

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 4, 2018**

**PASTOR'S MESSAGE NOVEMBER 4, 2018**

**31<sup>st</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

5:00PM All Souls  
8:00AM All Souls  
10:00AM All Souls  
12:00PM All Souls

**MONDAY, NOVEMBER 5**

8:00AM All Souls  
11:30AM All Souls

**TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6**

8:00AM Celerino Orpilla  
11:30AM Antonio Buonsanto

**WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7**

8:00AM John Mattessich  
11:30AM Beppino Busanich – Birth.

**THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8**

8:00AM Mark Piccirillo  
11:30AM Giving Tree Memorials

**FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 9**

*DEDICATION OF THE LATERAN  
BASILICA*

8:00AM Mario Mircovich  
11:30AM Nancy & Gregory Barila

**SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 10**

*ST. LEO THE GREAT*

11:30AM Mario Mirkovic  
Anna Skrivanich  
Martino Tarabocchia  
Boris Kolic  
Jairo Bayona  
Zdenko Matesic  
Felicia Arpaia

5:00PM Skip & Elenore Hangley

**SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 11**

**32<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

8:00AM Dec'd Mbrs. Papanredra Family  
10:00AM Antonia Mancini  
12:00PM Antica Morin

**ALTAR BREAD**

*In Memory of*  
David Mihalinec

**ALTAR WINE**

*In Memory of*  
David Mihalinec

**SANCTUARY LAMP**

*In Memory of*  
Richard Mottola

**MASS CANDLES**

*In Memory of*  
Antica Morin

**ALTAR FLOWERS**

*In Memory of*  
Mark Piccirillo  
Ann Shank

**PREPARING FOR MASS**

*The readings for next Sunday are:*

**1 Kgs 17:10-16**

The jar of flour shall not go empty

**Ps 146**

The Lord keeps faith forever and protects the  
oppressed

**Heb 9:24-28**

Now once, for all, he has appeared for the ages

**Mk 12:38-44**

She contributed from her poverty



*My dear parishioners and friends:*

I can't believe that it is already November! Time is passing so quickly and I find myself running to catch up with all the things that I really want to do. Yet, even in the midst of so much "doing", I know that I really DO need to take some time to remind myself that my first priority has to be my own spiritual life and my relationship with the Lord. So, for the next ten days I will be on a pilgrimage/retreat with 27 other people in the Holy Land. I am absolutely going to make this my retreat, even though my priest friend and I will be the spiritual directors on this pilgrimage. I ask you to pray for us as we visit many of the places which commemorate where Jesus walked and taught and performed his mighty signs.

*Fondly yours in Christ,  
Fr. Bruce*

**PARISH SUPPORT**

*Thank you for sharing the gift of your treasure so that we can continue to do God's work here*

*October 28<sup>th</sup>*

*Sunday Collection*

*\$5,032.00*

*"And to love him with all your heart, with all your understanding with all your strength, and to love your neighbor as yourself" is worth more than all the burnt offerings and sacrifices." – Mark 12:33*

*Of all the gifts that God gives us the one He wants the most is our heart. He wants us to share out of love, not out of obligation. Using our talent in parish ministry and contributing money to support our parish mission is important, but it's more important to spend time in prayer with God daily and discern how He is calling us to be generous with all of our gifts. Not just the visible ones, but the invisible ones like love, mercy and forgiveness.*

**BINGO**



**THURSDAY BINGO GAMES BEGIN AT 12:15PM. WE NOW OFFER BIGGER JACKPOTS, PROGRESSIVE AND 50/50 GAMES. COME OUT AND ENJOY YOURSELF AND WIN SOME MONEY AND HAVE FUN.**

**CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONATIONS**

If you receive weekly envelopes, there is an envelope for Christmas Flower Offerings. You may give your donation in memory of a loved one or simply just as a gift from your family. If you do not receive envelopes but wish to make a donation, please use a blank envelope and put Christmas Flower Offering on the envelope as well as your intentions or use one of the Christmas Flower envelopes at the Church doors. You may place the envelope in the collection basket or bring it to the rectory.

**MASS BOOK FOR 2019**

The Mass Book for 2019 has opened. **Only registered parishioners will be able to book Masses and Masses will be limited to three per family.** Sanctuary Lamps, Altar Candles, Bread and Wine and Altar Flowers may also be reserved. **After November 13<sup>th</sup>, 3 additional Masses may be reserved by parishioners and non-parishioners.**

**"THAT'S LIFE! IF WELATH IS THE SECRET TO  
HAPPINESS, THEN THE RICH SHOULD BE  
DANCING ON THE STREETS. BUT ONLY POOR  
KIDS DO THAT!!"**

### CHRISTMAS WREATHS

We will again be selling Christmas Wreaths. Each wreath is stunningly decorated with pine cones, ornaments and a large red bow. Wreaths are \$17.00 each. Wreaths will be ready for pick-up on December 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> and December 8<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup>. Proceeds will benefit the renovation of the Rectory Conference Room. Wreaths must be paid in full when ordering. **FLYERS WILL BE IN NEXT WEEK'S BULLETIN.**

### FOOD PANTRY FALL FOOD DRIVE

Each year the Epiphany Community Food Pantry provides food and a frozen turkey to hundreds of local low-income families for the Thanksgiving Holiday. We are especially in need of the following: broth/stock, cakes mixes and frosting, canned vegetables, canned yams, cornbread mix, macaroni and cheese, cranberry sauce, gravy, instant mashed potatoes, jello, stuffing mix, cereal. We are also in need of frozen turkeys and hams. Please bring donations to the collection barrels at the entrances of the Church. Frozen foods **MUST** be brought directly to the Rectory.

### CLIFFSIDE PARK SENIOR CITIZENS

The following activities will take place at the Cliffside Park Senior Center: November 14<sup>th</sup> – Atlantic City Casino Trip - \$33.00; April 7<sup>th</sup>-14<sup>th</sup> – Florida & Bahamas Cruise on Norwegian Escape. Call 201-943-3768 ext. 112 for reservations and information.

### SECULAR FRANCISCAN VOCATION

Are you considering a Secular Franciscan vocation? Please join the St. Francis of Assisi Fraternity for an evening of prayer and fellowship at St. Francis of Assisi Parish, 50 Lodi Street, Hackensack, on the second Thursday of every month at 6:30PM in the Parish Hall.

### INFORMATION SESSION

Dominican College, Orangeburg, NY will hold an Info Session on Wednesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> from 5:30-7:30PM at its Prusmack Center, 2 Campus Drive. To register for the next Info Session go to [adult.dc.edu](http://adult.dc.edu) They offer undergraduate programs and graduate programs.

### IMMERSION EL SALVADOR

Experience God in new and unexpected places! Young adults seeking to enrich their personal and ministerial Catholic identity are invited to apply for this immersion experience in El Salvador. Dates are November 10<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>. Contact Andres Garcia at 213-747-9676. You may also visit [AGARCA@MARYKNOLL.ORG](mailto:AGARCA@MARYKNOLL.ORG) Walk in the footsteps of the martyrs of Central America including Blessed Archbishop Romero, the U.S. Church Women, and Jesuits at UCA; build relationships within communities of people struggling to survive; visit Maryknoll Missionaries and hear their stories of their work in El Salvador and Central America; grow in faith through on-site prayer, reflections and celebration of the Eucharist. ; share the gift of your experience with your peers as you return to the United States.

### PRAYER FOR ALL SOULS

*Heavenly Father, in union with the merits of Jesus and Mary, I offer to You for the sake of the poor souls all the satisfactory value of my works during life, as well as all that will be done for me after death. I give You my all through the hands of the Immaculate Virgin Mary that she may set free whatever souls she pleases, according to her heavenly wisdom and mother's love for them. Receive this offering, O God, and grant me in return an increase of Your grace. Amen. Eternal rest grant unto them O lord and may perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen. May their souls and all the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.*

### THANKSGIVING PIES

**LAST CALL** to order your Thanksgiving Day Pies by **November 9<sup>th</sup>**. Proceeds of the sale will benefit the renovation of the Rectory Conference Room. Order forms are available at the Church doors and must be returned to the rectory or in the collection basket by November 9<sup>th</sup>. Pies can be picked up on November 20<sup>th</sup> from 11:00AM-2:00PM in the Rectory Office.

### SAVE THE DATE – GALA NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

Welcome in the New Year with your Epiphany family. We will be having a Gala New Year's Eve Party, Monday, December 31<sup>st</sup>. Party will be held from 7:30PM-12:30AM. Dinner will be catered by Roman Italian Restaurant, New Milford. Music will be by DJ Nick. Tickets are \$35.00 per person and will be available for sale at the Rectory shortly.

### COMMUNAL ANOINTING OF THE SICK

There will be a Mass of the Anointing of the Sick on Saturday, November 17<sup>th</sup> at the 11:30AM Mass. If you are ambulatory and you can come to the Church, you will be anointed at the Mass. If you cannot come and wish to be anointed, please call and arrange for a priest to come to your home.

### DISCOVER THE JOY OF BEING A HOSPICE VOLUNTEER

If you have a warm heart, a listening ear, and the gift of compassion, you can make a difference in the life of a hospice patient or family member. Visiting Nure Association Health Group is inviting individuals interested in becoming hospice volunteers to join our team in Bergen County. There are many rewards and opportunities available to hospice volunteers through home visitation, companionship, administrative support, or any complimentary therapies. We are also seeking volunteers interested in providing support calls to our patients and family members from our offices in Englewood. Training will be provided by members of the Hospice team. Please call Ruth Soranelli or email your contact information: [ruthsorbanelli@vnahg.org](mailto:ruthsorbanelli@vnahg.org) For more information about VNAHG volunteer services visit [www.vnahg.org](http://www.vnahg.org)

### MEN'S RETREAT

A Men's Retreat will be held at Marianist Family Retreat Center, Cape May Point, NJ from November 16<sup>th</sup>-18<sup>th</sup>. This weekend is open to men from all walks of life, and focuses on unique male issues on the spiritual journey. The retreat will consist of Eucharist and other prayer, input, quiet time, small group sharing, socializing, and fun within a supportive, intentional community of men. Cost is \$135 per person, double occupancy. Call Anthony Fucci, Center Director, at 609-884-3829 for reservations.

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK OF THE PARISH

*Ann Callagher, Peter Bertinato, Anna Tarabokija, Eric Grigsby, Carrie Craven, Felicia Martello, Oscar Benitez, Elva Lopes, Marilyn Brenes, Frank Mendez, Maria Azucena Mercado, John Reynolds, Arianna Cappola, Doris Levy, Cindy Simeone Reynolds, Tammy Ledden, Baby Kennedy Rose Perkins, Baby Juliette Payne, Brian Hone, Laura Palmieri, Margarita Lopez-Amaro, Helen Gallina DeLuca, Renee Pascarella, Brother Peter Lyne, Cora Shaffer, Ivan Tarabokia, Paul Barbara, Kathleen Warren Meserole, Matt Allen, Richie Allen, Jazmin Cruz, Jaime Van Dam, Meaghan Kilner, Baby Michael, Joe Villani, Michael Duddy, Peter Foglio, Jr., Paul Kiczek, Kenneth Crawford, Clyde Harger, Gloria Bonura, Cesar Valdecantos, Kay Tak, Michele Spino, Evelyn Rodriguez, Tony Martello, Glenn Rome, Ruth Behsman, Barbara Snow, Mary Iannaccone, Norma Brown, Doris Portillo, Cabrini Lepis.*

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE DECEASED OF THE PARISH

*Gene Spadaccini, Virginia Aribe, Deacon Daniel Ravelo, Rev. Paul Comesanas, Rosemarie Lembo, Jane Capon, Lucy Goodrich.*

