



The Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral

The Corner of Mott & Prince Streets
New York City
Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ August 2, 2020



Basilica Mass Schedule

Saturday Vigil	5:30pm	English
Sunday	9:00am	Spanish
	10:30am	English
	12:00pm	Chinese
	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 - August 1, St. Alphonsus Ligouri

8:00AM (Eng) **Mass for the Unborn**
For: Kathleen Keefe (Living)
By: The Flatz Family
5:30PM (Eng) For: Theresa Pertose
By: Toni Pati Pulice

Sunday/Domingo - August 2, Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:00AM (Spa) Por el alma de Nestor Hernandez invita Elva Ugarte
10:30AM (Eng) For: Lena & Louis Ciffo
By: Anthony Ciffo
12:00PM (Chi) In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary
By: Alice Chen
7:00PM (Eng) For: The people of the parish

Monday/Lunes - August 3

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Luis Grullón invita su familia
12:10PM (Eng) For: Helen Long
By: Pat Moynihan

Tuesday/Martes - August 4, St. John Vianney

8:00AM (Spa) Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia
12:10PM (Eng) For: Chloe Marie Henry
By: Cindy Wu

Wednesday/Miercoles - August 5, The Dedication of the Basilica of Saint Mary Major

8:00AM (Spa) For: Raymond & Michelle Claudio
By: Rosario Infante
12:00PM (Eng) For: Katie Burnett (Living)
By: Flatz Family

Thursday/Jueves - August 6, The Transfiguration of the Lord

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Alejandro Nuñez invita Ramona Nuñez
12:10PM (Eng) For: Juan Piraquive
By: Nancy & Jackie Piraquive

Friday/Viernes - August 7, Saint Sixtus II

8:00AM (Spa) En Acción de Gracias al Sagrado Corazón de Jesus
12:10PM (Eng) For: John Scialoia
By: wife Jo, Children & Grandchildren

Saturday/Sabado - August 8, Saint Dominic

8:00AM (Spa) Por el eterno descanso de Andy Caba invita su familia
5:30PM (Eng) For: The people of the parish

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\$4,031.00

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

First Reading

IS 55:1-3

Thus says the LORD:
All you who are thirsty,
come to the water!
You who have no money,
come, receive grain and eat;
Come, without paying and without cost,
drink wine and milk!
Why spend your money for what is not bread;
your wages for what fails to satisfy?
Heed me, and you shall eat well,
you shall delight in rich fare.
Come to me heedfully,
listen, that you may have life.
I will renew with you the everlasting covenant,
the benefits assured to David.

Responsorial Psalm

PS 145:8-9, 15-16, 17-18

R. (cf. 16) The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.
The LORD is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and of great kindness.
The LORD is good to all
and compassionate toward all his works.

R. The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.
The eyes of all look hopefully to you,
and you give them their food in due season;
you open your hand
and satisfy the desire of every living thing.

R. The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.
The LORD is just in all his ways
and holy in all his works.
The LORD is near to all who call upon him,
to all who call upon him in truth.

R. The hand of the Lord feeds us; he answers all our needs.

Second Reading

ROM 8:35, 37-39

Brothers and sisters:
What will separate us from the love of Christ?
Will anguish, or distress, or persecution, or famine,
or nakedness, or peril, or the sword?
No, in all these things we conquer overwhelmingly
through him who loved us.
For I am convinced that neither death, nor life,
nor angels, nor principalities,
nor present things, nor future things,
nor powers, nor height, nor depth,
nor any other creature will be able to separate us
from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.

Alleluia

MT 4:4B

R. Alleluia, alleluia.
One does not live on bread alone,
but on every word that comes forth from the mouth of God
R. Alleluia, alleluia.

Gospel

MT 14:13-21

When Jesus heard of the death of John the Baptist,
he withdrew in a boat to a deserted place by himself.
The crowds heard of this and followed him on foot from their
towns.
When he disembarked and saw the vast crowd,
his heart was moved with pity for them, and he cured their
sick. When it was evening, the disciples approached him and
said, "This is a deserted place and it is already late;
dismiss the crowds so that they can go to the villages
and buy food for themselves."
Jesus said to them, "There is no need for them to go away;
give them some food yourselves."
But they said to him,
"Five loaves and two fish are all we have here."
Then he said, "Bring them here to me,"
and he ordered the crowds to sit down on the grass.
Taking the five loaves and the two fish, and looking up to heav-
en, he said the blessing, broke the loaves,
and gave them to the disciples,
who in turn gave them to the crowds.
They all ate and were satisfied,
and they picked up the fragments left over—
twelve wicker baskets full.
Those who ate were about five thousand men,
not counting women and children.



*Congratulations to our RCIA
members who receive the
Sacrament of confirmation this
Sunday.*

*Peter Amador
Winston Choi-Schagrin
Sandra Gil
Sarah Larson
Ana Santos*

Are you interested in becoming Catholic? Were you baptized, but never received First Communion or Confirmation?

RCIA is for you! The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a year-long program that prepares people to receive all or some of the sacraments of initiation (baptism, confirmation, communion). RCIA will begin in September and meet twice a month on Tuesday evenings. The program culminates with the reception of these sacraments at the Easter Vigil.
The program offers a comprehensive study of the beliefs of the Catholic Church in a friendly and approachable setting. Fr. Graebe or Fr. Jason will be leading each session, with topics that include the 10 commandments, the seven sacraments, prayer, scripture, the creed, and lots more. This program is open to anyone. Even if you have made your sacraments, this is a great opportunity to learn more about our faith.
If you're interested in participating, please email Fr. Graebe at father.graebe@oldcathedral.org, or call the parish office at (212) 226-8075.

Welcome Back to the Basilica!

Some reminders and updates for when you return:

- Attendance at Masses and other liturgies may not exceed 25 percent of the basilica's capacity (about 150 persons).
- Please bear in mind that the Sunday obligation remains suspended. Those at higher risk of infection may consider delaying their return to public Mass.
- Sanitizer dispensers have been installed at the entrance.
- Face masks are required to enter the basilica.
- Pews have been roped off to facilitate distancing.
- Please maintain at least six feet of distance from other parties.
- At this time, bathrooms are not in use.
- The basilica is open every day from 8am to 6pm (on Sundays until after the last Mass).
- Our parish office has resumed normal business hours, open Monday-Friday from 9-5.
- Confessions will be in the courtyard, weather permitting, or near the altar if the weather is inclement.
- At this time baptisms, funerals, and weddings may take place.
- Unfortunately, parish groups and events remain suspended until further notice.

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
Sunday 11:30am
2:00pm
(Vietnamese)



Mass Celebrants at Most Precious Blood

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

Sunday, August 2

11:30AM For: Ralph Nicholas Grippo ~ 100th Birthday
By: son, Bill Grippo

Wednesday, August 5

12:10PM For: The people of the parish

The church is open every Sunday (11-3) and Wednesday (11-2).

Tour Our Catacombs

Take a tour of our catacombs. Would you like to learn about our Old Cathedral's rich history? Join one of our Catacombs by Candlelight Tours. In just 90 minutes you will walk through two centuries of history experiencing exclusive treasures, not open to the public.

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.



Catholic Bytes Podcast offers short, dynamic talks about the faith. The goal of Catholic Bytes is to offer dynamic catechesis for people on the move. Most people do not have time to sit down and study the faith, so these episodes offer an opportunity to learn more about Catholicism or to grow in your relationship with the Lord, in short 5-10 minute sessions. Episodes offer listeners a variety of themes ranging from faith fundamentals, Scripture, dogma, morals, liturgy, spirituality, saints, and Church history.

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