This Week

Today

9:30AM OLQP Rosary & Altar Society Mass –

followed by meeting in Fr. Hopkins Hall

Monday

7:00PM All Souls Memorial Mass 7:30PM Miraculous Medal Novena

Thursday

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting – Rectory

First Friday

Masses: OLQP 7:00AM and 8:30AM Eucharistic Adoration 9AM to 9PM

First Saturday

Our Lady of Fatima Devotions – after the 8:30AM Mass

Sunday

9:30AM Holy Name Society/Fathers Club Mass

COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE SUNDAY, November 8, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM Maria Mathieu 7:00PM Barbara Orleman

Sunday

7:30AM Graceann Morawek

9:30AM Mike Milillo 11:30AM Bill Mirabello 1:15PM Paula Mitkowski 10:00AM OLL Roseanne Allen

SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST SUNDAY, November 8, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM Toni Castelli 7:00PM Dan Clifford

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Rosko 9:30AM Roy Crombie 11:30AM Alice Cobb 1:15PM Caroline Ferreri 10:00AM OLL Deacon Tom

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE

On duty the week of Nov. 1 to Nov. 7 – Joe

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

ALL SAINTS

First Reading: Revelations 7:2-4, 9-14

John recounts for us the details of his vision. An angel bearing the seal of the living God demands that the land and sea not be destroyed; huge crowds stand before the throne of the Lamb crying out that salvation comes from God; angels gathered round and praised God; an elder questions John and explains that those dressed in white are the ones who have survived the great period of trial.

Second Reading: 1 John 3:1-3

Once again John speaks to us of love. He points out to us the great love that the Father has for us by allowing us to be called children of God. John explains that the world doesn't recognize us because it never recognized Jesus. Our future will be revealed to us and in that light we shall see him as he is.

Gospel: Matthew 5:1-12a

When Jesus saw the crowds of people he went up to the mountainside gathered his disciples around him and began to teach them. This lesson in love has come to be known to us as the great "Sermon on the Mount" or "The Beatitudes."

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All Saints

Nov. 1, 2015

VOCATION VIEW

All-Hallows-Evening forces us to consider the life beyond our seeing. Those who have gone before us claim us as part of their family and lure us into heaven. A Vocation haunts us with the powerful possibility of our lives. 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"

We Welcomed the Newly Baptized to our parish

Luke Edmund Coppa

The Bread and Wine for this week are donated in loving memory of Peter Brunetti requested by Maria & Sebastian Colella.

The Sanctuary Light for this week burns in loving memory of Elvira Kirst requested by Maria & Sebastian Colella.

"A BRIGHT TEACHING THAT MAKES GOOD MARRIAGES GREAT"

By Theresa Notare, PhD From "charisindia" September, 2015

Most people enter marriage wanting the best for their spouses and themselves. They want their love to last forever. They hope life won't be too hard and that they too can have the American dream of children, a home and a happy life. These are good things to aspire to. The Catholic Church has similar desires for married couples but goes further. The Church wants good marriages to become great! How? By living God's plan for married love!

Today there are a number of modern practices that are actually bad for marriage. Chapter 7 in the catechism of the World Meeting on the Family sheds light on one of these negative practices: contraception. That may sound strange to many people because popular thought says that contraception is "practical" and even "necessary" in modern life. So, why would the Catholic Church insist that contraception is wrong and against God's plan? The answer may surprise you. It has to do with how God designed the nature of men, women, and marriage.

Men and women are created in God's image. This means that God has given men and women a share in His own nature which includes the ability to love, form relationships, be faithful, forgive, and even procreate. In God's plan, human sexuality is a means by which a man and a woman bring the unique gifts of their masculinity and femininity to each other to form friendships. When we consider that human fertility is part of sexuality, we can see that it is a central gift from God since it is the way by which new life is brought into the world.

In marriage man and woman create a two-in-one-flesh communion of persons for the "whole of life" – a total self-giving union oriented to the good of the spouses and to having and caring for children (see the *Code of Canon Law*, Can. 1055). God designed marriage to form the family. Within the covenant of marriage, sexual intercourse is the act where husband and wife give all of themselves to each other to express their love and also to cooperate with God to bring new life into the world. St. John Paul II reminds couples that "nothing that is part of themselves can be excluded from this gift" (Message to Centre for Natural Fertility Regulation, 27 Feb. 1998). Their fertility, their power to participate with God in creating a new person to love in union with each other, is part of that gift. And herein lies the reason why contraception is wrong.

Contraception breaks the "inseparable connection" between the two meanings of the conjugal act, the love-giving and life-giving (see *Humanae vitae*, no. 12). In other words, God designed sexual intercourse to be both where the spouses can *give* and *accept* the total gift of themselves to each other, and also *receive* the gift of new life if it comes. When couples use contraception, they basically reject not only something of each other, but also God's gift of fertility. In fact, contraceptive sex locks God

out of the very union which He designed for their benefit. This is ultimately harmful to the couple.

So what are couples to do if they need to space or limit births in marriage? The Church answers with the natural methods of family planning or NFP. NFP methods respect God's design for married love for married love. They do nothing to separate the life-giving potential from the love-giving nature of sexual intercourse. Couples simply refrain from sexual intercourse during their fertile time if they decide to postpone attempting pregnancy.

The Church's teachings on the moral spacing of births in marriage are a real bright spot for married couples. They represent God's invitation to husband and wife to live their marital love according to His plan. Couples who accept God's design for married love often remark that their marriages are stronger due to their mutual growth in a deeper respect for the gifts that God has given them. The light of God's truth is necessary for making good marriages great!

(Theresa Notare, PhD is assistant Director of the Natural Family Planning Program of the United States Conference of Catholic Bishops.)

VIRGIN STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA

The International Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima will be present here in Our Lady Queen of Peace Church on Saturday, November 7th. Details of the program to follow.

ALL SOULS DAY MASS ON NOVEMBER 2ND

Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish is celebrating a Memorial Mass on Monday, November 2nd at 7pm for all the faithful departed souls whose funerals were held from our Church this past year. All are invited to come pray for them.

GIVE-A-GIFT PROGRAM

OLQP/OLL GIVE-A-GIFT PROGRAM is about to begin. We are in the process of preparing the tags with the gift request information attached. If you know of anyone or any family in need of some Christmas Cheer, please call Diane 718-980-1532 or Joanne 718-979-0620. This information will be kept confidential.

FATHER GANNON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Please make checks payable to: OLQP/ Father Gannon Scholarship Fund

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, November 2 - All Souls' Day

7:00AM Edward P. Cappola 8:30AM Michael Pagano

Tuesday, November 3 - St. Martin de Porres, Religious

7:00AM Joseph Hoffman

8:30AM Michael Pagano - Requested by the OLQP Rosary & Altar Society

Wednesday, November 4 - St. Charles Borromeo, **Bishop**

7:00AM All Souls Novena 8:30AM Mary Lou & Ed Nutley

Thursday, November 5

7:00AM In Thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart of Jesus -**Edward Pyryt**

8:30AM Alfred Bocchetti, Sr.

Friday, November 6

7:00AM Deceased Members of the

Seaver-Casazza Family

8:30AM Loretta Leavy

Saturday, November 7

7:00AM All Souls Novena 8:30AM John O'Connor

4:00PM Anna & Michael Paccione

7:00PM Victoria D'Agostino

Sunday, November 8

7:30AM John Marmion

9:30AM Deceased Members of the Holy Name Society

11:30AM Dr. John A. Kuhn – 20th Anniversary

1:15PM People of the Parish

10:00AM OLL Gloria lacampo

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Let us pray for the repose of the souls of our deceased parishioners and God's comfort for their families especially Viola latauro, Theresa K. Chmilarski



- 3. Francesca Grant & Anthony Castelao
- 2. Christina DiFinizio & John DeCrescenzo

REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR ESTATE PLAN

Remember Our Lady Queen of Peace and Our Lady of Lourdes in your estate plan. If you would like to speak to a gift planning specialist about how to include OLQP and OLL in your will or living trust, please email the Office of Gift Planning at gift.planning@archny.org. or call 646-794-3317.

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, Danny DeMeo, Patricia DeMeo, Jodiann Altamura, Rose Mattera, Helena Mahon, Pauline LaFonte, Anthony Schiavone, William Fallon, Angela Ricca, Sophia Madeline Sanzone, Jeanne Sterm, 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, Baby Cameron Helmuth, Kejsi Mesutllari, Josephine Dedicos, William Cianci, Anna Vetter, Mary Pollina, Gabriela Surowiec, Rita Scalzo, Janet Logon, Victor Raimondi, Nicholas Ilijic, Michael Spatola, Frances Dicembre, Yolanda Mazza, Rosina Agunzo, Kathleen Fusco, Maeve Conlon, Andrew Biancomano, Muriel McKeon

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE SUNDAY, November 1, 2015

Saturday

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

Sunday

7:30AM L. MacDonald, S. MacDonald

9:30AM C. Milisci, J. Milillo

11:30AM K. Petrik, A. Messler

1:15PM H. Rafferty, N. Plotkin

10:00AM OLL V. Cioffi

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE SUNDAY, November 8, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM R. Santos, M. Rojas

7:00PM T. Persichetty, L. Persichetty

Sunday

7:30AM M. Scafuri, V. Venditti

9:30AM P. Ryan, J. Salvador

11:30AM G. Piccolo, M. Sheehan

1:15PM G. Russo, V. Sparacio

10:00AM OLL J. Ardi

OLQP SCHOOL NEWS

Our Lady Queen of Peace NITE-AT-THE-RACES

Sponsored by Holy Name Society/Fathers Club

Saturday, November 7th Gym Doors open at 7:30pm

\$10 per person in advance (\$20 at the Door) includes hot dogs, beer, wine, soda, chips, coffee and cake

Raffle Prizes: \$500/\$200/\$100 prize baskets and 50/50

Must be 21 years or older for admission Please call 347-992-1895 for reservations

OPEN HOUSES 2015

Sunday, November 1st

Notre Dame Academy – 1pm to 4pm St. Peter's Boys – 1pm to 4pm

WE WELCOMED THE NEWLY REGISTERED FAMILIES TO OUR PARISH IN THE MONTHS OF JULY, AUGUST & SEPTEMBER

Mr. & Mrs. Frank Pisani, Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Martinez, Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Ledger, Mr. David Pineda, Miss Lauren Venturelli, Mr. & Mrs. Vincent Calvo, The Wydra-Perez Family, Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Zwistowski, Mr. & Mrs. Salvatore Giglio, The Facciola-D'Agostino Family, Mr. & Mrs. Salvatore Sciove, Miss Amanda Coppola, Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Russo, Ms. Eva Hansen, Mr. Edward J. Wagner, Mr. & Mrs. Wessam Fahmy, Miss Kristen Madden, Mr. & Mrs. Shawn Barca, Mr. & Mrs. JuanCarlos Colon, Dr. & Mrs. Michael Costa, Mr. & Mrs. Edmund Coppa, The Farriella-Labour Family, Miss Victoria Altieri-Datello, Mr. & Mrs. Arion Guyon, Mrs. Margaret Maddocks, Mr. & Mrs. Kenneth McCormick, Mr. & Mrs. Michael Malafronte, Miss Lisa Ann Albano, Mr. & Mrs. Carlos Tax-Alvarez, Mr. & Mrs. Anthony Bartolo, Ms. Kimberly Clarke, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Tala-Tala, Mr. & Mrs. Francesco Martinelli, Mr. & Mrs. Salvatore Esposito, Mr. & Mrs. Benito Linares, Mr. & Mrs. Anton Gjini

RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

Parish Religious Education Program

Come visit the "Our Lady Queen of Peace Gallery of Saints"

From Saturday, October 24th through Monday, November 2nd

The Parish 7th Grade Confirmation Candidates have completed their Confirmation Saint projects. All of them will be on display in the Lower Chapel.

Mrs. Barbara Orleman

THE HOLY WHITE MASS FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS

(Named for the traditional white coats & uniforms worn in health care)

Thursday, November 5th at 7:30pm (Recognizing St. Luke, author of the Gospel & "Beloved Physician...")

Blessed Sacrament Parish 30 Manor Road

Mass will include "Blessing of the Healing Hands" Presider: Monsignor Peter Finn

Reception to follow in the Parish School Hall For further information, contact Dr. Constance Salhany at csalhany@aol.com or 347-273-1290

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.

Congratulations to our October 50/50 Winner! Mrs. John Tasso- \$560