

**THE 28th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME  
OCTOBER 14th, 2018**



**MASSES FOR THE WEEK  
AT OUR LADY OF PITY CHURCH:**

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 13th:**  
8:00 am Jimmy Martinez  
5:00 pm Christopher M. Christodoulou

**SUNDAY OCTOBER 14th:**  
7:30 am Anthony & Ann Annunziato  
9:00 am Rose & Morris Zerillo  
10:30 am Edwardo Calesto Ayala  
NOON Saverine & Jules Muscat

**MONDAY OCTOBER 15th:**  
8:30 am Vincent Parker

**TUESDAY OCTOBER 16th:**  
8:30 am Maria D'Amelio

**WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 17th:**  
8:30 am Anthony Spano

**THURSDAY OCTOBER 18th:**  
8:30 am Intentions of Stefania Kasza

**FRIDAY OCTOBER 19th:**  
8:30 am Rose Ballarino

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 20th :**  
8:00 am Beatrice Criscione  
5:00 pm Kathleen Nicholson

**SUNDAY OCTOBER 21st:**  
7:30 am Anthony J. Annunziato  
9:00 am Patricia May  
10:30 am Fred Gambale  
NOON Alphonse Rinaldi



**MASSES FOR THE WEEK  
AT ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH:**

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 13th:**  
5:00 pm Paul & Pauline Wicinski  
Requested by The Family

**SUNDAY OCTOBER 14th:**  
8:00 am John & Florence Hagan  
Requested by children & grandchildren  
11:00 am Anthony & Susan DiStefano  
**40<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary**  
Requested by their friends

**MONDAY OCTOBER 15th:**  
7:30 am Robert Merlino  
Requested by Kathy Merlino

**WEDNESDAY OCTOBER 17th:**  
7:30 am Michael Dantoni-Birthday in Heaven  
Requested by Roger & Dotty Dantoni

**FRIDAY OCTOBER 19th:**  
7:30 am Michele Tellefsen  
Requested by Sandy Sanchez

**SATURDAY OCTOBER 20th:**  
5:00 pm Lillian & Charles Tatar Sr.  
Requested by their son Stan

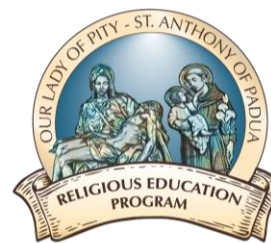
**SUNDAY OCTOBER 21st:**  
8:00 am Pat & Antoinette Vulpi  
Requested by their nieces  
11:00 am Stewart Wroblewski  
Requested by John & Helen Keiling



**MORNING DEVOTIONS**

Following weekday 8:30 am Mass at Our Lady of Pity: Recitation of the Rosary. On First Fridays only, there is the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Holy Hour. On Saturday following the 8 am Mass, novena prayers are said.

At St. Anthony of Padua there is Recitation of the Rosary and Devotions after the weekday 7:30 am Masses



**RELIGIOUS PROGRAM**

**EDUCATION**

**OUR LADY OF PITY-ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA**

**Confirmation Commitment Masses**  
Grade 7 will be **November 7, 2018 @ 10:30 am**  
Grade 8 will be **November 18, 2018 @ 10:30 am.**  
Sponsors must attend Mass with students.

## MEMORIALS FOR WEEK OF OCTOBER 14th:



### Our Lady of Pity

**THE SANCTUARY LAMP**  
is being offered in memory of

**JOHN JOSEPH FLANAGAN**

requested lovingly by his family

### St. Anthony of Padua

**THE WINE & HOST**  
is being offered in Honor of

**ANTHONY & SUSAN DI STEFANO**  
on the occasion of their  
**40<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary**



Anyone wishing to offer a memorial of Wine, Host or Sanctuary lamp in memory of their loved ones or any intention at either church, please contact the respective rectory Monday – Friday, 10:00am–4:00pm

## FORMED CATHOLIC MEDIA

Join Catholics around the country with this fantastic program. Formed is a digital program that can be used on your computer, smart phone or tablet. There is something for everyone, Catholic information Audio talks, eBooks, films, documentaries and video based study programs for both adults and children. There is no cost.

To Register go to [Formed.org](http://Formed.org). The Parish Code is K36ZWZ. It will request your name and email address and the Parish Code. Once registered it will ask for a password. That's all there is to it. If you need help you can call Vincent Violetta @ 917-836-5920.

## SHUT-INS

If any member of your family is homebound and unable to attend Mass, please notify the rectory and if you wish, a priest or an extraordinary minister will bring them the Eucharist on the first Friday of every month.

## RCIA PROGRAM

If you or a friend are interested in becoming Catholic, or perhaps you need to be confirmed, the RCIA Program invites you to meet every Wednesday at 7:30 pm in our Parish Center. No registration necessary.

## FOOD FOR THE NEEDY

Place nonperishable food items in a bag and place them in the back of St. Anthony's Church. Thank you and God Bless.

## BEREAVEMENT

***"Blessed are those who mourn; for they shall be comforted."***

**-Matthew 5:4.**

Our Bereavement Minister, Deacon Michael Venditto, is available to assist anyone who has experienced a loss. Call the rectory (718-761-5421) weekdays between 9 am and 5 pm to set up an appointment with Deacon Michael.

## YOUTH GROUP

Our Parish will be starting a **new** Youth Group. All students in the 5<sup>th</sup> grade through High School are welcome to join. The first meet and greet will be held in the Parish Center on October 13<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm. Please contact our Religious Education Office at 718-494-0308 for further details.

## LETTERS TO OUR LOVED ONES

On All Souls Day, Friday November 2, at 7:30 pm, Our Lady of Pity Church will celebrate the annual "Letters to Our Loved Ones" liturgy. Please join us and bring letters to loved ones who have died. This is an opportunity to express the things we did not convey when our loved ones were alive, to say goodbye or simply let them know that they have not been forgotten. Each letter should be placed in a sealed envelope and brought to the Church. When you arrive, you will place your letters in a basket that will be carried to the altar for the service. At the conclusion of the service, the basket of letters will be carried outside and placed into a fire. The flames will burn away our sadness and transform the messages into smoke which carries these thoughts and prayers up to heaven. Please join us and invite any family or friends who want to pray for a loved one. Especially anyone who may be struggling with grief. Since this will be a Liturgy of the Word and not a Mass, non-Catholics should feel comfortable and are most welcome to pray with us.

**Please note, that because of this special All Souls liturgy, Eucharistic adoration on November 2<sup>nd</sup> will conclude at 7:00 pm.**

## PEACE THAT ONLY CHRIST CAN GIVE EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Do you desire a more loving relationship with Jesus? Every 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month, you will have the opportunity to spend time with Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place at Our Lady of Pity Church from 9:00 am to 9:00 pm Eucharistic Guardians will be needed. For further information call Joseph Magliocco at 718-698-8054.



### The Sick

#### Prayer Request for Sick Parishioners

Every worshipping community is called to pray for the sick or elderly in their parish. It is a privilege to ask Our Lord to heal and strengthen the sick. ***The Prayer List for the Sick*** is our way of reaching out to our parishioners, young and elderly, who have received a critical diagnosis and are unable to go about the routines of life: **Michael Ragonese, Frank Marchese, Lawrence Ambrosino, Neil Amodio, Rusty Amodio, MaryAnn Azzarello, Edward Bach, Jeff Beauzil, Isabella Borzumato, Brook Balacco, Barbara Bilardi, Mary Ellen Bednar, Joan Lee Cammy,**

**Gianna Cerullo, Jared Choset, Josephine Cordaro, Joseph Crescenzi Sr., Elsie Cuevas, Marc Dantoni, Dom Dealto, Donna DeFazio, Maureen Dragula, Danny Fortunato, Rose Infuso, Vincent Infuso, Fannie Marro, Josephine Masso, Jack Masso, Lillian Miner, Ann and Angela Recker, Cheri Rosen, Lenora Rosen, Margaret Ryan Galeto, Annette McGoff, Angie Mendez, Charles Messina, Frank Alexis Ragusa, Philip Ragusa, Darlene Remy, Valerie Rose, Peter Ruisi. Gloria Scaglione, Rosalie Shust, Dcn. Michael Venditto, and Phillip Yoo**

**The listed names above for those asking for prayers has been updated according to months on the list.**

Those remaining have been reinstated by parishioners calling after the six month period. If anyone wishes to put a name back or to add a new name of a parishioner who is sick please contact the rectory Mon.-Fri. from 9 am to 5 pm.

#### SPONSOR CERTIFICATES

Anyone desiring a certificate to serve as a sponsor for a Sacrament must be a Roman Catholic who has received the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist and Confirmation. Certificates are distributed only after weekend Masses in the sacristy, not in the rectory.

#### ST. JOSEPH BY-THE-SEA H.S.

Sunday, October 14<sup>th</sup> for Girls  
1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Sunday, October 21<sup>st</sup> for Boys  
1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

#### MONSIGNOR FARRELL H.S.

Monsignor Farrell High School Open House will be held on Sunday, October 14, 2018 from 11:30 am – 3:00 pm.

#### ST. PETER'S BOYS H.S.

St. Peter's boys High School Open House will be held on Sunday, October 28, 2018 from 1 pm – 4 pm

#### ORGANIZATIONS AT OUR LADY OF PITY-ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

We cordially invite all parishioners to join any of the groups in our parish. The following are the group titles and days they meet:

**Golden Age** Tues. 12-3 pm Parish Center  
**There will be no Golden Age meeting on Oct. 16<sup>th</sup>.**  
**The next meeting will be October 23<sup>rd</sup>.**

**Legion of Mary** Thurs. 7:00 pm St Jude Chapel

#### LEGION OF MARY

The Legion of Mary has a pilgrimage statue of Our Lady of Fatima. Anyone wishing to have the statue in their home, please call Ruth at 718-761-7717.

#### WOMEN'S SOCIETIES

**Rosary Altar Society:** Mass First Sunday of every month at 9:00 am and that Monday is their meeting at 7:30 pm in the Parish Center.

**Ladies Auxiliary:** Meet on the first **Wednesday** of the month at 7:00 pm in the Church basement. New members are always welcome. The next meeting will be in October.

#### HOLY NAME SOCIETY

**Our Lady of Pity:** Second Sunday of the month Mass at 12:00 pm; that Monday is their meeting at 7:30 pm in the Parish Center.

**St. Anthony of Padua:** Second Sunday of every month at 8:00 am Mass, meeting follows Mass



## JOIN THE CHOIRS

### The New Our Lady of Pity Choir

We now have one combined choir for all ages which rehearses on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm in the Chapel of the Parish Center. Our new choir will sing at the Sunday 9:00 am Mass. New members are always welcome and should introduce themselves to our organist Ron D'Albero after the weekend Masses, or you may call Ron at 347-770-3477

**Choir at St. Anthony of Padua** meets after the 11:00 am Sunday Mass. Please see our organist Austin Lee. New members are always welcome.

### OUR LADY OF PITY CHURCH: EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION MASS SCHEDULE

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>OCTOBER 20th:</b>
5:00 pm	A. Davis-J. Salcedo
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>OCTOBER 21st:</b>
7:30 am	B. Madaio-M. Madaio
9:00 am	K. Carpenito-P. Knecht
10:30 am	A. Mannino-G. Mannino
NOON	E. Bocchieri-J. Bocchieri

### LECTORS MASS SCHEDULE:

<b>SATURDAY:</b>	<b>OCTOBER 20th:</b>
5:00 pm	M. Salcedo
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>OCTOBER 21st:</b>
7:30 am	R. Rose
9:00 am	L. Buttacavoli
10:30 am	J. Magliocco
NOON	N. Tricorico

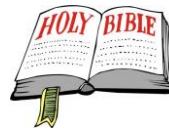
### ALTAR BOY MASS SCHEDULE:

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>OCTOBER 20th:</b>
5:00 pm	N. Lopez-F. Aum-K. Romero
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>OCTOBER 21st:</b>
7:30 am	D. Pangilinan-J. Inigo
9:00 am	M. Maguire-I. Maguire-H. Bailey
10:30 am	C. Baria-M. Tubay-E. Baria-J. Tangco
NOON	M. Zerega-M. Santa-C. Santa

### **ELECTRONIC GIVING (WE SHARE PROGRAM)**

This is an alternate means of supporting your parish instead of using the envelope system. This program will collect monthly contributions from your checking, savings or credit card accounts. There is **NO COST** to you, the parishioner, to participate in this program. Log on to [churchofourladyofpity.churchgiving.com](http://churchofourladyofpity.churchgiving.com) or call 1-866-727-4741 Ext. 1

## TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



### Mark 10:17-30

A man asks Jesus how he can share in everlasting life. Jesus tells him to sell his possessions and travel with them. The man refuses and Jesus tells his disciples how difficult it is for a rich person to enter heaven if they are too concerned with their possessions. The disciples remind Jesus that they gave up everything for him, but he assures them they will be rewarded with everlasting life.

### HIS WORD TODAY THE TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

**“Brothers and sisters: Indeed, the Word of God is living and effective, sharper than any two edged sword, penetrating even between soul and spirit, joints and marrow, and able to discern reflections and thoughts of the heart...’Good teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?’...Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said to him, ‘you are lacking in one thing.’”**

How important it is that we listen carefully to the proclamation of the word at mass each week. It is read for our instruction, formation and growth in the Christian life. Try to identify with the people who meet Jesus in the gospels. I pose the same question about my responsibility as I seek eternal life.

The teaching of Jesus of observing the commandments are quite clear and we surely try to keep them. As Jesus informed him that he was lacking one thing. I ask myself what is lacking in what the Lord asks of me. Is it a deeper prayer life? Is it how I can better my family life? Is it how I show my concern for others, for the poor, for those in need? These are penetrating questions as I reflect on His Word today.

### ST. ANTHONY’S 50/50

The monthly envelopes for the **OCTOBER** “50/50” drawing are available in the back of the church. The fee is \$5 per envelope and you can enter as many times as you wish. **Cash only**, no checks please.

### OUR LADY OF PITY 50/50

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## WESTBURY

November 13, 2018

### AMERICAN TRILOGY

Featuring music by Frank Sinatra, Elvis, and Neil Diamond. Cost is \$110.00 per person, Includes dinner, show and gratuities. Payment is now due. Bus will leave from St. Anthony of Padua.

For information and reservation please call  
Deacon Joe Rentkowski  
718-727-4567

## BETHLEHEM, PA

Wednesday November 28 – Thursday November 29  
Christmas City & Hunterdon Playhouse

Destination – Sands Casino, Your stay at Sands includes \$40 free slot play, 1 buffet voucher, \$5 food voucher, Bethlehem by night tour. Price is \$340 per person double, and \$420 per person single.

For information and reservation please call Lena at  
718-761-8216

## DAUGHTERS OF ST. PAUL CHRISTMAS CONCERT

November 29, 2018 at The Hilton Garden Inn from  
6:00 – 10:00 pm. Includes dinner & show. For  
information and reservation please contact  
Dcn. Joe Rentkowski @ 718-727-4567.

## CHINESE NEW YEAR Chinatown, NYC

Celebrate “The Year of the Pig” with Authentic Chinese Cuisine & Entertainment! New Year’s is the grandest traditional festival with many legends, traditions and taboos. Learn the customs & traditions of the world’s oldest culture. Live Performance By The Chinese Cultural Society, Wednesday, January 30, 2019

Trip includes: Family Style Cantonese Luncheon, Authentic Chinese Entertainment, Introduction to Chinatown, Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation \$115 per person. Please contact Dcn. Joe Rentkowski at 718-727-4567.



## OCTOBER 20, 2018 COUNTRY NIGHT

Our Country Night Event to be held at St. Anthony of Padua Hall is sold out! Doors will open at **7:00 pm**. Hot buffet will open at 7:30 pm and live country music will begin at 8:00 pm. You may bring your own beer or wine only. No hard liquor allowed

## HOLIDAY CRAFT FAIR VENDORS WANTED

We have begun planning our holiday craft fair. It will be held on Sunday, November 25, 2018 from 10 am – 4 pm in our parish gymnasium. The cost for a spot will be \$35 and vendors must bring their own table (4ft or 6ft) and chair.

We will be hosting a raffle for our customers, so please have a basket or item to donate for this event. To be fair to all vendors, we are trying not to duplicate the items being sold, so applications are first come first serve to ensure your spot. Please have your application and payment into our rectory no later than November 2, 2018. For information and reservation please contact Frank Marchese @ [fmarchese@olpsare.com](mailto:fmarchese@olpsare.com)



## CHINESE AUCTION

Once again our Chinese Auction will take place at Our Lady of Pity gym on Friday, October 19, 2018 at 8:00 pm. Doors will open at 7:00 pm. Entrance fee is \$5.00 which includes some tickets for prizes, cake and coffee. The cost of the chances is \$15.00. Prizes are \$2,000., \$500., and \$300. Upon receipt of your Chance Books, either return them by mail, put them in the collection or drop them off at one of the rectories. Winner need not be present to win. Please return any unused chance books. Proceeds from these chances help to defray the many costs and expenses incurred by our parish throughout the year. Anyone wishing to donate new items would be greatly appreciated. As always, thank you for your support.



## SAVE THE DATE NOVEMBER 11, 2018

AUHNS Richmond Division will hold it’s Annual Communion Breakfast honoring Cross Road Foundation on Sunday, November 11, 2018 after the 9:00 am Mass. The price is \$25 per person, children under 7 are free. All you can eat eggs, sausage, bacon, home fries, muffins, danishes, fruit platter, coffee and juice.

## FLU SEASON

Flu season is right around the corner! Protect yourself and your loved ones. Rite Aide will be offering flu shots in the Parish Center on October 30<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 – 2:00 pm

