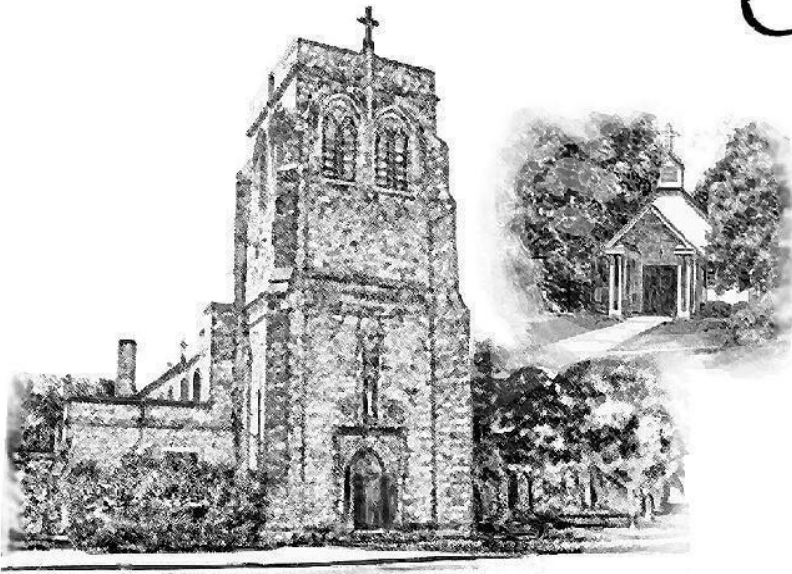


# Church of the Holy Name of Mary



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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.

**SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 – TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

## CELEBRATION of the EUCHARIST

### HOLY NAME OF MARY

#### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:00 PM

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:45 AM

### CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

#### Weekend Mass Schedule

Saturday: 9:00 AM

Sunday: 9:15 AM ((English)

11:00 AM (Bilingual)

#### Weekdays Monday – Friday:

8:00 AM & 12:00 Noon

## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

(Confession) After each  
Daily Mass/Saturdays from  
4:00 - 4:30 PM at Church

## 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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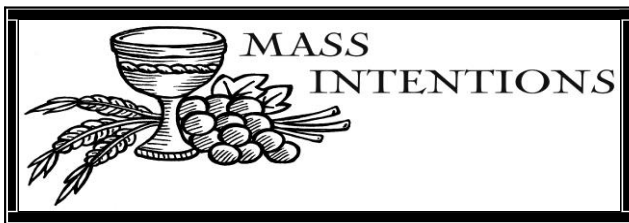
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## PASTORAL COUNCIL

Regina Montana,  
President

## PARISH TRUSTEES

Judy Anderson  
Joseph Costanzo



**Masses for this weekend, September 29 & 30**

- 5:00 PM **Ida Costantini**, Peter Costantini
- 8:00 AM **Michele Bieraugel**, The Leader Family
- 9:15 AM **William Hunt**, Anthony & Margee Farano
- 10:45 AM **Marion D'Agostino & Maruice D'Agostino**  
The Family
- 11:00 AM **Parishioners of Holy Name of Mary**

**MONDAY, October 1**

- 8:00 AM **Marilyn Lively, (Living)** Ronnie McNally
- Noon **Marie K. King**, Emily Mulhall

**TUESDAY, October 2**

- 8:00 AM **Mary Ellen Carullo**, The Derbabian Family
- Noon **Rose Barber**, Beth Hilbert

**WEDNESDAY, October 3**

- 8:00AM **Parishioners of Holy Name of Mary**
- 10:30 AM **Mass at Skyview, for Residents**
- Noon **Parishioners of Holy Name of Mary**

**THURSDAY, October 4**

- 8:00 AM **Parishioners of Holy Name of Mary**
- Noon **Camille & Tony DiDomizio**, John Manco

**FRIDAY, October 5**

- 8:00 AM **Parishioners of Holy Name of Mary**
- Noon **Vincent Clarkin**, HNM Staff

**SATURDAY, October 6**

- 9:00 AM **Beth Edgar**, (living) Joe & Gina Costanzo
- 5:00 PM **Rita & Josef Sedlmair**, The Kehrl Family

**Sunday, October 7**

- 8:00 AM **Margaret Swiatocha**, Susan & Charles Braue
- 9:15 AM **Pat & Tom Underkofler**, Don & Dagmar Simons
- 10:45AM **Deceased Members of the Capellazzi & Cavossi Families**, Richard & Robert Capellazzi
- 11:00AM **Parishioners of Holy Name of Mary**

**Anointing Mass**

***Our semi-annual Anointing Mass will be on Saturday, October 13 at 5 PM in the main Church. We invite you to receive the strengthening benefits of this sacrament if you have a chronic physical or emotional condition, are anticipating near-term surgery, or are dealing with the many complications of advancing age.***

**Event List**

**Saturday, September 29, 2018**

- Cenacles for Life Rosary 8:20AM, Chapel
- 10:00 AM-noon Weekly Food Pantry, PMR1
- 2:00 PM Wedding ceremony at Church
- Midnight Run (PMR2 7:30)

*This Weekend:*

St. Joseph Seminary Collection, Recovery Sunday

**Sunday, September 30, 2018**

- 9:00 AM RelEd Grds 1-8 @ Church, & Classes
- 10:30AM RelEd Confirmation Class, PMR 1-5
- 12:30 PM Baptism, Church
- 2PM Blessing of the Animals, Garden of Peace
- 7:00 PM 8:30 PM Book Signing: Fr. Ron Lemmert 316A&B
- 7:00 PM YM God Squad Meeting, Flr4 Chapel

**Monday, October 01, 2018**

- 10:30AM Monday Morning Bible Study, Room 302
- 4:00 PM CS Den 14 Monday Meeting, PMR3
- 4:00 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry, Room 302
- 4:30-9PM CYO MonWedThu, GYM
- 7:00 PM AA Mon/Wed Meeting, Library
- 7:00 PM Bible Spirituality Mondays, Rm 316
- 7:00 PM Liturgy Committee Meeting, Rm 314B
- 7:30 PM Debtors Anonymous, Flr4 Chapel

**Tuesday, October 02, 2018**

- 8:30 AM 11:30 AM Walking with Purpose PMR1&2, PMR345
- 11:00 AM 12:30 PM Finance Council, Rm 314B
- 4:30-7:30PM CYO Tue, GYM
- 7:00 PM Care for Creation Meeting, Rm 314B
- 7:00 PM RCIA, Rooms 302, 316B
- 7:30 PM BoyScout Weekly Meeting, GYM

**Wednesday, October 03, 2018**

- 4:00 PM RelEd Classes
- 4:30-9PM CYO MonWedThu, GYM
- 7:00 PM AA Mon/Wed Meeting, Library
- 7:00 PM Bible Spirituality IV, 316B
- 7:00 PM CS Den 7, PMR1
- 9:00 PM HNM Mens Basketball, GYM

**Thursday, October 04, 2018**

- ACTS Rummage Sale set up GYM
- HNMMS Blessing of the Animals, Garden of Peace
- 6 PM Weight Watchers, PMR 1-2
- 6:30 PM CS Den 11 Thursday Meeting, PMR5
- 7:00 PM Bible Spirituality, Rm 316
- 7:00 PM Music Ministry rehearsal, Church
- 7:30 PM Boy Scout Leader Meeting, PMR3
- 7:30 PM Centering Prayer, Rm 302

**Friday, October 05, 2018**

- ACTS Rummage Sale set up GYM
- HNMMS Picture Taking Day
- 7:00 PM Divine Mercy Adoration/Worship, GS Chapel
- 8:30 PM Grand Street Meeting of AA, Library

**Saturday, October 06, 2018**

- Cenacles for Life Rosary 8:20AM, Chapel
- 9-11AM ACTS Men Breakfast Meeting, PMR3-5
- 9-4PM ACTS Rummage Sale, GYM
- 10:00 AM-noon Weekly Food Pantry, PMR1
- 5:00 PM 5:00 PM Respect Life Collection

*This Weekend:*

Respect Life Collection

**Sunday, October 07, 2018**

- 9-4PM ACTS Rummage Sale, GYM
- Reparation Service following 10:45 Mass (Adoration, Benediction)
- 12:30PM Grotto Anniversary Mass & celebration

## *From the Parish House*

30 September 2018

Dear Fellow Parishioners,

As we finish out the month of September, we have two special events today. One is Fr. Ron's book signing at 7:00pm this evening in the Parish Center. As you probably already know, he has penned his experiences as a prison Chaplain, which gives us a new insight as to what goes on behind the bars. I think you will see that it a real eye opener! So come, meet the author, and have him sign your own special copy!

The other event today is the annual blessing of the animals. It will take place at 2:00pm in the Garden of Peace, and all are welcome. It is always a happy (if somewhat noisy) event, and I hope to see you there with all the barks, meows, hisses, chirps, burps, and whatever. Please don't forget your poop bags!

This coming weekend, Saturday 10/6 and Sunday 10/7, Holy Name of Mary will again host the ACTS Retreat Rummage Sale in the gym. It is a wonderful way to find things you have been looking for (or never knew that you needed!), while helping to support this vital ministry. So come, browse, and go home with a shopping bag full of Christmas gifts and avoid the crowded stores!

Next Sunday we will have a couple of special events as well. Following the 10:45am Mass, we will have a short (half hour) Service of Reparation for the clergy sex abuse scandal, as well as intercession for those who are victims of this horror. It will consist of the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Rosary, Litany of the Sacred Heart, and Benediction. The church, and especially abuse victims, needs the strength that only prayer can bring, and intercessory prayer is powerful indeed. So please see if you can make time to join us in prayer.

Also next Sunday, we will celebrate the anniversary of the dedication of the grotto to Our Lady. This special Mass will begin at 12:30pm at the grotto behind the rectory, and all are invited.

In today's first reading, we hear Moses say "Would that all the people of the Lord were prophets! Would that the Lord might bestow His Spirit on them all!" The Lord has indeed given His spirit to us all, first at baptism, and more fully, at Confirmation. How have we used this precious gift in our lives?

A parting chuckle: The pastor noticed a man stand up, turn and begin to walk out of church during the most important part of his long, long sermon. "Excuse me, sir! Where are you going?" "To get a haircut." "Sir! You should have done that yesterday!" "I didn't need it then."

With love and prayers,

*Fr. Brian*



## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Anthony Crespo, Frank Patti, Gail Pizoski, Maria Pillco, Norah Moore, Margaret Ewing, Chris Nash, Ramon Rodriguez, Franco Cirino, Barbara Principe, Linda Jellocece, Adam Armenia, Jr., Dr. Cathy Cantelina, Carmenza Hernandez, Elizabeth Gandolfo, John Duffy, Mike Bischoff, Alan Speure, Judy Anderson, Anthony Delano, Jennifer Kazin, Baby Elliott Hollister, Joe Dunn, Eli Fiss, Sam Colombo, Douglas Ruffles, Daniel Jarama, Erlemde Billa, Joanna Modica,, Alex Zadrima, Anastasia Armenia, Loretta Oppitz, Anne Hogan, Anne DeCrenza, Karen Biglin, Ronnie Bruno, Jim Gardiner

\* 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.

**October 7: Reparation Service following the 10:45 Mass to pray for the Church and its current challenges with the rosary, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction.**

### DAILY MASS LOCATION

Please note the 8 AM and Noon daily Masses AND the Saturday 9 AM Mass will all move back to the main church beginning Monday, October 1.

### OUR PARISH COLLECTIONS

2018			I	2017		
Week Ending	Regular Collection	WeShare Report	I	Regular Collection	ParishPay Report	
9/23	\$6,852		I	\$5,911		
9/16	\$5,181		I	\$4,741		
9/9	\$4,299		I	\$5,971		
9/2	\$5,572		I	\$4,792		
9/1		\$15,380	I		\$14,849	
8/26	\$6,886		I	\$5,638		

Note on WeShare: Numbers are reported to the parish with a lag as compared to regular collection data which is available on Mondays. For WeShare#, the monthly total is available on the first of the next month.

## Holy Name of Mary Rummage Sale

To support HNM Parish & ACTS-NY

### Saturday & Sunday

Oct 6<sup>th</sup> – 9am to 4pm    Oct 7<sup>th</sup> – 9am to 3pm

***Donations will be gratefully accepted***

Thursday & Friday, Oct 4<sup>th</sup> and Oct 5<sup>th</sup> – 8am to 6pm

in the Parish Gymnasium

*\*Sorry, no books, clothing, stuffed animals, mattresses, window treatments, large exercise equipment, large furniture, computers, or console TV's.*

Please do not drop items at the church prior to the above donation dates.

**Please see flyers at the back of the church for more information.**

# God Squad

HOLY NAME OF MARY CROTON, NY

## Fall Calendar of Events

**October 12-14, 2018    Fri. Evening - Sun. Afternoon  
CYFM Girls' DDA Retreat Weekend**

October 14, 2018    10:00 AM - 3:00 PM APPLE PICKING EXCURSION

**October 21, 2018    8:30 AM - 2:00 PM  
HARRY CHAPIN RUN FOR HUNGER**

October 28, 2018    9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

ANNUAL FALL CLEANING PROJECT

November 4, 2018    6:30 - 8:30 PM

Fourth Meeting - GS SLEEPOUT MEETING #2

November 9-11, 2018    Fri. Evening - Sun. Afternoon  
CYFM Boys' DDA Retreat Weekend

November 18, 2018    6:30 - 8:30 PM Fifth Meeting -  
GS SLEEPOUT MEETING #3

December 1-2, 2018    Sat 3:00 PM - Sun 12:00 PM  
ANNUAL GOD SQUAD SLEEP OUT

**December 9, 2018    6:00 - 8:30 PM GOD SQUAD  
HOLIDAY PARTY**

## Youth Ministry Volunteers

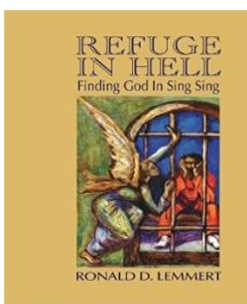
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Fair Trade Coffee and other Equal Exchange products will be sold after Masses on Oct. 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>



Please support this ministry which supports 3<sup>rd</sup> world farmers.

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**Fr. Ron Book Signing**

Imagine a parish where the entire congregation consists of murderers, thieves, rapists, child molesters and drug dealers. That was my congregation at Sing Sing Prison. It was quite a challenge helping them to discover that God could still love them in spite of all that they had done and that God was eager to help them rebuild their broken lives. The challenge was even greater within a very dysfunctional and corrupt prison system.

I wrote a book about this, **REFUGE IN HELL: Finding God in Sing Sing**, which was just published by Orbis Press at Maryknoll. I will be speaking about the book at a book signing in the 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor meeting room of the school on Sunday, **September 30 at 7 PM.** Copies of the book will be available for purchase for \$22. Or you can order them sooner from Orbis Press or Amazon. All are welcome.

**OUTDOOR GROTTO MASS**

At 12:30 On October 7th the Grotto anniversary will be celebrated with a bilingual outdoor Mass followed by a celebration including refreshments.



**Midnight Run**

**How you can help**

*Donations are always needed. Please donate new socks, underwear, backpacks, t-shirts (medium and large sizes), pants, sweatshirts and individual toiletries; including toothbrushes and toothpastes, deodorants, disposable razors. Donations can be left in the Parish Center and labeled for Midnight Run.*

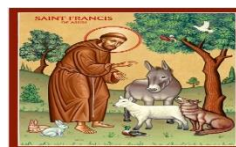
**We are also looking for volunteers to make sandwiches and bake desserts. We make 80 brown bag sandwiches, soup, coffee, fruit and fresh baked dessert.**

We are always in need for more volunteers with SUVs to drive down to the city with us.

Our next run is on September 29<sup>th</sup>. Please contact us if you would like to help stage a run or go down to NYC to hand out clothing and food. [Davidadler@optonline.net](mailto:Davidadler@optonline.net) or 914-806-7419. We have additional runs on November 3<sup>rd</sup> and December 15<sup>th</sup>.

[Midnightrun.org](http://Midnightrun.org) is a non-profit based in Dobbs Ferry and started in 1984 to help the less fortunate in NYC. They organize visits to NYC on Friday and Saturday nights by charity groups throughout the greater NYC area.

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Blessing of the Animals

September 30<sup>th</sup> at 2PM in the

***Garden of Peace.***



walking with purpose  
THE MODERN WOMAN'S GUIDE TO THE BIBLE

Walking With Purpose is kicking off its 9<sup>th</sup> year here at Holy Name of Mary!

It's a place to grow in scripture knowledge, deepen your faith, and connect with a wonderful fellowship of women.

**Save these dates for our upcoming events:**

**October 2<sup>nd</sup>:** Please join us for an **Open House** where you can meet the women of our amazing group, learn about the studies, enjoy refreshments, and register.

Parish Meeting Room 5 from 9:30am to 11:15am  
*Children are welcome!*

**October 9<sup>th</sup>:** Morning Courses begin with ***Opening Your Heart***; our introductory course and ***Touching the Divine***; a beautiful study of the Gospel of John.

Parish Meeting Room 5 from 9:30am to 11:15am  
Both courses are 22 weeks and childcare is provided for children 1y and older. Infants are welcome to stay with Mom.

***Also, it's not too late to join the Tuesday evening session with the NEW study, Fearless and Free! Contact us for more information.***

For more details email Kristin Vaicels at kmstankich@yahoo.com

**Enjoy coffee and baked goods with the Croton Police!**

**On Thursday October 4<sup>th</sup> Bagels on Hudson (171 S Riverside Ave) will host**

***Coffee with a Cop***



**Presented by the Croton- on-Hudson Police Dept.**

***UPDATE FROM FINANCE COUNCIL***

The parish's fiscal year ended on August 31, and we are now following the process mandated by the Archdiocese to finalize those financial reports.

Specifically, 1) bank statements and account records are being reconciled and confirmed by an independent, third party;

2) our parish accountant (endorsed by the Archdiocese) must audit our full year statements (scheduled for late October);

3) we may then submit fiscal 2017/2018 results to the Archdiocese;

4) where they will be examined again, and

5) following an approval there, the Archdiocese will authorize us to release the operating results (and extent of the deficit) to the parish at large.

Trends of note in the important areas of attendance and collections are:

1) Weekend Mass attendance declined by 22% in the last eight years and was down 11% from the level two years ago (we use a two year comparison because in the previous fiscal year Christmas was on a Sunday, distorting the weekend numbers);

2) weekend collections in the year just completed were essentially flat with the prior period; but

3) are thankfully trending somewhat higher -- the total for June, July and August was \$2700 above 2016/2017.