



**MASSES FOR THE WEEK
AT OUR LADY OF PITY CHURCH:**

SATURDAY	September 21st:
8:00 am	Mary Acosta
5:00 pm	Ricardo & Pietro D'Elia
SUNDAY	September 22nd:
7:30 am	James A. Slattery
9:00 am	Josephine Masso
10:30 am	Rosaria LiCastro
NOON	Frederick Blossfeld
MONDAY	September 23rd:
8:30 am	Dante Daniels
TUESDAY	September 24th:
8:30 am	Arcadio Arqueza
WEDNESDAY	September 25th:
8:30 am	Josephine Dagosto
THURSDAY	September 26th:
8:30 am	Mrs. McGuigans
FRIDAY	September 27th:
8:30 am	Carmine & Gaetano DiBenedetto
SATURDAY	September 28th:
8:00 am	Salvatore Carluzzo
5:00 pm	Michael Chiapperino
SUNDAY	September 29th:
7:30 am	Deceased Mem. Of Richards & Amerosa Families
9:00 am	Alfredo Tangco
10:30 am	Paolo & Donata Pesce
NOON	Frank Riso, Lucy D'Orlando & Joseph Demegio

**MASSES FOR THE WEEK
AT ST. ANTHONY CHURCH:**

SATURDAY	September 21st:
5:00 pm	Jan Sek
	<i>Requested by the family</i>
SUNDAY	September 22nd:
8:00 am	Sebastian & Anna De Chiaro
	<i>Requested by the family</i>
11:00 am	Leocadia Wicenski
	<i>Requested by her family</i>
MONDAY	September 23rd:
7:30 am	For all Parishioners
WEDNESDAY	September 25th:
7:30 am	For all Parishinors
FRIDAY	September 27th:
7:30 am	Helen Pszezola
	<i>Requested by Carol Okraszewski</i>
SATURDAY	September 28th:
5:00 pm	Stanley Prachniak
	<i>Requested by the family</i>
SUNDAY	September 29th:
8:00 am	Czeslawa Prachniak
	<i>Requested by the family</i>
11:00 am	John Wolenski Sr.
	<i>Requested by the family</i>





DEVOTIONS

Following weekday 8:30 am Mass at Our Lady of Pity: Recitation of the Rosary. On First Fridays only, there is the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Holy Hour. On Saturday following the 8 am Mass, novena prayers are said.

At St. Anthony of Padua there is Recitation of the Rosary and Devotions after the weekday 7:30 am Masses



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM OUR LADY OF PITY-ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

Please make sure your child is attending Mass each weekend and you use their envelopes.

SHUT-INS

If any member of your family is homebound and unable to attend Mass, please notify the rectory and if you wish, a priest or an extraordinary minister will bring them the Eucharist on the first Friday of every month.

Cursillo Weekend Retreat

Cursillo Weekends are dedicated to helping people know Christ better, and to give renewed spirituality and a better understanding of how God works within us.

Men's Cursillo Weekend: October 24th – Oct.28th
Woman's Cursillo Weekend: November 7th- Nov. 10th

If you are interested in attending or have questions, please contact Joe Magliocco at 718-698-8054

BEREAVEMENT

"Blessed are those who mourn; for they shall be comforted." -Matthew 5:4.

Our Bereavement Minister, Deacon Michael Venditto, is available to assist anyone who has experienced a loss. Call the rectory (718-761-5421) weekdays between 9 am and 5 pm to set up an appointment with Deacon Michael.



PEACE THAT ONLY CHRIST CAN GIVE EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

Do you desire a more loving relationship with Jesus? Every 1st Friday of the month, you will have the opportunity to spend time with Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place at Our Lady of Pity Church from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm Eucharistic Guardians will be needed. For further information call Joseph Magliocco at 718-698-8054.



Online Giving with OSV

Another easy way to manage your church giving is with Online Giving. You can manage your giving or give a onetime gift right from your phone. Search the App Stores for Online Giving or go to <https://www.osvonlinegiving.com/4838> and register with our parish. Your support during summer months helps sustain our parish. If you are registered with WeShare, you will receive an email to make a new account with Online Giving. Call the rectory with any questions.

SPONSOR CERTIFICATES

Anyone desiring a certificate to serve as a sponsor for a Sacrament must be a Roman Catholic who has received the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist and Confirmation. Certificates are distributed only after weekend Masses in the sacristy, not in the rectory



Sick Prayer Request for Sick Parishioners

Every worshipping community is called to pray for the sick or elderly in their parish. It is a privilege to ask Our Lord to heal and strengthen the sick. *The Prayer List for the Sick* is our way of reaching out to our parishioners, young and elderly, who have received a critical diagnosis and are unable to go about the routines of life:

Michael Ragonese, Frank A. Marchese, Frank J. Marchese, Dayanara Georzette Acevedo, Lawrence Ambrosino, Neil Amodio, Rusty Amodio, MaryAnn Azzarello, Edward Bach, Ray Beshara, Jeff Beauzil, Isabella Borzumato, Brook Balacco, Barbara Bilardi, Mary Ellen Bednar, Joan Lee Cammy, Jennifer Campione, Joann Cavallaro, Gianna Cerullo, Jared Choset, Josephine Cordaro, Joseph Crescenzi Sr., Elsie Cuevas, Marc Dantoni, Dom Dealto, Maureen Dragula, Phyllis Esposito, Danny Fortunato, Donna Christine Gueren, Rose Infuso, Vincent Infuso, Jonathan Keiling, Andrew Lassen, Frank Maltempi, Gerri Marchese, Fannie Marro, Jack Masso, Lillian Miner, Angela Misiti, Julio Pagan, Ann and Angela Recker, Cheri Rosen, Margaret Ryan Galetto, Annette McGoff, Angie Mendez, Charles Messina, Jaclyn Mooney, Richie Pahopin, Darlene Remy, Valerie Rose, Peter Ruisi, Khadijah Sabir, Gloria Scaglione, John Serri, Charles Skelton, Dcn. Michael Venditto, and Phillip Yoo, Brigitte Stano

The listed names above for those asking for prayers has been updated according to months on the list.

Those remaining have been reinstated by parishioners calling after the six-month period. If anyone wishes to put a name back or to add a new name of a parishioner who is sick, please contact the rectory Mon.-Fri. from 9 am to 5 pm.

Sharing God’s Gift

Combined Collection OLP & St. Anthony

24th Sun. Ordinary Time 2019

Weekly Collection..... \$6,460.00

24th Sun. Ordinary Time 2018

Weekly Collection..... \$8,761.00

MEMORIALS FOR WEEK OF September 22nd:



Our Lady of Pity

Sanctuary Lamp

Is being offered in Loving Memory of

Robin Senatore Brown

Requested Lovingly by the Family

Anyone wishing to offer a memorial of Wine, Host or Sanctuary lamp in memory of their loved ones or any intention at either church, please contact the respective rectory Monday – Friday, 10:00am–4:00pm



Christmas Tree Program 2019

We are in the process of kicking off our Christmas Tree Program for 2019. Order forms will be mailed out and placed in the back of the church starting in September. If you would like to request a certain spot on our property, we suggest you get your form & payment in early! The cost per tree will be \$225.00. You can put the form & payment in the collection basket or drop off at the rectory Monday- Friday 9am – 5pm



Banns of Marriage

Are announced for the Third time between

Manuel Anthony Rodriguez & Marie Nicole Gagliardo

**OUR LADY OF PITY-ST. ANTHONY OF
PADUA ORGANIZATIONS**

We cordially invite all parishioners to join any of the groups in our parish. The following are the group titles and days they meet:

Golden Age Tues. 12-3 pm Parish Center

We will resume Tuesday September 24th, 2019

Legion of Mary Thurs. 7:00 pm St Jude Chapel

The Legion of Mary has a pilgrimage statue of Our Lady of Fatima. Anyone wishing to have the statue in their home, please call Ruth at 718-761-7717.

WOMEN'S SOCIETIES

Rosary Altar Society:

Mass First Sunday of every month at 9:00 am and that Monday is their meeting at 7:30 pm in the Parish Center.

Ladies Auxiliary:

Meet on the first **Wednesday** of the month at 7:00 pm in the Church basement. New members are always welcome. Meetings will resume in September.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

Our Lady of Pity:

Second Sunday of the month Mass at 12:00 pm; that Monday is their meeting at 8:00 pm in the Parish Center.

St. Anthony of Padua:

Second Sunday of every month at 8:00 am Mass, meeting follows Mass.

PS. 26 PTA Basket Auction

Tuesday October 8th, 2019

6:30 pm – 10:30 pm

Old Bermuda Inn

\$65 Per Person

Includes Dinner, Dessert, Open Bar & 5 Tickets
Additional Tickets & Packages of tickets will be available to purchase at the event.

OUR LADY OF PITY CHURCH:

**EXORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY
COMMUNION MASS SCHEDULE**

SATURDAY:	Sept. 28th
5:00 PM	Mar. Pastena Mike Pastena
SUNDAY:	Sept. 29th
7:30 AM	V. & C. Violetta
9:00 AM	A. Davis L. Sottile
10:30 AM	D. & F. Marro
NOON	S. & I. LaRosa

LECTORS MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY:	Sept. 28th
5:00 PM	Donadic
SUNDAY:	Sept. 29th
7:30 AM	J. Magliocco
9:00 AM	Buttacavoli
10:30 AM	Daniels
NOON	Bilardi

ALTAR BOY MASS SCHEDULE:

SATURDAY:	Sept. 28th
5:00 PM	D. & A. Boniface C. Noby
SUNDAY:	Sept. 29th
9:00 AM	E. & C. Baria F. Aum
10:30 AM	N. Lopez, J. Flood & M. Maningas
NOON	M. Tubay, D. Megalea & K. Romero

ST. ANTHONY'S 50/50

The monthly envelopes for the **September** "50/50" drawing are available in the back of the church. The fee is \$5 per envelope and you can enter as many times as you wish. **Cash only**, no checks please.

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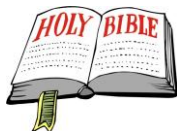
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First of all, I ask that supplications, prayers, petitions, and thanksgivings be offered for everyone, for kings and all in authority, that we may lead a quiet and tranquil life in all devotion and dignity. This is good and pleasing to God our Savior, who wills everyone to be saved and to come to knowledge of the truth."

Perhaps there is no clearer summary of what our prayer life should be like, than this directive of Paul to his disciple and companion. We are asked to move from prayer for myself to prayer for others, offering gratitude for His goodness to me and asking blessings for others.

As I respond to the Spirit's directive in my prayer, I include praise, thanksgiving, and gratitude, my needs and the needs of others, seeking and offering forgiveness. There are many models of great and holy people teaching by example their way of prayer. Return to the Lord's prayer and find all these elements in the words we recite so often, yet sometimes fleetingly.

That is why Paul's reminder today begins with 'first of all...'



Luke 16: 1-13

Jesus tells a story about a servant who tries to cheat his employer. The owner is impressed because he would do the same thing himself. Jesus then describes the importance of being trustworthy in small matters, as well as in greater ones. He then states that no one can serve two masters faithfully, so people cannot give themselves completely to both God and money.

Italian Heritage Dinner

The Knights of Columbus St. Anthony of Padua Council will be holding their 2nd Annual Italian Heritage Dinner on Sat. Oct 5th, 2019 in the gym beginning at 7:00 PM.

Join us for music from a live Italian Band along with good food, beer, wine and soda, as well as raffles and 50/50. A portion of the proceeds event will be donated to S.I Meals on Wheels. Cost is \$35 (\$40 at the door), \$15 for children 6-13, and children under 5 are free. Checks can be made to Knights of Columbus, Council #16134. If mailing, please send to K of C Council #16134, P.O Box 131509, S.I. 10313. Please contact, Angelo Chiapperino at 718-698-6528 or Hugo Cavallaro at 917-771-2286 for additional information

Dcn. Joe Trip

Final Payment is due Oct 1st, 2019 for his trip to Lancaster PA on December 6th until December 7th. Please place the payment in either churches collection.

Thank You!

HIS WORD TODAY

BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON
THE SUNDAY READINGS



Adult Choir

Choir rehearsals began on Wednesday, September 4th at 7:00 pm in Our Lady of Pity Church. Rehearsal will be approximately 75 minutes. Choir is open to anyone in our parish as long as you are confirmed, able to attend most rehearsals and arrive 20 minutes prior to 10:30 am Mass on Sundays. (If you are under 18, you'll need your parents' permission, and a parent/guardian who can provide transportation to rehearsal. Be sure to have a parent email Elena at ebrandt@olpsare.com before the first rehearsal if you are under 18, and would like to join).



Rosary Altar Society Auction

Once again, our rosary altar society will host an auction at Our Lady of Pity Gym on Friday, October 18th, 2019 at 8:00 pm. Doors will open at 7:00 pm. Entrance fee is \$5.00 which includes some tickets for prizes, cake and coffee. The cost of the chances is \$15.00. Prizes are 2,000., \$500., and \$300. Upon receipt of your Chance book, either return them by mail, put them in the collection or drop them off at one of the rectories. Winner need not be present to win. Please return any unused chance books. Proceeds from these chances help defray the many costs and expenses incurred by our parish throughout the year. Anyone wishing to donate new items would greatly appreciate as always, thank you for your support!

