

Church of Our Lady of Good Counsel - St. Thomas More

OLGC - 230 East 90th Street - STM - 65 East 89th Street
New York City, New York 10128



October 21, 2018

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SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE - OLGC

Saturday Evening: 5:30 p.m.
Sunday Morning: 9:00 a.m.
10:15 a.m. - Spanish Mass
11:30 a.m. - Choral Mass
Sunday Evening: 6:00 p.m.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE - STM

Saturday Evening: 5:45 p.m.
Sunday Morning: 8:30 a.m.
10:00 a.m. - Family Mass
Sunday Afternoon: 12:00 p.m. - Choral Mass
Sunday Evening: 5:45 p.m.

WEEKDAY MASSES - OLGC

Monday thru Friday: 9:00 am and 6:00 pm
Saturday: 9:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES - STM

Monday thru Friday: 8:00 am and 12:15 pm
Saturday: 8:00 am and 12:15 pm

CONFESSIONS - OLGC

Monday thru Friday - 5:45 pm
Saturday 4:30 – 5:15 pm

CONFESSIONS - STM

Monday thru Friday
12:00 pm - 12:10 pm (before Mass)
Saturday 5:00 – 5:30 pm

BAPTISM

OLGC - 12:30 pm on Sunday
STM - 1:00 pm on Sunday
(Arrangements must be made six weeks in advance)

MARRIAGE

Arrangements should be made at least six months prior to the wedding

VISITS TO HOMEBOUND PARISHIONERS

Our clergy are happy to visit.
Call the parish office to arrange.

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Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The readings for the Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time address the mystery and meaning of Jesus' suffering and death.

The closing words from Jesus in today's Gospel reading are key to putting the cross in perspective: "For the Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." Jesus offers these remarks in response to James and John, who are reacting to Jesus' third Passion prediction. Jesus uses the request by James and John to foreshadow to them and the other apostles their upcoming martyrdom: "The cup that I drink, you will drink." But he also uses their request to teach the apostles about the importance of servant leadership: "Whoever wishes to be great among you will be your servant; whoever wishes to be first among you will be the slave of all." This sets the context for helping the apostles understand how Jesus' death on the cross is the ultimate act of service to others.

Adapted from Liturgical Publications Inc, Connect! Uniting Word & World, Dr. Daniel J. Scholz

WEEKDAY BIBLE READINGS

Sun.: Is 53:10-11; Heb 4:14-16;
Mk 10:35-45 or 10:42-45
Mon.: Eph 2:1-10; Lk 12:13-21
Tues.: Eph 2:12-22; Lk 12:35-38
Wed.: Eph 3:2-12; Lk 12:39-48
Thur.: Eph 3:14-21; Lk 12:49-53
Fri.: Eph 4:1-6; Lk 12:54-59
Sat.: Eph 4:7-16; Lk 13:1-9

The Parish Book Club: The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday November 15th at 7PM in the STM Meeting Room. The current book is: *Silence* by Shūsaku Endō.

Separation/Divorce Support Group

The next meeting Nov. 7th (1st & 3rd Wednesday)
at 6:30pm in the STM Meeting Room.
stthomasmoresdc@yahoo.com
or call 212-876-7718.

Preparing for Baptism: To have your child baptized, Parents **MUST Pre-Register** for a Preparation Meeting and **Attend a Meeting** on the first Tuesday evening of the month at 7:00PM in the OLG Rectory.

To Pre-Register call 212-289-1742

by 6pm on the day before the class. Baptisms take place on Sundays afternoons (12:30pm at OLG & 1pm at STM).

THE NEXT SESSION WILL BE HELD ON

TUESDAY NOVEMBER 6TH

This Sunday Our Parish's Second Collection will be our annual World Mission Collection

While most of us will never be in a position to travel the world spreading the Gospel message, our Catholic identity, given in baptism, calls each of us to be missionaries. This call we can answer by supporting with our prayers and contributions those who do so in the name of the Church Universal. Next Sunday, we celebrate World Mission Sunday to raise an awareness of the needs of our missionaries and to afford us an opportunity to make a charitable donation.

With thanks and prayerful best wishes,
I am, Faithfully in Christ,
Timothy M. Cardinal Dolan
Archbishop of New York

Renew + Rebuild

Today we formally announce the *Renew + Rebuild Campaign* at Our Lady of Good Counsel and St. Thomas More Parish. *Renew + Rebuild* is a \$200 million initiative for the parishes of the Archdiocese of New York. For information about our parish's **\$3 million** goal, please see today's bulletin insert.

CHURCH OF OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL

Celebrant – Sunday Mass – Oct. 21st

Sat 5:30pm	Msgr. McCahill
Sun 9:00am	Msgr. McCahill
Sun 10:15am	Bishop Iriondo (Spanish Community)
Sun 11:30am	Fr. Montgomery
Sun 6:00pm	Fr. Montgomery

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

<i>Oct 21</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:30pm	Tony Johnson	Sazs Sexig
Sun 9:00am	Louisa Martin	Maria Nonni
Sun 10:15am	Altamir de Oliveira Rose Acevedo	Jorge Noriega Maria Noriega Enedelia Suárez
Sun 11:30am	Ike Omoruyi	Joseph McLaughlin
Sun 6:00pm	Ryan D'Uva	Carol Hopkins

Sunday – October 14, 2018
 Regular Collection - \$3,253.07
 Religious Education - \$1,000.14
Attendance – 602

Celebrant – Sunday Mass – Oct. 28th

Sat 5:30pm	Msgr. McCahill
Sun 9:00am	Fr. Madigan
Sun 10:15am	Fr. Florio SJ (Spanish Community)
Sun 11:30am	Fr. Florio SJ
Sun 6:00pm	Fr. Madigan

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

<i>Oct 28</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:30pm	Tony Johnson	TBD
Sun 9:00am	Jamie Johnson	Eileen Clemen
Sun 10:15am	Altamir de Oliveira Gloria Perez	Jose Ibarra Santa Ibarra Sofia Blanco
Sun 11:30am	Chris Williams	Patricia Gloster
Sun 6:00pm	Carlos Cevallos	Gladys Cruz

Please remember the sick, especially

Salvatore Badalamenti, Rosalie Bakal, Joanie Bausch, Carol Bohan, Maureen Bracken, Aurora Fernandez, The Gourin Family, Bernie Helgason, Veronica Martin, Dawn Martinez, Matilda Mondol, Socorro Muriel, Veronica Martin, Frank Meade, Dora Mintz, Jose Alberto Muga, Gorette Potter, Liz Riker, Nereida Rodriguez, Peter Rodriguez, Sarah Rodriguez, Kathleen Steed, Pinar Ust, Barbara Wass, Harriet & Charlie Weiss, and Lillian Wick.

MASS INTENTIONS AND FEAST DAYS AT OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL October 21 – October 27

Mon. October 22 *St. John Paul II*

9:00 Bill Harris (D)

6:00 St Philomena for the Spiritual
Guidance of all Priests

Tues. October 23 *St. John of Capistrano*

9:00 Claudio de Jesus Palacios (D)

6:00 Special Intention

Wed. October 24 *St. Anthony Mary Claret*

9:00 Special Intention

6:00 Gorette Conlon Potter (D)

Thurs. October 25

9:00 Margaret McLoughlin (D)

6:00 Dan Brusstar (L)

Fri. October 26

9:00 Margaret McLoughlin (D)

6:00 George & Isabel Garcia (D)

Sat. October 27

9:00 Special Intention

Sunday Vigil

5:30 Maryanne Cray (D)

Rosary prayed after 9am and 6pm Masses

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist: We are in great need of your help. Serve the parish as a Eucharistic Minister, For more information please call: 212-876-7718 or email STMParishPrograms@gmail.com

Caregiverscare, a program of activities to protect the health of the brain, designed for people over 50, has begun its Fall schedule. It includes activities in theater, movies, learning Italian, yoga and a computer class for novices on up. All are free of charge.

House our Future NY

You are invited to take part in a march to Gracie Mansion urging Mayor deBlasio to commit to 30,000 units of affordable permanent housing for homeless New Yorkers by 2026 (with 24,000 of these units to be created through new construction). The march will take place on Wednesday, October 24th; it begins at 11:00 a.m. at 86th St. and concludes at 1:00 p.m. at Gracie Mansion.

EVENTS

Our Lady of Good Counsel

<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>TIME</u>
10/21	Spanish Community – Coffee Hr Spanish Heritage Celebration	11:30am
	AA Meetings	1:30 – 2:30 & 3:30 – 4:30pm
10/22	Blue Army	10:00am
10/23	Legion of Mary - Spanish	9:30am
10/24	Senior Bingo Legion of Mary – English	1pm 2:30pm
10/26	Saturday Morning Breakfast AA – Anti-Anxiety Meeting	7 - 8:30am 11:30am

Please use the following links for information about

High School Open Houses

In the Archdiocese of New York

<http://www.tachsinfo.com/PDF/ArchdioceseOfNewYorkOpenHouse.pdf>

In the Diocese of Brooklyn/Queens

<http://www.tachsinfo.com/PDF/DioceseOfBrooklynQueensOpenHouse.pdf>

Parish Enrollment Drive: Welcome Cards are available in the rear of both Churches, in the Parish Rectory and on line in the Registration section of the Parish Website. If you have any questions or other comments / suggestions, please feel free to contact stmparishprograms@gmail.com. We hope you will accept this invitation to become a more engaged part of this new beginning of the parish we all love.

St. Vincent DePaul: If you need help or would like to become a member of our society, please email bobterrylosangeles@gmail.com. Contributions should be mailed to Our Lady of Good Counsel and made payable to The St. Vincent De Paul Society.

2018 – 2019 Youth & Family Sandwich-Making

This school year community outreach program makes and delivers more than 250 sandwiches each month to the NY Common Pantry. Our next event will be held on

***Sunday, Nov 11th, from 12noon – 1pm
in the Rochester Room.***

To sign up for this event, please use the following link <https://www.signupgenius.com/go/30e0d49aeaf2ba4fb6-2018>.

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<u>DATE</u>	<u>EVENT</u>	<u>TIME</u>
10/21	Coffee Hour Sandwich Making	11am 12pm
10/22	Caregivercare – Italian Class	4pm
10/23	Leisure Lunch (After the 12:15 Mass) Caregivercare – Italian Film	1:30m 1:30m
	Caregivercare – Computer Class	5pm
10/24	Christian Meditation	6pm
10/25	Caregivercare – Socialization	5pm
10/26	Caregivercare – Physical Activity C-4 Marriage Group	4:30pm 7pm

Note: AA Meetings are held on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, and Friday (men's only) at 6:30pm in the Chelsea Room.

Prayer on Aging by an Anonymous 17th Century Nun

Lord, thou knowest better than I know myself that I am growing older and will some day be old. Keep me from the fatal habit of thinking I must say something on every subject and on every occasion. Release me from craving to straighten out everybody's affairs. Make me thoughtful but not moody; helpful but not bossy. With my vast store of wisdom it seems a pity not to use it all, but Thou knowest Lord, that I want a few friends at the end.

Keep my mind free from the recital of endless details; give me wings to get to the point. Seal my lips on my aches and pains. They are increasing and love of rehearsing them is becoming sweeter as the years go by. I dare not ask for grace enough to enjoy the tales of other's pains, but help me to endure them with patience. I dare not ask for improved memory, but for a growing humility and a lessening cocksureness when my memory seems to clash with the memories of others. Teach me the glorious lesson that occasionally I may be mistaken.

Keep me reasonably sweet; I do not want to be a saint--some of them are so hard to live with--but a sour old person is one of the crowning works of the Devil. Give me the ability to see good things in unexpected places and talents in unexpected people. And, give me, O Lord, the grace to tell them so.

Amen.

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Sun 10:00am	Fr. O'Hara OMI
Sun 12 Noon	Fr. Madigan
Sun 5:45pm	Fr. Madigan

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

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Sat 5:45pm	The Rosses	Dr. Robert Guida
Sun 8:30am	TBD	TBD
Sun 10:00am	Barry Family	Dan Flynn
Sun 12 Noon	Gisela White	TBD
Sun 5:45pm	Rory Kelleher	Julia Shea

Sunday – October 14, 2018

Regular Collection - \$7,107.90
Flowers & Decorations - \$1,638.48
Attendance – 493

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Sun 8:30am	Fr. O'Hara OMI
Sun 10:00am	Fr. O'Hara OMI
Sun 12 Noon	Fr. Montgomery
Sun 5:45pm	Fr. Montgomery

Lector/EM Mass Schedule

<i>Oct 28</i>	<i>Lector</i>	<i>EM</i>
Sat 5:45pm	Margarita Barrera	Dr. Robert Guida
Sun 8:30am	Louisa Martin	TBD
Sun 10:00am	Branche Family	Dan Flynn
Sun 12 Noon	Bob Burke	TBD
Sun 5:45pm	Jim Sterling	Diana Chiavetta

Christian Meditation Wednesday, Oct. 24th at 6:00pm -
STM Chapel Facilitator: Donald Main 415-336-2165
costmnycc@christianmeditation.us

SENIOR CITIZEN HAIRCUT DAY

Where: Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish Hall
When: Wednesday, Nov 7th From: 1PM-3PM***
Cost: Free Will Donation

SCHEDULE AN APPOINTMENT

Sign-up sheet in OLGC Parish Hall
Clients are requested to wash their hair prior to arrival. All haircuts are provided by Nancy Garcia, a licensed hair stylist
Donations will be used by Respect Life Committee to support women in need.

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8:00 Dorothy Best (D)

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Sat. October 27

8:00

12:15

Sunday Vigil

5:45 Ruth Viri (D)

Rosary prayed after 12:15pm Mass

Sunday Coffee Hour

We extend our thanks to our volunteer **Rebecca Bagdonas** for hosting this Sunday's event, which is a wonderful way for parishioners to meet and get to know one another. We look forward to meeting you there after the 10:00am Family Mass.

**You are also invited to become a
STM Coffee Hour Volunteer**

To volunteer, please use the following link:
<http://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090a48a4ad2baaff2-coffee>.
The parishioner volunteers are the heart of this important community outreach program and your participation will go a long way toward insuring its success in the future.

Children's Story & Craft: All Children are invited to listen to a story and do a craft in the Rochester Room.
Please help us – we need parent volunteers to read and organize activities. All materials provided!