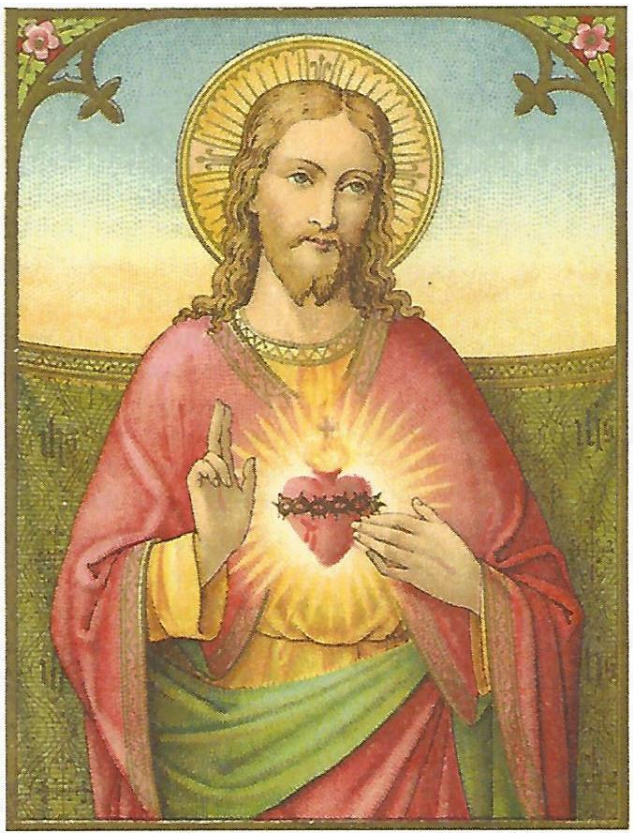

Sacred Heart Church

282 Long Beach Road, Island Park, NY 11558

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Monsignor John J. Tutoné, Pastor

Parish Office 516-432-0655
Ms. Diana Maza, Secretary
Monday through Friday 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Religious Education 516-431-7877
Ms. Andrea Caracciolo, Coordinator
Monday through Wednesday 11:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Thursday & Friday 11 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass

Sat. Eve.	5:00 p.m.
Sunday	8:00 a.m., 10:00 a.m., & 12:15 p.m.
Mon. – Sat.	8:00 a.m.
Holy days	7:00 p.m. evening before
	8:00 a.m., 7:00 p.m. of Holy day

Confession

Saturday	4:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. and as posted

Baptism

2nd and 4th Sundays at 1:15 p.m.
Pre-register for preparation classes.

Holy Matrimony

Arrangements at least six months in advance

Care of the Sick

Emergency calls anytime. Holy Communion for shut-ins on a weekly basis. Please call to make arrangements.

Devotions

Our Lady of Perpetual Help	
Novena and Adoration	Sat. 3:00 p.m.
Sacred Heart (Mass)	First Friday 7:00 p.m.
Eucharistic Adoration	First Friday 7:30 p.m. -8:30 p.m.
	Saturday 3:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.
Rosary	Mon. – Sat. 7:25 a.m.

Funerals

Arrangements are made through the funeral home. At Sacred Heart, the Mass of Christian Burial is seen as a time of prayer and reflection on the mysteries of death, resurrection, and eternal life. Family remembrances, favorite songs, poems and eulogies are incorporated into the wake service.

Parish Membership

We encourage every Catholic to register with us, use the parish envelopes, and inform us regarding changes of address.

Parish Activities

Adult Instruction (R.C.I.A.), Altar Servers, Altar Society, Choir, Folk Group, Children's Choir, Lectors, Right to Life, Rosary Society, San Gennaro Feast Committee, Ushers, Assistance Program, AA Women's Serenity Wed. 10:30 a.m. and Sat. 8:30 a.m., "No Matter What Club" AA (Nov.-Apr.) Mon.-Sun. 8:15 a.m., "Undercover Group" AA Mon., Wed., Fri. 7:15 p.m. & Sat. 7:30 p.m., Al Anon "Double Winners" Women's Fri. 10:30 a.m.,

Food Pantry Open

Tuesday, 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. and Friday, 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Announced Mass Intentions for The Week of January 18th, 2026

Monday, January 19th
Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. (Holiday)

8:00 ✝ **John McKenna**
r/b Dorothy Donaghy

Tuesday, January 20th

8:00 ✝ **Robin Laine**
r/b The Gubelli Family

Wednesday, January 21st

8:00 ✝ **Eugene Sladish**
r/b Pat Hackett

Thursday, January 22nd

8:00 ✝ **Charlie Martino**
r/b Denise & Steve Ruscio

Friday, January 23rd

8:00 ✝ **Given Intention**

Saturday, January 24th

8:00 ✝ **Angelina De Velazquez**
r/b Valerie & Joe Gembecki

5:00 ✝ **Louis M. Morrone, Sr.**
r/b Jeanne Morrone
✝ **Adele Dantes**
r/b Jim & Jennifer DeLeonardis
✝ **Rosemarie Gibilaro**
r/b Glenda Scully

Sunday, January 25th
3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8:00 ✝ **People of the Parish**

10:00 ✝ **Barbara Boulton**
r/b June & Simone Mingione
✝ **Nicky Knox**
r/b Anne Marie Reap
✝ **Robert May**
r/b Sonia May

12:15 ✝ **Rose Giardelli**
r/b Jo-Ellen & Tony Sarnelli
✝ **Michael Mazza**
r/b Dee & Tony Piscitelli O'Brien
✝ **Paula & Floyd Rivera, Sr.**
r/b Diana Maza & Family

"If only we knew how God regards this sacrifice, we would risk our lives to be present at a single Mass." – St. Pio of Pietrelcina

Prayer Before Mass

Father in heaven, we wish to prepare well for participation in this Mass, in which we enter the Last Supper, Passion, Death and Resurrection of your Son, Jesus Christ. He is as present to us today in his Word and in the Eucharist, as he was with his apostles.

Holy Spirit, please quiet our minds from the busyness and distractions of our day, so that we will have hearts and minds attentive to the words of Jesus and ready to receive his Body and Blood in Holy Communion.

Blessed Mother, take our hearts and give us yours, that like you, we may ponder Jesus' words and do whatever he tells us to do. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord, ***Amen****.*

Devotions to Our Lady of Perpetual Help & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at Sacred Heart Church Saturday's at 3:00 p.m.

Daily Rosary

The **Rosary** is recited **in the Church** Monday through Saturday mornings at **7:25 AM.**
All are welcome to come and pray!

Feast Days Celebrated this week:

Jan. 20th	St. Fabian, Pope & Martyr St. Sebastian, Martyr
Jan. 21st	St. Agnes, Virgin & Martyr
Jan. 22nd	**Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children**
Jan. 23rd	Saint Vincent, Deacon & Martyr St. Marianne Cope, Virgin
Jan. 24th	St. Francis de Sales, Bishop Religious Founder & Doctor of the Church

Religious Education

(Meet in Parish Center)

Grade 1 – Monday, Jan. 19th,
NO CLASSES

Grade 2 – Wednesday, Jan. 21st,
4 PM to 5 PM

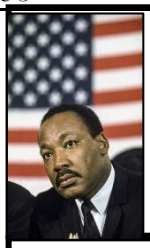
Grade 3 – Tuesday, Jan. 20th,
4 PM to 5 PM

Grade 4 – Tuesday, Jan. 20th,
5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

Grade 5 – Wednesday, Jan. 21st,
5:30 PM to 6:30 PM

Grade 6 – Monday, Jan. 19th,
NO CLASSES

**Heart of Jesus,
Son of the Eternal Father
Almighty and eternal God,
may we never cease to
love and serve You.**



Parish Center

In observance of **Martin Luther King, Jr.** Holiday, **the Parish offices** will be **CLOSED** on **Monday, January 19th**.

Looking for Volunteers for 2026 San Gennaro Feast

The **56th Annual San Gennaro Feast** is **September 10-13, 2026.**

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Roe v Wade Memorial Face the Truth Pro-Life Event

With so many distractions in our lives and revolving issues confronting us in daily news cycles, it can be easy to forget a tragic constant taking place right here on Long Island – the killing of innocent defenseless preborn babies through abortion. Because those children cannot speak up for themselves, pro-lifers must do so. The overturning of Roe v Wade has not ended abortion.

Pro-lifers are invited to call for the protection of preborn children by joining the Roe v. Wade Memorial Face the Truth pro-life event **on Sunday, January 25, 2026, from 2:00pm to 3:30pm** This peaceful public outreach will be held on the sidewalk in front of Nassau University Medical Center (2201 Hempstead Tpke., E. Meadow). Signs provided (no political signs). Rain or shine. Sponsored by Long Island Coalition for Life: 631-243-1435, info@prolifeLI.org.

O Mary
conceived without sin,
Pray for us
who have
recourse to thee.

WORD OF GOD SUNDAY

Sunday, January 25, 2026

"He opened their minds to understand the Scriptures" (Lk 24:45).

Come celebrate with Bishop Andrzej

HOLY HOUR AND REFLECTION

Sunday, January 25, 2026, at 3:30 pm
Church of St. Joseph
130 Fifth Street, NY 11530
www.stjosephchurchgc.org

All are welcome

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1st Class / Mass

January 25th, 2026

9 AM in Church

& Stay for 10 AM Mass

2026 CATHOLIC MINISTRIES APPEAL

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Dear Friends:

At the beginning of this new year, please allow me to share a special request with you. If you have never contributed to the Catholic Ministries Appeal, or if you haven't contributed in a number of years, please consider making this the year that you join with me and other members of our Parish family and make a donation to the 2026 Appeal.

As you may already be aware, 100% of all the money raised by this fund helps support more than 60 programs and services that the people of our Faith as well as all of the people on Long Island have come to rely on.

These programs include services to people in need; affordable housing for senior citizens; people with disabilities and our veterans, as well as formation of our priests, deacons, lay leaders, and young people. These are just a few of the programs that help make our church and this Island a vibrant and wonderful place to live.

But to help ensure that we can always serve those who come to us for aid, support and spiritual guidance, we need help from you!

If 100 of our parishioners, who have not supported us in the recent past, made a $25 contribution this year – think about how many more people we could help. If that amount is more than you can manage, consider $5 or $10. Every gift counts and makes a difference in the lives of others!

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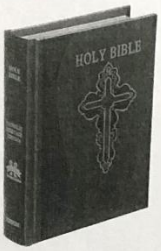

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