

This Week

Monday

7:30PM Miraculous Medal Novena

Thursday

7:00PM Legion of Mary Meeting – Rectory

First Saturday

Fatima Devotions – after the 8:30AM Mass

Sunday

9:30AM Rosary & Altar Society Mass followed by Meeting in Fr. Hopkins Hall

**COMMENTATOR SCHEDULE
SUNDAY, October 2, 2016**

Saturday

4:00PM Bonnie Ferretti

7:00PM Maria Mathieu

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Morisano

9:30AM Michael Stumpf

11:30AM Maria Paronich

1:15PM Bill Mirabello

10:00AM OLL Roseanne Allen

**SPECIAL MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST
SUNDAY, October 2, 2016**

Saturday

4:00PM Peter Montanti

7:00PM Rosalie Scala

Sunday

7:30AM Maureen Rosko

9:30AM Annette Viso

11:30AM Tina Bove

1:15PM Alice Cobb

10:00AM OLL Dolores Widlund

OLQP PARISH MINISTRY FAIR

Members of the various parish societies will be available after all the Masses on October 1st and 2nd to provide information regarding the lay organizations that exist within our parish and to provide an opportunity for you to participate in the success of our parish family of Our Lady Queen of Peace/Our Lady of Lourdes. Please take a minute to visit all the opportunities available.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY CARE COMMITTEE

On duty the week of Sept. 25 to Oct. 1 – Margaret

The Cenacle of Life Prayer Group meets every Friday at 4:00PM in the Chapel to recite the Rosary.

**TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME**

First Reading: Amos 6:1a, 4-7

Amos denounces the selfish attitude of those who surround themselves with luxuries with no concern for others. He goes on to warn that because these people lacked interest in the state of their society, they would be the first to be exiled.

Second Reading: 1 Timothy 6:11-16

Paul tells Timothy to seek integrity, faith and love. Paul urges him to attain everlasting life by maintaining strong faith in Jesus and in God until Jesus returns.

Gospel: Luke 16:19-31

Jesus tells of a rich man who feasted daily, while a beggar named Lazarus went hungry outside his gates. When both men died, Lazarus was taken to Abraham, but the rich man was in torment. When he begged for mercy, Abraham reminded him that Lazarus had lived in torment, while the rich man lived in selfish luxury. The man then asked if Lazarus could be sent to his brothers to warn them. But Abraham said if they had not heeded Moses or the prophets, they would ignore even the warning of one risen from the dead.

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26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sept. 25, 2016

VOCATION VIEW

Courage! Courage when you follow the Lord. Remember, people may not be convinced, even if one should rise from the dead. Live, in order to convince of resurrection and life. If you would like to be a priest or have questions about the priesthood, please contact the Vocation Office at (914) 968-1340 or www.NYPRIEST.COM "The World Needs Heroes".

***We Welcomed the Newly Baptized
to our parish***

Oliver Guido

The Bread and Wine for this week are donated in loving memory of John P. O'Donnell requested by Barbara O'Donnell.

The Sanctuary Light for this week burns in loving memory of James Carr requested by Dorothy Carr.

From Cardinal's Blog...

The Mission of the Church

One of my evangelical colleagues tells me he considers it a sign of a successful homily when he detects some "squirring" in the pews. Was there some "squirring" in the pews at Mass last Sunday? I did some myself as I meditated on the words of Jesus (Luke 13:22-30) preparing my sermon for last Sunday's Mass, and I noticed a bit of restlessness as I gave it to the good people at Sacred Heart Parish in Suffern. The folks in the gospel passage for our Liturgy of the Word asked Jesus a very significant question: "Will only a few people be saved?" In other words, is it easy to get to heaven? Is salvation assured? Can I relax and take eternal life for granted?

Today we seem to give a thundering "yes" to those questions. For instance: We go to funerals and hear that the deceased is certainly already in heaven; Rarely do we hear about hell or purgatory. (My dad always claimed he'd be thrilled if he woke up in purgatory!); A good priest-friend of mine teased his parishioners, after six months as their pastor, "I've asked for a transfer. I want to be in a parish with sinners. I've been here half-a-year and not one person has come to confession! You all must be saints!" The surveys show us that more and more people feel they "don't need religion or the Church." I guess they feel they can be saved all alone, or don't even need such a thing as "salvation." Here comes the "squirring": Jesus tells us "Many will attempt to enter, but will not get through..." He speaks of the door to heaven being locked, with a lot of folks still outside claiming they have an "E-Z Pass" to get in. I'm sweating a little . . . Here's what we know: God our good Father wants us all to spend eternity with Him in heaven (The theologians call this the "universal salvific will of the Lord."); He invites us to eternal life; He tells us how to get there, and sends His Son, our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ, to bring us with Him to heaven, 'cause we can't get there on our own; But, God respects our freedom to turn down his invitation, and many sadly do; Thus, there is such a thing as hell (and purgatory).

The Church is the community of those longing for -- not presuming -- heaven. The Church has as her mission to unite her members with Jesus and make the journey of life in, with, and through Him back to God, from whom we came. Soon-to-be St. Mother Theresa once caught off guard a governor of a state by asking, "Governor, what do you do?" It took him awhile, but he finally replied, "Well, I help people live better." Not to be outdone, he asked her, "And, Mother, what do you do?" To which she responded, "I help people die better so they can live forever."

That's the mission of the Church. St. John Vianney was on his way to his new parish, the village of Ars, when he got hopelessly lost on the dusty paths of southeastern France. He finally ran into a young boy and asked, "Do you know how to get to Ars?" "Sure!" the little fella answered. "I live there!" "Well, I'll tell you what," replied the man who would become the Curé, the pastor of Ars. "You show me how to get to Ars, and I'll show you how to get to heaven."

The mission of the Church . . . And we fail that mission if we ignore the words of Jesus and believe instead that getting there is a snap, take heaven for granted, and presume we can get there easy, all my ourselves.

PARISH STEWARDSHIP

Sunday Collection (9-18-16)	\$9,665.00
Shrine Candles	\$178.00
Poor Box	\$188.00

PARISH MISSION

Rev. Michael Sullivan

October 8th through October 12th

- Fr. Michael P. Sullivan OSA is engaged in full time retreat work and parish Renewal preaching ministry.
- Fr. Sullivan will preach at all of the weekend Masses.
- On Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, the Mission will begin at 7:00pm.

Come and Receive God's Blessings!



OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE MUSIC MINISTRY Choristers & Cherubs!

Sign up in the Church Choir Loft
at any rehearsal through October!

Choristers (grades 5-8): Tuesdays – 4:30-5:45pm

Cherubs (grades 2-4): Tuesdays – 6:00-6:45pm

If you have any questions, please leave a message for Ms. Dee Caraballo at the Rectory, 718-351-1093.



BLESSING OF ANIMALS

Tuesday, October 4th is the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi, Patron Saint of All Animals. In honor of St. Francis, we will be blessing animals at 4:30pm in the Church parking lot. Please bring a donation of dog or cat food which will be given to various rescue groups on Staten Island.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Monday, September 26 – Sts. Cosmas & Damian, Martyrs

7:00AM Alba & Gaetano Migliorini
8:30AM Angelina Stazzone

Tuesday, September 27 – St. Vincent de Paul, Priest

7:00AM For Protection of NYC Residents
8:30AM John Marmion

Wednesday, September 28 - St. Wenceslaus, Martyr; Lawrence Ruiz & Companions, Martyrs

7:00AM For the Safety of NYPD Officers
& FDNY Firefighters
8:30AM William Counihan

Thursday, September 29 – Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels

7:00AM Pilar Rosales
8:30AM Lucille Waters

Friday, September 30 – St. Jerome, Priest & Doctor of the Church

7:00AM Concetta Giustra
8:30AM Pat Mulé

Saturday, October 1 - St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus, Virgin & Doctor of the Church

7:00AM Rose Pistilli
8:30AM Rev. Robert I. Gannon

4:00PM Deceased Members of the Hanley-Dillon Family

7:00PM Michael Bruno – 1st Anniversary

Sunday, October 2 – 27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

7:30AM Bill & Mary Scheuermann
9:30AM Deceased Members of the
Rosary & Altar Society
11:30AM People of the Parish
1:15PM John Ferrari - Anniversary
10:00AM OLL Alexandra Rodriguez

PRAY FOR OUR DECEASED

Let us pray for the repose of the souls of our deceased parishioners and God's comfort for their families especially Edna Ventimiglia, Kenneth Werring, Blase Mucciariello



Congratulations To Our Newlyweds

Mr. & Mrs. Nicholas Spoto



2. Lauren Venturelli & Kevin Pollock
2. Marisa DelPriore & Joseph Loizzo
2. Brittany Murray & Nicholas LaMacchia

PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Judith Stapleton, Frank Comparato, Joseph Cali, Patricia De Laurentis, Lena Magno, Anthony Magno, William Fannon Jr., Michael Camera, James Adrian, Salvatrice Galatro, Shannon Craig, Joseph Bilotti, Jr., Al Tabbanella, Ernest Velez, Clara Guglielmi, Jayce Monty, Emily Driscall, Daniela Vanico, Toniann Vigneri, Michael Bifalco, Joseph Bifalco, Susan Moore, Ann Margaret Zaino, Kelsey Heaney, Joe Scirone, John Mandato, Matilda Costanza, Anthony DeAngelis, Jeremy Castillo, Leila Idelfanso, Lorraine Costa, Michael Volpe, Rosaria Sepulveda, Janet Viso, Esteban Gonzalez, Paul Rydell, Peter Discenza, Ursula Torre, Frank Aiello, Jane Logan, Rose Sgarlato, Danny DeMeo, Patricia DeMeo, Jodiann Altamura, Rose Mattera, Helena Mahon, Pauline LaFonte, Anthony Schiavone, William Fallon, Angela Ricca, Sophia Madeline Sanzone, Jeanne Stern, Lillian Bilotti, Violet Buzzanca, Paul Gregis, Lennie Gaeta, Christina Corrieri Paradino, Thomas Ciotola, James Remias, Melodi Roy, Marie Diloia, Gerald Frederick, Suzzane Astuo, Derrill Roy, Xavier Castellii, Nicole Viola, Pauline Cipriano, Daniel Woods, Carmen Ramos, Katherine Nikatas, Kriss Murphy, Theresa Raimondi, Michael Cianci, Jr., Andre Bocchiaro, James Anthony Parker, Carmen Oliveras, Anna Indio, William Gonzalez, Amy Altuna, Carol Wetmore, Christina Viso,, John Pape, Cameron King, Valerie Schiavone, Frank DiGregorio, Grace Turner, Elsa Griswold, Joseph Esposito, Baby Juliette Florio-Perez, Rose Stingo, Palma Milano, Peter Kyvellos, Christie Schaff, Rose Sullivan, Joel Rivera, Anthony Gerard Donato, Grace Bruno, Craig Inducci, Tom LaMantia, Concetta Friscia, Antoinette Olmeda, Tina Bove, Corrine Alaimo, Marlene Olivieri, Thomas DeAngelis, Christina Blumstein, John Schiera, Michael Goldstein, Katie, Frank Ambrosio, Jenna Esposito, Anthony Bocchetti, Steve Sgarlato, Carol DeCastro, Phillip Leone, Katherine McHugh, Thomas Keenan, Carol Gilroy, Ann Gray, Alanna Shea, Kathleen Burke, Thomas Gaitner, Michael Esposito, Baby Cameron Helmuth, Kejsi Mesutllari, Josephine Dedicos, William Cianci, Anna Vetter, Mary Pollina, Gabriela Surowiec, Rita Scalzo, Janet Logon, Victor Raimondi, Nicholas Ilijic, Michael Spatola, Frances Dicembre, Yolanda Mazza, Rosina Agunzo, Kathleen Fusco, Maeve Conlon, Andrew Biancomano, Muriel McKeon, Salvatore Turturici, Caroline DiBella, Antonia Pistone, Nicky Focillo, Roseanna Whalen, Deborah Arnold, Robert Arnold, J.R., G. Fraschilla, Rita Orlando, Robert Antonucci, Baby Juliette Tighe, Alfonso De'lia Vicky Sgarlato, Meg, John Rizzo, Cathy Sartzetaks, Maria Guzman, Maria Riggio, Dolores Hartnett, Marty Petosa, Peter Petosa

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, September 25, 2016

Saturday

4:00PM A. DiPietro, L. DiPietro
7:00PM B. Kelly, A. Ivers

Sunday

7:30AM S, MacDonald, A. Sciortino
9:30AM K. Petrik, C. Milisci
11:30AM J. Olsen, L. Moskowit
1:15PM C. Morella
10:00AM OLL V. Cioffi

ALTAR SERVER SCHEDULE

SUNDAY, October 2, 2016

Saturday

4:00PM J. Milillo, C. Milisci
7:00PM C. Morella, C. Smith

Sunday

7:30AM N. Plotkin, M. Rojas
9:30AM K. Petrik, L. Moskowit
11:30AM H. Rafferty, J. Olsen
1:15PM V. Sparacio, H. Raffone
10:00AM OLL J. Ardi

OLQP SCHOOL NEWS



Our Lady Queen of Peace Fall Festival/Peddler's Village

Saturday, October 1st

10pm to 4pm

Vendors
Pumpkin Picking & Decorating
Arts & Crafts
Games & Prizes
Food & Much More

CALLING ALL 8TH GRADERS! TACHS

Test for Admission into Catholic High Schools
Archdiocese of New York Test Date: Nov. 4, 2016
Diocese of Brooklyn/Queens Test Date: Nov. 5, 2016

Two ways to register:

1. Internet – www.tachsinfo.com by October 17, 2016
 2. Telephone – 1866-618-2247 by October 17, 2016
- Student Handbook and/or Registration Forms are available at:

- www.tachsinfo.com
- Your local Catholic elementary or high school
- Our Lady Queen of Peace Rectory

Youth Leadership Meeting for SI CATHOLIC YOUTH FEST

All public and private high school students are invited to attend a meeting at St. Charles School Auditorium from 6 to 7:15pm on Wednesday September 28th. All students will gain service hours and leadership experience in planning SI Catholic Youth Fest which will be located at Moore Catholic High School from 9am to 5pm on Saturday, March 11, 2017. Contact Deacon Steve cyminsi@gmail.com for more information.

Society of St. Vincent de Paul Gives Back

Our Lady Queen of Peace and Our Lady of Lourdes could share in the profits. For each car, truck or van, running or not, the Society of St. Vincent de Paul will give back to our church \$50/\$100 per vehicle. Maybe you don't have a vehicle, but a family member, friend or neighbor has an old or neglected vehicle in their driveway that they would like to dispose of. Call the Society of St. Vincent de Paul at (718) 491-2525. Thank you for your participation.

RELIGIOUS ED. NEWS

Parish Religious Education Program

Attention Parents of Grades 1 to 4

On Wednesday, September 28th
there are no Religious Education Classes

Registration for September, 2016 classes

For questions, please call 718-979-0989 and speak with or leave a message for Mrs. Barbara Orleman, coordinator.

Religious Education Classes are held on the following days:

Wednesday- Grades 1 through 4: 4:00pm to 5:30pm

Thursday- Grades 5 through 7: 4:00pm to 5:30pm

PLEASE NOTE:

You must be a registered parishioner of OLQP using your Church envelopes.

Attention: Parents of Catholic Academy Students

(St. Dorothy, St. John Villa, St. Joseph Hill, Notre Dame)

Communion 2017 and Confirmation 2017

Please call the Parish Religious Education Office to make an appointment for registration of your 2nd grader (in Sept., 2016) or 7th grader (in Sept., 2016) at 718-979-0989.

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Cross Road Foundation's 23rd Annual Fall Fashion Show

Thursday, October 13th at 7pm

Hilton Garden Inn

1100 South Avenue

Theme: "Get On Your Feet"

Tickets for the event are \$65 per person. This includes dinner, musical entertainment, a fashion show, and a raffle of beautifully prepared gift baskets. Please call 718-556-3474 to reserve a seat at this joy-filled event.



SAINT EDWARD FOOD PANTRY

We will be collecting all non-perishable food items and household items –e.g. soap, bleach, detergent, etc. on the first Sunday of each month after all the Masses. These items can be left at the entrance to Fr. Hopkins Hall on that Sunday only.

50/50 Monthly Drawing

The 50/50 drawing will be held on the last week of every month. Yellow 50/50 envelopes are provided in your envelope package and also at the back of the Church. The cost is \$5.00. To be eligible to win, please be sure to get your entry in soon! Good Luck to all.