

This Week

Monday

7:30PM Miraculous Medal Novena

Thursday

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting – Rectory

8:00PM Baptism Preparation Meeting – Rectory

**COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE
SUNDAY, August 23, 2015**

Saturday

4:00PM Maria Mathieu

7:00PM Dan Clifford

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Morisano

9:30AM Anthony Fontana

11:30AM Bill Mirabello

1:15PM Paula Mitkowski

10:00AM OLL Roe Rizzi

**SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST
SUNDAY, August 23, 2015**

Saturday

4:00PM Paul Cobb

7:00PM Debbie Cretella

Sunday

7:30AM Roy Crombie

9:30AM Susan DiScala

11:30AM John Donovan

1:15PM Caroline Ferreri

10:00AM OLL Tim Marshall

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE

On duty the week of August 16 to August 22 – Joe

**The Cenacle of Life Prayer Group meets every Friday
at 4:00PM in the Chapel to recite the Rosary.**

***** PLEASE NOTE *****

There are 7am Masses still available for October, November and December 2015 & a limited number of 10AM Sunday Masses at Our Lady of Lourdes.

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Proverbs 9:1-6

A rich woman invites many guests to her home to eat and drink. She appeals to those who lack understanding to forsake foolishness and “advance in the way of understanding.”

Second Reading: Ephesians 5:15-20

Paul advises the Ephesians to abandon foolish ways and evil deeds. All Christians should concentrate on doing God’s will before all other things. He reminds them to always give thanks to God in the name of Jesus Christ.

Gospel: John 6:51-58

Jesus had just told the crowd that anyone who ate of the bread he planned to give would live forever, and that this bread was his flesh, which he would give up for the sake of the world. The people do not understand, but Jesus reassures them that his flesh is real food and that “those who feed on this bread shall live forever.”

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20th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Aug. 16, 2015

VOCATION VIEW

The Gospel asks for us: “How can Jesus give us His flesh to eat?” Our lack of knowledge does not prevent us from being lured into the mystery. The mystery makes it all the more appealing. Now, do this in memory of Him. If you would like to be a priest or have questions about the priesthood, please contact the Vocation Office at (914) 968-1340 or www.NYPRIEST.COM “**The World Needs Heroes**”



BREAD AND WINE & SANCTUARY LIGHT

We are accepting offerings for the Sanctuary Light and Bread and Wine for the week in memory of your loved ones. Any questions, please call the rectory 718-351-1093.

The Bread and Wine for this week are donated in loving memory of Lorraine Brophy requested by Anne Galli.

The Sanctuary Light for this week burns in loving memory of Keith Johnson, 1st Anniversary, requested by Donna Johnson.

From the Pastor's Desk...

My Dear Brothers and Sisters,

For a long time I wanted to write about the two important events in September 2015 for all of us in Queen of Peace: Pope's Visit to New York and Parish Annual Mission. About the Pope's visit, only this week I received the following official information that applies to us from the Archdiocese:

Tickets will **not** be sold and they will be extremely limited. Please read carefully the info below for more details:

If you live in Archdiocese of New York (Manhattan, the Bronx, Staten Island, Westchester, Putnam, Rockland, Orange, Dutchess, Ulster, or Sullivan counties.):

Pope Francis will only be in the Archdiocese of New York for a very brief time, and tickets will be limited for any events. We do expect to distribute tickets to parishes and other Catholic organizations and institutions throughout the archdiocese, who will then extend invitations to their members. No tickets will be publicly available through any other means; we suggest that you reach out to your parish after July 1.

To participate at Mass with the Pope in Madison Square Garden is truly a privilege but the tickets are distributed to the parishes on the basis of Sunday Mass attendance. Parishioners registered in our Parish and attend Sunday liturgies regularly here can call the Rectory and make your desire known to me. When the tickets arrive, depending on the numbers of tickets it will be given out people who desire to partake at the Mass.

Parish Annual Mission will be held from September 26th (Saturday) to September 30th (Wednesday). Rev. William Anderson, DMin, PHD, will preach the Mission. Our Parish Annual Mission is a very important time to rejuvenate our spiritual and parish life. Please set your schedule to attend this scripture scholar and retreat preacher to guide us to a stronger faith life. May I request all of you to pray for these two events! August 15th is 40 days before the World Families Meeting in Philadelphia. Prayer Cards will be distributed and the special prayer for its success will be prayed after Holy Communion at all the Masses.

God Bless You
Fr. Pancrose

FATHER GANNON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

This Fund is alive and well! It helps students who attend OLQP School to remain in school when their family suffers a long term set back, such as death, illness, or unemployment. Please make checks payable to:
OLQP/ Father Gannon Scholarship Fund

PRAAYER FOR OUR PARISH

Heavenly Father, bless our parish family.
Unite us with your Son as one body.
Fill our hearts with love for one another.
Help us to spread the Gospel
And to foster vocations to the Priesthood and Religious Life.

Through the intercession of Mary our Mother,
May our families stay united in love.
May our children grow in faith.
May our elderly and homebound be cared for.
May our sick be healed
And may our grieving parishioners be consoled
As they share in the cross of Christ.

Bless our Pope, our Cardinal and all Bishops
As they shepherd the faithful throughout the world.
Bless all Priests, Deacons and Religious-
Especially those who have served
And are serving the people of our parish now.

Mary our Mother
Queen of Peace, Our Lady of Lourdes
Protect us, inspire us and lead us to your Son.
Be with us now and always. Amen.

HAVE YOU HEARD GOD CALLING YOU?

Our Lady Queen of Peace Religious Education Program has openings for Catechists, adult aides and high school aides. Please contact Mrs. Barbara Orleman at 718-979-0989 to arrange for an interview with Father Pancrose and Mrs. Orleman.

REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR ESTATE PLAN

Include Our Lady Queen of Peace and Our Lady of Lourdes as a beneficiary of your retirement plan. This is a terrific way for you to support OLQP and OLL. If you would like to speak to a gift planning specialist, please email the Office of Gift Planning at gift.planning@archny.org. or call 646-794-3317.

WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER

"Advance in the way of understanding..." A Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is great continuing education for your Marriage or Holy Orders. For more information, go to www.wwme.org or call toll free: 877-NYS-WWME ext.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, August 17

7:00AM Alba & Gaetano Migliorini
8:30AM Alfred Bocchetti, Sr.

Tuesday, August 18

7:00AM Arthur Petersen
8:30AM Mary Schipani

Wednesday, August 19 – St. John Eudes, Priest

7:00AM Sr. Celerinda & Sr. Carmelina
8:30AM Madeline Tartara

Thursday, August 20 – St. Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church

7:00AM Jiroudek Family
8:30AM Alfred Bocchetti, Sr.

Friday, August 21 – St. Pius X, Pope

7:00AM Keith Johnson – 1st Anniversary
8:30AM John & Mary Sargini

Saturday, August 22 – The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00AM Stella Mione
8:30AM Joseph Picataggio

4:00PM Deceased Members of the
Hanley-Dillon Family
7:00PM Viola Kearney

Sunday, August 23

7:30AM Anthony Romano
9:30AM Eileen Frances McKeon
11:30AM People of the Parish
1:15PM Caroline Dell'Anno – 1st Anniversary
10:00AM OLL Louise Curatola – 1st Anniversary

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Let us pray for the repose of the souls of our deceased parishioners and God's comfort for their families

Rose Marie Gentile, Vincent A. Chiara, Raymond J. Flannagan, Jr., Edward Cappola

Papal Visit to New York

August is here and that means there are only 40 days left until Pope Francis joins us in the Archdiocese of New York!

50/50 Monthly Drawing

The 50/50 drawing will be held the last week of every month. Yellow 50/50 envelopes are provided in your envelope package and also at the back of the Church. The cost is \$5.00. You can drop the envelopes in the collection basket. To be eligible to win, please be sure to get your entry in soon! Good Luck to all.

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Judith Stapleton, Frank Comparato, Joseph Cali, Patricia De Laurentis, Lena Magno, Anthony Magno, William Fannon Jr., Michael Camera, James Adrian, Salvatrice Galatro, Shannon Craig, Joseph Bilotti, Jr., Rose Tabbanella, Al Tabbanella, Ernest Velez, Clara Guglielmi, Jayce Monty, Antoinette Piraneo, Rita Clohessy, Emily Driscall, Daniela Vanico, Toniann Vigneri, Michael Bifalco, Joseph Bifalco, Susan Moore, Ann Margaret Zaino, Kelsey Heaney, Joe Scirone, John Mandato, Matilda Costanza, Anthony DeAngelis, Jeremy Castillo, Leila Idelfanso, Lorraine Costa, Michael Volpe, Rosaria Sepulveda, Janet Viso, Esteban Gonzalez, Paul Rydell, Peter Discenza, Ursula Torre, Frank Aiello, Jane Logan, Rose Sgarlato, Richard Tuite, Danny DeMeo, Patricia DeMeo, Jodiann Altamura, Rose Mattera, Helena Mahon, Pauline LaFonte, Anthony Schiavone, William Fallon, Angela Ricca, Sophia Madeline Sanzone, Jeanne Stern, Lillian Bilotti, Jean Maffeo, Maria Riggio, Violet Buzzanca, Paul Gregis, Giovanna Rivera, Loretta Gaeta, Lennie Gaeta, Christina Corrieri Paradino, Thomas Ciotola, James Remias, Melodi Roy, Marie Diloia, Gerald Frederick, Suzzane Astuo, Derrill Roy, Nicole Viola, Carla Marie Russo, Pauline Cipriano, Daniel Woods, Carmen Ramos, Katherine Nikatas, Kriss Murphy, Theresa Raimondi, Edna Ventimiglia, Peggy Weaver, Michael Cianci, Jr., Andre Bocchiaro, James Anthony Parker, Carmen Oliveras, Anna Indio, William Gonzalez, Amy Altuna, Carol Wetmore, Geraldine Cosentino, Christina Viso,, John Pape, Cameron King, Valerie Schiavone, Frank DiGregorio, Grace Turner, Elsa Griswold, Joseph Esposito, Baby Juliette Florio-Perez, Rose Stingo, Palma Milano, Peter Kyvellos, Christie Schaff, Rose Sullivan, Joel Rivera, Anthony Gerard Donato, Grace Bruno, Millie Shea, Craig Inducci, Tom LaMantia, Concetta Friscia, Antoinette Olmeda, Tina Bove, Corrine Alaimo, Ruth Jernegan, Marlene Olivieri, Thomas DeAngelis, Christina Blumstein, John Schiera, Michael Goldstein, Katie, Frank Ambrosio, John Kelly, Jenna Esposito, Anthony Bocchetti, Steve Sgarlato, Carol DeCastro, Phillip Leone, Katherine McHugh, Thomas Keenan, Carol Gilroy, Ann Gray, Lucille Waters, Alanna Shea, Ralph Pennacchio, Kathleen Burke, Thomas Gaither, Tom Bluemke, Michael Esposito, Michael Bisker, Baby Cameron Helmuth, Kejsi Mesutllari, Josephine Dedicos, William Cianci, Anna Vetter, Mary Pollina, Gabriela Surowiec, Rita Scalzo, James Fleury, Janet Logon, Victor Raimondi, Nicholas Iljic, Michael Spatola

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE SUNDAY, August 16, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM D. Ciaccio, C. Stumpf
7:00PM V. Terrana, A. Terrana

Sunday

7:30AM C. Emenogu, C. Emenogu
9:30AM A. Giambone, K. Laino
11:30AM A. Ivers, A. Messler
1:15PM P. Drew, N. Drew
10:00AM OLL V. Cioffi

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE SUNDAY, August 23, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM L. DiPietro, A. DiPietro
7:00PM F. Marchese, I. Marchese

Sunday

7:30AM D. Kennedy, M. Hanley
9:30AM L. Giarrusso, C. Milisci
11:30AM J. Milillo, C. Mulé
1:15PM J. Olsen, N. Plotkin
10:00AM OLL J. Ardi

RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

ADULT CONFIRMATION PROGRAM

Archdiocesan Catechetical Office

for Baptized adult Catholics who have already received First Holy Communion will be held at

Our Lady of Pity Church
1616 Richmond Avenue

Tuesday evenings 7:00pm – 8:30pm

From September 28th through November 16th

Confirmation Mass at Our Lady of Pity

Monday, November 30, 2015

Registration **must** be done through the Archdiocese – Contact Jasmine Gomez, Administrative Assistant

Catechumenate, Family Catechesis, Catechetical Office

Archdiocese of New York

1011 First Avenue New York, New York 10022

212-371-1011 ext. 2859 for information

RCIA@NYFaithFormation.org

www.nyfaithformation.org

Parish Religious Education Program Registration

Registration for September, 2015 classes needs to take place in August

For questions, please call 718-979-0989 and speak with or leave a message for Mrs. Barbara Orleman, coordinator.

Religious Education Classes are held on the following days:

Wednesday- Grades 1 through 4: 4:00pm to 5:30pm

Thursday- Grades 5 through 7: 4:00pm to 5:30pm

PLEASE NOTE:

You must be a registered parishioner of OLQP using your Church envelopes.

Attention: Parents of Catholic Academy Students

(St. Dorothy, St. John Villa, St. Joseph Hill, Notre Dame)

Communion 2016 and Confirmation 2016

Please call the Parish Religious Education Office to make an appointment for registration of your 2nd grader (Sept., 2015) or 7th grader (Sept., 2015) at 718-979-0989.

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Five Reasons to Go to Mass Every Sunday

Increase the power of your prayers. In Church, you get to pray directly to Jesus. “For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them” (Matthew 18:20).

Claim your right. As a baptized Christian, you have the right to put your needs before Jesus and to offer your gifts to the Creator.

Find something new. You can always find at least one idea within the Mass that makes sense, seems possible, practical, intriguing, or worth thinking about in terms of your own life. Look for it in the readings, the Gospel, the homily, the intercessions, or the Eucharistic prayers.

It's easy evangelization. Your presence in Church tells others that you consider your faith important.

Pray like the best. Most of the words of the Mass address God in tones and phrases that are more beautiful than we could come up with on our own.

Tune in to the words, especially the Eucharistic prayer, and make them your own.

From “Growing in Faith”

CALLING ALL 8TH GRADERS! TACHS

Test for Admission into Catholic High Schools

Archdiocese of New York Test Date: Nov. 6, 2015

Diocese of Brooklyn/Queens

Test Date: Nov. 7, 2015

Three ways to register:

1. Internet – www.tachsinfo.com by October 19, 2015
2. Telephone – 1866-618-2247 by October 19, 2015
3. Mail – Registration Form & fee must be received before October 7, 2015

Student Handbook and/or Registration Forms are available at:

- www.tachsinfo.com
- Your local Catholic elementary or high school
- 1-866-618-2247 to request a copy

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