This Week

Monday

7:30PM Miraculous Medal Novena

Thursday

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting - Rectory

COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE SUNDAY, July 15, 2018

Saturday

4:00PM Terence Hurson 7:00PM Peter Orleman

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Morisano 9:30AM Edwin Hall-Clarke 11:30AM Maria Peronich 1:15PM Bill Mirabella

10:00AM OLL - Rosanne Allen

SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST SUNDAY, July 15, 2018

Saturday

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

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Rosko 9:30AM Theresa Maleady 11:30AM Barbara Orleman 1:15PM Cathy Lavelle

10:00AM OLL – Raymond Eger

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE

On-duty the week of July 8 to July 14 – Joe

*** PLEASE NOTE ***

Sunday Masses at Our Lady of Lourdes and 7am weekday Masses at Our Lady Queen of Peace for 2018 are still available.

THE 2019 MASS BOOK IS OPEN

Mass offering is to be made when the Mass is arranged in the Rectory during office hours. Weekend Masses and Holy Days of Obligation Masses are still \$25 and Monday through Saturday morning Masses are \$15

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

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Ezekiel 2:2-5

Ezekiel is moved to respond to the call of God and to accentuate his teaching with a direct reference to the Word of God.

Second Reading: II Corinthians 12:7-10

Paul had questioned the value of his suffering, and God replied, "My grace is enough for you, for strength is made perfect in weakness." Paul then realized that although he was weak against persecution, he was strong in faith.

Gospel: Mark 6:1-6a

Jesus could do little for those in his own part of the country, for their lack of faith in him was so great. Therefore, he spent much of his time teaching in neighboring villages instead.

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14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

July 8, 2018

Yes, absolutely, we should stand up for what we believe in. No, positively, we will not always succeed. Yes, certainly, it is more important to try than to succeed. Yes, certainly, it is more important to try than to succeed. No, Jesus did not look successful on the cross. Yes, you could give it a TRY. 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"

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 John Tasso requested by Marion Tasso.

The Sanctuary Light for this week burns in loving memory of John Tasso requested by Marion Tasso.

2018 Cardinal's Appeal

The 2018 Annual Cardinal's Appeal is up and running. All our Parishioners are sent Cardinal's Appeal request envelopes from the Archdiocese. Please prayerfully consider your gift. Make checks payable to The Cardinal's Appeal and remember to include the Parish #307

From Pope Francis ...

HOLY MASS WITH PRIESTLY ORDINATIONS: HOMILY OF HIS HOLINESS POPE FRANCIS Vatican Basilica Sunday, 22 April 2018

Dearest Brothers and Sisters,

Our sons have been called to the order of priests. Let us consider the position to which they are to be promoted in the Church. It is true that the Lord Jesus is the High Priest of the New Testament, and God has also made his entire people a royal priesthood in Christ. But Jesus Christ also chose some of his followers to carry out publicly in the Church a priestly ministry in his name on behalf of mankind, continuing his personal mission as teacher, priest and shepherd.

Indeed, for this reason he was sent by the Father, and he in turn sent into the world the Apostles, and then the Bishops and their successors. Priests are co-workers of the order of Bishops, to whom they are joined in the priestly office and are called to serve the People of God.

Our brothers have seriously considered this step, and are now to be ordained to priesthood in the presbyterial order. They are to serve Christ the Teacher, Priest, and Shepherd, in making the Body of Christ, which is the Church, grow into the People of God, a holy temple of the Spirit.

They are called to be molded into the likeness of Christ, the Supreme and Eternal Priest. By consecration, they will be made true priests of the New Testament, and in this role, sharing in the priesthood of their Bishop, to preach the Gospel, sustain God's people, and preside at rites of worship, above all the celebration of the Lord's sacrifice.

My beloved sons and brothers, you are now to be advanced to the order of the presbyterate. You must apply your energies to the duty of teaching in the name of Christ, the chief Teacher. Share with all mankind the Word of God you received with joy. Read and meditate on the Word of the Lord, believe what you read, teach what you believe, and put into practice what you teach.

Let the doctrine you teach be true nourishment for the People of God. Let the example of your life attract the followers of Christ so that by word and action you may build up the House of God which is the Church. In the same way you must continue the sanctifying work of Christ. The spiritual sacrifice of the faithful will be perfected through your ministry, united to Christ's sacrifice, and through your hands be offered sacramentally on the altar in celebration of the Holy Mysteries.

Know what you are doing and imitate the mystery you celebrate. In memory of the Lord's death and Resurrection, carry Christ's death within you and walk with him in the newness of life.

When you baptize you will bring new men and women into the People of God. In the Sacrament of Penance, you will forgive sins in the name of Christ and the Church. And here I would like to pause to implore you: please do not tire of being merciful. Think about your sins, about your miseries which Jesus forgives. Be merciful. With holy oil you will relieve and console the sick. You will celebrate the liturgy and offer thanks and praise to God throughout the day, praying not only for the People of God but for the whole of humanity.

Remember that you are chosen from among mankind and appointed to act in their favor by attending to the things of God. Carry out the work of Christ's ministry with genuine joy and love, seeking only to please God and not yourselves and others, nor seeking other interests. Only at the service of God, for the good of the holy faithful People of God.

Finally, conscious of sharing in the work of Christ, the Head and Shepherd of the Church, and united with the Bishop and subject to him, seek to bring the faithful together into a unified family and to lead them effectively to God the Father, through Christ and in the Holy Spirit. Always keep in mind the example of the Good Shepherd who came not to be served but to serve, and to seek out and rescue those who were lost.

A Heart Beloved

Often we think of our participation at Mass as something we do—our actions, our gestures, our offerings. True, we are invited to actively participate in the liturgy, but let us refocus our attention for a moment on what *Jesus* does in the liturgy.

Jesus presided at the Last Supper. Jesus gave himself to his beloved apostles in Holy Communion. Jesus enjoined his apostles, "Do this in memory of me" (Luke 22:19). Jesus continues to give himself to us in Eucharist. And Jesus renews his death for our salvation at each Mass. Our words, our gestures, our offerings—important as they are—are but our responses to this loving Jesus.

To the small child who receives him, Jesus says, "I love you in your innocence; you are mine." To the teenager Jesus says, "I love you, especially during these years of change and confusion. When you think no one else loves you, remember—I do." To the married couple he says, "I love you. Keep my love as part of your love." To the religious sisters and brothers he says, "We share a very special deep love." To the lonely Jesus says, "I love you. I am your friend." To the elderly he says, "I love you. You have been faithful to me these many years. Hang on a bit longer. I have a place for you in my kingdom." To each one, Jesus speaks of his love.

At Communion time, we should listen for the words that Jesus speaks to us. Eucharist is *his* idea; he wants to come to us and put his arms around us. He wants us to share that love—with him, with whom he loves. So often we think we need to use this time to talk to Jesus. But we also need to take time to *listen* to him tell us how much he loves us, to tell us how he has blessed us. He wants us to listen.

Love is the theme of the Bible; love is the reason for Jesus" life and death; love is the message of the Mass. When Jesus comes to us in Eucharist, he comes in love.

(Experiencing Mass with Heart & Mind – Daniel H. Quinn)

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, July 9 – Saint Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

7:00AM Dorothy Carr 8:30AM Dr. John Kuhn

Tuesday, July 10

7:00AM Winifred VanPelt 8:30AM George Grabowsky

Wednesday, July 11 - Saint Benedict, Abbot

7:00AM

8:30AM Maria Elena Graziano

Thursday, July 12

7:00AM

8:30AM Raymond Pavia

Friday, July 13 - Saint Henry

7:00AM

8:30AM Mary Vierno

Saturday, July 14 - Saint Kateri Tekakwitha, Virgin

7:00AM

8:30AM Raymond Irving

4:00PM John Tasso

7:00PM Anastacia Caraballo

Sunday, July 15 - 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Noreen Scotto

9:30AM Wendy Holden

11:30AM People of the Parish

1:15PM Donna Nappi

10:00AM OLL Toni Ann Sherman

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

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



1. Rosemarie Marronaro & Jason Oginsky



Congratulations To Our Newlyweds

Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Sabella

We Welcomed the Newly Baptized to our parish

Leonardo John Puccio

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 Sterm, 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, Antonia Pistone, Nicky Foccillo, Roseanna Whalen, 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, Susan Piscopo, Michael Bochetti, Fr. Ronald Lee Green, Michael Hansen, Marie Presto, Ralph Romano, Celeste Presto, Enrique Soto, Lynn Crisafulli, Christine Kennette, Karen M., Geri Wahren, Annemarie Rizzo, Catherine Davis, Walter Drake, Victoria Saraceno, Steven Daquieno, Gabriella Acosta, Baby Sofia Trombetta. Marie Natoli, Kenneth Greico, Daniell Cavaluzzi, Michael Riganti, Palma Milano.

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE SUNDAY July 8, 2018

Saturday

4:00PM M. Sheehan, R. Sheehan

7:00PM M. Cinelli, O. Fadell

Sunday

7:30AM C. Smith, B. Ramon

9:30AM M. Scafuri, A. Scafuri

11:30AM K. Petrik, K. Petrik

1:15PM I. Fuller, J. Guthrie

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

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE SUNDAY July 15, 2018

Saturday

4:00PM C. Boyle, N. Boyle

7:00PM F. Iurlaro, J. Riley

Sunday

7:30AM D. Kennedy, H. Raffone

9:30AM J. Drew, N. Drew

11:30AM J. Maldonado, B. Raftery

1:15PM L. Lombardi, S. Hillin

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

RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

Parish Religious Education Program Registration

Registration for <u>September 2018 First Grade</u> and transfer students is taking place now.

Call Mrs. Orleman, the parish's Religious Education Coordinator at 718-979-0989 to make an appointment

Religious Education Classes are currently held on the following days:

Wednesday- Grades 1 through 4: 4:00pm to 5:30pm Thursday- Grades 5 through 7: 4:00pm to 5:30pm

Please bring the following when you come to register your child:

Original Baptismal Certificate Current Church Envelope

PLEASE NOTE:

You must be a registered parishioner of OLQP using your Church envelopes regularly in 2017 & 2018. You must be attending Mass (Saturday evening or Sunday) every week.

The catechetical fees are:

\$200 for one child \$250 for two children

\$275 for three or more children

There is a \$25 Bible fee in 6th grade and there are Sacrament activity fees in the 2nd and 7th grades. (If you cannot pay in full, a <u>deposit</u> is required at registration.)

Attention: Parents of Catholic Academy Students

(St. Dorothy, St. Joseph Hill, Notre Dame, the Genesis Program)

Communion 2019 and Confirmation 2019

Please call the Parish Religious Education Office to make an appointment for registration of your 2nd grader (Sept. 2018) or 7th grader (Sept. 2018) at 718-979-0989.

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. To be eligible to win, please be sure to get your entry in soon! Good Luck to all.

Jesus said to them, "Come away by yourselves to a deserted place and rest a while." (cf. Mk 6:31)

Prayer for Going on Vacation

Loving Father, during this time of rest and relaxation, please repair in me whatever is weary or broken, and revive my drooping spirit. Let this vacation be a graced time of recollection and rejuvenation, of deeper self-awareness and eager self-giving. May it be an occasion of refreshment and reinvigoration—a time to reclaim my friendship with Jesus Christ, who is our Lord now and forever. Amen.

Father Peter John Cameron, O.P.



Come and Join Us for Outdoor Rosary

The Legion of Mary will continue the monthly outdoor rosary on the fourth Friday of each month, through September, at 6:30pm in the Blessed Mother Prayer Garden. Upcoming dates are as follows: July 27th, August 24th and September 28th. All are welcome. In case of inclement weather, the rosary will be indoors.

Daughters of Divine Charity

Upcoming Programs

A Summer Silent, Guided Retreat

July 13 – Sunday July 15 Arrival Friday 4:00pm to Departure Sunday 2:00pm Overnight Retreatants Fee: \$250 Single Occupant \$200 Double Occupant

(A non-refundable deposit of \$50 is due by July 6th.)
Facilitated by Sister Gerrie Conteno, MPF and Sister
Josita DiVita, FDC

Let the Fire Fall Weekend: Life in the Spirit Seminar

Friday July 27 – Sunday July 29
Overnight Retreatants Fee: \$300 Single Occupant
\$250 Double Occupant / Commuter Fee \$200
(A non-refundable deposit of \$50 is due one week before retreat)

RSVP Today!

Book online, call, or email our main office to reserve your seat. Space is limited.

St. Joseph Retreat Center 850 Hylan Blvd., Staten Island, NY 10305 SJRetreatCenter.org, (718)720-1097 stjretreatcenter@gmail.com