Confirmation

If you have not registered your child or teen for the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Eucharist or Confirmation, please do so immediately. Contact Leanne Besachio at leanne@sacredheartnorfolk.org for the forms.

Religious Education

If you have not registered your child or teen for Religious Education 2017-18, please pick up forms in the commons, on the website or by contacting Leanne Besachio at leanne@sacredheartnorfolk.org.

Middle School Adventure Park:

Mark your calendar for the Middle School Adventure Park event at the Virginia Beach Aquarium on Monday, August 14 from 9am-1pm. Cost is \$35. Sign up now by contacting Amy Woods at amy@sacredheartnorfolk.org. Deadline to sign up is July 30

High School Beach Week returns on Tuesday, August 15 – 18 from 8am to noon. There is no cost, but you must sign up. Contact Amy Woods at amy@sacredheartnorfolk.org.

Religious Education

The Summer Sizzler Series this August will be a 3-day series on **FAITH AND THE BIG QUESTIONS**, by Steven Hemler, President of the Catholic Apologetics Institute of North America (CAINA) and author of *The Reality of God: The Layman's Guide to Scientific Evidence for the Creator* on August 1-3. Dinner is served at 6pm. The presentation will begin at 6:45pm.

August 1: *Is There Evidence that God Exists?*

This multimedia presentation on Tuesday, Aug. 1 features interviews with many scientists and provides amazing scientific evidence—as well as evidence from human nature—demonstrating God's existence. Contrary to the modern myth of a conflict between science and faith, attendees will be excited to learn "the rest of the story" regarding scientific evidence of God's existence, mostly presented on video by scientists themselves. This information will strengthen our faith and be valuable for sharing with family and friends who may doubt the existence of God.

August 2: Which is True: Creation, Evolution, or Both?

This multimedia presentation on Wednesday, Aug. 2 explores key Church teachings on the biggest challenge to faith experienced by many people today—is evolution compatible with faith in God? Or, does evolution make it possible to be an "intellectually fulfilled atheist"? While you may not have doubts about God's role in the evolutionary process, this presentation will provide valuable information for discussion with those who do.

August 3: Why Would a Loving God Allow Evil, Pain, and Suffering?

This multimedia presentation on Thursday, Aug. 3 looks at how the greatest Christian thinkers of all times have dealt with the problem of evil and the mystery of suffering in a world made and pronounced "good" by God. In other words, why does God allow terrorism and other atrocities, as well as disease and natural disasters? This presentation includes several powerful and inspiring video testimonies. Understanding the meaning of suffering will help us and those we love become better, not bitter, when facing the inevitable hardships in life.

Justice and Peace

ATTENTION SACRED HEART GOLFERS !

In order to book the entire Sewells Point Golf Course for **August 11**, we need a confirmed minimum of golfers. There has been a lot of interest, and now it is time to sign up. The forms on are the sideboard by the restrooms; or you can sign up electronically by going to the parish website, or contacting me to email you the form. It's easy, fun, and a guaranteed, good food, beverages, prizes and a good time with good weather.

For more information, contact

Neil@sacredheartnorfolk.org or at 625 6763x19.

See you there !

Save the Date "Parish Golf Tournament"

Play Fore the Parishes on Friday August 11, 2017



" Care for Our Earth "

The documentary, "Chasing Coral", focuses through research on the beauty and importance of coral, while emphasizing its somewhat rapid decimation.



Corals are one of the most diverse ecosystems in the world, housing tens of thousands of marine species. About 1/3rd of all marine fish species live on coral reefs. In addition to being a wildlife habitats, coral reefs protect coastlines from storms and provide billions of dollars of food as well as jobs to people around the world. Corals are ancient animals related to jellyfish and anemones. An individual coral is known as a polyp. Thousands of identical polyps live together to form a coral colony. Each polyp excretes a calcium carbonate exoskeleton beneath it, which add up to build the structure of a coral reef. In many ways, reef building corals are animals that act like plants—they are stationary and get their energy from the sun. Coral reefs are very important to ocean life.

Community

Bishop Sullivan Dennis Price Scholarship:

To honor Mr. Price's commitment to Norfolk Catholic, Catholic High, and Bishop Sullivan Catholic High School, Father Beemen, the President's Advisory School Board and the Office of Advancement are excited to announce the Dennis Price Scholarship for Catholic Education. In his time at Bishop Sullivan, Mr. Price has been committed to making Catholic school more affordable to families who may not otherwise be able to attend. We invite you to honor Mr. Price with a gift to his scholarship fund. Gifts may be made by check or online through our website at www.chsvb.org