

St. Peter Claver Chapel

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Rev. Fr. Christopher Spray – Pastor

Sunday Within the Octave of the Sacred Heart

Monday, June 15 | 7:30am | **Within the Octave, St. Vitus & Companions**

RIP Estelle McLaughlin – Rojas Family

Tuesday, June 16 | 7:30am | **Within the Octave**

Donor Intention - Deceased

Wednesday, June 17 | 7:30am | **Within the Octave**

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Thursday, June 18 | 7:30am | **St. Ephrem, Within the Octave, Sts. Mark & Marcellianus**

Donor Intention - Deceased

Friday, June 19 | 7:30am | **Octave Day of the Sacred Heart, St. Juliana Falconieri, Sts. Gervase & Protase**

Donor Intention - Deceased

Saturday, June 20 | 7:30am | **Our Lady's Saturday, St. Silverius**

Donor Intention - Deceased

• Sunday, June 21 | 9:00am | **4th Sunday after Pentecost,, St. Aloysius Gonzonga**

Pro Populo

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Collection

6/7 - \$255

- There is no intention for the sanctuary lamp this week. Do you have a special intention you would like to present to Our Lord with the candle that keeps watch over Him?
- Please follow our Facebook page at <https://www.facebook.com/spchahnaville>

Sunday within the Octave of the Sacred Heart

In today's Gospel, Our Lord gives us the parables of the Lost Sheep and the Lost Coin. The shepherd seeks the one sheep that has wandered, and the woman searches carefully until she finds the coin that was lost. In both images, Our Lord reveals the merciful love of His Sacred Heart: He does not treat the sinner with indifference, but calls him back to repentance and life.

Every soul is precious in the sight of God, created by Him for eternity and called to the possession of everlasting life. Sin wounds the soul and separates it from God, but it does not make the sinner forgotten by Him. The Sacred Heart of Jesus is moved with mercy toward those who have gone astray, and there is joy in Heaven over even one sinner who does penance.

This Gospel should give us both confidence and humility. Confidence, because no soul should despair of God's mercy. Humility, because each of us must admit how easily we wander from grace through pride, negligence, and attachment to sin. During this Octave of the Sacred Heart, let us allow Our Lord to find us, forgive us, and carry us back to the safety of His love.

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, have mercy on us.

