

THE PARISH OF OUR SAVIOUR
SAINT STEPHEN AND OUR LADY OF THE SCAPULAR
CHAPEL OF THE SACRED HEARTS OF JESUS AND MARY
IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 19 AUGUST 2018

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR

Fifty-nine Park Avenue
(at East Thirty-eighth Street)
New York, NY 10016
www.oursaviournyc.org
Parish Office: (212) 679-8166

**CHAPEL OF THE SACRED HEARTS OF
JESUS AND MARY**

325 East Thirty-third Street
(between First and Second Avenues)
New York, NY 10016
Chapel Office: (212) 213-6027

Our Saviour and Sacred Hearts are both handicapped accessible.

MASS FOR THE LORD'S DAY

Saturday (*Anticipated Mass*): 5:00 p.m. (Our Saviour)
Sunday: 9:00 a.m. (Our Saviour),
11:00 a.m. (Our Saviour), 12:45 p.m. (Sacred Hearts),
3:00 p.m. Korean-English Bilingual (Sacred Hearts),
5:00 p.m. (Our Saviour), 5:30 p.m. (Sacred Hearts)

DAILY MASS (SUMMER SCHEDULE)

Monday-Friday: 7:45 a.m. (Our Saviour)
Monday-Saturday: 12:05 p.m. (Our Saviour)
Tuesday and Thursday: 5:15 p.m. (Sacred Hearts)

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

As announced.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Fridays after the 7:45 a.m. Mass
until Benediction at 11:50 a.m. (Our Saviour)
Adoration is suspended during the month of August.

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE (CONFESSION)

Our Saviour:

Monday-Friday: 7:20-7:40 a.m., 12:40-1:00 p.m.
Saturday: 4:30-4:55 p.m.; Sunday: 10:30-10:50 a.m.

Sacred Hearts:

Sunday: 5:00-5:15 p.m.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Arrange at least six (6) months in advance.
For information, please call (212) 679-8166 x220.

Rev. Robert J. Robbins, K.C.H.S.
Pastor

Rev. Andrew E. Kurzyna
Parochial Vicar

Rev. Msgr. Kevin Sullivan
In Residence

Rev. Msgr. Hilary C. Franco
Honorary Associate

Mr. Paul J. Murray, K.C.H.S.
Director of Music

Leilani Siri, M.D. & Mr. Thomas J. Travers, K.H.S.
Trustees

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

For information, please call (212) 679-8166 x210.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK

By appointment. Please call (212) 679-8166 x210.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION FOR CHILDREN

Inter-parish Program (K-8) at the Church of the Epiphany
(212) 475-1966.

NOVENA DEVOTIONS

after the 12:05 p.m. Mass

Monday: Miraculous Medal
Tuesday: St. Anthony
Wednesday: St. Jude
Thursday: St. Anne
Friday: Sacred Heart

NEW PARISHIONERS

To register, please fill out a registration form
at the Parish Office at Our Saviour.

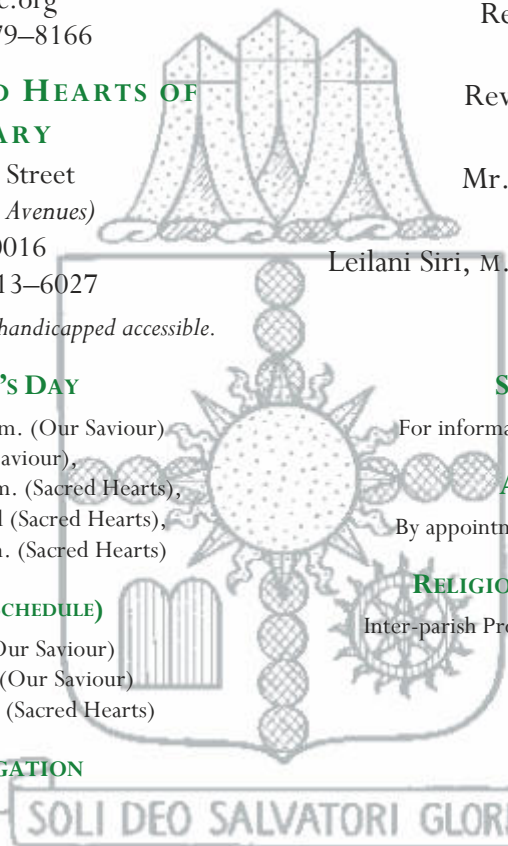
AUDIO: HOMILIES AND MUSIC

www.oursaviournyc.org/audio

SPACE RENTALS

Please contact Mr. Angel Falcon
at (212) 810-9004 or iknowangel@aol.com.

The Church Undercroft is available for wedding receptions,
Christening parties, meetings, and special events.



MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, 19 August – *Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

5:00 p.m. Timothy Esaw (L)

9:00 a.m. James Neelan +

11:00 a.m. Judith Blanco (L)

12:45 p.m. Pro Populo

5:00 p.m. Robert Merjave +

5:30 p.m. Antoinette Trentacosta +

Monday, 20 August – *St. Bernard, Abbot, Doctor of the Church*

7:45 a.m. Angeline Damante +

12:05 p.m. Joan Reynolds (L)

Tuesday, 21 August – *St. Pius X, Pope*

7:45 a.m. Lana P. Jackson +

12:05 p.m. Joan Reynolds (L)

5:15 p.m. *No Intention*

Wednesday, 22 August – *The Queenship of the BVM*

7:45 a.m. Susan Reynolds (L)

12:05 p.m. Daniel Hoole +

Thursday, 23 August – *St. Rose of Lima, Virgin*

7:45 a.m. Gloria Gant +

12:05 p.m. William B. Garbutt +

5:15 p.m. *No Intention*

Friday, 24 August – *St. Bartholomew, Apostle*

7:45 a.m. *No Intention*

12:05 p.m. Joseph Townsend (L)

Saturday, 25 August – *St. Louis; St. Joseph Calasanz, Priest;*

BVM on Saturday

12:05 p.m. *No Intention*

Mass Intentions may be reserved through the Parish Office at the Church of Our Saviour. Please stop by or call (212) 679-8166 x210.

SUMMER AT THE CHAPEL

Please be advised that, during the months of July and August, daily Mass will be offered at the Chapel of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary on Tuesday and Thursday at 5:15 p.m. *The Sunday Mass schedule remains unchanged.* Daily Mass at the Chapel will resume on Tuesday, 4 September at 5:15 p.m.

IN YOUR PRAYERS, please remember Bill Bako, Cyndee Barlow, Pat Coleine, Frank DeStefano, Nancy Doran, Francis Grealis, Byron Mansylla, Loretta Mugno, Joan Murphy, Corazon Natividad, Sr. Betty Obal, Luis Ottobre, Virginia Rodriguez, Janelle Travers, and John Yuh, who are ill.

Prayer intentions for the sick will be listed for one month and may be renewed by calling the parish office.

WELCOME

If you are a visitor, we welcome you to the Church of Our Saviour and the Chapel of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary and hope that you will come back soon. Those who wish to join the parish may register in the Parish Office, which is located at the Church of Our Saviour.

THE HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR AUGUST

Universal Intention: *The Treasure of Families.* That any far-reaching decisions of economists and politicians may protect the family as one of the treasures of humanity.

FROM THE HOLY FATHER'S TWITTER

@Pontifex: Thanks to the gift of the Eucharist, our lives too become "bread broken" for our brothers and sisters.

WEEKLY STEWARDSHIP

Collections for the week ending 12 August:

Our Saviour: Sunday: \$2,830 • Weekdays: \$856
Shrines: \$917

Sacred Hearts: Sunday: \$1,815 • Shrines: \$175

WeShare (*Our Saviour and Sacred Hearts*): \$2,029

Parishioners are encouraged to make their donations online through WeShare, which is accessible via our website, <www.oursaviournyc.org>.

Please make *all* checks payable to the
Church of Our Saviour.

To help us meet our expenses, please prayerfully consider a sacrificial offering of twenty dollars for your weekly offering to the parish.

Thank you for your generosity!

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

During the month of August, Adoration on Friday morning will be suspended. Adoration will resume on Friday, 7 September.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

II – Julia Piotrowski & Ryan Lake

TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

These Sundays the Liturgy is offering us, from the Gospel according to John, Jesus' discourse on the *Bread of Life*, which He himself is, just as the Sacrament of the Eucharist is. Today's passage (*John 6:51–58*) presents the final part of this discussion, and refers to several of those who were scandalized because Jesus said: "he who eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise him up at the last day" (*John 6:54*). The listeners' astonishment is understandable; Jesus in fact uses the typical manner of the prophets to provoke *questions* in people – and also in us – and, ultimately, to provoke a *decision*. First of all, regarding the questions: what is meant by "eat the flesh and drink the blood" of Jesus? Is it just an image, a figure of speech, a symbol, or does it indicate something real? In order to answer, one must divine what is happening in Jesus' heart as he breaks the bread for the hungry crowd. Knowing that he will have to die on the cross for us, Jesus identifies himself with that bread broken and shared, and it becomes for him the "sign" of the Sacrifice that awaits him. This process culminates in the Last Supper, where the bread and wine *truly become his Body and his Blood*. It is the *Eucharist*, which Jesus leaves us with a specific purpose: that we may *become one with Him*. Indeed he says: "He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood abides in me, and I in him" (v. 56). That "abiding": Jesus in us and we in Jesus. *Communion is assimilation*: partaking of Him, we become as He is. This *requires our "yes", our adherence of faith*.

The Eucharist is Jesus himself who gives himself entirely to us. *Nourishing ourselves* of Him and *abiding* in Him through Eucharistic Communion, if we do so with faith, *transforms our life*, transforms it into a gift to God and to our brothers and sisters. Nourishing ourselves of that "Bread of Life" means entering into harmony with the heart of Christ, assimilating his choices, his thoughts, his behavior. It means entering into a dynamism of love and becoming people of peace, people of forgiveness, of reconciliation, of sharing in solidarity. The very things that Jesus did.

Jesus concludes his discourse with these words: "he who eats this bread will live for ever" (*John 6:58*). Yes, living in real communion with Jesus on this earth lets us pass from death to life. Heaven begins precisely in this communion with Jesus.

Pope Francis, 16 August 2015

ST. BERNARD OF CLAIRVAUX (1090–1153)

Bernard entered the relatively new monastery at Cîteaux in 1113 with four of his own brothers and twenty-seven friends. He later founded the monastery at Clairvaux, which gave birth to sixty-eight other communities. Despite poor health and his devotion to personal mortification, Bernard was an early European "rock star": He was consulted by popes and kings, battled heresies, and supported the Second Crusade. The sick and maimed lined the roads he traveled, hoping for a miracle. Dante Alighieri chose Bernard as his final guide in *Paradiso*, at the end of *The Divine Comedy*. He is the patron of Gibraltar.

HELP WANTED

We are in need of a weekend receptionist at the Church of Our Saviour. The person to be considered should have good people skills and be able to work two full days. The person will be responsible for the smooth operation of the Parish Office, setting up for Mass, security of the Sunday collections, the issuance of Mass cards, and supervision of other situations as they arise. If you are interested, please send a résumé to Father Robbins at the Parish Office, 59 Park Avenue, New York, NY 10016 or e-mail <rjr@oursaviournyc.org>. *No telephone calls, please.*

ARCHDIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE

Cardinal Dolan will lead a pilgrimage to the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, D.C. on Saturday, 6 October. Buses will leave from throughout the Archdiocese, including the New York Catholic Center (1011 First Ave. at East 55th Street). To register for the pilgrimage, visit <www.ArchNYPilgrimageToDC>.

BAPTISM

We welcome into our Parish Family, through the saving waters of Baptism: Aiden Douglas Medley, and Ashton Nedelcu Schwartz. May God's grace and blessing be with them as they grow in wisdom and understanding.

CHOIR OF THE CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR

The Choir of the Church of Our Saviour is on recess for the summer months. The Choir will return on Sunday, 16 September at the 11:00 a.m. Mass. The *Schola Cappella* will also resume that Sunday at the 12:45 p.m. Mass.

CRESTWOOD FUNERAL HOME

Midtown Manhattan - 445 W. 43rd Street
212-245-7575

crestwoodcremationfuneral.com

GREENWICH VILLAGE FUNERAL HOME

Downtown Manhattan - 199 Bleecker Street
212-674-8055

greenwichvillagefuneralhome.com

Family Owned • Burial and Cremation Services

See What's in Store!

JEWELRY • ROSARIES
BOOKS
AND MORE



www.parishstore.com

AVAILABLE
FOR A LIMITED TIME

ADVERTISE YOUR
BUSINESS HERE

Contact **Servaas Verbiest** to place an ad today!
sverbiest@4LPi.com or (800) 477-4574 x6630



Experienced Live
In/Out Nanny

Over 10 Years Experience
Patient, Loving & Nurturing

CPR and First Aid Certified
Tutoring • Homework Assistance
Storytime • Playtime • Outings
Meds • Household Tasks, etc.
Lynda - 917-673-1452
DailyExecutiveA@gmail.com

PASTEUR PHARMACY

SERVING THE MURRAY HILL COMMUNITY SINCE 1962
53 East 34th St. • 212-683-3838
Between Madison & Park

WE ACCEPT MOST INSURANCE
& MEDICARE PLANS
LEON TARASENKO - PHARMACIST

Gentle Touch Dental

Because we care about your
healthy and beautiful smile.

Dr. Monika Kurzatkowski (Kulawik), DMD

Convenience • Comfort • Exceptional Care

Schedule an appointment by: We provide quality general, family, and cosmetic dental services to NYC in the heart of midtown Manhattan.
Calling (646) 344-5190
-or- Zocdoc 310 Lexington Ave, Suite 1E
(Lex. & 38th St., around the corner from Our Saviour)



128 East 36th Street, NYC
212-779-3434
www.weeonesclub.com

catholicmatch
New York



CatholicMatch.com/NY

The Gannon Funeral Home Inc.

"Established 1924"

William P. Gannon Pres.

152 East 28th St. NY • 212-532-6579
gannonfuneralhome.com

THE MID-MANHATTAN CENTER
FOR COUNSELING &
PSYCHOTHERAPY

Barbara Despres, LCSW, ACSW

CATHOLIC THERAPIST

Offices in Manhattan & CT
36 West 44th Street, N.Y.C., NY
(212) 697-2307

PARK AVENUE TAVERN

NEW YORK CITY

99 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK

TEL 212.867.4484

FAX 212.867.4485

www.parkavenuetavernnyc.com

Private Party Rooms available

Receive 20% off of Brunch
with this ad

Brunch is served from 11am-3pm
Saturday & Sundays only

CHAMPION COMBUSTION CORP.

718-815-8800
Fax 718-815-8801

Service & Installation of
Heating Equipment
Serving NYC Area
For Over 20 Years



Fine Italian Specialties Since 1981

107 East 34th Street (Bet. Park & Lex Aves) • (212) 689.1970

www.VillaBerulia.com

Delivery available on www.seamless.com

HELP PROTECT YOUR FAMILY

CALL NOW!
1-888-862-6429



HOME SECURITY TEAM

PROTECTING SENIORS NATIONWIDE
MEDICAL ALERT SYSTEM

\$29.95/MO PLUS SPECIAL OFFER
BILLED QUARTERLY

CALL NOW! 1.877.801.7772
WWW.24-7MEDALARM.COM

SERVING NORTHERN ITALIAN CUISINE SINCE 1977

Rossini's

OPEN 7 DAYS

LIVE MUSIC WEEKDAYS
SATURDAY NIGHT OPERA

108 EAST 38TH STREET
(PARK & LEXINGTON AVES)

RESERVATIONS: 212.683.0135
WWW.ROSSINIRESTAURANT.COM

SUPPORT THE ADVERTISERS
THAT SUPPORT OUR COMMUNITY



Ad info. 1-800-477-4574 • Publication Support 1-800-888-4574 • www.4lpi.com

Our Saviour, New York, NY

04-0293