

This Week

Today

9:30AM Rosary & Altar Society Mass followed by Meeting in Fr. Hopkins Hall

Monday

7:30PM Miraculous Medal Novena

Thursday

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting – Rectory

Sunday

9:30AM Holy Name Society/Fathers Club Mass

**COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE
SUNDAY, September 11, 2016**

Saturday

4:00PM Dan Clifford
7:00PM Victoria Davis

Sunday

7:30AM Larry Waldorf
9:30AM Ed LaMura & Aileen Fox
11:30AM Theresa Gargano
1:15PM Paula Mitkowski
10:00AM OLL Peter Goodwin

**SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST
SUNDAY, September 11, 2016**

Saturday

4:00PM Rosalie Scala
7:00PM Annette Viso

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Rosko
9:30AM Denise Hall-Clarke
11:30AM Theresa Maleady
1:15PM Tina Bove
10:00AM OLL Ray Eger

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE
On duty the week of Sept. 4 to Sept. 10 – Rosalie

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

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

There are 7am weekday Masses still available for September, October and November 2016

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Wisdom 9:13-18b

This reading acknowledges that people have had a difficult time attempting to know God's wishes. At times we have difficulty understanding the things that happen on earth. Therefore, learning of things in heaven would have been impossible, except that God sent us wisdom and the Holy Spirit to help us understand him.

Second Reading: Philemon 9-10, 12-17

Paul writes to Philemon regarding Onesimus, a slave who ran away and encountered Paul. Although Paul wished Onesimus could remain with him, he did not want to violate Philemon's wishes. Paul asks that Philemon receives his friend Onesimus as a beloved brother, not as a slave. He closes by saying, "Welcome him as you would me."

Gospel: Luke 14:25-33

Jesus warns people who wish to follow him that they must abandon everyone else first. A person calculates the amount of money needed to complete a project before they begin it. In the same way, Jesus warns these people to consider exactly what is involved before they make a commitment to follow him.

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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time Sept. 4, 2016

VOCATION VIEW

Jesus says clearly; "Anyone who does not take up the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple." You and Jesus can carry your cross together. Then, you can follow! 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. Any questions, please call the rectory 718-351-1093.

The Bread and Wine for this week are donated in loving memory of Edward Hartnett & Madeline Messina requested by Anne Galli.

The Sanctuary Light for this week burns in loving memory of Alyssa Barberi, age 11, requested by the Barberi & Mangone Families.

From the Pastor's Desk...

My Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Tomorrow, we celebrate Labor Day. Every year like most of us, I used to think of it as the official end of summer time, the return of our families after vacation which would increase Church attendance and weekly collections and the return of children to the school as we begin the new school year and so on. But this year as Labor Day approaches I entertain serious thoughts about it.

A friend of mine recently retired after nearly 45 years of dedicated service to an institution. He received a good retirement package, pension and some of the good benefits from his hard work of many years. I felt happy for him and thought that he would be so happy to sit back and spend his time in leisure. But that is not what is happening. He hoped that he is still healthy and able, and he could find some part time job. He applied to different places and waited and waited to hear from them. Wherever he heard from, he couldn't accept their offer and he is still without work and suffers greatly because he is unable to find work even though he has enough to live on financially. So, human labor is not just about making money. It is the way God has hard-wired us to find fulfillment in life. Even if we possess enough wealth, if we do not work, it debilitates us. I have seen this friend of mine suffer emotionally and feeling old and somewhat worthless. Labor is essential for human beings to uphold human dignity and worth, to find fulfillment in life. That leads me to think of the millions of people in the world unemployed or employed in an exploited way. As we celebrate Labor Day we pray that God would help all to find meaningful and sufficient income jobs to sustain themselves and their families.

Labor Day is also the unofficial end of summer. I was so happy to see the increase in the number of families and children coming to Mass last weekend. The children are back. The School and Religious Education program reopen for the new school year. Once again, so much healthy noise and life in and around the Church, School and Parish! What more I can ask for! Welcome back children, teachers and catechists! Have a healthy and blessed school year.

God bless you
Fr. Pancrose

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Collection (8-28-16)	\$9,859.00
Shrine Candles	\$141.00
Poor Box	\$332.00
Air Conditioning	\$390.00

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 SOLEMN EVE OF REMEMBRANCE

Friday, September 9th

St. Peter's Church

53 St. Marks Place

Sacred Music by Maura Molloy begins at 7:00pm
Mass at 7:30pm - Most Rev. Bishop John J. O'Hara,
Main Celebrant & Homilist

Reading of the Names of Staten Islanders
Lost on 9/11

Please join us for our 15th Anniversary Solemn
Remembrance of the events of September 11, 2001

Sponsored by the University of Notre Dame Alumni Club
of Staten Island



OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE MUSIC MINISTRY Choristers & Cherubs!

Sign up in the Church Choir Loft
Tuesday, September 6th 5:00-6:00pm
or sign up at any rehearsal through October!
Choristers (grades 5-8): Tuesdays – 4:30-5:45pm
Cherubs (grades 2-4): Tuesdays – 6:00-6:45pm

Choristers and **Cherubs** sing at important Church celebrations throughout the school year. Choristers sing weekly at 11:30am Sunday masses and at holiday masses and events. Cherubs join Choristers in singing at family and holiday masses, and at other parish celebrations. Both groups learn about singing technique, music reading and Catholic hymns and songs. If you have any questions, please leave a message for Ms. Dee Caraballo at the Rectory, 718-351-1093.

ADULT CONFIRMATION PROGRAM **Archdiocesan Catechetical Office**

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

Our Lady of Pity Church
1616 Richmond Avenue

Tuesday evenings 7:00pm – 8:30pm
From September 26th through November 21st
Confirmation Mass at Our Lady of Pity
Monday, November 28, 2016

Registration **must** be done through the Archdiocese –
For requirements to register, go to
www.nyfaithformation.org

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, September 5 – St. Teresa of Calcutta, Religious

7:00AM Rose & Joseph Oddo
8:30AM Lucille Waters

Tuesday, September 6

7:00AM Emanuel Frascilla
8:30AM Richard Burke

Wednesday, September 7

7:00AM Dorothy Chagnon
8:30AM Helen & Joseph Koffer

Thursday, September 8 – The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary

7:00AM Suzie Romano
8:30AM Antoinette Piraneo

Friday, September 9 – St. Peter Claver, Priest

7:00AM Peter Messler
8:30AM Dr. John A. Kuhn

Saturday, September 10

7:00AM Lorraine Bond – 1st Anniversary
8:30AM Patrick, Rose & Annette Brandefine

4:00PM Patty Variale

7:00PM Helen & John McPhelin

Sunday, September 11–24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Robert Conroy
9:30AM Deceased Members of the Holy Name Society
11:30AM World Trade Center Victims – 15th Anniversary
1:15PM People of the Parish
10:00AM OLL Doreen Cummiskey Meola

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 Kim DePaola



2. Corinne Mincher & Nicholas Spoto

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, 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 Stern, Lillian Bilotti, Violet Buzzanca, Paul Gregis, Lennie Gaeta, 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, Theresa Raimondi, Edna Ventimiglia, 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, Craig Inducci, Tom LaMantia, Concetta Friscia, Antoinette Olmeda, Tina Bove, Corrine Alaimo, Marlene Olivieri, Thomas DeAngelis, Christina Blumstein, John Schiera, Michael Goldstein, Katie, Frank Ambrosio, Jenna Esposito, Anthony Bocchetti, Steve Sgarlato, Carol DeCastro, Phillip Leone, Katherine McHugh, Thomas Keenan, Carol Gilroy, Ann Gray, Alanna Shea, Kathleen Burke, 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, Frances Dicembre, Yolanda Mazza, Rosina Agunzo, Kathleen Fusco, Maeve Conlon, Andrew Biancomano, Muriel McKeon, Salvatore Turturici, Caroline DiBella, Antonia Pistone, Nicky Focillo, Roseanna Whalen, Deborah Arnold, Robert Arnold, J.R., G. Frascilla, Rita Orlando, Robert Antonucci, Baby Juliette Tighe, Alfonso De'lia Vicky Sgarlato, Meg, John Rizzo, Cathy Sartzetaks, Maria Guzman, Maria Riggio

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, September 4, 2016

Saturday

4:00PM A. Sciortino, C. Lombardi
7:00PM T. Persichetty, L. Persichetty

Sunday

7:30AM L. Giarrusso, A. Gumb
9:30AM M. Sheehan, R. Sheehan
11:30AM O. Fadell, J. Ursino
1:15PM C. Boyle, N. Boyle
10:00AM OLL V. Cioffi

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, September 11, 2016

Saturday

4:00PM R. Byrnes, A. Arico
7:00PM A. Saccaro, C. Smith

Sunday

7:30AM A. Clarke, V. Venditti
9:30AM B. Bencivenga, N. Barton
11:30AM N. Drew, G. Capobianco
1:15PM L. Carl, A. Carl
10:00AM OLL J. Ardi

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Do you want to learn more about gifts to OLQP/OLL that provide income to you for life? Contact the Office of Gift Planning, gift.planning@archny.org or 646-794-3317.

**Our Lady Queen of Peace
CYO Cross Country Registration
at Cross Country Practice (Weather Permitting)
Wednesday, Sept. 7th & Monday, Sept. 12th
6pm to 7pm**

Location: Clove Lakes Park
(on Royal Oak Rd. off Victory Blvd.)
Open to boys and girls in grades 1st through 8th
Cost: \$65.00/child
For more information, email track@olqpsports.org
or call John at 917-972-4139

**STATEN ISLAND COUNCIL OF CHURCHES
DAY OF FELLOWSHIP**

Saturday, November 12th

- Sight and Sound Theatre, Lancaster, PA to see "Samson"
 - An Amish meal at Hershey Farms Restaurant
 - Visit to Kitchen Kettle Village
- Adults: \$145 Children under 12: \$89
Price includes charter bus fare and all events listed above.
Payment is due no later than September 30th. Please make checks payable to The Staten Island Council of Churches (SICOC) and mail to SICOC office at 2187 Victory Boulevard, Staten Island, NY 10314. For more information, please email sicoc@nyc.twcbc.com, or call 347-581-1082 or 718-815-0007.

**GORETTI GROUP YOUNG ADULT EVENT
Friday, September 9th
Holy Family Church
366 Watchogue Road**

6:30pm – Adoration, Praise & Worship, Reconciliation
7:30pm – Mass
8:15pm – Talk by Margaret Fernandez
Join us as Margaret Fernandez speaks about the true freedom that living chastity brings to love in various relationships. After-event fellowship at local restaurant.

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 at 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.

**Congratulations
to our August 50/50 Winner!
Mr. & Mrs. Edward Scheuermann - \$517.50**

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RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

Parish Religious Education Program

Parish Confirmation Candidates:

Parish Service Opportunity

September Family Mass, Sunday, Sept. 18th at 11:30am
We need 4 volunteers to be greeters/ministers of hospitality for the September Family Mass. You will be greeting the parishioners as they come into Mass and giving them handouts for the day. You need to arrive 15 minutes before Mass begins. Meet Mrs. Orleman at the back of the Church. If you are interested, call Mrs. Orleman at 718-979-0989 and leave a message. The first 4 callers will be the greeters.

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ORIENTATION MEETINGS/PRAYER SERVICE

7TH Grade Parents & Students: Thursday, Sept. 8th–7pm

1st Grade Parents: Tuesday, Sept. 13th – 7pm
2nd Grade Parents: Tuesday, Sept. 13th – 7:45pm
3rd & 4th Grade Parents: Tuesday, Sept. 20th – 7pm
5th & 6th Grade Parents: Tuesday, Sept. 20th – 7:45pm

Opening Days – Mark your Calendars

Wednesday, Sept. 14th – 1st Grade only
Thursday, Sept. 15th – 7th Grade only
Wednesday, Sept. 21st – Grades 1 through 4
Thursday, Sept. 22nd – Grades 5 through 7

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Confirmation Promise

Saturday, Sept. 17th 7pm Mass– Candidates A through L
Saturday, Sept. 24th 7pm Mass– Candidates M through Z

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Registration for September, 2016 classes

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 2017 and Confirmation 2017

Please call the Parish Religious Education Office to make an appointment for registration of your 2nd grader (in Sept., 2016) or 7th grader (in Sept., 2016) at 718-979-0989.

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