



**The Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral**  
The Corner of Mott & Prince Streets,  
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**The Shrine Church of Most Precious Blood**  
National Shrine of San Gennaro  
109 Mulberry Street, New York, NY 10013  
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**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ February 4, 2017**  
[www.oldcathedral.org](http://www.oldcathedral.org)

**MASS SCHEDULE**

**Saturday Vigil**

5:30 PM English

**Sundays**

9:15 AM English    10:15 AM Chinese  
11:30 AM Spanish    12:45 PM English  
7:00 PM English

**Monday-Friday**

8:00 AM Spanish, 12:10 PM English

**Saturday**

8:00 AM Spanish

**VESPERS (Evening Prayer)**

First Sundays at 7:00pm with Mass

**CONFESSIONS**

Saturdays 4:30 PM - 5:15 PM  
Sundays 6:00 PM - 6:45 PM

**Spanish Prayer Group**

Fridays 7:30pm

**Cursillistas Meeting**

Sundays after the 11:30am Mass (Spanish)

**Pastor - Monsignor Donald Sakano**  
[pastor@oldcathedral.org](mailto:pastor@oldcathedral.org)  
**Rev. Andrew Thi – Resident Vicar**  
**Deacon Paul Vitale**

**Visiting Celebrants:**

Rev. Jason Smith, LC  
Rev. Richard Dillon  
Rev. Richard Adams  
Rev. Brian McWeeney  
Rev. Carlos Mullins  
Rev. Fabian Grifone, OFM  
Rev. Louis Troiani, OFM  
Rev. Philip Phan, Vietnamese Apostolate  
Rev. Robert Campagna, O.F.M. – Minister Provincial  
Rev. Patrick Boyle, O.F.M. – Vicar Provincial

**Director of Music - Jared Lamenzo**  
[organist@oldcathedral.org](mailto:organist@oldcathedral.org)

**Wedding Coordinator - Rosa Jimenez**  
[rosa@oldcathedral.org](mailto:rosa@oldcathedral.org)

**Saturday/Sabado-February 3, First Saturday, Witness for Life Mass**

**8:00AM (Eng)** For: Kennedy Grace Caserta  
By: Carl Caserta

**5:30PM (Eng)** For: Gladys Rago  
By: Perrotta Family

**Sunday/Domingo-February 4, Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**9:15AM (Eng)** For: Lena & Louis Ciffo  
By: Anthony Ciffo

**10:15AM (Chi)** In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary  
By: Michelle Wu

**11:30AM (Spa)** Por el eterno descanso de Rafael Azcona  
Invita Daisy & Juan Reyes

**12:45PM (Eng)** For: Maria Conza  
By: Susie

**7:00PM (Eng)** For: Chloe Marie Henry  
By: Cousins

**Monday/Lunes-February 5, Weekday**

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por el eterno descanso de Daniel y Francisco  
Nuñez invita Angelina Nuñez y familia

**12:10PM (Eng)** For: Kennedy Grace Caserta  
By: Carl Caserta

**Tuesday/Martes-February 6, Saint Paul Miki and Companions, Martyrs**

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por el eterno descanso de Alejandro Nuñez  
Invita Ramona Nuñez

**12:10PM (Eng)** For: Robert Clark  
By: Flatz Family

**Wednesday/Miercoles, February 7, Weekday**

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por el eterno descanso de Charlie Fernandez  
Invita su madre y familia

**12:10PM (Eng)** For: Jimmy Stravato  
By: daughters

**Thursday/Jueves-February 8, Weekday**

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por eterno descanso de Ana Estevez invita Angelina  
Nuñez y familia

**12:10PM (Eng)** For: Fr. Andrew Apostoli  
By: Flatz Family

**Friday/Viernes-February 9, Weekday**

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por el eterno descanso de Dominica Mercedes  
Fernandez invita su familia

**12:10PM (Eng)** For: Ella Noonan  
By: Bronwyn O'Malley

**Saturday/Sábado-February 10, Saint Scholastica, Virgin**

**8:00AM (Eng)** Por el eterno descanso de Steven Diaz  
invita su madre

**5:30PM (Eng)** For: Camille Manfredo  
By: Marie Liotto

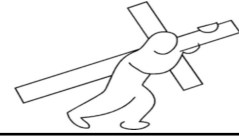
**Sunday Collection:**  
\$4,372.00

**Baptism Preparation Session:**  
Monday ~ February 5, 2018 at 7:00 PM

## The 2018 *Cardinal's Appeal* has begun!

As disciples of Christ, we are called to help one another and be merciful, as Jesus taught us. It is only with **your help** that the *Cardinal's Appeal* continues its good work in our communities. Through our ministries and charities the *Cardinal's Appeal* continues to be a beacon of hope for our brothers and sisters in faith.

# Lent begins on Wednesday, February 14



- \* **Deacon Paul Vitale** is recovering from reconstruction surgery on his foot and will be unable to join us at the 12:45pm Sunday Mass until the first week of February. Say a prayer that he heals (no pun intended) so that he can be with us even sooner.
  - \* **Masses from Monday to Saturday** —8:00 AM & 12:10 PM—will be celebrated in the Parish house at 263 Mulberry Street, until the Daily Mass Chapel in the Basilica finishes construction.
  - \* **Family Religious Education**, including preparation for the Sacraments of First Holy Communion, Penance and Confirmation in conjunction with Basilica Voices is coming up in September. For more info contact Tony MacDonnell at [Tony@oldcathedral.org](mailto:Tony@oldcathedral.org) or call the Parish House.
  - \* **Moms & Tots, Thursdays from 10:30am-12pm ~ Parish House 263 Mulberry St.** This gathering in the Parish House will allow mothers with young children to spend some time together and strengthen their own spiritual lives. Please contact Tony at: [tony@oldcathedral.org](mailto:tony@oldcathedral.org) for more information.
  - \* **San't Egidio, Fridays at 6:30pm at St. Patrick's Old Cathedral** Join this Catholic lay movement every Friday evening at the Church of the Most Precious Blood for prayer and service to the poor. For more information: <http://santegidiousa.org/communities/new-york/>
  - \* **Communion & Liberation** ~ Communion and Liberation is a movement in the Church which has the purpose of forming its members in Christianity in order to make them coworkers in the Church's mission in all areas of society. They regularly meet on Fridays evenings for prayer and meditation. For more information or to attend a meeting, email: [simonetta.ditalia@gmail.com](mailto:simonetta.ditalia@gmail.com) for more information and future dates.
  - \* **CNYC FIT Monday's Starting July 31st, 7:00pm Undercroft the Church** Stay fit with Pilates and a Yoga-like course each Monday evening while keeping up with prayer! Prayer and exercise go hand in hand. To sign up or for more info email [emma.dallman@archny.org](mailto:emma.dallman@archny.org)
  - \* **Bowery Walk ~ Third Tuesday of each month, 7:30pm Parish House, 263 Mulberry St.**  
Join us as we continue with the Malta Auxillary Committee our Lenten Bowery Walk. We will prepare meals in the Rectory and walk to local destinations handing out the meals to the needy. For more info or to sign up contact: [frances.asquith@googlemail.com](mailto:frances.asquith@googlemail.com).
- ### Music at the Basilica
- \* Interested in joining the Basilica Schola? The Schola is our fabulous volunteer choir that sings at the Sunday 7:00pm Mass and major feasts throughout the year. Contact Michael Bodnyk, our Cantor, at [cantor@oldcathedral.org](mailto:cantor@oldcathedral.org) for more information.
  - \* Come and hear wonderful music at the Basilica. Find out more about events on our website <http://oldcathedral.org/concerts>.
  - \* Learn about the music you hear at Mass by joining our Facebook page: <http://facebook.com/erbenorgan> and follow us on Twitter and Instagram [@erbenorgan](https://www.instagram.com/erbenorgan).
  - \* Join the Friends of the Erben Organ (FREO) to help preserve our magnificent 1868 Henry Erben pipe organ on its 150th Anniversary. FREO is a non-profit organization is committed to the preservation, restoration, and appreciation of the pipe organ through innovative performance and education programs for families and children. FREO recently welcomed Martin Scorsese as Honorary Chair of its Board. See <https://erbenorgan.org/> to learn more.

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We need your help to continue to serve our faith community. Stewardship is a way of life that comes from seeing everything as a gift from God In an effort to cover the ever increasing cost of running our parish we are introducing a convenient way to support our faith community.

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**MASS SCHEDULE - The Shrine Church of the Most Precious Blood**  
**Wednesday - 12:10 PM, Saturday Vigil - 5:30 PM**  
**Sunday - 2:00 PM (Vietnamese)**  
**CONFESSIONS**  
 At the Basilica: Saturdays 4:30-5:30 PM Sundays 6:00pm—7:00 PM

**The Shrine Church of Most Precious Blood**  
**Entrance: 113 Baxter Street Mail: 109 Mulberry Street,**  
**New York NY 10013**  
**Secretary: Emily DePalo Email: emilydepalo@yahoo.com**  
**Project Manager: William Russo**

**MASS LIST – FEBRUARY 3-4, 2018**

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 2018**

5:30PM (Vigil) For: Elluzzi & LoBasso Families  
 By: Elluzzi Family

**SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 4 2018 – 5TH Sunday in Ordinary Time**

2:00PM Mass in Vietnamese

**MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 2018**

NO MASS

**TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 2018**

NO MASS

**WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 2018**

12:10PM For: Joe (Moe) DePalo Annivesary  
 By: Minnie & Emily DePalo  
 For: Rafaela Gumera  
 By: Nancy Tan

**THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 2018**

NO MASS

**FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 2018**

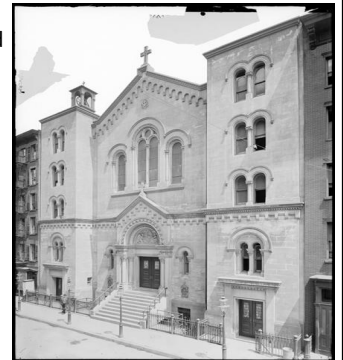
6:30PM Sant'Egidio Prayer Service  
 At The Basilica of St. Patrick's Old  
 Cathedral

**SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2018**

5:30PM (Vigil) For: Antimo DiGennaro  
 By: D. Aimone

**WEEKLY COLLECTION ENVELOPES FOR**

**2018** are finally ready and can be found on the table in what was the sacristy. It is the first room you see when you enter the church via the Mulberry Street entrance. There are also a few boxes that have not yet been assigned. If there is anyone who would like to start using these envelopes, please see Emily or call 212-226-6427.



**CHURCH BEHAVIOR:** We are thrilled that some of our parishioners feel so comfortable inside the church they confuse it with being in their own living rooms; this is obvious by the volume of their conversations with fellow parishioners/friends while waiting for Mass to begin. That being said, we want to remind you that you are not in your living rooms or anywhere else in your own homes. You are in God's house. As a 'visitor' in God's house, we ask that you respect where you are and respect those around you. People come into church to pray or to speak to God for reasons which are personal and known only to them, as it should be.

While in church, there is the expectation of having a silent conversation with our Creator. People view loud conversations taking place around them to be both distracting and disrespectful. We know this because of the many complaints we have received over the past few weeks. We ask you to look within yourselves and be honest about what you discover. IF you find that you are one of the people we refer to above, we have a favor to ask of you. If you must carry on a conversation inside the church, please make every effort to keep your voices low, almost to a whisper. If for some reason you cannot do this because of a hearing problem, etc., we ask that you take your conversation outside.

We hope you understand why this request was made, and we thank you for making the effort to go along with it and the requests of your fellow parishioners/visitors.

**DONATIONS:** are still being sought for both the Buongiorno Project and our Most Precious Senior Citizen's Club. Donations to the Buongiorno Project will help fund the repair/cleaning of the artwork which graces the walls and ceiling in the church, and donations to our Senior Club will help us to continue offering our senior coffee socials and, once a month, lunch. Now that we need to take them off-premises and pay a café or restaurant, we need money. Our funds have dwindled to a pitiful few dollars. The senior enjoy this time with their neighbors/friends, and we would hate to have to cancel the program because of lack of funds.



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