



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

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AT ST. ANTHONY CHURCH:**

SATURDAY **JULY 20th:**
 8:00 am Katina White
 5:00 pm Rose & William Conte

SUNDAY **JULY 21st:**
 7:30 am Elizabeth Andruzzi
 9:00 am Mariano Papa
 10:30 am Michael & Dorothy Mazzella
 NOON Gloria Creazzo

MONDAY **JULY 22nd:**
 8:30 am Maria Luisa Peralta

TUESDAY **JULY 23rd:**
 8:30 am Josephine Mutoli

WEDNESDAY **JULY 24th:**
 8:30 am For the Health of Jeanette Ayala

THURSDAY **JULY 25th:**
 8:30 am Gloria Creazzo

FRIDAY **JULY 26th:**
 8:30 am Anna Maria Romero
 Birthday in Heaven

SATURDAY **JULY 27th:**
 8:00 am Jason Weeks
 5:00 pm Louis Facciolo

SUNDAY **JULY 28th:**
 7:30 am Nicholas Iovine
 9:00 am Eleanor Giustoino
 10:30 am Antoinette Procaccio
 NOON Greta Morano

SATURDAY **JULY 20th:**
 5:00 pm Joseph & Lillian Sottile
Requested by the family

SUNDAY **JULY 21st:**
 8:00 am Kleafas Sek
Requested by the family
 11:00 am James Siconolfi
Requested by Rosalie & Angela

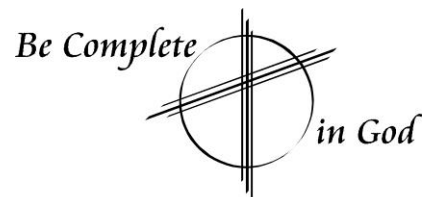
MONDAY **JULY 22nd:**
 7:30 am Dennis O'Brien
Requested by Debbie & Ed Migge

WEDNESDAY **JULY 24th:**
 7:30 am Michele Romano
Requested by Sue & Paul Wicinski

FRIDAY **JULY 26th:**
 7:30 am In honor of St. Ann

SATURDAY **JULY 27th:**
 5:00 pm Barbara Muth
Requested by Rose Infuso

SUNDAY **JULY 28th:**
 8:00 am Scott Kain
Requested by Rosalie & Angela
 11:00 am Stella Koran
Requested by Sandy Sanchez

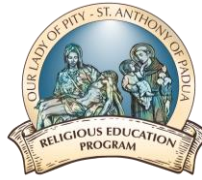




MORNING DEVOTIONS

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 EDUCATION PROGRAM OUR LADY OF PITY-ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

Registration will be held on Tuesdays from 12:00 pm to 7:00 pm and Wednesdays from 10:00 am – 3:00 pm in the Parish Center until August 31st.

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.

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. 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.

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 or call 1-866-727-4741 Ext. 1



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.



PEACE THAT ONLY CHRIST CAN GIVE EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Do you desire a more loving relationship with Jesus? Every 1st 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.

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.

**"Spread love everywhere you go. Let no one ever come to you without leaving happier." ...
St. Mother Teresa.**



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, Dayanara Georzette Acevedo, Lawrence Ambrosino, Neil Amodio, Rusty Amodio, MaryAnn Azzarello, Edward Bach, Jeff Beauzil, Isabella Borzumato, Brook Balacco, Barbara Bilardi, Mary Ellen Bednar, Joan Lee Cammy, Jennifer Campione, Joann Cavallaro, Gianna Cerullo, Jared Choset, Josephine Cordaro, Joseph Crescenzi Sr., Elsie Cuevas, Marc Dantoni, Dom Dealto,, Maureen Dragula, Phyllis Esposito, Ida Foresta, Danny Fortunato, Donna Christine Gueren, Rose Infuso, Vincent Infuso, Jonathan Keiling, Charles Knecht Sr., Andrew Lassen, Fannie Marro, Jack Masso, Lillian Miner, Ann and Angela Recker, Cheri Rosen, Margaret Ryan Galetto, Annette McGoff, Angie Mendez, Charles Messina, Jaclyn Mooney, Richie Pahopin, Darlene Remy, Valerie Rose, Peter Ruisi, Khadijah Sabir, Gloria Scaglione, John Serri, Dcn. Michael Venditto, and Phillip Yoo, Brigitte Stano

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.



Our Lady of Pity

Blood Drive

Sunday, August 4, 2019

8:15am ~ 2:15pm

Cardinal O'Connor Center - GYM

1616 Richmond Avenue – Staten Island 10314

MEMORIALS FOR WEEK OF JULY 21st:



OUR LADY OF PITY

THE ALTAR BREAD AND WINE

are being offered in Honor of

Rose & William Conte
Requested Joseph Conte

ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

THE ALTAR BREAD, WINE & SANCTUARY LIGHT

are being offered in Memory of

James Siconolfi
Requested by Rosalie & Family

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

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 Thursday at 7:30 pm in our Parish Center. No registration necessary.

GOLDEN NUGGET CASINO

Wednesday, August 21st, 2019, \$40 per person with \$25 cash back and \$5 food voucher. Bus leaves in front of Our Lady of Pity Church at 9:00 am. We must have 35 people for the bus to go. For information and reservations please call Agnes Davis @ 718-494-5475

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

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

The last Golden Age meeting will be **June 18th** and then break for the summer. We will resume in the fall.

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. Meetings will resume in September.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Our Lady of Pity:

Second Sunday of the month Mass at 12:00 pm; that Monday is their meeting at 8:00 pm in the Parish Center.

St. Anthony of Padua:

Second Sunday of every month at 8:00 am Mass, meeting follows Mass.

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.

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

SATURDAY:	JULY 27th
5:00 PM	Z. Cangelosi A. Davis
SUNDAY:	JULY 28th
7:30 AM	B. & M. Madaio
9:00 AM	J. Almero R. Collela
10:30 AM	M. Mendez E. Boccieri
NOON	M. & N. Terracino

LECTORS MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY:	JULY 27th
5:00 PM	Donadic
SUNDAY:	JULY 28th
7:30 AM	Rose
9:00 AM	Buttacavoli
10:30 AM	Ponterella
NOON	Tricorico

ALTAR BOY MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY:	JULY 27th
5:00 PM	N. Lopez M. Maningas
SUNDAY:	JULY 28th
7:30 AM	
9:00 AM	H.Bailey,K. Romero & D. Megalea
10:30 AM	C. & E. Baria
NOON	F. Aum, M & C. Santa

ST. ANTHONY’S 50/50

The monthly envelopes for the **JULY** “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.

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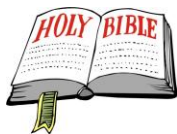
SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

“Abraham saw three men standing nearby. When he saw them, he ran from the entrance of the tent to greet them; and bowing to the ground, he said, ‘Sir, if I may ask you this favor, please do not go on past your servant. Let some water be brought, that you may bathe your feet, and then rest yourselves under the tree. Now that you have come this close to your servant, let me bring you a little food, that you may refresh yourselves; and afterward you may go on your way...and he waited on them under the tree while they ate.”

During the hot, hazy, dusty days of summer we find the Genesis story welcome relief. Don't we all seek some help at this time of the year, a gentle breeze, a quiet fan or air conditioning? Imagine how welcome was this encounter with Abraham.

A fundamental principle in the Christian life is found in the virtue of hospitality. Saint Benedict likened it to prayer. Jesus found it in the home of Martha, Mary and Lazarus. We have often experienced it in visits, being welcomed into a new parish community or home. We can offer this gift to others at little cost to ourselves. The first to come to mind are immigrants and refugees.

Jesus fled to Egypt following no acceptance at the inn. Those fleeing the ravages of war, gangs and poverty at our borders, might be the God hidden from recognition in the book of Genesis. Our gift of hospitality reveals the compassion of Jesus Christ to others.



HIS WORD TODAY BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON
THE SUNDAY READINGS

Luke 10:38-42

Jesus was welcomed into the home of a woman named Martha. She complained to Jesus that her sister Mary sat listening to him instead of helping with the tasks of entertaining. Jesus told Martha that her sister had chosen the more important task and should be allowed to listen.

SAVE THE DATES **Upcoming trips for 2019**

Tuesday, November 12th, 2019

Tony Orlando at Westbury

Cost: \$125 per person, includes show, dinner at Verdi, bus & gratuities

Thursday December 5th, 2019

Concert of Daughter of St. Paul

Includes Show, dinner at Hilton Garden Hotel

6:00 pm – 10:00 pm

Friday & Saturday December 6th – 7th

SIGHT AND SOUND THEATER “Christmas Show”

AMERICAN MUSIC THEATER “Joy to the World”

1 dinner at Good & Plenty, Hotel- Eden Resort, Breakfast Buffet, Kitchen Kettle, Amish Farm. Lunch on 2nd Day at

Cracker Barrel on your own, bus, gratuities. Cost: 399 Per Person

For Additional information & reservation please contact Dcn. Joe Rentkowski at 718-727-4567



2019 GOLDEN JACKPOT

The 19th Annual Golden Jackpot Raffle will be held on Sunday, September 15th at 2:00 pm. Each raffle is \$100 and only 300 raffle tickets will be sold. **If all tickets are sold**, the prizes will be:

1st - \$10,000 2nd-\$2,500 3rd - \$1,000

As of June 1st, there are raffle tickets available. Each ticket purchased admits two adults to the Golden Jackpot Drawing in the church yard. Food (burgers, dogs, kielbasa and salads) and drink (beer, wine and soda), as well as coffee and cookies will be provided. In addition to the jackpot drawing there will be basket raffles, a 50/50, and other chances to win.

This is an opportune way to support your parish and maybe win some wonderful prizes – or the jackpot! If you would like to purchase a Golden Jackpot Raffle, please contact Sue Wicinski at 917-596-2978