

This Week

Today

9:30AM Rosary & Altar Society Mass followed by Meeting & Baby Shower in Fr. Hopkins Hall

Monday

7:30PM Miraculous Medal Novena

Thursday

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting – Rectory

First Friday

Masses: OLQP 7:00AM and 8:30AM

Eucharistic Adoration 9AM to 9PM

7:30pm Stations of the Cross – Lower Chapel

First Saturday

Our Lady of Fatima Devotions – after the 8:30AM Mass

10:00AM Jesus Day – 2nd Grade Families A-L

Sunday

9:30AM Holy Name Society/Fathers Club Mass

**COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE
SUNDAY, March 8, 2015**

Saturday

4:00PM Maria Mathieu

7:00PM Barbara Orleman

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Morisano

9:30AM Mike Milillo

11:30AM Theresa Gargano

1:15PM Maria Paronich

10:00AM OLL – Roe Rizzi

**SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST
SUNDAY, March 8, 2015**

Saturday

4:00PM Tina Bove

7:00PM Janet Andrillo

Sunday

7:30AM Dan Clifford

9:30PM Deborah Cretella & Toni Castelli

11:30AM Roy Crombie & Susan DiScala

1:15PM John Donovan

10:00AM OLL – Ray Eger

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE
On duty the week of March 1 to March 7 – Arlene

The Cenacle of Life Prayer Group meets every Friday at 4:00PM in the Chapel to recite the Rosary.

SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

First Reading: Genesis 22:1-2, 9a, 10-13, 15-18

God ordered Abraham to take his beloved only son to Moriah and offer him as a sacrifice. Abraham built an altar and took out a knife to sacrifice his son Isaac. But God called out to him and told him of blessings that would be bestowed on him and his descendants because he had been willing to do what God had asked.

Second Reading: Romans 8:31b-34

Paul reminds the people that God did not spare his only Son, but gave him up for the sake of all people. This proves God views us all as his children, and that no person can harm or condemn us because God will protect us.

Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

Jesus led Peter, James and John up a high mountain, where he conversed with Elijah and Moses. A voice proclaimed 'This is my Son, my beloved. Listen to him.' Then Jesus was alone and warned them not to tell anyone what they had seen until he had risen from the dead.

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2nd Sunday of Lent

March 1, 2015

VOCATION VIEW

If you need an example of a person responding to a vocational call, look at Abraham – called in old age to leave his country, father a child, then asked to sacrifice the child. What faith! Vocation is a risky response to a unique call from God. If you would like to be a priest or have questions about the priesthood, please contact the Vocation Office at (914) 968-1340 or www.NYPRIEST.COM "The World Needs Heroes".

***We Welcomed the Newly Baptized
to our parish***

Thomas Michael Badalamenti
Gavin Joseph Gavriety
Nicholas Michael Youssef



BREAD AND WINE & SANCTUARY LIGHT

We are accepting offerings for the Sanctuary Light and Bread and Wine for the week in memory of your loved ones. Any questions, please call the rectory 718-351-1093.

The Bread and Wine for this week are donated in loving memory of Robert Ustick requested by Anne Galli.

Lenten Journey 2015...

WEEK - II

Quest for Happiness

We are all on a quest for happiness. And yet, we have all done things that we thought would make us happy, but that left us feeling empty, unhappy, miserable used, deceived, or worse.

What ultimately will make us happy? Jesus.

The more I get to know Jesus, the more I get to know my true self. And this is what I discover: Jesus is the healer of my soul... and my soul needs healing. I think if you are honest with yourself, you will discover that your soul needs healing, too.

This week, I hope you discover that Jesus is the friend you have been yearning for your whole life.

"We all want to be happy.

The question is, how long do you want to be happy for?

If you just want to be happy for an hour, take a nap.

If you want to be happy for two hours, have a great meal.

If you want to be happy for a whole day, go shopping. If you want to be happy for a week, go fishing.

If you want to be happy for a month, take a long vacation—go down to Australia.

If you want to be happy for a year, inherit a fortune. But the truth is, you want to be happy forever.

Do not mistake pleasure for happiness. Think about this: Pleasure cannot be sustained beyond the activity producing it. Happiness is different. Happiness is sustainable.

Be bold. Be Catholic.,

Stop seeking happiness in the world around you. Look to God. He created us for happiness. He sent his only Son to die so that we might have eternal happiness. Ask yourself this week, who is Jesus to you?

From Mathew Kelly, Dynamic Catholic

FATHER GANNON SCHOLARSHIP FUND

This Fund is alive and well! It helps students who attend OLQP School to remain in school when their family suffers a long term set back, such as death, illness, or unemployment. Please make checks payable to:

OLQP/ Father Gannon Scholarship Fund

Lent 2015

In order to make the season of Lent a more fruitful one we invite our parish family to come to events we have scheduled below:

MONDAYS IN LENT: Miraculous Medal Novena-7:30pm

FRIDAYS IN LENT: Stations of the Cross- 7:30pm
Lower Chapel

PRAYER BASKET: Bring your prayer intention on a paper and drop it in the basket in front of the altar for the whole Church to pray.

FIRST FRIDAY: Eucharistic Adoration – Lower Chapel
March 6th 9:00am to 9:00pm

REGULAR CONFESSION SCHEDULE:

OLQP – Saturday 3:00pm to 3:45pm

OLL – Before the 10am Sunday Mass

DAY OF RECOLLECTION:

Sponsored by the Rosary & Altar Society
Tuesday, March 24th from 8:00am to 4:00pm
San Alfonso's Retreat House
Long Branch, New Jersey

Coach bus will leave from St. Rita's Church
(Bradley Avenue and Westwood Avenue) at 8am
and return by 4pm. \$45 per person includes
breakfast, lunch and transportation.

There will be Mass, guest speakers and time for
Reconciliation

For reservations, call Arlene Bocchetti at 718-979-2615.

PRE-CANA CLASSES AT ST. PATRICK'S PARISH

The Pre-Cana Program will be available at St. Patrick's school, Staten Island. Classes will take place on March 22nd or July 19th, from 11:00am to 5:30pm in Classroom 4-2. Register at stpatrickssi.org or call 718-979-4227.

REMEMBER YOUR PARISH IN YOUR ESTATE PLAN

Remember Our Lady Queen of Peace and Our Lady of Lourdes in your estate plan. If you would like to speak to a gift planning specialist about how to include OLQP and OLL in your will or living trust, please email the Office of Gift Planning at gift.planning@archny.org. or call 646-794-3317.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, March 2

7:00AM Carmela Petosa
8:30AM Helene Rago

Tuesday, March 3 – St. Katherine Drexel, Virgin

7:00AM Cecile McKenna
8:30AM Maria Riccardelli

Wednesday, March 4 – St. Casimir

7:00AM Deceased Members of the
Seaver-Casazza Family
8:30AM Muratore & Mongiovetto Families

Thursday, March 5

7:00AM Brennan Family
8:30AM Marion Scarpa – requested by the OLQP
Rosary & Altar Society

Friday, March 6

7:00AM Maurice & Jessie Donovan
8:30AM George W. McAuliffe, Sr.

Saturday, March 7 – Sts. Perpetua & Felicity, Martyrs

7:00AM Maria Kalist
8:30AM Joseph Dondiego

4:00PM Deceased Members of the Hanley-Dillon Family
7:00PM Antonia Christino

Sunday, March 8

7:30AM Nunziata Aiello
9:30AM Deceased Members of the
Holy Name Society
11:30AM Marion A. Scarpa
1:15PM Sarah & John Fraschilla
10:00AM OLL People of the Parish

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Let us pray for the repose of the souls of our deceased parishioners and God's comfort for their families

George J. McAndrew, Doris E. Heaney, Palmira Beattie

50/50 Monthly Drawing

The 50/50 drawing will be held on the last week of every month. Yellow 50/50 envelopes are provided in your envelope package and also at the back of the Church. The cost is \$5.00. You can drop the envelopes in the collection basket. To be eligible to win, please be sure to get your entry in soon! Good Luck to all.

Congratulations

to our February 50/50 Winner!
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph Molloy - \$540

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Judith Stapleton, Frank Comparato, Joseph Cali, Patricia De Laurentis, Lena Magno, William Fannon Jr., Michael Camera, James Adrian, Salvatrice Galatro, Shannon Craig, Joseph Bilotti, Jr., Rose Tabbanella, Ernest Velez, Clara Guglielmi, Malti Sharma, Jayce Monty, Antoinette Piraneo, Rita Clohessy, Emily Driscall, Daniela Vanico, Toniann Vigneri, Michael Bifalco, Joseph Bifalco, Susan Moore, Ann Margaret Zaino, Kelsey Heaney, Joe Scirone, John Mandato, Matilda Costanza, Anthony DeAngelis, Jeremy Castillo, Leila Idelfanso, Lorraine Costa, Michael Volpe, Rosaria Sepulveda, Bob Notholt, Janet Viso, Esteban Gonzalez, Paul Rydell, Peter Discenza, Ursula Torre, Frank Aiello, Jane Logan, Rose Sgarlato, Richard Tuite, Danny DeMeo, Patricia DeMeo, Jodiann Altamura, Rose Mattera, Helena Mahon, Pauline LaFonte, Anthony Schiavone, William Fallon, Donald Bull, Angela Ricca, Sophia Madeline Sanzone, Jeanne Stern, Lillian Bilotti, Jean Maffeo, Maria Riggio, Violet Buzzanca, Paul Gregis, Tabitha Lombardi, Giovanna Rivera, Loretta Gaeta, Lennie Gaeta, Christina Corrieri Paradino, Thomas Ciotola, James Remias, Melodi Roy, Marie Diloia, Gerald Frederick, Suzzane Astuo, Derrill Roy, Nicole Viola, Carla Marie Russo, Pauline Cipriano, Daniel Woods, Carmen Ramos, Katherine Nikatas, Kriss Murphy, Theresa Raimondi, Edna Ventimiglia, Peggy Weaver, Michael Cianci, Jr., Andre Bocchiaro, James Anthony Parker, Carmen Oliveras, Anna Indio, William Gonzalez, Amy Altuna, Carol Wetmore, Grace Campanile, Alfred Bocchetti, Sr., Geraldine Cosentino, Christina Viso,, John Pape, Cameron King, Valerie Schiavone, Frank DiGregorio, Grace Turner, Elsa Griswold, Teresa Castellano, Joseph Esposito, Baby Juliette Florio-Perez, Rose Stingo, Palma Milano, Peter Kyvellos, Christie Schaff, Rose Sullivan, Joel Rivera, Anthony Gerard Donato, Grace Bruno, Millie Shea, Craig Inducci, Tom LaMantia, Concetta Friscia, Antoinette Olmeda, Tina Bove, Corrine Alaimo, Ruth Jernegan, Marlene Olivieri, Thomas DeAngelis, Christina Blumstein, John Schiera, Michael Goldstein, Katie, Frank Ambrosio, John Kelly, Jenna Esposito, Anthony Bocchetti, Steve Sgarlato, Carol DeCastro, Phillip Leone, Eric Long, Katherine McHugh, Thomas Keenan, Carol Gilroy, Ann Gray, Lucille Waters, Alanna Shea, Ralph Pennacchio, Kathleen Burke, Thomas Gaither

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, March 1, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM A. DiPietro, L. DiPietro, L. Giarrusso
7:00PM C. Lombardi, D. Koppie, F. Koppie

Sunday

7:30AM L. MacDonald, S. MacDonald, A. Giambrone
9:30AM C. Carnemolla, S. Petrik, J. Carnemolla
11:30AM G. Russo, M. Hanley
1:15PM V. Sparacio, N. Plotkin, K. Laino
10:00AM OLL R. Cioffi

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, March 8, 2015

Saturday

4:00PM P. Ryan, R. Santos, A. Messler
7:00PM T. Persichetty, L. Persichetty, J. Milillo

Sunday

7:30AM N. Rivera, A. Sciortino, C. Mule
9:30AM M. Sheehan, J. Salvador, C. Milisci
11:30AM J. Ursino, B. Bencivenga, M. Rojas
1:15PM R. Burroughs, L. Carl, M. Scafuri
10:00AM OLL J. Ardi

**OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE CHURCH
REPORT ON PARISH FINANCES
SEPTEMBER 1, 2013 – AUGUST 31, 2014**

Ordinary Income

Sunday Collections	\$609,377
Christmas, Easter & Holy Days	66,249
Votive Candle Offerings	14,573
Donations & Bequests	10,725
Parish Fund Raisers	22,217
Parish Campaign Fundraising	75,686
Interest/Investment Income	933
Miscellaneous/Other Receipts	1,158
Total Ordinary Income	\$800,918

Ordinary Expenses

Church

Clergy, Salaries & Benefits	\$105,109
Altar & Liturgy Supplies	20,129

Rectory

Lay Salaries & Benefits	85,730
Printing & Office Expense	36,379
Household Living Expense	29,181

Music Ministry

Lay Salaries & Benefits	35,788
Cost for Organists	19,450
Cost of Christmas Concert	1,875
Choir Supplies	386
OCP Music	3,210
Xerox	1,324

Buildings Operations

Building Maintenance & Repairs	21,861
School Building Maintenance & Repairs	34,860
Sanctuary/Church/Rectory/School Renovations	190,987
Utilities	58,083
Property & General Insurance	24,651

Other

Archdiocesan Assessment	51,093
Regional School Tax	45,787
Donations, Grants & Scholarships	11,000
Miscellaneous/Other Expenses	7,050
Total Ordinary Expenses	\$783,933

Total Surplus from Ordinary Operation **\$16,985**

Religious Education Program

Income	\$48,348
Total Income	\$48,348

Lay Salaries & Benefits	30,745
Textbooks/Supplies	10,364
Program Operations	11,883
Total Expenses	\$52,992

Total Religious Education Deficit **(\$4,644)**

Sports Financial Report

Income

Basketball	\$78,445.32
Baseball	8,332.50
Cheer Leading	1000.00
Track	2,450.00
Swimming	14,625.00
Snack Stand	12,492.00
Total Income	\$117,344.82

Expenses

Basketball	\$81,530.48
Baseball	10,495.00
Cheer Leading	400.00
Track	1,900.00
Swimming	11,005.14
Snack Stand	8,929.53
Total Expenses	\$114,260.15

Total Surplus **\$3084.67**

Thank You!

I thank all of you for your generous and constant support to our Church and School even always. I am truly proud of you and I take this opportunity to thank the Parish Trustees, the Finance Council Members, Parish Organizations, HNS/Father's Club, Family Association, Sports Program and everyone who contribute their time, talents and money for our Church & School. May the Lord bless you for all your good work!

Fr. Pancrose

RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

Reminder for 2nd Grade Parents

Jesus Day: Day of Reflection

for parents & 2nd graders

10am to 12noon Lower Chapel and Fr. Hopkins Hall
 March 7th for 2nd grade families with names A – L
 March 28th (New date) for 2nd grade families with names
 M – Z

7th Grade Confirmation Candidates

Friday, March 13, 2015

Arrive at OLQP Gym between 7 and 7:15pm
 (Change of Time)

Pick up by parents – 9:45pm

Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish along with Our Lady Star of the Sea, Our Lady Help of Christians and St. Joseph/St. Thomas are hosting the **Te Deum Ministries/Array of Hope Concert and Prayer Event** as part of our Confirmation preparation.

Mrs. Barbara Orleman