



The Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral

The Corner of Mott & Prince Streets
New York City
Second Sunday of Lent - March 8, 2020



Basilica Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil	5:30pm	English
Sunday	9:15am	English
	10:15am	Chinese
	11:30am	Spanish
	12:45pm	English
	7:00pm	English
Monday-Friday	8:00am	Spanish
	12:10pm	English
Saturday	8:00am	Spanish
Confessions		
Saturday	4:30pm - 5:15pm	
Sunday	6:00pm - 6:45pm	

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Saturday/Sabado-March 7, Sts. Perpetua and Felicity

8:00AM (Eng) Witness for Life Mass

For: Lisa Reali (Living)

By: The Flatz Family

5:30PM (Eng) For: Marisa Sarubbi

By: Mom, Antoinette Sarubbi

Sunday/Domingo-March 8, Second Sunday of Lent

9:15AM (Eng) For: Joseph Lierni

By: Joe & Chris Vaccarino

10:15AM (Chi) In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary

By: Filip Ling

11:30AM (Spa) Por los cursillistas

12:45PM (Eng) For: Sue Manfredo

By: Toni Granello

7:00PM (Eng) For: The people of the parish

Monday/Lunes-March 9, Saint Frances of Rome

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Daniel y Francisco Nuñez
invita Rosa Nuñez

12:10PM (Eng) For: Florence Campbell

By: Robert Campbell

Tuesday/Martes-March 10

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Steven Diaz invita
su madre

12:10PM (Eng) For: The people of the parish

Wednesday/Miercoles - March 11

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Carmelita y Luis Diaz
invita su familia

12:10PM (Eng) For: Lisa Reali (Living)

By: The Flatz Family

Thursday/Jueves - March 12

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Maria Filomena Nuñez y
Floiran Collado invita Agustina Rodriguez

12:10PM (Eng) For: The people of the parish

Friday/Viernes - March 13

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Marisa Nuñez invita
su madre

12:10PM (Eng) For: Teresa Gordon (Living)

By: Blanche Serena

Saturday/Sabado - March 14

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Joaquin y Jocelyn Vasquez

12:00pm (Gae) For: Mr. & Mrs. Charles O'Connor

5:30PM (Eng) For: The people of the parish

Last Sunday's Collection:

The Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral: \$4,648.00
Shrine Church of the Most Precious: \$355.00

Lent 2020 at the Basilica

Rules of Fast and Abstinence

Fasting means eating only one full meal. Two smaller meals can be eaten to maintain physical strength but together they should not equal another full meal in quantity. Snacking between meals is not permitted. *Catholics ages 18-59 are obliged to fast on Ash Wednesday and Good Friday.*

Abstinence forbids the eating of meat or poultry. Those who have reached the age of 14 are obliged to abstain on Ash Wednesday and all Friday of Lent and continues to oblige throughout their lives.

Lenten Reflections & Stations of the Cross

Each Friday of Lent, Father Graebe will offer a reflection on one of the characters of the Passion drama, and the lesson that he or she offers us during our Lenten journey. The reflection will be followed by Stations of the Cross. The evening will begin at 7pm and conclude at 7:45pm. Please join us for this prayerful opportunity.

Characters of the Passion

February 28	Judas
March 6	Pilate
March 13	Herod
March 20	Simon
March 27	Veronica
April 3	Mary

- **Communion & Liberation** ~ Communion and Liberation has the purpose of forming its members in Christianity in order to make them coworkers in the Church's mission in all areas of society. They regularly meet on Fridays evenings for prayer and meditation. For more information: simonetta.ditalia@gmail.com
- **Spanish Prayer Group** meets on Fridays at 32 Prince Street at 7:30pm. First Fridays take place at the Basilica.
- **Cursillistas Meeting** takes place on Sundays after the 11:30am Spanish Mass.
- **Cancer Support Group** meets on Thursdays at 32 Prince Street at 7pm.
- **Our Annual St. Patrick's Mass in Gaelic** will be celebrated on Saturday, March 14th at Noon. Fr. Andrew O'Connor, pastor of St. Mary's Church, will be the celebrant. Refreshments, Irish dancers, and music will follow in our Youth Center (263 Mulberry Street).

MUSIC AT THE BASILICA

- **March 21 at 7:30 PM: Erben Benefit Recital with Polish concert organist Dr. Michał Szostak** in a program marking Bach's birthday as well as improvisations on Gregorian and Polish melodies. General Admission \$20; 25% off using code **PARISH25**
- **July 27-31 2020 Pedals, Pipes, and Peals** registration is live! Kids (grades 1-8) learn about various instruments and the physics of sound through the lens of the Erben—they even build their own working pipe organ! See <http://erbenorgan.org/education>
- Interested in joining the **Basilica Schola**? The Schola is our fabulous volunteer choir that sings at the Sunday 7 PM Mass and major feasts throughout the year. Contact Jared Lamenzo, our Director of Music, at [organist \[at\] oldcathedral.org](mailto:organist[at]oldcathedral.org).
- Learn about the music you hear at Mass <http://facebook.com/erbenorgan> —Insta [@erbenorgan](https://www.instagram.com/erbenorgan) on Web—erbenorgan.org
- **Basilica Voices**, our children's choir and member of the international Catholic "Pueri Cantores" association, joins the Schola in singing throughout the year. With expert vocal instruction, we strive to instill a passion for excellence they can carry throughout their lives. To register your child, email: [basilicavoices \[at\] oldcathedral.org](mailto:basilicavoices[at]oldcathedral.org).

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Visit www.oldcathedral.org and click on the tours link.



Burial Services at the Basilica

Want to secure your place in our history? We've revived the tradition of Christian Burial here at Old St. Pat's. We are the only operating Catholic graveyard and catacombs in Manhattan. We have a limited number of niches available. Call (212) 226-8075 or email Frank Alfieri at frank@oldcathedral.org to learn more.

A Message from Cardinal Dolan



As we embark on this new decade, together in faith, I invite us to remember the mission to which we are all called. It is the task of every

generation to take the faith that we've received and share it with others. This is what the Lord calls us to do: to teach, to serve, and to sanctify the world, by proclaiming the truth and making disciples of all nations. This work is most effectively accomplished through the ministry of the Church – in our parishes, our schools, our religious orders, our seminaries, and the many charitable services that are designed to respond to the evolving needs of our communities. This is the work that the Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal makes possible through your generous donations.

The works that are represented in the Cardinal's Appeal make tangible the mission of the Church in our communities at a time when – some might say – the world is most in need of such a witness.

Please visit cardinalsappeal.org to make your gift. I thank you for your continued support of the Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal.



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MASS SCHEDULE

Wednesday 12:10pm
Saturday Vigil 5:30pm
Sunday 2:00pm Vietnamese

Mass Celebrants at Most Precious Blood

Rev. Robert Campagna, OFM
Rev. Patrick Boyle, OFM
Rev. Louis Troiani, OFM
Rev. Philip Phan (Vietnamese Apostolate)



SATURDAY, MARCH 7, 2020 – FIRST SATURDAY

5:30PM (Vigil) For: Theresa Pertose
By: Anna Esposito
For: Elsie Elluzzi
By: Vivian Catenaccio and Camille Welsh
For: Deceased Family and Friends
By: Vivian Catenaccio

SUNDAY, MARCH 8, 2020 – 2ND SUNDAY OF LENT

2:00PM Mass in Vietnamese

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 11, 2020

12:10PM For: Nestor Christian Tan
By: sister Nancy Tan and Casey & Charisma Chan

SATURDAY, MARCH 14, 2020

5:30PM (Vigil) For: Theresa Pertose
By: Vivian Catenaccio and Camille Welsh

Notes from Most Precious Blood

DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME begins this Sunday, March 8, 2020. You need to set your clocks **AHEAD** one hour – 2:00AM becomes 3:00AM.

SAINT ANTHONY OF PADUA ANNUAL NOVENA at Most Precious Blood Church begins on Tuesday, March 17th and ends on Tuesday, June 9th. The novena Masses will be at 12:10PM for 13 weeks. The novena begins on St. Patrick's Day; please remember that two days later we celebrate the feast day of St. Joseph, one of the most important figures in the lives of both Mary and Jesus.

A HUGE DEBT OF GRATITUDE to Sal Rinaldi of Joey's Paesano Ristorante for once again inviting our seniors to lunch after our Wednesday Mass and picking up the check. Sal's generosity is a gift, and we hope his generosity comes back to him tenfold. Thank you, Sal!