

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 30, 2015**

Saturday

4:00PM Edwin Hall-Clarke

7:00PM John Donovan

Sunday

7:30AM Graceann Morawek

9:30AM Mike Milillo

11:30AM Victoria McGill

1:15PM Maria Paronich

10:00AM OLL Francine Cioffi

**SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST
SUNDAY, August 30, 2015**

Saturday

4:00PM Denise Hall-Clarke

7:00PM Dolores Higgins

Sunday

7:30AM Cora Manabat

9:30AM Cathy Lavelle

11:30AM Nancy Kinzler

1:15PM Theresa Maleady

10:00AM OLL Dolores Widlund

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE

On duty the week of August 23 to August 29 – Arlene

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



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 John Tasso requested by Marion Tasso.

The Sanctuary Light for this week burns in loving memory of John Tasso requested by Marion Tasso.

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Joshua 24:1-2a, 15-17, 18b

Joshua gathered all the tribes of Israel and told them if it did not please them to serve God, then they must decide who they would serve. The people claimed that God had brought them out of slavery and protected them on their journey. Therefore, they would serve, the Lord their God, and no one else.

Second Reading: Ephesians 5:21-32 or 5:2a, 25-32

Husbands and wives should love one another as Christ loved the Church. They should nourish and care for each other as Christ cared for the church. Through the union between the two, they become one.

Gospel: John 6:60-69

Many of Jesus' followers were still disturbed by his teaching of the living bread, which they could not yet fully understand. Jesus explained that the Spirit gives life, and flesh is unimportant. Some of the disciples decided to leave. Jesus asked if the Twelve also wanted to leave. Although they do not completely understand yet, they have enough faith in Jesus to stay because they believe he is God's holy one.

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21st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Aug. 23, 2015

VOCATION VIEW

Jesus teaches us to live optimistically. If it weren't for the peak experiences of love, the small and sometimes big miracles in our lives, we could despair. Thank God our doubts of faith ultimately strengthen our love. Pray for your vocations. 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**

Robert Salvatore Panarella

***** 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.

From the Pastor's Desk...

My Dear Brothers and Sisters,

This year the Solemnity of Assumption fell on Saturday and it was declared not a holy day of obligation. Of all the feast days of our Blessed Mother, the feast of Assumption is very dear to me because this feast gives us hope that if God brought her to heaven body and soul because of her holiness, we also can one day because of his mercy and forgiveness and our little goodness can come to heaven. I was feeling down thinking that on the Feast of Assumption even the Church will not be kept open for all to come and pray to the Blessed Mother. That is when our parish Legion of Mary members came up with the idea to gather on the eve to pray the Rosary in front of Mary's statue in the Church prayer garden. I was truly surprised at the turn out and many suggested that we should do it more often during good weather. I agree that we should do it on all Blessed Mother's feasts. Thanks to Legion of Mary, the Rosarians and all who participated.

Thank God, Fr. Joselin is back safe. He had troubles with the flight from Sudan and his luggage arrived two days later. He got his driving license before he went on his home visit. Now he is looking for a used car before he joins Fordham or Seton Hall. If anyone knows of a good used car that some one could donate to him or sell it to him please contact him at the Rectory.

Update on Pope's Visit: Please take a moment to recite this prayer for Pope Francis and his papacy:

Lord, source of eternal life and truth,
give to Your shepherd, the Pope,
a spirit of courage and right judgement,
a spirit of knowledge and love.

By governing with fidelity those entrusted to his care
may he, as successor to the apostle Peter
and vicar of Christ, build Your church into
a sacrament of unity, love, and peace
for all the world.

We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ,
Your Son, Who lives and reigns with You
and the Holy Spirit, one God,
forever and ever. Amen.

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

A PRAYER FOR THE WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES Philadelphia 2015

God and Father of us all,
in Jesus, your Son and our savior,
you have made us
your sons and daughters
in the family of the Church.

May your grace and love
help our families
in every part of the world
be united to one another
in fidelity to the Gospel.

May the example of the Holy Family,
with the aid of your Holy Spirit,
guide all families,
especially those most troubled,
to be homes of communion and prayer
and to always seek your truth
and live in your love.

Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph,
pray for us!

GORETTI GROUP MASS AND TALK

Friday, September 4th
Holy Family Church
366 Watchogue Road

Organ Concert by Chris Houlihan at 7:00pm
Mass celebrated by Bishop Byrne at 7:30pm
Talk at 8:00pm by Dawn Eden, author of
"Thrill of the Chaste" and "My Peace I Give You"

FAMILY CATECHESIS: WHY AND HOW

Saturday, September 12th 9:30am to 3:30p
St. Francis de Sales
135 E. 96th Street, New York, NY
Registration Fee \$20

"Rediscovering the Sacredness of Family Life" presented
by Dr. Jo Ann Paradise. For more information or to register:
www.nyfaithformation.org/events/family-catechesis-why-and-how

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

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, August 24 – St. Bartholomew, Apostle

7:00AM Cook Family

8:30AM Girolamo & Catherine Policriti

Tuesday, August 25 – St. Louis;

St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest

7:00AM Stella Mione

8:30AM Christine & Joseph Primiano

Wednesday, August 26

7:00AM Maria, Christina & Rocco Perfetto

8:30AM Christine Patania

Thursday, August 27 – St. Monica

7:00AM Michael John Spitzbarth

8:30AM Brother Gregory

Friday, August 28 – St. Augustine, Bishop

& Doctor of the Church

7:00AM Staff Sgt. Michael Ollis

8:30AM Frank Serrone

Saturday, August 29 – The Passion of

St. John the Baptist

7:00AM Pasquale & Joseph Piccolo

8:30AM Marion Hess

4:00PM John Tasso – 7th Anniversary

7:00PM Carol Griffin

Sunday, August 30

7:30AM Daniel & Mona Boylan & Margaret Keenan

9:30AM Gloria Macula

11:30AM Maureen A. Marino

1:15PM People of the Parish

10:00AM OLL Vincenza & Frank Corella

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

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

Andrew Salabarría

Papal Visit to New York

August is here and that means there are only 33 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 Ciani, 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 Ciani, Anna Vetter, Mary Pollina, Gabriela Surowiec, Rita Scalzo, James Fleury, Janet Logon, Victor Raimondi, Nicholas Iljic, Michael Spatola

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

1:15PM J. Olsen, N. Plotkin

10:00AM OLL J. Ardi

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, August 30, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM C. Lombardi, K. Petrik

7:00PM T. Persichetty, L. Persichetty

Sunday

7:30AM D. Koppie, F. Koppie

9:30AM L. MacDonald, S. MacDonald

11:30AM G. Piccolo, M. Rojas

1:15PM G. Russo, M. Scafuri

10:00AM OLL R. Cioffi

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

REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR ESTATE PLAN

Leave a legacy to Our Lady Queen of Peace and Our Lady of Lourdes by including a bequest in your will. The following is suggested bequest language. "I give ___ to Our Lady Queen of Peace and Our Lady of Lourdes, 90 Third Street, Staten Island, NY for its general purposes." If you would like to speak to a gift-planning specialist about including OLQP and OLL in your will or living trust, email gift.planning@archny.org or call 646-794-3317.

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RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

Parish Religious Education Program Important September Dates

CCD Orientation Meetings/Prayer Services will be held in the lower Church

Enter through the parking lot doors

7th Grade Parents & Students:

Tuesday, Sept. 8th – 7:00PM

1st Grade Parents: Thursday, Sept. 10th – 7:00PM

5th & 6th Grade Parents: Tuesday, Sept. 15th – 7:00PM

2nd Grade Parents: Tuesday, Sept. 22nd – 7:00PM

3rd & 4th Grade Parents: Tuesday, Sept. 22nd – 8:00PM

If you have children in 2 or more grades, please pick one meeting to attend and let Mrs. Orleman know ahead of time so that all of your children's folders are available. **If you have a child in 2nd grade or 7th grade, you must attend that meeting. If you cannot attend the Orientation Meeting, you must make an appointment with Mrs. Orleman before classes begin.**

Opening Days – Mark your calendars

Wednesday, September 16th: First Grade Only

Thursday, September 10th: Seventh Grade Only

Wednesday, September 23rd: Grades 1 through 4

Thursday, September 17th: Grades 5 through 7

Classes are held from 4PM to 5:30PM

Wednesdays & Thursdays

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:

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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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