

**This Week**

**Today**

9:30AM Holy Name Society/Fathers Club Mass

**Thursday**

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting - Rectory

8:00PM Baptism Preparation Meeting

**Sunday**

9:30AM Legion of Mary Mass

11:30AM Family Mass

**COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE  
SUNDAY, November 19, 2017**

**Saturday**

4:00PM Peter Orleman

7:00PM Maria Mathieu

**Sunday**

7:30AM Mike Milillo

9:30AM Edwin Hall-Clarke

11:30AM Family Mass

1:15PM Paula Mitkowski

10:00AM OLL Anthony Morisano

**SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST  
SUNDAY, November 19, 2017**

**Saturday**

4:00PM Toni Castelli

7:00PM Cathy McGill

**Sunday**

7:30AM Dan Clifford

9:30AM Tina Bove

11:30AM Barbara Orleman

1:15PM Caroline Ferreri

10:00AM OLL Mary Sessa

**ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE**

On-duty the week of November 12 to November 18 - Joe

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

We must keep remembering what God has done for us, praising Him for what He has given us, and thanking Him for His forgiveness. But above all, the Lord Himself is worth remembering just for who He is.

Always remember to forget the troubles that pass your way, but never forget to remember the blessing that come each day. Amen

**THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**First Reading: Wisdom 6:12-16**

Regarded as personifying God's power, Wisdom is readily and easily found by those who seek her.

**Second Reading: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18**

The Thessalonians, who fear that those who have died will miss Christ's return, are comforted by Paul's assurance that those "who have died in Christ will rise first."

**Gospel: Matthew 25:1-13**

In the parable of the five sensible bridesmaids and the five foolish bridesmaids, Jesus emphasizes the fact that we must always be ready for the coming of Christ because in his words, "You know not the day or the hour."

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**32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time November 12, 2017**

**VOCATION VIEW**

We usually put a great amount of preparation into big events like weddings, anniversaries and parties of all kinds. We should prepare much more for the final banquet in the kingdom of Heaven! If you would like to be a priest or have questions about the priest-hood, please contact the Vocation Office at (914) 968-1340 or [www.NYPRIEST.COM](http://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.

***We Welcomed the Newly Baptized  
to our parish***

James Anthony Acuna, Jr, Alivia Rose Castagliola,  
Gabiella Rae Deshong, Gabriel Orecchia and  
Lucas Orecchia

**Come to me all you who labor and are heavily  
burdened, and I will refresh you and give you the  
peace of soul**

**(Mt. 11:28-29)**

## From the Pastor's Desk ...

My Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Very soon it will be Thanksgiving. Every year we make a second collection in November to assist the needy anywhere in the world called Human Development collection. This year this collection is mainly used to assist poor and needy in our local communities through Catholic Charities. At the last priests' conference one of the Catholic Charities representative explained. His Eminence Cardinal Dolan sent this letter to explain the purpose of it. Please be generous to the needs of our own.

My Brother Priests:

For a century, *Catholic Charities* has been serving New Yorkers in need by providing a range of services that provide help and create hope for the most vulnerable among us, non-Catholics and Catholics alike.

As part of *Catholic Charities* centennial year, I am pleased that we are inaugurating the *Catholic Charities Campaign for Charity and Justice* collection in our parishes. Please know that this is *not* another second collection, but rather a transition of the already rescheduled *Catholic Campaign for Human Development* collection.

In consultation with the *United States Conference of Catholic Bishops*, we are making this change in order to better assist our parishes and local community groups with their charitable and social ministries. I continue to be grateful for your outreach to the neediest in our neighborhoods. This collection, I believe, will help your own efforts, as a portion of the funds raised will be returned to the parishes in small grants to support local social ministry initiatives.

This collection will occur on the weekend before Thanksgiving, November 18 and 19, 2017. You will be receiving more information from *Catholic Charities* about this collection and the small grants available to our parishes.

With renewed gratitude and prayerful best wishes.

Fraternally in Christ,

Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan  
Archbishop of New York

### **PARISH STEWARDSHIP**

Sunday Collection (November 5 <sup>th</sup> )	\$8,623.00
School Support	\$2,465.00
Feast of All Saints (11-1-17)	\$2,165.00
Shrine Candles	\$437.00
Poor Box	\$284.00



### **THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE**

Our Parish, School and Religious Education Program annual food drive has begun. Please bring non-perishable food items and canned goods to the rectory or with your children to class. They will be distributed to food pantries on Staten Island.



### **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 Denise at 347-538-3353, Edwin at 347-538-5680 or Elizabeth at 718-980-9502. This information will be kept confidential.

### **Xavier Society for the Blind**

With an existing catalog of over 1,400 braille and audio titles, Xavier Society for the Blind provides inspirational, spiritual and religious reading materials in braille, audio and/or large print to the blind and visually impaired community of faithful free of charge, including:

- Monthly readings, prayers and responses for the Sunday Mass and selected Feast Days and Solemnities.
- Faith formation textbooks for children and adults.
- Many popular titles related to the Catholic Church.

If you know a family member, friend or anyone who could benefit from our services please call (800)637-9193 or visit our website -xaviersocietyfortheblind.org, e-mail us at info@xaviersocietyfortheblind.org

### **PROJECT HOSPITALITY POOR PEOPLE'S DINNER**

The "Poor People's Dinner" to benefit Project Hospitality will take place on Monday, November 20<sup>th</sup> at 6pm at the Staten Island Hilton Garden Inn. Join us for a simple meal of soup, bread and water to show your support for poor and hungry neighbors in our community. This year's keynote speaker will be Conor and Patti Ann McDonald., the son and wife of the late NYPD Officer Steven McDonald. Tickets are \$75 for individuals, \$50 for senior citizens and \$35 for students. Various sponsorship opportunities are also available. call 718-448-1544 ext. 101. To purchase ticket:

<https://projecthospitality.ticketspice.com/project-hospitalitys-20th-annual-poor-peoples-dinner>

### **FATHER GANNON SCHOLARSHIP FUND**

This Fund 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.

## ANNOUNCED MASSES

### Monday, November 13 – Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini, Virgin

7:00AM Theresa Raimondi  
8:30AM All Souls Novena

### Tuesday, November 14

7:00AM Antoinette Olmeda - Healing  
8:30AM Tom and Rae Florio

### Wednesday, November 15 – Saint Albert the Great, Bishop and Doctor of the Church

7:00AM Thomas DeQuinzio  
8:30AM Edith Balzano

### Thursday, November 16 – Saint Margaret of Scotland; Saint Gertrude, Virgin

7:00AM Roland and Margaret Chaisson Intensions  
8:30AM Gina Petosa

### Friday, November 17 – Saint Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious

7:00AM All Souls Novena  
8:30AM Linda Carrique

### Saturday, November 18 – The Dedication of the Basilicas of Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles; Saint Rose Philippine Duchesne, Virgin

7:00AM Pasquale Piccolo  
8:30AM William L. Scire

4:00PM Anthony Garofano  
7:00PM Mr. and Mrs. Louis Maffeo

### Sunday, November 19 – 33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Robert Conroy  
9:30AM People of the Parish  
11:30AM Robert Cassano  
1:15PM Rose Papa  
10:00AM OLL Louis Cummiskey

#### 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 Mary Sabella, Stephen Conroy, Christopher Nargi, Gertrude Rego,**

### Create a Gift That Pays You and leaves a legacy for Your Parish

A charitable gift annuity allows you to make a significant gift to OLQP/OLL while earning annual income for yourself. To learn more, please call a gift planning specialist at (646) 794-3317 or email [plannedgiving@archny.org](mailto:plannedgiving@archny.org).

## SAINT EDWARD FOOD PANTRY

Saint Edward Food Pantry wishes to express thanks to all parishioners for their food contributions. There is no charge and referrals are not needed.

## GIFT CERTIFICATES

Family Association members will be selling certificates to ShopRite and Stop & Shop in the amounts of \$25 and \$50 next weekend after all the masses.

## PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Judith Stapleton, Joseph Cali, Patricia De Laurentis, Anthony Magno, William Fannon Jr., Michael Camera, James Adrian, Salvatrice Galatro, Joseph Bilotti, Jr., Al Tabbanella, Ernest Velez, Clara Guglielmi, Jayce Monty, 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, Esteban Gonzalez, Paul Rydell, Peter Discenza, Ursula Torre, Frank Aiello, Rose Sgarlato, Danny DeMeo, Patricia DeMeo, Jodiann Altamura, Rose Mattered, Pauline LaFonte, Anthony Schiavone, William Fallon, Angela Ricca, Sophia Madeline Sanzone, Jeanne Sterm, Lillian Bilotti, Violet Buzzanca, Paul Gregis, Christina Corrieri Paradino, Thomas Ciotola, James Remias, Melodi Roy, Marie Diloia, Gerald Frederick, Suzzane Astuo, Derrill Roy, Xavier Castelli, Nicole Viola, Pauline Cipriano, Daniel Woods, Carmen Ramos, Katherine Nikatas, Kriss Murphy, Michael Cianci, Jr., Andre Bocchiaro, James Anthony Parker, Carmen Oliveras, Anna Indio, William Gonzalez, Amy Altuna, Carol Wetmore, John Pape, Cameron King, Valerie Schiavone, Frank DiGregorio, Grace Turner, Elsa Griswold, Joseph Esposito, Baby Juliette Florio-Perez, Rose Stingo, Palma Milano, Christie Schaff, Rose Sullivan, Joel Rivera, Anthony Gerard Donato, Grace Bruno, Craig Inducci, Concetta Friscia, Antoinette Olmeda, Corrine Alaimo, Marlene Olivieri, Thomas DeAngelis, Christina Blumstein, John Schiera, Michael Goldstein, Katie, Frank Ambrosio, Jenna Esposito, Anthony Bocchetti, Steve Sgarlato, Carol DeCastro, Katherine McHugh, Thomas Keenan, Carol Gilroy, Ann Gray, Alanna Shea, Thomas Gaither, 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, Yolanda Mazza, Rosina Agunzo, Kathleen Fusco, Andrew Biancomano, Muriel McKeon, Salvatore Turturici, Caroline DiBella, Antonia Pistone, Nicky Focillo, Roseanna Whalen, Deborah Arnold, Robert Arnold, J.R., G. Fraschilla, Rita Orlando, Robert Antonucci, Baby Juliette Tighe, Alfonso De'lia Vicky Sgarlato, Meg, John Rizzo, Cathy Sartzetaks, Maria Guzman, Marty Petosa, Peter Petosa, Joseph Sgarlato, Carol Iacobelli, Lisa Bolton, Josephine Nalbene, Philip Defonte, Marie Pernice, Paul Cobb, Clifford Fusco, Baby Charlie, Donald Giovanello, Susan Piscopo, Michael Bochetti, Fr. Ronald Lee Green, Michael Hansen, Jack McHugh, Marie Presto, Ralph Romano, Celeste Presto, Enrique Soto, Lynn Crisafulli, Christine Kennette, Karen M.

#### ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE SUNDAY, November 12, 2017

**Saturday**  
4:00PM J. Riley, V. Venditti  
7:00PM A. Rentas, J. Guli

**Sunday**  
7:30AM C. Carnemolla, J. Carnemolla  
9:30AM M. Sheehan, R. Sheehan  
11:30AM C. Boyle, N. Boyle  
1:15PM B. Bencivenga, A. Gumb

#### ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE SUNDAY, November 19, 2017

**Saturday**  
4:00PM N. Barton, A. Arico  
7:00PM L. Carl, A. Carl

**Sunday**  
7:30AM N. Drew, J. Drew  
9:30AM K. Giarrusso, L. Giarrusso  
11:30AM G. Capobianco, A. Capobianco  
1:15PM C. Emenogu, S. Hillin

# OLQP SCHOOL NEWS

## 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.*

Lila Mahon, Chloe Alatsas, William Aimone, James Best, Erik Vitolo, Rocco Dembinski, Chazzidy Juliano-Allega, Nicolas Messina, Shannon Granville, Liam Treat, Grave Fanizza, Elise Serpico, Michael Illuzzi, Catherin Newton, Casey Boyle, Frank Koppie, Marina Tropaitis.



## **OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE SCHOOL CHRISTMAS FAIR "Visit Santa's Workshop"**

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 2017  
10am – 6pm**

**Come enjoy a day of fun and shopping at  
the Fair.**

**Santa is expected to be at the fair all day  
with his Elves.**

There will be Raffle baskets, Home decor, games, jewelry, Santa's Wheel of Fortune, Santa's Secret Straws, Candyland Table, Santa's Arts and Crafts which includes a letter to Santa which the children will mail in Santa's Mailbox. Mrs. Claus is also doing some special baking.

School Gym on Cloister Place  
(between Third Street and Richmond Road)

## **St. Joseph Retreat Center**

Winter Overnight Retreats  
Fee: \$250 Single \$200 Double  
Arrive Friday evening at 4:00pm for Supper  
Depart Sunday after 2:00pm Closing Prayer

### **Advent: A Silent Directed Retreat**

Facilitated by Sister Gerrie Contento, MPF AND Pat Stephens.

Friday December 1<sup>st</sup> through Sunday December 3<sup>rd</sup>. A non-refundable deposit of \$50 is due by November 24<sup>th</sup>.

The first Sunday of Advent marks the beginning of the "Church Year." We will take this weekend opportunity to give our minds and hearts to the Lord as a promise to be with Him, who is always present to us. This weekend will gift us with the time and space to enter into silence, to pray, reflect and to be guided by a spiritual director.

850 Hylan Blvd. Staten Island, NY 10305  
[sjretreatcenter@gmail.com](mailto:sjretreatcenter@gmail.com). (718)720-1097

# RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

## **The next Family Mass is Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup> at 11:30am**

Please join us in Fr. Hopkins Hall after Mass to pick up Advent Information, an Advent calendar and Advent activities for the children. December 3<sup>rd</sup> is the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Advent.

You can also bring nonperishable food donation for the Thanksgiving Masses. If you cannot attend the Mass on November 22<sup>nd</sup>.

### **Reminder**

Wednesday: November 22<sup>nd</sup> – No Classes

Thursday: November 23<sup>rd</sup> – No Classes –Thanksgiving Day

### **Thanksgiving Mass**

Please make every effort to attend our Parish

Thanksgiving Mass on Wednesday, November 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7pm. Bring donations of nonperishable food items. This collection of food will be given to a food pantry on Staten Island.

## **A Garden of Grace: Spiritual Practices for Today's Family**

### **Presentation given by Kathleen Hendricks:**

The home forms the rich soil from which a deeply rooted spirituality can bud and blossom. Five spiritual practices that are seeded first in the family reflect the call to love, mercy, and generosity that Jesus both modeled and taught. These are the cultivation of gratitude, art of storytelling, celebration of ritual, extension of forgiveness, and embracing of Sabbath time. Each one helps to grow a domestic spirituality abundant in grace and beauty. As we examine each one, we will also name practical ways to make them part of everyday life.

**Place:** Our Lady of Pity – St. Anthony of Padua Parish Center, 1616 Richmond Avenue.

**Date:** Thursday, November 16, 2017

**Time:** 7:00pm – 8:30pm

RSVP by November 9<sup>th</sup> - Mrs. Barbara Orleman (718) 979-0989



## **CHRISTMAS FAIR**

### **Columbiettes**

**Auxiliary of the Fr. John C. Drumgoole  
Knights of Columbus  
Sunday, Nov. 19<sup>th</sup> 9:30am to 4pm  
397 Clarke Avenue**

## **50/50 Monthly Drawing**

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