



# St. Rose of Lima Church

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*Fifth Sunday of Easter May 14, 2017*



May is always a beautiful month. A month filled with activities and joyful celebrations. A big congratulations to Deacon Kamil on his Ordination which took place this Saturday, the 13<sup>th</sup>, at 10:30am. He is excited to assist as deacon for the first time this weekend. He has been working hard preparing his first homily, I've had a few previews and I know it's excellent. Thanks to all of you, our beloved parishioners, who have supported Deacon Kamil on this journey since last September. We look forward to empowering him with prayers and love during this year as he prepares for priesthood.

On May 13<sup>th</sup> we celebrate the 100 year anniversary of our Blessed Mother's appearance at Fatima to the three shepherd children. Our Blessed Mother's message at Fatima has been strong words to remind us to stay close to God, to pray the Rosary and to use our gifts well to the glory of God and to making God's world, through our efforts, a more beautiful place to live. Our Blessed Mother reminds us also to pray for the conversion of sinners and for those who are in Purgatory. In union with our Bishop, Fr. Matthew and I will consecrate our parish to the Immaculate Heart of Mary at all Masses this weekend. At the Annunciation, Mary became the first disciple to accept Jesus into her life. At His crucifixion Jesus gave his mother Mary to John the beloved to guide and protect him and all of humankind for all eternity. Mary is our mother. We place our parish and our diocese in her loving care.

Today we honor and give God thanks for our mothers, grandmothers and godmothers. As Fr. Matthew and I bless you at the end of Mass feel the love of Christ and our Holy Mother of Fatima as you guide your family by the living of your faith and by acts of charity. The role of mother is a difficult one - it truly is a 24/7 labor of love. We also remember all of our beloved moms, grandmothers and godmothers who are deceased, that they, through their loving dedication to Jesus and our Blessed Mother, are now in Heaven singing the praises of the Lord. Have a lovely day ladies. Feel our love and pride in you.

I'm very excited to lead our pilgrimage to Fatima August 21<sup>st</sup> – August 31<sup>st</sup>. I've been to Lourdes many times but this will be my first time to Fatima. I know the experience is going to be profound for all of us who will travel from St. Rose. The visiting of the Shrine with our Masses, prayers and Rosaries, will truly impact our lives. The warmth of the Portuguese people is legendary and their wonderful hospitality will enrich our experience. The trip of course begins in Porto and then we spend a couple of beautiful days at Santiago De Compostella, the site where St. James the Apostle preached the good news to the people of Northern Spain. We do have a few openings for anyone who would like to join us on a faith-filled life enriching pilgrimage. For information regarding this please email Stephanie Politi at [spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org). Anybody who would like me to offer Mass intentions for the living or the dead during our Masses at the shrines and cathedrals of Spain and Portugal please see inside the bulletin.

God bless all of our mothers, grandmothers and godmothers. Happy Mother's Day!!!

*Father Owen*



## Mass Intentions

### Sunday, May 14<sup>th</sup> Fifth Sunday of Easter

- 7:30 People of the Parish  
Vecchiarello Family, Anna McBride & Lucille  
Salemme
- 10:00 Rose Zinicola, Salvatrice Cosentini, Anthony  
Giuliano
- 12:00 Maria Finelli, Sergio Ferreira
- 7:00 Ann C. DeLuca, Raffaella Pecillo

### Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup> St. Isidore

- 9:00 Michael Porter, Jeanne Barone

### Tuesday, May 16<sup>th</sup> Easter Weekday

- 9:00 Lisa Ann Zoppi, Edith & Herman Reiter

### Wednesday, May 17<sup>th</sup> Easter Weekday

- 9:00 Vincent Vecchiarelli, Jeanne Barone

### Thursday, May 18<sup>th</sup> St. John I

- 9:00 Dean Everetts (1st. Ann.), Jeanne Barone

### Friday May 19<sup>th</sup> Easter Weekday

- 9:00 Lois Fox, Josephine Bruno

### Saturday, May 20<sup>th</sup> St. Bernardine of

- 9:00 Mass Intentions to the Blessed Mother

#### Vigil

- 5:30 Fred Stickel, Mary Kelly

### Sunday, May 21<sup>st</sup> Sixth Sunday of Easter

- 7:30 Frank Lehr, Rose Adams
- 10:00 Michael & Angela DeSantis, Fred Stickel
- 12:00 Sarah Molyneux (11th Ann.), Michael Bio
- 7:00 Samuel Spina, Ralph D'Aries,  
Aidan Doyle, (1st Ann.)

## Rosary Prayer Intentions for May

*Glorious Mysteries:* In thanksgiving for the children who made their First Holy Communion this month.

*Sorrowful Mysteries:* For all our deceased Mothers, Grandmothers & Great Grandmothers.

*Joyful Mysteries:* For all Mothers, Grandmothers, & Great Grandmothers.

*Luminous Mysteries:* For Kamil as he is ordained a Deacon, that our prayers surround him on the road to priesthood.



*Our Sick:* Please remember in your prayers those in our parish and community who are ill, especially *Adrianna Monaco, Lena Raimo, Vikky Basile, Anne Cross and Francesca Dagastino*



## Prayer Intentions of POPE FRANCIS for May Christians in Africa

That Christians in Africa, in imitation of the Merciful Jesus, may give prophetic witness to reconciliation, justice, and peace.



## THE ALTAR BREAD AND WINE

For this week are offered:

Special Intentions

From: Brenda McNeil



## SANCTUARY LAMP - CHURCH

A reminder of the Divine Presence in the Eucharist burns this week in honor of:

Marie DelliSanti

From: The Cunningham Family



## ALTAR CANDLES

For the week are offered in Loving Memory of:

Rose Lamberti

From: Daughter Phyllis



We remember and give God thanks for our beloved dead especially

James Gallo

Violet D. Rainal

Joseph Viviano



Congratulations to the Parents of our newly

Baptized:

Amalia Elise Caetano

We have a single mom in the parish with 2 young children who had to move into an apartment locally. Her name is Isabella and she is in need of the following items desperately. Please bring your items to the parish office during hours, 9:00am – 3:00pm or call Fr. Owen directly.

In need of: Pillows, Sheets (single & double), Small Rug, Flatware, Cooking Utensils, Dishes, Air Beds, Kids Bunk Bed, All Furniture needed, Fan, Micro Wave, Laundry Basket,

## Thank You!

Emily Da Cruz would like to thank everyone for their generosity, support, and donations for her Gold Award to help Roots and Wings! Also, thank you to those who came to the Roots and Wings presentation held at the church to learn more about how to help the organization! There was an overwhelming amount of donations and the participants of the Roots and Wings program will definitely appreciate them!

## CONFIRMATION NEWS

**9th & 10th Grade:** Registration for the Confirmation Program is available online and in our Parish Office. Early Registration deadline is June 30th.

## YOUTH CENTER

**Our Next Youth Group  
TBA**

## “ANTIOCH TEAM 2018”

Any 10th or 11th graders interested in being considered for “Antioch Team 2018”, please email Lisa Paradiso or Stephanie Politi for an application. The deadline for applications is May 30th.



**May Crowning 2017.**

Congratulations to the children who received their First Holy Communion over these past few weeks. We are so happy for you and your families!

Francesca Alfano, Robert Akos, Alyssa Andre, Sofia Aponte, Philip Bogardus, Lily Bogardus, Cody Capizano, Joseph Ciccolini, Mya Cleffi, Melissa Coniglio, Jayden D’Alessio, Jaedyn D’Ambola, Allison DeChiara, Francesca DeFillippes, Vincent Dorey, Meadow Dougherty, Camila Fe Checa, Vincent Fusella, Paul Grieco, William Guaimano, Lillianna Incognito, Joseph Jacob, Piya John Kenney, John Kinney, Victoria Kiss, Matthew Kiss, Marko Kvesic, Liana LaValle, Victoria Leach, Alexa Mary Lombardo, Gavin Marques, Lucia Marzullo, Michael McPartland, Alexa Mellage, Jasmine Montalvo, Peyton Morales, Tia Nigro, Cambria O’Connor, Ryan Pelosi, Cristiano Pereira, Isabella Piscitelli, Riley Powers, Elizabeth Quinn, Anabella Romeo, Adriana Rosa, Domenico Salvatore, Francesco Scrocco, McKayla Sommerville, Madelyn Tamburello, Avianna Tenore, Sofia Viegas

Dear Families, if you have not yet submitted your registration forms, please do so before the due date of June 30, 2017.

Thank you to all who gave their time to the children of our parish. Our dinner is Wednesday May 17 at 6 pm in the cafeteria. A representative from our book company will join us to share the benefits of the publisher’s website. We look forward to seeing you on Wednesday night.

## ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

**NEXT MEETING:** Wednesday, June 7 in the Church beginning with the Rosary at 7pm

## ANNUAL YOUTH MINISTRY CAR WASH

**May 20th**

**Please come get your car  
washed!!**



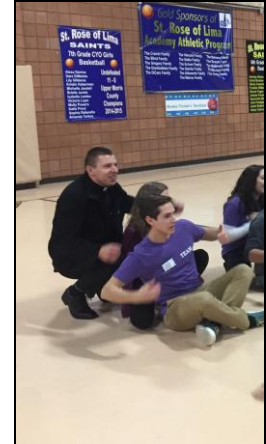
The annual St. Rose of Lima Youth Ministry Car Wash will be held in the church parking lot on **Saturday, May**

**20th from 9:30am until 2:30pm.**

The cost is \$10 for a hand washed and towel dried car wash!

Thank you for your continued support of our Youth Ministry efforts.

**The Antioch Team 2017 and the Confirmation Class of 2017 congratulate Deacon Kamil on his Ordination.**



**St. Rose of Lima Goes to Broadway!  
CHARLIE AND THE CHOCOLATE FACTORY  
Tuesday, October 10th at 7:00PM**



Tickets are \$85 each including the ticket and transportation  
(Bus departs St. Rose at approx. 4pm)

**Please note:** We have purchased limited tickets, so first come, first serve! We anticipate this selling out quickly, so please send us your check and ticket request ASAP, But no later than May 31<sup>st</sup>.

Contact: Stephanie Politi at [spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org)  
Or Lisa Paradiso at [lparadiso@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:lparadiso@saintroseoflimachurch.org)





**The Parish belongs to all of us,  
and only through the parish  
community can we achieve our  
goals. The Challenge is  
Ours!!!**

## OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

May 7, 2017

Sunday Collection \$ 13,163.50

Mother's Day \$ 1,610.00

**THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO IS SACRIFICING  
TO HELP US MEET OUR FINANCIAL  
COMMITMENT. MAY GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR  
LOVING HEARTS.**

**WE ENCOURAGE ALL OUR PARISHONERS TO USE  
THE TITHING ENVELOPES AND HELP US TO  
MEET OUR GOAL OF**

**\$13,500**

**Thank You**

## ST. ROSE YOUTH MINISTRY SHREDDING EVENT



Come with your personal documents to be shredded right in front of you when you arrive. Saturday, May 20th 9:30 – 12:30pm. \$10 per box. We will be located in the St. Rose Church parking lot. St. Rose Antioch Team and Confirmation students will be there to help unload your car. Please contact Lisa Paradiso at [lparadiso@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:lparadiso@saintroseoflimachurch.org) with any questions.

Hope to see you there!

## 22nd NJ Catholic Youth Rally at Six Flags Great Adventure



Sunday, May 21, 2017 from 8:00am – 9:00pm  
Open to 8th Graders, High School and College students.

Please contact Tanya D'Souza at

[tdsouza@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:tdsouza@saintroseoflimachurch.org)

For the registration form or with any questions.

Registrations are due ASAP as there are a limited number of tickets.

Forms also available on the website.

## KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #6504

**May 13th** – Brother Kamil becomes a Deacon.

**May 19-20th** – K of C State Convention in Wildwood, NJ

**May 29th** – Memorial Day Parade

**June 17th** – Mass in the Park – 4:30pm

## NEWS FROM ROME

I wanted to take this chance to describe an incredible experience I had while in the Holy Land during Holy Week. I stayed at the Pontifical Notre Dame Center, which is a house for pilgrims in Jerusalem, as a guest of the Rector. He invited myself and two other seminarians to help with the Easter Triduum masses, since the Center functions as the English language parish in Jerusalem, and each liturgy was packed full. Further, it was also where the Apostolic Nuncio, the papal ambassador, to Israel celebrated the liturgy. I give you all of this background since it made the trip an interesting hybrid of being in a parish, as well as being on a pilgrimage. However, I want to speak to you about Holy Thursday, the day Jesus instituted the Eucharist and the Priesthood.

It was a very busy day for us, since we first went to Ein Gedi, a spring found along the Dead Sea, spoken about in the Psalms for its beauty and where King David had taken refuge. It was an incredible reflection of God's beauty in the middle of a barren area. We then returned back to Jerusalem to prepare for the liturgy, which was incredible to serve at, helping the Nuncio with the feet washing of so many pilgrims from around the world who came to Jerusalem to celebrate Easter. After all of this, I thought my day would be finished and I would have a good night sleep, having started the day at 5:30am. However, the Rector of the Center told us about the opportunity to spend the night in prayer in the Holy Sepulcher. I will just say this, even though we were tired, the Rector was very convincing and we went, and I am glad I did.

There is a long tradition of Catholics spending the night in the Holy Sepulcher, keeping vigil in prayer, since the Church is debated for control between different Orthodox Churches and the Catholic Church. By keeping vigil, Catholics assure a constant presence and use of the Church. While in the Church keeping vigil though, the doors are locked and cannot be open, you must remain awake and in prayer, no sleeping allowed. Normally they open around midnight for an Orthodox liturgy, and again at about 5:30am, so people can spend just half the night. However, for Holy Thursday, the doors remain closed for the longest time, from 8pm until 7am. Despite the long time having to spend awake and in prayer, it was most definitely worth it.

Only about 18 people were allowed in and so the whole Church was quiet, peaceful. Further, the altar of repose was placed inside the Tomb. It is the only night where the Catholics have exclusive use to the Tomb, and you are able to spend as much time as you wish in prayer next to the Tomb, the marble slab where Christ's body was. I took the opportunity to pray two Holy Hours, kneeling in front of the blessed sacrament, placed on top of the marble slab. Here in front of me was the Body of Christ, back where He laid dead, but now alive. It was an incredible experience, and while I took one of the best naps of my life afterwards, it is a moment of prayer that I keep with me, continues to sustain me, and helped me to feel even stronger a calling from God to serve as a priest. I continue to keep all of you in my prayers and look forward to see all of you around the end of June.

God Bless,

Alex Nevitt

## FOOD PANTRY

Thanks to your generous donations we are able to help many people that come to our Food Pantry. The pantry will now be opened on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of every month. **The pantry is in need of coffee, peanut butter, jam/jelly, oatmeal/grits, chicken in can, cleaning products, paper napkins.** The next time the food pantry will be open is Saturday, May 27th from 10:00-11:00am. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Isabella Francis at

[Isabellafrancis2@gmail.com](mailto:Isabellafrancis2@gmail.com).

## EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER

### HAPPY MOTHER'S DAY

The children in Mr. Mike and Miss Donna's classes invited their moms to class on Friday, May 12th for Muffins with MOM! The children sang a few songs, had some muffins and then presented their mom with a special gift they made for them. The children wanted to thank their moms for all of the wonderful things they do.



We are now accepting applications for our 2017/2018 school year. If you are interested in applying, or for a tour of our facility, please call 973-887-1801. You can also email [cfreeman@stroseacad.org](mailto:cfreeman@stroseacad.org).

Miss Lorie's class was quite busy this week making a special Mother's Day gift. The children were so excited and couldn't wait to give their special surprise gift to their mom. Happy Mother's Day to all of our special moms!



#### *A Prayer for all Mothers*

*Thank you, Lord, that you fill a mother's heart with love,  
That you have instilled in her very being the need to  
protect her children if at all possible.*

*Thank you for giving her the gift of nurturing her  
children, of teaching them, of comforting them,  
For feeding them and making a safe place for them.  
For guiding them to be all that God has created them to  
be.*

*Fill every mother with love, wisdom and endurance,  
With strength and patience and joy.*

*Give them ability to forgive again and again.  
Enable her to rely on You and call upon You, because  
You will give her all she needs.*

*In Your precious and all powerful name. Amen*



## PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Office: 973-887-5572 Fax: 973-884-0476

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## PARISH EMERGENCY NUMBER

In case of a **TRUE EMERGENCY**, death or funeral, after office hours, please call **973-887-5572 and press "2"** to reach Father Owen or Father Matthew immediately

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### Parochial Vicar

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### Permanent Deacon

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### Seminarians

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### Pastor Emeritus

Mmgr. William McCarthy retired and not in residence

### Parish Staff

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Mrs. Anne Marie Gillespie	Trustee		
Mrs. Jeanne Taylor	Trustee		
Mr. William Nevitt	Parish Council President		

### Saint Rose Pre-School

Mrs. Lorie Agrifolio	Director of ECC	973-887-1801	<a href="mailto:lagrifolio@stroseacad.org">lagrifolio@stroseacad.org</a>
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### Faith Formation

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Mrs. M. Kelly Robertazzi	Youth Ministry and Confirmation Assistant	973-599-2944	<a href="mailto:krobertazzi@saintroseoflimachurch.org">krobertazzi@saintroseoflimachurch.org</a>

## SACRAMENTS

### Baptism

We celebrate the sacrament of Baptism most Sundays. Parents are welcome to have the Baptism celebrated either at a week-end Mass or at the Liturgy of Baptism at 1:15. To make arrangements for Baptism please call Father Owen or Fr. Matthew. Godparents must be confirmed and be active members of the church and attend Mass regularly.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday at 8:15 – 8:45 and 4:45 – 5:15 (or by appointment with Fr. Owen or Fr. Matthew).

### Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact Fr. Owen or Fr. Matthew and set up an appointment. Any Catholic couple needs approximately a year to prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage, which includes sessions with the Priest celebrating the marriage and attendance at Pre-Cana conferences.

### Sacrament of the Sick / Hospital Visits

At St. Rose we are strongly committed to the spiritual care of the sick. Because of privacy laws, hospitals and nursing homes are not allowed to release the patient's religious affiliation. Therefore, we must depend on families of our sick parishioners to inform us of their whereabouts and condition. Please notify the parish office of any need for a home or hospital visit.

### RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a program for people who seek full initiation in the Catholic Church through the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation, which are received at Easter Vigil. For information, please contact Fr. Owen or Fr. Matthew at the parish office.

## PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

Miraculous Medal Novena – Following 9am Mass on Saturday  
Devotion to Padre Pio – Following the 9am Mass on Friday  
Right to Life – Anne Marie Gillespie [amgillespie@optonline.net](mailto:amgillespie@optonline.net)  
First Saturday Devotion – to Our Lady of Fatima Following 9am Mass  
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## PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Adult Choir – Rehearsal Mondays 9:30am or Wednesdays 8:00pm  
Knights of Columbus – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at 8pm in Labrecque Hall  
Rosary Altar Society – 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm in church  
Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament – Tues. & Wed 8am – 6pm  
Bereavement - 973-599-2944  
Secular Franciscan Order - Second Saturday after 9am Mass

## PARISH GENERAL INFORMATION

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS** - Our clergy and staff will be happy to assist you during the following hours: Monday – Friday 9am - 3pm

**New Parishioners** – We welcome those who have recently moved to the area. If you would like to be part of the St. Rose of Lima family, please call the parish office to register.

**Bulletin Deadline** – Please kindly submit all bulletin materials to Angela ([aburns@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:aburns@saintroseoflimachurch.org)) at the parish office. Please note that in order for articles to be published in next week's bulletin they need to be submitted **no later than 10a.m. of the prior Tuesday.**

**Mass Intentions** – Please come into the office or call during regular office hours.