

This Week

Sunday

9:00AM OLQP Rosary & Altar Society Mass

Tuesday – Feast of the Immaculate Conception

(See schedule)

Thursday

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting – Rectory

Saturday

10:00AM Peace & Forgiveness Day –
2nd Graders & Parents – Last Name M-Z

Sunday

9:00AM Holy Name Society/Fathers Club Mass

COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, December 13, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM Edwin Hall-Clarke

7:00PM Victoria Davis

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Morisano

9:30AM Mike Milillo

11:30AM Bill Mirabello

1:15PM Maria Paronich

10:00AM OLL – Peter Goodwin

SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

SUNDAY, December 13, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM Denise Hall-Clarke

7:00PM Lisa Fontana

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Rosko

9:30AM Irene Harrison

11:30AM Michael O'Brien

1:15PM Caroline Ferreri

10:00AM OLL – Dolores Widlund

We Welcomed the Newly Baptized to our parish

Charlotte Christina Anzalone

Andrew Michael Costello

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE

On duty the week of Dec. 6 to Dec. 12 – Carol

The Bread and Wine for this week are donated in loving memory of Raymond J. Flanagan, Jr. requested by Catherine Smith.

The Sanctuary Light for this week burns in loving memory of Raymond J. Flanagan requested by Anne Ritchie.

The Feast of the Immaculate Conception

The Masses on the Feast of the Immaculate Conception will be as follows:

Monday: OLQP 7:00PM

Tuesday: OLQP 6:30am, 8:00am, 9:00am, 12noon
& 7:00PM
OLL 7:00PM



Christmas Eve, Thursday, December 24th

4:00PM Upper Church

4:00PM Lower Chapel

5:30PM (Cherubs & Choristers)

12:00 Midnight (Sanctuary Choir)

9:00PM – Our Lady of Lourdes

Beginning at 11:30PM on Christmas Eve, the Sanctuary Choir will offer Holiday Music. Come early and enjoy some of our Christmas Music.

Christmas Day, Friday, December 25th

7:30AM, 9:30AM, 10:00AM (OLL), 11:30AM & 1:15PM

SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

First Reading: Baruch 5:1-9

Baruch tells Jerusalem to rejoice because of God's plan to bring his exiled people back to Jerusalem. He emphasizes God's power and describes his plan to lower mountains and fill gorges to make their journey easier.

Second Reading: Philippians 1:4-6, 8-11

Paul encourages the Philippians to love each other completely. He hopes that their love and understanding will continue to grow so that they are prepared for the return of Christ.

Gospel: Luke 3:1-6

Luke describes the work John the Baptist carried out to help people prepare for the birth of Jesus. Luke also discusses who was in power at the time, which helped historians to figure out the exact dates of certain events, including Jesus' birth.

*From our Holy Father
Pope Francis...*

Dear brothers and sisters, I have often thought of how the Church may render more clear her mission to be a witness to mercy; and we have to make this journey. It is a journey which begins with spiritual conversion. Therefore, I have decided to announce an Extraordinary Jubilee which has at its center the mercy of God. It will be a **Holy Year of Mercy**. We want to live in the light of the word of the Lord: "**Be merciful, even as your Father is merciful**" (cf. Lk 6:36). And this especially applies to confessors! So much mercy!

This Holy Year will commence on the next Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception and will conclude on Sunday, 20 November 2016, the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe and living face of the Father's mercy. I entrust the organization of this Jubilee to the Pontifical Council for Promoting the New Evangelization, in order that it may come to life as a new step on the Church's journey in her mission to bring the Gospel of mercy to each person.

I am confident that the whole Church, which is in such need of mercy for we are sinners, will be able to find in this Jubilee the joy of rediscovering and rendering fruitful God's mercy, with which we are all called to give comfort to every man and every woman of our time. Do not forget that God forgives all, and God forgives always. Let us never tire of asking forgiveness. Let us henceforth entrust this Year to the Mother of Mercy, that she turn her gaze upon us and watch over our journey: our penitential journey, our year-long journey with an open heart, to receive the indulgence of God, to receive the mercy of God

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

HOLY YEAR OF MERCY

December 8, 2015 – November 20, 2016

"It is a favorable time to heal wounds, a time to offer everyone the way of Forgiveness and Reconciliation."

Pope Francis

Corporal Works of Mercy

- To Feed the Hungry
- To Give Drink to the Thirsty
- To Clothe the Naked
- To Shelter the Homeless
- To Care for the Sick
- To Visit the Imprisoned
- To Bury the Dead

Spiritual Works of Mercy

- To Convert Sinners
- To Instruct the Ignorant
- To Advise the Doubtful
- To Comfort the Sorrowful
- To Bear Wrongs Patiently
- To Forgive Injuries
- To Pray for the Living and Dead

"A Time to Heal, to Help, to Forgive."



**The Daughters of St. Paul
Book Fair**

Saturday, December 5th and
Sunday, December 6th

in Fr. Hopkins Hall after all the Masses

Choose from a large variety of
Books, CDs & DVDs for all ages

Great Catholic Christmas Gifts!!!



**OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE
ROSARY & ALTAR SOCIETY**

Christmas Luncheon

Sunday, December 13, 2015

12:00pm – 4:00pm

Bocelli Restaurante
1250 Hylan Boulevard

\$40 per person includes salad, pasta, choice from three entrees, wine, soda, dessert & coffee or tea.

For reservations, please call Arlene Bocchetti at
718-979-2615



GIVE-A-GIFT PROGRAM

OLQP/OLL GIVE-A-GIFT PROGRAM has begun. Please pick a tag from the bows near the entrances of the Church. Gifts will be collected on December 12th and 13th **in the Rectory** before and after the Masses. The necessary information is on the tags.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, December 7 – St. Ambrose, Bishop & Doctor of the Church

7:00AM Joel Ciminieri
8:30AM Frank Scafuri, Jr.
7:00PM Michael Cianci, Sr.

Tuesday, December 8 – The Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

6:30AM Salvatore C. Ingianne
8:00AM Carmine Esposito III
9:00AM Michael J. Kindya
12:00PM Philip DiTeodoro
7:00PM OLQP Victoria D'Agostino
7:00PM OLL Jennie & John Smith

Wednesday, December 9 – St. Juan Diego Cuahtlatotzin

7:00AM Deceased Members of the
Seaver-Casazza Family
8:30AM Dr. John A. Kuhn

Thursday, December 10

7:00AM Lorraine Bond
8:30AM Patrick, Rose & Annette Brandefine

Friday, December 11 – St. Damasus I, Pope

7:00AM James & Helen Brophy
8:30AM Grace & Peter Luke Burzi

Saturday, December 12 – Our Lady of Guadalupe

7:00AM Dr. Michael Capobianco
8:30AM Sebastiano DiGrazia

4:00PM Peter J. Musalo
7:00PM Luciano & Maria DiNatale

Sunday, December 13

7:30AM Edna Carannante & Timothy Hogan
9:30AM Deceased Members of the
Holy Name Society
11:30AM Adrian J. Maleady
1:15PM People of the Parish
10:00AM OLL Merino & Widlund Families

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 Louis Cumiskey, Diane DiGiacomo, Gertrude Calvacca, Clement Ida, Rita DiStefano, Agnes Bartunek

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., 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, 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, Salvatore Turturici, Julie Petosa, Caroline DiBella, Antonia Pistone

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, December 6, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM P. Ryan, R. Santos
7:00PM V. Terrana, A. Terrana

Sunday

7:30AM D. Kennedy, A. Giambrone
9:30AM J. Salvador, M. Rojas
11:30AM G. Russo, M. Sheehan
1:15PM V. Sparacio, M. Scafuri
10:00AM OLL V. Cioffi

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, December 13, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM C. Stumpf, A. Sciortino
7:00PM R. Byrnes, V. Venditti

Sunday

7:30AM O. LaGrua, D. Kennedy
9:30AM J. Ursino, C. Boyle
11:30AM B. Bencivenga, G. Capobianco
1:15PM L. Carl, A. Clarke
10:00AM OLL R. Cioffi



Congratulations To Our Newlyweds

Mr. & Mrs. Eamon Crowley
Mr. & Mrs. Louis Schroeder

OLQP SCHOOL NEWS

Congratulations to the following OLQP 7th and 8th Grade students who received First Quarter Honors for the 2015-2016 School Year:

1st Honors 7-R

John Ardi, Robert Barravecchio, Kelli Barrett, Leila Carl, Christian Carnemolla, Nicholas DiMonda, Christine Fahmy, Michael Fallucca, Patrick Gardner, Gregory Gullo, Ava Hanley, Anna Horohoe, Matthew LaPointe, Alyssa Lombardi, Nicholas Paquette, Anthony Rizzi, Gianna Russo, Sebastian Skorupa, Christopher Stumpf, Sarah Sullivan, Joseph Termini, Anthony Terrana, Jeremiah Toto, Megan Trapanese

2nd Honors 7-R

Jackie Calise, Veronica Dato, Nicholas Drew

1st Honors 7-P

Christina Chapman, Luca DiPietro, Marie Fanizza, Julia Gallo, Michael Guli, Frederick Hassel, Madison Isaksen, Thomas Libretto, Marie Marra, Robert Messler, Victoria Militano, Matthew Newton, Victoria O'Brien, Hailey Opulski, Sophia Pearl, Thomas Pisano, Haley Piscopo, Domenick Scafuri, Patrick Shields, Victoria Tullo, Sophia Vitolo

2nd Honors 7-P

Gianna Brigante, Jian Castillo, Chelsea Churuba, Alyssa Cobb, Aidan Ivers, Emily Lynch, Danielle Mongelli, Matthew Moskowitz, Elaina Mulé, Justina Ursino

1st Honors 8-P

Ryan Byrnes, Dominic Ciaccio, William Danis, Olivia DiTommaso, Marian Gerges, Madison Gioia, Lauren Habib, Bernard Kelly III, Julia Kennedy, Christopher Lombardi, Renata Macri, Daniel Mahon, Gabriella Piccolo, Alyssa Rotondo, Frank Scafuri, Tonianne Speciale, Kathryn Sullivan, Gilbert Tohme, Dimitri Tropaitis, Paul Tulino

2nd Honors 8-P

Angela Brusgard, Michael Costa, Gianna Danza, Christopher DiMonda, Bryan Raftery, Lawrence Toto, Gianna Vinciguerra

1st Honors 8-G

Danielle Bellantoni, Jon-Paul Bourgelais, Emma Carr, Daniel DeFranco, Paul DiGiacomo, Karla Fernandez, Elaina Hansen, Victoria King, Brian Macri, Grace McNamara, Gabriella Rodriguez, Matthew Rose, Ryka Santos, Mariagrazia Stellato, Anthony Zopich

2nd Honors 8-G

Abigail Cruz, Paul Guastella, Nicholas Primiano, Michael Santoriello

OLQP SCHOOL BASKET AUCTION

Saturday, January 9th at 6:30pm OLQP School Gym
Admission: \$10 includes coffee and cake
Val Packs: \$30 each or 2 for \$55

Beautiful baskets, 50/50, Birthday Board and "Lucky" Snowflakes! Please call the school office at 718-351-0370 for reservation information.

RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

Parish Religious Education Program

Reminder to 2nd Grade Parents of School, Religious Education Program and Academy

Peace and Forgiveness Days – Lower Chapel & Fr. Hopkins Hall

Saturday, December 12th 10am to 12 Noon
Last Names M through Z

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE DISCIPLES FOR THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER

Jesus said, "Follow Me."

The following students have portrayed kindness, empathy and unselfishness towards others. They are truly disciples of Jesus.

John Mullin, Alexa Kirchhoffer, Quinn Francis, Hayden Bennett, John Cerda, Nicholas Harrison, Kailee Giarrusso, Nicholas Barrett, Abigail Memmesheimer, Ava Gumb, Sabrina Tax-Alvarez, Isabella Saviolis, Anthony Ulses, Erin Memmesheimer, Joseph Coffey, Gianna Russo, Gianna Danza, Danasia Martinez



OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE

Performing Arts & Drama Club
PROUDLY PRESENTS

"SANTA CLAUS IS COMING TO TOWN"

Our Lady Queen of Peace Auditorium
Friday, December 11th at 7:00PM

Price: \$10 per ticket/ \$7 OLQP students only
Tickets sold on a First Come, First Serve Basis
OLQP School, 718-351-0370



CHRISTMAS FAIR

Monsignor Farrell High School

Sunday, Dec. 6th 10am to 5pm
2900 Amboy Road

50/50 Monthly Drawing

**Congratulations
to our November 50/50 Winner!
Mrs. Grace Klee- \$557.50**