Church of the Holy Name of Mary

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Holy Name of Mary is a Roman Catholic community of believers who are dedicated to know Christ and become Christ, each one, for the sake of all. As disciples, we are called to create an environment where God is worshiped and where we serve our neighbor. Our warmest welcome to all who celebrate the Eucharist with us! We thank God for your presence at Holy Name of Mary and we pray for you and your families.

October 29, 2017 – Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

CELEBRATION of the EUCHARIST

HOLY NAME OF MARY
Weekday Mass Schedule
Monday – Friday: 8:00 AM & 12 noon
Weekend Mass Schedule
Saturday: 9:00 AM
Saturday: 5:00 PM
Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:45 AM

CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD
Weekend Mass Schedule
Sunday: 9:15 AM (English) & 11:00 AM (Bilingual)

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
(Confession)
After each Daily Mass
Saturdays from 4:00 – 4:30 PM

BAPTISMS
Second Sunday of each month at 12:30 P.M. Please call the Parish Office at least three months prior to the baptism.

MARRIAGE
Couples should call the Parish Office at least six months prior to the wedding.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA)
Please call the Parish Office for information.

PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS
Monday – Friday: 9:00 AM – 5:00 PM Closed for Lunch between 1PM - 2PM Bulletin deadline Fridays at 5:00 PM of the previous week

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Masses for this weekend, October 28 & 29
5:00 PM Ida Costantini, Peter Costantini
8:00 AM Sara Llorian, The Hiney Family
9:15 AM Ruth & Frank Watkins, Melanie Cole
10:45 AM Don Fannon, Sr., Gina & Joe Costanzo
11:00AM Parishioners of Holy Name of Mary

MONDAY, October 30
8:00 AM Peter Costantini, Lena Costantini
Noon Derick Greene (Living), Carolyn Greene

TUESDAY, October 31
8:00 AM Kathleen Salek, Rich Snow & Maria Modica-Snow
Noon Virginia Naples, Albert Naples

WEDNESDAY, November 1
8:00 AM Parishioners of Holy Name of Mary
10:30 AM Mass at Skyview, for Residents
Noon Christina Greene (Living), Carolyn Greene

THURSDAY, November 2
8:00 AM Pat Cormican, Deryl Seemayer & Leslie Paterson
Noon Crissy Hajkowsk, Patricia Culhane

FRIDAY, November 3
8:00 AM Ida Costantini, Peter Costantini
Noon George Fannon, Deann Sarcone & Jennifer Sarcone Genes

SATURDAY, November 4
9:00 AM David DiCioccio, Tony & Margee Farano
5:00 PM Efrain Colon, Sara & Chris O’Keefe

SUNDAY, November 5
8:00 AM Andrew Leach, The Hiney Family
9:15 AM In Thanksgiving, Parishioners of Holy Name of Mary
10:45 AM Madeline Casey, Lewis & Regina Montana
11:00AM Angel Gonzalez, Debbie & John Tobin

Event List
This Weekend:
Saturday, October 28, 2017 -
HNMMS Silent Auction at 7PM, offsite
7:00 PM Wellspring (Fr. Nelson) PMR 3-5
Sunday, October 29, 2017
9:00 AM Rel Ed Classes, includes grade 8
9am Confirmation rehearsal in the Church
10:45 Mass Children dressed as saints
12noon Fr. Jack: presentation, PMR 3-5
12noon Usher/Greeter training Church
6 PM Rel Ed Confirmation Vigil PMR 1-2
7 PM YM God Squad meeting Flr 4 Chapel

Monday, October 30, 2017
4:30 9:00 PM CYO, M-W, Th, Gym
7:00 PM AA Meeting in 4th flr Library
7:30 PM Debtors Anonymous in PMR 2

Tuesday, October 31, 2017
9:00 AM Walking with Purpose in PMRs
2:00 PM Meeting for Finance, Room 302
7:00 PM CCO Rehearsal in Church
7:00 PM RCIA in Room 302
7:30 PM Boy Scout Meeting, GYM

Wednesday, November 1, 2017
All Saints Day, Mass: 8AM, noon, 7:30PM
2:00 PM Interfaith Update, Library/4th floor
4:00 PM Rel Ed CGS Lvl 2 Flr 4 Rm 4A/Chapel
4:00 PM Rel Ed Grd 4 & 5 Flr 4 Rm 4F & 4G
4:00 PM Rel Ed RCIC, 207 Atrium
4:30-7:30PM CYO M-W, Th, GYM
5:30 PM GS Troop 1234 in PMR 2
6:30 PM CS Den 11 PMR 3&4
7:00 PM CS Den 9, PMR 1
7:00 PM AA Meeting in 4th flr Library

Thursday, November 2, 2017
2:00 PM Meeting for Finance, Room 302
4:30 9:00 PM CYO Mon-Wed-Thurs, Gym
6:00 PM Weight Watchers Meetg, PMR 1-2
6:30 PM Cub Scouts Den 10 in PMR 4
7:00 PM Bible Spirituality in 316B
7:00 PM Music Ministry Rehearsal, Church
7:30 PM Boy Scouts Thurs. Mtg in PMR 3
7:30 PM Centering Prayer in Room 302
7:30 PM Divine Mercy meetg Flr 4 Chapel
7:30 PM Spanish Bible Study, 4th Flr Library
9:00 PM HNM Mens’ Basketball Gym

Friday, November 3, 2017
9:00 AM HNMMS Parent coffee, PMR 5
9:15 AM HNM Playgroup, GYM
4:30 PM GS Troop 1557 PMR 2
5:30 PM GS Troop 2026 PMR 3
6:00 PM Rel Ed Confirmation, Church (gym)
7:30 PM Divine Mercy devotion, Chapel
8:30 PM Grand Street Meeting of AA, Library

Saturday, November 4, 2017
8:00 AM ACTS Men Talk Team, PMR 3-5
Cenacles for Life Rosary 8:20AM Church
9:00 AM ACTS Men Reg. Meeting PMR 3-5
9:30AM-2 PM CYO Saturday Gym
10:00 AM noon Weekly Food Pantry, PMR 1
1:00 PM GS food drive prep, PMR 1
KofC Memorial Mass at 5PM, Church
6:00 PM Boy Scouts Pasta Dinner, Gym
Fair Trade Coffee after Masses, Lobby

Sunday, November 5, 2017
9:00 AM Rel Ed Classes, includes grd 8
9AM Parent Meeting 1st grade, Gym
11:00 AM GS food drive prep, PMR 1
Noon - 7PM CYO Sunday, Gym
7:00 PM YM God Squad, Flr 4 Chapel/PMRs
Dear Fellow Parishioners,

Please allow me to start by thanking the Knights of Columbus for hosting this year’s Oktoberfest last week. It was a fun evening with delicious food cooked by Memphis Mae’s Greg Gilbert and served by the Knights and their wives. Lively music added to the atmosphere of comradery and helped to make for a wonderful evening. If you missed it, you missed a great time and you might want to put it on your calendars for next year. You’ll be glad that you did.

Thanks to all of you who filled out Renew and Rebuild pledge cards this past Sunday. Each pledge gets us closer to our million dollar goal. We are 80% of the way there, thanks to the generosity of all of you who have pledged so far. Please pray that others will open their hearts to help us get to that 100% we would all like to see.

Just a reminder that all are invited down to the Parish Meeting Rooms at noon today to hear Fr. Jack speak on the Papal letter Laudato Si. There will be time for discussion; refreshments will be available as well as an opportunity to ‘mix and mingle’.

This Wednesday is All Saints Day, on which we honor all those who have made it through the ‘pearly gates’ and now are happily in heaven. Since October 31st is Halloween and many people want to stay home both to guard their property from pranksters as well as to give out candy to the ‘trick or treaters’, there will be no vigil Mass. Our Mass schedule for All Saints Day will be 8:00am, 12:00noon, and 7:00pm. Thursday is All Souls Day on which we pray in a special way for all those who have departed this life but who are not yet in heaven. We pray that they will soon be admitted to heaven, where they will join all the other saints who can then pray for us. There are All Souls Envelopes available for you to use if you so choose to inscribe the names of loved ones you wish to be remembered at our Masses.

These envelopes will be placed on our altar, and we will pray in a special way for these intentions throughout the month of November, the month of the Holy Souls.

This coming Friday, November 3rd, we welcome Bishop Peter Byrne who will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on fifty of our young men and women who have been preparing for this Sacrament since September. Please keep them in your prayers that the gifts of the Holy Spirit will strengthen them in the Faith as they live in an increasingly faith-less age. They will be facing a myriad of pressures and will be enticed in so many ways to live the vision of the world and not of their Faith. We pray that the Holy Spirit will guide them and help them to keep focused on the love that God has for them, and remind them that because of that Faith, they never will be alone in facing the challenges of life.

A parting chuckle (as seen on a church sign): Just love everyone; I’ll sort ‘em out later. -- GOD.

With prayers and thanks for you all,

Fr. Brian

80 % of the goal (Thank You!)
**REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS**

Frank Caterino, Frank Power, Marie King, Anthony Crespo, Frank Patti, Gail Pizoski, Bonnie (Giarolo) Dietz, Mariana Fiss, Edward Creasy, Maria Pilico, Silvia Costantini, Norah Moore, Margaret Ewing, Chris Nash, Robert Mastrodi, Susan Siebert, Ramon Rodríguez, Rachael Hojnacki, Franco Cirino, Barbara Principe, Marie Kehrle, Ronnie McNally, Linda Jellicoece, Adam Armenia, Jr., Mary Santella.

* Please Note: Names on the sick list will be included for 4 weeks unless the family contacts the office to request the names be included for an additional 4 weeks.

**FOR THE DECEASED:** We pray for all those who died this week, and for those who died from casualties of natural disasters, war and terrorism.

**FOR OUR MILITARY:** Please remember in your prayers our active duty service men and women and those serving overseas.

**A REMINDER FOR USHERS AND GREETERS**

There will be a meeting of all:

1) **Ushers** on Sunday, October 29 at Noon (in the church) to go over some new procedures and address your concerns ..... **AS WELL AS**

2) all those in our **New Greeters Ministry** who will be serving at Masses going forward.

We invite all **women and men** who may wish to join these important liturgical roles to also come to this joint ministry meeting.

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Fair Trade Coffee, Chocolate, Tea and other products will be sold after Masses next week 11/4-5.

Support third world farmers and families by purchasing their organic products.

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**Knights of Columbus Memorial Service for Deceased Members of HNM Council 4730**

All are welcome to Honor and Celebrate the Memory of Deceased Members of HNM Knights of Columbus on Saturday, November 4 at the 5:00 PM Mass.

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**READINGS FOR THIS WEEK**

**THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**FIRST READING:** **EXODUS 22:20-26**

**SECOND READING:** **1 THESSALONIANS 1:5C-10**

**GOSPEL:** **MATTHEW 22:34-40**

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**THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

**First Reading:** Malachi 1:14b—2:2b, 8-10

This passage from Malachi denounces the laxity and unfaithfulness of the people and especially of the priests, who failed in their duties to God and their neighbors.

**Second Reading:** 1 Thessalonians 2:7b-9, 13

Paul reminisces about his extremely happy and successful visit with the Thessalonians. He praises them once again for their immediate and open acceptance of his message as truly the word of God.

**Gospel:** Matthew 23:1-12

In a strongly worded message, Jesus again rebukes the Pharisees for the hypocritical ostentation and love of honor and position. He reminds the people and the disciples that the truly greatest one is the one who serves others. He ends with the words, “Whoever exalts himself shall be humbled, but whoever humbles himself shall be exalted.”

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**UPCOMING SPECIAL LITURGIES**

**Wednesday, November 1** -- Sollemnity of All Saints; Holy Day of Obligation; Masses at 8 A.M., Noon and 7:30 P.M. NOTE --There will NOT be a Vigil Mass on Halloween.

**Thursday, November 2** -- Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed; Masses at 8 A.M. and Noon.

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**WeShare replacing ParishPay**

ParishPay is in the process of transitioning to a new online tool known as WeShare.

You will continue to be able to set up recurring or one-time donations, and choose when and how to give to our various collections. We have been informed that nothing should change in the way you update your records, and your credit card statement will indicate the name of our parish. Remember to include an updated email address to receive receipts via email. Did you know that you can print donation slips if you want something to put into the collection basket, and they can be personalized?

Thank you for your continued participation in the online giving program at Holy Name of Mary.
HNM Playgroup Season Begins

Bring your toddlers and babies to the Playgroup meeting on Friday's throughout the year at 9:15AM. The Playgroup runs until 11AM for children up to 4 years old and continues until June.

The children play and the moms mingle.

Our leader this year is Jessica Dieckman and she will collect $30 for the year. We will follow the school calendar.

“Personal Consecration to Mary”.

St. Joseph's Workshop is currently a series of programs that are held on Friday nights once a month (from October to June) from 7:00 to 8:30 pm in the Parish Center of St. Patrick's Church (Yorktown Heights). The evening will begin with light snacks and fellowship, followed by an inspirational talk on how to live your faith and will conclude with Eucharistic Adoration and a Family Rosary. Free babysitting is offered during the talk. Confession will be available during Adoration.

God Squad Fall Calendar of Events*

October 28
Fall Clean-up to benefit the senior citizens of our parish

November 10 - 12
Boys DDA Retreat Weekend in Garrison

November 19
Blessing of our CYO Athletes

December 2 - 3
Annual Homeless Awareness Sleepout to benefit CHOP

December 9
Advent Mass in The Barns @ The Grange in CT followed by dinner

*This is only a partial listing of God Squad events. God Squad meets every Sunday at 7pm in the Parish Center with the exception of holiday weekends. All high school and college-age young adults are invited to join us.
We celebrate with the following young men and women upon the occasion of their Confirmation on November 3, 2017. We pray that the Holy Spirit continue to guide and direct them on their faith journey.

Melody Cecilia Bolden
Carlos Francis Cadme
Sofia Sophia Castelli
Eoin Ignatius Clarke
Olivia Lucy Colon
Emma Joanna Conlin
Declan Stephen Couch
Jessica Catherine Craig
Collin Nicholas Croce
Lyndsey Margaret DeLasho
Margaret Nora Duffy
Anna Elizabeth Eng
Johnavon Christopher Fenger
Daniel Patrick Fitzmaurice
Patrick Francis Fleming
Sadie Ann Flynn
Peter Francis Gillespie
Forest Moses Greece
Maxim Hugo Iodice
Kami Carmen Johannsen
Noelle Dymphna Keenan
Jane Anne Lally
Ryan Mark Lavelle
Kirsten Rose Lynch
Jozef Anthony Maksuti
Mark Andrew Markic
Antonio Joseph Martinez
Emma Theresa McCann
Isolde Catherine McManus
Ella Kateri Mills
Richard Michael Nathan
Adriana Joan Nicolari
Jeannine Ludwina Pecoraro
Maria Lillian Pisciotta
Sheffri Peter Procel
Audrey Catherine Puente
Thomas Patrick Quartuccio
Emma Anne Rodriguez
Natalia Mary Rodriguez
James Thomas Russo
Julianna Catherine Russo
Mariano Anthony Russo
Salena Lawrence Salameh
Alex Joseph Stinga
Ryan Christopher Trapasso
Rina Lucia Tucci
Sofia Clare Tuman
Brenna Brigid Walsh
Katherine Rose Warner
Dylan David Wilkinson

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