

Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel - St. Thomas More

OLGC - 230 East 90th Street - STM - 65 East 89th Street
New York City, New York 10128



August 7, 2016

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Rev. Richard Terga, CICM

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE - OLGC

Saturday Evening: 5:30 p.m.

Sunday Morning: 9:00 a.m.

10:00 a.m. - Spanish Mass

11:30 a.m. - Choral Mass

Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE - STM

Saturday Evening: 5:45 p.m.

Sunday Morning: 8:30 a.m.

10:00 a.m. - Family Mass

Sunday Afternoon: 12:00 p.m. - Choral Mass

Sunday Evening: 5:45 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES - OLGC

Monday thru Friday: 9:00 am and 6:00 pm

Saturday: 9:00 am and 12:00 pm

WEEKDAY MASSES - STM

Monday thru Friday: 8:00 am and 12:15 pm

Saturday: 8:00 am and 12:15 pm

CONFESSIONS - OLGC

Monday thru Friday - 5:45 pm

Saturday 4:30 - 5:15 pm

CONFESSIONS - STM

Monday thru Friday

12:00 pm - 12:10 pm (before Mass)

Saturday 5:00 - 5:30 pm

BAPTISM

OLGC - 12:30 pm on Sunday

STM - 1:00 pm on Sunday

(Arrangements must be made in advance)

MARRIAGE

Arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the wedding

VISITS TO HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

Our clergy are happy to visit.

Call the parish office to arrange.

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Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

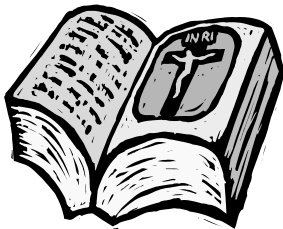
The Gospel reading for the Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time concludes with a sobering warning: "Much will be required of the person entrusted with much, and still more will be demanded of the person entrusted with more." Jesus directs this saying to his disciples, encouraging them to be faithful and prudent stewards to their calling until the second coming of Christ.

The Gospel reading for today is actually a collection of Jesus' sayings, vv. 32-34, 35-40, 41- 48. The first saying is Jesus' invitation to nurture a relationship with God and ends with a pithy wisdom line: "For where your treasure is, there also will your heart be." The second saying offers a more directed warning to disciples to be ready for the return of Christ: "Be like servants who await their master's return from a wedding, ready to open the door immediately when he comes and knocks." Since many distractions and challenges of daily life can put a follower's "house" at risk, Jesus implores his disciples to "be prepared, for at an hour you do not expect, the Son of Man will come." Peter's question to Jesus ("Lord, is this parable meant for us or for everyone?") sets the stage for the third saying. Here Jesus speaks to the disciples of "the faithful and prudent steward" whom God "put in charge" of his servants and his property. With this divine charge comes an awesome responsibility that can sometimes be neglected or squandered.

In Jesus' concluding remarks to the disciples, we see Luke's perspective on the end-time and the divine judgment that follows: the demands of discipleship cannot be subject to benign neglect or misuse as the faithful await the return of Christ

Adapted from Liturgical Publications Inc, Connect! Uniting Word & World, Dr. Daniel J. Scholz

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is, there also will your
heart be.*



WEEKDAY BIBLE READINGS

Sun.: Wis 18:6-9; Heb 11:1-2, 8-19;
Lk 12:32-48
Mon.: Ez 1:2-5, 24-28c; Mt 17:22-27
Tues.: Ez 2:8-3:4; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
Wed.: 2 Cor 9:6-10; Jn 12:24-26
Thurs.: Ez 12:1-12; Mt 18:21—19:1
Fri.: Ez 16:1-15, 60, 63; Mt 19:3-12
Sat.: Ez 18:1-10, 13b, 30-32;
Mt 19:13-15

**The Church of
Our Lady of Good Counsel
St. Thomas More
Welcomes
New Associate Pastor,
Fr. Fernando Caindec!**

Fr. Fernando comes to OLGC-STM from St. Anthony Parish in Nanuet, NY. A native of the Philippines, Fr. Fernando studied for the priesthood in the Philippines, and he earned a Doctorate in Sacred Theology in Rome. After twenty years of service to the Church in the Philippines, Fr. Fernando came to the Archdiocese of New York in 1999. In addition to visiting sick parishioners and coordinating lay ministers, Fr. Fernando has jumped into the social life of his parishes by leading annual pilgrimages, organizing parish celebrations, and coordinating the local Filipino-American community. As a hobby, Fr. Fernando loves to garden. "It gets you closer to nature and to God."

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Celebrant/Lector Mass Schedule

| <i>August 7</i> | <i>Celebrant</i> | <i>Lector</i> |
|-----------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Sat 5:45 pm | Fr. Madigan | Margarita Barrera |
| Sun 8:30 am | Fr. Streit | Louisa Martin |
| Sun 10:00 am | Fr. Streit | TBD |
| Sun 12:00 pm | Fr. Caindec | J. Ackerina |
| Sun 5:45 pm | Fr. Caindec | Chris Baldwin |

| <i>August 14</i> | <i>Celebrant</i> | <i>Lector</i> |
|------------------|------------------|---------------|
| Sat 5:45 pm | Fr. Caindec | Ross Family |
| Sun 8:30 am | Fr. Caindec | TBD |
| Sun 10:00 am | Fr. Madigan | TBD |
| Sun 12:00 pm | Msgr. McCahill | Bob Burke |
| Sun 5:45 pm | Fr. Madigan | Rory Kelleher |

Sunday – July 31, 2016

Regular Collection – \$7,794.95
Attendance – 381

STM - Spring Semi-Annual Appeal

Each year we depend on this Appeal to carry us through the summer when so many are away and inevitably the Sunday collections drop off. If you have already participated in this Appeal, we thank you for your continued support.

Sunday Coffee Hour

We extend our thanks to our volunteer for hosting this Sunday's event, which is a wonderful way for parishioners to meet and get to know one another.

We look forward to meeting you there after the 10:00am Family Mass.

To volunteer, please use the following link

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0948a4a62ea2f49-stmcoffee>

MASS INTENTIONS AND FEAST DAYS AT ST. THOMAS MORE AUGUST 7 – AUGUST 13

Mon. August 08 *St. Dominic*

8:00 Patricia Barrett (L)

*12:15 Rev. John E. Halborg (D)

Tues. August 09 *St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross*

8:00

*12:15 Shane O'Reilly (D)

Wed. August 10 *St. Lawrence*

8:00

*12:15 Neil Divers (D)

Thurs. August 11 *St. Clare*

8:00

*12:15 Roberto Arguello (D)

Fri. August 12 *St. Jane Frances de Chantal*

8:00

*12:15

Sat. August 13 *Sts. Pontian and Hippolytus*

8:00

*12:15

Sunday Vigil

5:45

***Rosary prayed after 12:15pm Mass**

HAVE YOU VOLUNTEERED FOR THE FAMILY MASS COFFEE HOUR RECENTLY?

This long standing tradition at St. Thomas More is a wonderful opportunity for you to meet new friends, and help you to keep in touch with other members of the parish family.

Held each Sunday after the 10am Mass in the Rochester Room, this weekly gathering is hosted by a parishioner volunteer who brings a sweet treat of their choice (e.g. donuts, cookies, pastries). Everything else is found in the Rochester Room, including instructions!

To get more information, speak to Alex Miller in the Rectory. To sign up use the following link

<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/10c0948a4a62ea2f49-stmcoffee>

or the St Thomas More website,

www.thomasmorechurch.org

Sign-up for a Sunday or Two

PARTICIPATE IN PARISH LIFE!

EVENTS AT

OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

| <u>DATE</u> | <u>EVENT</u> | <u>TIME</u> |
|-------------|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| 8/07 | AA Meeting | 3:00pm |
| | Rooted in Christ | 4:30pm |
| 8/08 | Blue Army Prayer Group After 9am Mass | |
| | Society of SVDP | 7:00pm |
| 8/12 | Spanish Prayer Group | 6:45pm |
| 8/13 | Saturday Morning Breakfast | 7 - 8:30am |

Rooted in Jesus Christ

Our Lady of Good Counsel's Ongoing Adult Faith Formation Community invites everyone (18 years and up) to join in a discussion of Christ, God's Companionship with Man, by the Servant of God Fr. Luigi Giussani every Sunday at 4:30pm
Rector's Conference Room
contact - Henry Artis – nyc.artis@gmail.com
or – Greg D'Uva – gregoryduva@gmail.com

Please help the **SOCIETY OF ST.**

VINCENT DE PAUL bring respite and hope to the elderly who are not able to find relief from the summer heat. As Jesus says in this Sunday's Gospel, you will indeed find "an inexhaustible treasure in heaven."

Donations marked for SVDP can be mailed or deposited at the OLG rectory.

Join the **STM Youth Initiative** to make sandwiches for the **New York Common Pantry**

this Sunday, August 7th

Noon - 1:00pm.

in the Rochester Room

A great family activity!

Watch this video to see what it's all about!

<http://bit.ly/29zmT6J>

Sign up using the parish website or the link <http://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0d49aef2ba4fb6-sandwichmaking>.

Christian Meditation

at St. Thomas More

August 10th 6:00pm – Chapel

Learning to pray is learning to live as fully as possible in the present moment.

John Main OSB

Manhattan Group Facilitator:

Donald Main - 415-668-1430

costmnycc@christianmeditation.us

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|-------------|--|-------------|
| 8/07 | Family Coffee Hour after the 10am Mass | |
| | YI Sandwich Making | 12-1:30pm |
| | Mass for the Deaf | 2:00pm |
| 8/10 | Christian Meditation | 6:00pm |
| 8/13 | Mass for the Deaf | 3:00pm |
| 8/14 | Family Coffee Hour after the 10am Mass | |
| 8/17 | Christian Meditation | 6:00pm |

Note: AA Meetings are held on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings at 6:30pm in the Chelsea Room.

This Sunday's Special Collection

Catholic Home and Latin American Missions

It is time once again for the parishes of the United States to take up the annual collection to assist the missions in the United States, in Latin America and in the Caribbean, who though rich in culture and faith, are poor in material goods. The proceeds of this combined second collection are sent to Dioceses, Parishes, Schools, Religious Communities, Seminaries and other Catholic institutions in Latin America, the Caribbean, Appalachia, the Deep South and the Rocky Mountain States. I appreciate your generous support of these two very worthy causes.

With prayerful best wishes, I am

Faithfully in Christ

Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan

Archbishop of New York

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| Sun 10:15 am | Fr. Terga | |
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| Sun 6:00 pm | Fr. Madigan | Carol Hopkins |

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| Sun 11:30 am | Fr. Terga | Terri O'Connor |
| Sun 6:00 pm | Fr. Caindec | Ryan Richard |

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PURGATORIAL SOCIETY

Please join us in remembering

Martino Manfredi

Joyce LaDuc

Daniel ("Danny") Gordon

Frank R. Acquaviva

Catherine Rodriguez

Antoinette Collins

Fidelina Smith

Teresa Naranjo

Tanina Accente

Margaret Mulligan

*at the Purgatorial Society Mass on
Saturday, August 6, 2016
At 5:30 PM in the OLG
Upper Church.*

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6:00 Sacarro Mercado (L)

Wed. August 10 *St. Lawrence*

9:00 Juan A. Negron (D)

6:00 Lucila DeOchaeta (D)

Thurs. August 11 *St. Clare*

9:00 In Thanksgiving-Sebastian Family

6:00 Deceased members of Kitson Family

Fri. August 12 *St. Jane Frances de Chantal*

9:00 St. Philomena

for the spiritual guidance of all priests

6:00 James O'Reilly (D)

Sat. August 13 *Sts. Pontian and Hippolytus*

9:00 Margaret McLoughlin (D)

12:00 Catherine Nolty (D)

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Regular Collection – \$2,501.50

Attendance – 602

Please remember the sick,
especially:

Liz Riker, Lavonia Cisse, Justlyn Collins & Family, Conrad Forte and Family, Sr. Helen Klimek, Delilah, Brenda and Anthony Lloyd, Rolando Polson, Veronica & Mary Martin, Mary Ellen Nugent-Lee, Navine Young, Yasmine Khan, and all the faithfully departed that they may see God.

To add a name or to keep a name on the active list, please contact the rectory monthly.