



# The Basilica of St. Patrick's Old Cathedral

The Corner of Mott & Prince Streets  
New York City

Twenty - Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time ~ September 27, 2020



## Basilica Mass Schedule

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

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 Most Precious Blood**  
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### Saturday/Sabado - September 26, Sts. Cosmas and Damian

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia  
**5:30PM (Eng)** For: Bobby Proto  
 By: Connie & Jimmy DeCarluccio

### Sunday/Domingo - September 27, Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**9:00AM (Spa)** Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia  
**10:30AM (Eng)** For: Nancy Granello & Alex Russo  
 By: Family and Son, Alex  
**12:00PM (Chi)** In Thanksgiving to the Blessed Virgin Mary  
 By: Joseph Yip  
**7:00PM (Eng)** For: Flora Brito  
 By: Diorama Liriano

### Monday/Lunes - September 28, Saint Wenceslaus, Saint Lawrence Ruiz and Companions

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia  
**12:10PM (Eng)** For: Ida Vona (Living)  
 By: Patricia Moynihan

### Tuesday/Martes - September 29, Sts. Michael, Gabriel and Raphael

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia  
**12:10PM (Eng)** For: Marie Colwell (Living)  
 By: Ron Spurga

### Wednesday/Miercoles - September 30, Saint Jerome

**8:00AM (Spa)** For: Jerry & Kathleen Scivetti  
 By: Children  
**12:10PM (Eng)** For: The people of the parish

### Thursday/Jueves - October 1, St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por todos los miembros de nuestra parroquia  
**12:10PM (Eng)** For: Kheng June Thomas Ahn  
 By: Family

### Friday/Viernes - October 2, The Holy Guardian Angels

**8:00AM (Spa)** Por el Sagrado Corazón de Jesús invita El Grupo Sagrado Corazón de Jesús  
**12:10PM (Eng)** For: Kathleen Keefe  
 By: The Flatz Family

### Saturday/Sabado - October 3

**8:00AM (Spa)** Witness For Life Mass  
 For: Donald J. Trump (Living)  
 By: The Flatz Family  
**5:30PM (Eng)** For: Anthony Rago  
 By: The Rago Family

### Last Sunday's Collection

**\$6,110.00**

### Adult Theology Classes

Are you interested in learning more about our Catholic faith? Feel free to join our RCIA classes. Even if you've received confirmation, it's a great way to delve more deeply into our faith, to enjoy some good discussion, and to meet fellow Catholics. You don't need to enroll for the whole year—you can come to any or all classes that interest you. We just ask that you call the parish office ahead of time so that we can plan accordingly. All classes will take place at 268 Mulberry Street (Youth Center), and will run from 7pm to 8:30pm.

Session	Date	Topic
1	Sep 22	God: Three and One
2	Oct 6	Creation and The Fall
3	Oct 20	Incarnation and Redemption
4	Nov 3	Holy Spirit, Grace and Virtue
5	Nov 17	Marks of the Church
6	Dec 1	Commandments 1-3
7	Dec 15	Commandments 4-10
8	Jan 5	Sacraments: Baptism and Confirmation
9	Jan 19	Eucharist and Mass
10	Feb 2	Holy Orders, Matrimony, Anointing
11	Feb 16	Confession
12	Mar 2	Prayer and Scripture

### Reading 1

**EZ 18:25-28**

Thus says the LORD:

You say, "The LORD's way is not fair!"

Hear now, house of Israel:

Is it my way that is unfair, or rather, are not your ways unfair?

When someone virtuous turns away from virtue to commit iniquity, and dies,

it is because of the iniquity he committed that he must die.

But if he turns from the wickedness he has committed,

he does what is right and just,

he shall preserve his life;

since he has turned away from all the sins that he has committed,

he shall surely live, he shall not die.

### Responsorial Psalm

**PS 25:4-5, 6-7, 8-9**

**R. Remember your mercies, O Lord.**



### Second Reading

**PHIL 2:1-11 OR 2:1-5**

Brothers and sisters:

If there is any encouragement in Christ,

any solace in love,

any participation in the Spirit,

any compassion and mercy,

complete my joy by being of the same mind, with the same love,

united in heart, thinking one thing.

Do nothing out of selfishness or out of vainglory;

rather, humbly regard others as more important than yourselves,

each looking out not for his own interests,

but also for those of others.

Have in you the same attitude

that is also in Christ Jesus.

### Alleluia

**JN 10:27**

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord;

I know them, and they follow me.

R. Alleluia, alleluia.

### Gospel

**MT 21:28-32**

Jesus said to the chief priests and elders of the people:

"What is your opinion?

A man had two sons.

He came to the first and said,

'Son, go out and work in the vineyard today.'

He said in reply, 'I will not,'

but afterwards changed his mind and went.

The man came to the other son and gave the same order.

He said in reply, 'Yes, sir, 'but did not go.

Which of the two did his father's will?"

They answered, "The first."

Jesus said to them, "Amen, I say to you,

tax collectors and prostitutes

are entering the kingdom of God before you.

When John came to you in the way of righteousness,

you did not believe him;

but tax collectors and prostitutes did.

Yet even when you saw that,

you did not later change your minds and believe him."



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.

Here's the link: <https://catholicbytespodcast.com>

## Welcome to the Basilica!

### Some reminders and updates for when you visit:

- Attendance at Masses and other liturgies may not exceed one-third of the basilica's capacity (about 200 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 are available 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 is open Monday-Friday from 9-5.
- Confessions may be in the courtyard, weather permitting, or near the altar if the weather is inclement.
- Baptisms, funerals, and weddings may take place.
- Most 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](http://cardinalsappeal.org) to make your gift.**

I thank you for your continued support of the Cardinal's Annual Stewardship Appeal.



## The Shrine Church of the Most Precious Blood

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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, September 27

11:30AM For: Anna Russo Quadrino  
By: son, Bill Russo

### Wednesday, September 30

12:10PM For: Rocco Vita – Birthday  
By: sister, Connie  
For: Anne Russo Quadrino  
By: son, Bill Russo  
For: Pasquale & Marianna Ida  
By: Children



*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.



### 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](mailto:frank@oldcathedral.org) to learn more.

### Religious Education and Family Program 2020-2021

The greatest gift a parent can give to a child is our holy faith. We're here to help! Registration is now underway for our religious education and family program, that meets on Sundays after our 10:30 Mass. Please contact our coordinator, Eric Roginek, at [religiously@oldcathedral.org](mailto:religiously@oldcathedral.org) to make sure your child is enrolled for this upcoming year. We welcome you to join us for this informative, prayerful, and family-centered program.