

Today

9:30AM Holy Name Society/Fathers Club Mass

Monday

7:30PM Miraculous Medal Novena

Ash Wednesday

See Schedule for Lent

Thursday

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting – Rectory

Friday

7:30PM Stations of the Cross – Lower Chapel

**COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE
SUNDAY, February 18, 2018**

Saturday

4:00PM Dan Clifford
7:00PM Peter Orleman

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Morisano
9:30AM Edwin Hall-Clarke
11:30AM Theresa Gargano
1:15PM Bill Mirabello
10:00AM OLL Vivian Azzarelli

**SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST
SUNDAY, February 18, 2018**

Saturday

4:00PM Peter Montanti
7:00PM Tina Bove

Sunday

7:30AM Theresa Maleady
9:30AM Toni Castelli
11:30AM Barbara Orleman
1:15PM Nancy Kinzler
10:00AM OLL Mary Sessa

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE

On-duty the week of February 11 to February 17 – Ann

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



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 Maria Riggio requested by Denise and Danny Melious.

The Sanctuary Light for this week burns in loving memory of Maria Riggio requested by Courtney and Carl Repoli.

SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Leviticus 13:1-2, 44-46

The Lord tells Moses and Aaron that anyone bearing the sore of leprosy must first be seen by Aaron or one of the other priests, and that as long as the sore is upon him, "He shall dwell apart, making his abode outside the camp."

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:31-11:1

Paul instructs the Corinthians to do everything for the glory of God, to avoid offending others, and to be imitators of Christ.

Gospel: Mark 1:40-45

Jesus takes pity on a leper and cures him of his disease with a warning not to say but to show himself to the priest and make an offering. Instead of remaining silent, the leper greatly publicized the healing, making it impossible for Jesus to enter the town openly.

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6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

February 11, 2018

VOCATION VIEW

Today's Gospel says that: "Jesus was moved with pity," when He saw a leper. Are you moved with love or pity when you see the outcast of today's society? Who will come forward to minister Christ today? If you would like to be a priest or have questions about the priest-hood, please contact the Vocation Office at (914) 968-1340 or www.NYPRIEST.COM "The World Needs Heroes"

Prayer for Ash Wednesday

Blessed are you, O Lord our God, the all-holy one, who gives us life and all things. As we go about our lives, the press of our duties and activities often leads us to forget your presence and your love. We fall into sin and fail to live out the responsibilities that you have entrusted to those who were baptized into your Son.

In this holy season, help us to turn our minds and hearts back to you. Lead us into sincere repentance and renew our lives with your grace. Help us to remember that we are sinners, but even more, help us to remember your loving mercy.

As we live through this Ash Wednesday, may the crosses of ashes that mark our foreheads be a reminder to us and to those we meet that we belong to your Son. May our worship and prayer and penitence this day be sustained throughout these 40 days of Lent. Bring us refreshed and renewed to the celebration of Christ's resurrection at Easter.

We ask this through your Son, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever. Amen

From the Pastor's Desk ...

My Dear Brothers and Sisters,

In an elegant ceremony on Wednesday, January 31st for the first time in our school the following students were inducted into the National Junior Honor Society after they took the pledge:

<u>Sixth Grade</u>	<u>Seventh Grade</u>	<u>Eighth Grade</u>
Mathew Barton	Tyler Albergo	Joie Abinante
Noah Boyle	Jason Bova	Giovanni Capobianco
Ava Carl	Casey Boyle	Anthony Caruso
Peter Dembinski	Vincent Canepa	Emily Ciarlo
Michael Illuzzi	Jack Carnemolla	Clair DeFranco
Michael Intartaglia	Sean Danis	Maria Gambino
Kayla Marzullo	Lukas Duran	Vittoria Gambino
Abigail Memmesheimer	Ava Giambrone	Donovan Gioia
Jake Petro	Luka Giarusso	Genevieve Gervai
Kayla Pollio	Ashley Kelly	Daniel Kennedy
Brandon Ritchie	George Kokakis	Jennifer Libretto
Santo Sciortino	Patrick Simmons	Erin Memmesheimer
Elise Serpico	Alex Vlases	Faith Morrisey
Ronan Sheehan		Jordan Morrisey
Nicolina Siracusa		James Papandrea
		Destin Perrella
		Brandon Petraglia
		Ryan Petraglia
		Joseph Salvador
		Antonio Sciotino
		Maeve Sheehan
		Anthony Vlases

I truly appreciate and congratulate all our children for their hard work and excellence. I am proud of them. Many thanks to Mrs. Margaret O'Connor our principal who brought this Honor Society chapter to our school. Thanks to Mrs. Claudia Albanese, the chapter adviser, the faculty council: Mr. Stephen Pezzella, Mrs. Fran Pinto, Mr. James Ryan, Mrs. Stephanie Gallucci and Mrs. Karen Paradiso.

The selected students took the following pledge:
I pledge to uphold the high purpose of the National Junior Honor Society to which I have been selected. I will be true to the principles for which it stands; I will be loyal to my school; And will maintain and encourage high standards of scholarship, service, citizenship and character. Add Faith in God and practice of our faith. We will be the all-time winners.

God Bless you
Fr. Pancrose

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Collection (February 4 th)	\$8,508.00
School Support	\$2,596.00
Shrine Candles	\$263.00
Poor Box	\$194.00

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. Please make checks payable to:
OLQP/ Father Gannon Scholarship Fund

THE 2019 MASS BOOK

The 2019 Mass Book will open on Thursday, February 15th at 9:00am in the Rectory. **Mass offering is to be made when the Mass is arranged.** Weekend Masses and Holy Days of Obligation Masses are still \$25 and Monday through Saturday morning Masses are \$15.

Lent 2018

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:

ASH WEDNESDAY, Feb. 14th -Ashes will be distributed:

OLQP: Following 7:00am & 8:30am Masses

Following 12 Noon Mass

Following 4pm & 7:00pm – Liturgy of the Word

OLL: Following 7:00pm Mass

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

WEDNESDAYS IN LENT: 8:15am Morning Prayer
before Mass

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 4th 9:00am to 9:00pm

REGULAR CONFESSION SCHEDULE:

OLQP – Saturday 3:00pm to 3:45pm

OLL – Before the 10am Sunday Mass

Ash Wednesday

We begin each Lent begging for the blessing of forgiveness. God longs for us to return to him with our whole heart. For without such repentance we remain tormented by the question, "Where is our God?" God has not cast us out of his presence; rather, he desires us to "become the righteousness of God." The Father "who is hidden" waits for us to pray. "A clean heart create for me, O God." Then the way that we reach out to reality to become one with it will reveal God's saving presence in every circumstance. "The joy of our salvation" begins today.

Repent, and believe in the Gospel. (Mk 1:15)

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, February 12

7:00AM

8:30AM Webber and Fellin Families

Tuesday, February 13

7:00AM Cathy McGill- Special Healing

8:30AM Rocco D'Agostino

Wednesday, February 14 – Ash Wednesday

7:00AM Marie Palumbo

8:30AM John and Jennie Smith

12Noon Mary Kuhar

7:00PM OLL

Thursday, February 15

7:00AM Jean and Thomas Butler

8:30AM Deceased Members of the Russo and Mairino

Friday, February 16

7:00AM

8:30AM Dorothy Potterfield

Saturday, February 17 – The Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

7:00AM

8:30AM Maria Riggio

4:00PM Joseph Babbino

7:00PM Perpetua and Dominador De La Cruz

Sunday, February 18 – 1st Sunday of Lent

7:30AM Anthony Buono and Len Nole

9:30AM People of the Parish

11:30AM Jennifer Westerman

1:15PM Linda Iervolino

10:00AM OLL Josie and John Trotta

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

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

Especially William P. Glick, Concetta Pompeo, John DiPalma, Diane Russo, Maria Burhart, Erik Johnston

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Judith Stapleton, Joseph Cali, Patricia De Laurentis, Anthony Magno, William Fannon Jr., Michael Camera, James Adrian, Salvatrice Galatro, Joseph Bilotti, Jr., Al Tabbanella, Ernest Velez, Clara Guglielmi, Jayce Monty, Emily Driscall, Daniela Vanico, Toniann Vigneri, Michael Bifalco, Joseph Bifalco, Susan Moore, Ann Margaret Zaino, Kelsey Heaney, John Mandato, Matilda Costanza, Anthony DeAngelis, Jeremy Castillo, Leila Idelfanso, Lorraine Costa, Michael Volpe, Rosaria Sepulveda, Esteban Gonzalez, Paul Rydell, Peter Discenza, Ursula Torre, Frank Aiello, Rose Sgarlato, Danny DeMeo, Patricia DeMeo, Jodiann Altamura, Rose Mattera, Pauline LaFonte, Anthony Schiavone, William Fallon, Angela Ricca, Sophia Madeline Sanzone, Jeanne Stern, Lillian Bilotti, Violet Buzzanca, Paul Gregis, Christina Corrieri Paradino, Thomas Ciotola, James Remias, Melodi Roy, Marie Diloia, Gerald Frederick, Suzzane Astuo, Derrill Roy, Xavier Castelli, Nicole Viola, Pauline Cipriano, Daniel Woods, Carmen Ramos, Katherine Nikatas, Kriss Murphy, Michael Cianci, Jr., Andre Bocchiaro, James Anthony Parker, Carmen Oliveras, Anna Indio, William Gonzalez, Amy Altuna, Carol Wetmore, John Pape, Cameron King, Valerie Schiavone, Frank DiGregorio, Grace Turner, Elsa Griswold, Joseph Esposito, Baby Juliette Florio-Perez, Rose Stingo, Palma Milano, Christie Schaff, Rose Sullivan, Joel Rivera, Anthony Gerard Donato, Grace Bruno, Craig Inducci, Concetta Friscia, Corrine Alaimo, Marlene Olivieri, Thomas DeAngelis, Christina Blumstein, John Schiera, Michael Goldstein, Katie, Frank Ambrosio, Jenna Esposito, Anthony Bocchetti, Steve Sgarlato, Carol DeCastro, Katherine McHugh, Thomas Keenan, Carol Gilroy, Ann Gray, Alanna Shea, Thomas Gaither, Michael Esposito, Baby Cameron Helmuth, Kejsi Mesutllari, Josephine Dedicos, William Cianci, Anna Vetter, Mary Pollina, Gabriela Surowiec, Rita Scalzo, Janet Logon, Victor Raimondi, Nicholas Ilijic, Michael Spatola, Yolanda Mazza, Rosina Agunzo, Kathleen Fusco, Andrew Biancomano, Muriel McKeon, Salvatore Turturici, Caroline DiBella, Antonia Pistone, Nicky Focillo, Roseanna Whalen, Deborah Arnold, Robert Arnold, J.R., G. Fraschilla, Rita Orlando, Robert Antonucci, Baby Juliette Tighe, Alfonso De'lia Vicky Sgarlato, Meg, John Rizzo, Cathy Sartzetaks, Maria Guzman, Marty Petosa, Peter Petosa, Joseph Sgarlato, Carol Iacobelli, Lisa Bolton, Josephine Nalbone, Philip Defonte, Marie Pernice, Paul Cobb, Clifford Fusco, Baby Charlie, Donald Giovanello, Susan Piscopo, Michael Bochetti, Fr. Ronald Lee Green, Michael Hansen, Jack McHugh, Marie Presto, Ralph Romano, Celeste Presto, Enrique Soto, Lynn Crisafulli, Christine Kennette, Karen M., Geri Wahren, Annemarie Rizzo, Catherine Davis, Walter Drake, Victoria Saraceno, Martha Mohrman.

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, February 11, 2018

Saturday

4:00PM G. Russo, A. Sciortino

7:00PM J. Riley, D. Churuba

Sunday

7:30AM V. Venditti, M. Rojas

9:30AM M. Scafuri, A. Scafuri

11:30AM J. Ursino, M. Intartaglia

1:15PM R. Sheehan, T. Procida

10:00AM OLL N. Eger, A. Tephusdin, R. Eger

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, February 18, 2018

Saturday

4:00PM I. Fuller, G. Montanti

7:00PM J. Ramon, J. Riley

Sunday

7:30AM N. Drew, J. Drew

9:30AM M. Lopiano, M. Lopiano

11:30AM G. Capobianco, A. Capobianco

1:15PM V. Sparacio, F. Iurlaro

10:00AM OLL N. Eger, A. Tephusdin, R. Eger

Legion of Mary Bus Trip **National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa – Doylestown, PA**

Saturday April 21, 2018. The bus leaves at 8:00am at St. Margaret Mary's Church on 560 Midland Ave. SI, NY. Approximate return time to Staten Island is 5pm. Cost: \$40 per person - this includes lunch at the Shrine - buffet style.

If interested, or need more information, please call Annette Viso to reserve by February 16th. Limited space available.

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OLQP SCHOOL NEWS

PRE-K REGISTRATION FOR OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE SCHOOL

Free Pre-k for All - application period is now through March 30, 2018. This is a full day program available to all children born in 2014. You can apply for UPK in 3 ways:

- * Online at: schools.nyc.gov/ApplyOnline
- * Over the phone by calling 718-935-2009
- * In person at one of the Department of Education Family Welcome Centers – 715 Ocean Terrace, Staten Island, NY 10301

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THE GIFT OF A CATHOLIC EDUCATION

The 2018 Staten Island Catholic Elementary School Touring Tuesday are February 13th, March 13th and April 24th from 9-11am. Parents of school age children, kindly consider visiting Our Lady Queen of Peace School and enroll your children.

Staten Island Catholic Schools are Christ-centered, academically excellent, and welcoming communities that teach students to be life-long learners and leaders energized by fidelity to Christ, the Church, and one another. For more information, visit www.adny-si.org or call 646-794-3303.

Tour our school by calling (718)351-0370

Visit us on our website at www.OLQPsi.com

APPLY ONLINE FOR PRE-K 3 AND KINDERGARTEN THROUGH 8TH GRADE

www.ApplyCatholicSchoolsNY.org

Financial Assistance program – available to new students entering K - 8th grade

OLQP SPORTS NEWS

The sports committee meetings are held on the 3rd Monday of the month. All executive board positions (President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer) will be open for election in May 2018. Anyone interested in a position should attend meetings in order to be eligible for it.

ST. PETER'S BOYS HIGH SCHOOL ANNUAL CHINESE AUCTION

Friday, March 2nd

Doors Open at 6pm

School Gym

200 Clinton Avenue

There will be numerous raffles, refreshments & prizes. No children under 12 will be admitted. Children 12-18 years of age must be accompanied by an adult. Admission: \$5.00. For more information, please call Dawn Wickstrom, Parents' Club Moderator, at the school: 718-447-1676.

RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

REMINDER – Jesus Days

Saturday, February 17, 2018 – 10am
2nd grade Families with the last names A-L
Please enter through the Fr. Hopkins Hall door.

Saturday, February 24, 2018 – 10am
2nd grade Families with the last names M-Z
Please enter through the Fr. Hopkins Hall door.

Reminder – 2nd grade and 7th grade

2nd Grade – First Reconciliation/First Communion Activity Fee of \$50. was due in January 17. If you have not yet sent it into the Rectory, please do so immediately.

7th Grade – The Confirmation Activity Fee – 1st instalment of \$50 was due on January 18th. If you have not sent it into the Rectory, please do so immediately. The entire fee (\$100) is due on February 15th.

Confirmation Retreat (March 9th), please send in the \$20 for the sponsor or parent's ticket as soon as possible. The 7th grader must be accompanied by one parent or adult sponsor.

FORMED.ORG

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Formed.org offers rich catholic content: video programs, movies, audio talks, electronic books, and down loadable materials. These resources can help us with Bible Study, Sacramental Preparation, marriage issues and educational programs for all age groups. Formed.Org is available for free for all parishioners on your computer, your tablet, your smartphone etc. Everyone in our parish boundary can use **Our Parish Code: XNDPWW** for this website and register for this year. Kindly use this resource and don't miss this golden chance to learn and grow in faith and spirituality.

GIFT CERTIFICATES

Family Association members will be selling certificates to ShopRite and Stop & Shop in the amounts of \$25 and \$50 next weekend after all the masses.

SAINT EDWARD FOOD PANTRY

Saint Edward Food Pantry wishes to express thanks to all parishioners for their food contributions. There is no charge and referrals are not needed.

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 in the back of the Church. The cost is \$5.00. To be eligible to win, please be sure to get your entry in soon! Good Luck to all.