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 1, 2019 - Twenty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

**CELEBRATION of the EUCHARIST**

**HOLY NAME OF MARY**

Mass Schedule
Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:45 AM  
Saturday: 5:00 PM

**CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD**

Mass Schedule
Sunday: 9:15 AM (English)  
11:00 AM (Bilingual)  
Monday - Friday  
8:00am and 12:00noon  
Saturday: 9:00am

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**
(Confession) After each  
Daily Mass and 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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Joseph Costanzo
Masses for this weekend, August 31 & September 1
5:00 PM  Jan & Anna Pyc, Efrain & Lee Colon
8:00 AM  Sarah S. Luposello, The Spinelli Family
9:15 AM  Jozef Pawlaczyk, The Krenz Family
10:45 AM Francesca Cerullo, Tom & Florence Purcell
11:00 AM Parishioners of HNM

MONDAY, September 2
8:00 AM  Albert Cerussi, Jr (Special Intention)
          In addition: Montessori School kickoff
Noon  Parishioners of HNM

TUESDAY, September 3
8:00 AM  Josh Dix (L), Carol Fetchick
Noon  Kathleen Doyle, The Quinlan Family

WEDNESDAY, September 4
8:00 AM  Parishioners of HNM
10:30 AM  Mass at Skyview, for Residents
Noon  Rose Muto Cerulli, Dolores C. Cerulli

THURSDAY, September 5
8:00 AM  Parishioners of HNM
Noon  Antonio Palombo, Maria Manocchio & Family

FRIDAY, September 6
8:00 AM  Parishioners of HNM
Noon  Joseph Pettit, Jr, Your Loving Family

SATURDAY, September 7
9:00 AM  Emil Pavelek, Don & Dagmar
5:00 PM  Raymond Habib, The Colon Family

Sunday, September 8
8:00 AM  Parishioners of HNM
9:15 AM  Catherine Bielski, John & Mary Lally
10:45 AM  Anne Palmieri, Merrily Besvinick
11:00 AM  Parishioners of HNM

Event List
8/31/2019 - 9/7/2019

Saturday, August 31, 2019
Cenacles for Life 8:20AM before Mass Church
10:00 AM Weekly Food Pantry CCFP, PMR1

Monday, September 02, 2019
9:00 AM Labor Day, office closed
7:00 PM Spanish Rosary Group, 4th fl. Chapel
7:30 PM Debtors Anonymous, Rm. 316A & 316B

Tuesday, September 03, 2019
7:00 PM RCIA Rm. 302
7:00 PM Safety Council meeting Rm 314
7:15 PM Care for Creation, Rm. 316A

Wednesday, September 04, 2019
7:00 PM Bible Spirituality IV, Rm. 316B
8:00 PM Scouts leaders meeting, PMR4

Thursday, September 05, 2019
6:00 PM Weight Watchers Meeting, PMR’s 1&2
7:00 PM Bible Spirituality, Rm. 316A & 316B
7:15 PM Music Ministry rehearsal, Church
7:30 PM Centering Prayer, Rm. 302
9:00 PM HNM Men’s Basketball, GYM

Friday, September 06, 2019
7:00 PM Divine Mercy Prayer Group, 4th fl. Chapel
8:30 PM AA Grand St Meeting, Rm. 314A & 314B

Saturday, September 07, 2019
Cenacles for Life 8:20AM before Mass Church
8:00 AM Fair Trade Coffee Sales
8:30 AM Men’s ACTS meeting PMR’s 3,4&5
10:00 AM Weekly Food Pantry CCFP, PMR 1
REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

* 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.

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Pastoral Council Corner
Future meeting dates:

2019
September 16
October 21
November 18
December 9

2020
February 10
March 9
April 20
May 11
June 15

All parishioners are encouraged to attend

Welcome Back
Religious Education families
September 14
6 pm Vassallo Park
An outdoor concert the evening of September 14 at 6:00 pm to welcome back Religious Education families that begins the next day. This fund/friendraiser will help Religious Education meet our budget numbers. Parishioner Frank Primeggia has graciously offered the services of his band, Without A Net, and we welcome people to bring a picnic dinner while enjoying music and camaraderie with fellow parishioners.

Have you registered your child in Religious Education?
ORIENTATION for First Grade parents and parents NEW to the program is on September 8, 2019.
All classes begin on September 15, 2019.

Would you be willing to investigate the possibility of teaching in our program?
If so, please call 271-4254 or email hnmreleduc@aol.com

Holy Name of Mary Montessori School is very grateful to former student Xavier Yozwiak. Xavier won the HNM Montessori Super Bowl pool this year and decided to donate half his winnings to purchase plants for the butterfly garden located between the Parish Center and the 105 Twenty restaurant.
The family purchased 14 plants at the Native Plant Sale at the WCC Native Plant Center. They planted them and now they bring the school, the church and most importantly, the bees and butterflies, happiness!
Parish Alive

Come as you are and be a shepherd.

I am making a call to you because you are:
1) A person of faith
2) A Catholic who desires to spread it
3) A person who can renew the parish

Come for a meeting:

Friday September 13th at 7pm in PMR 3
Bring your ideas, enthusiasm and faith.

We need to:
- Awaken
- Catechize
- Evangelize

We need all the people we can get. Be assured you are needed and will be assigned a mission.

See you there,
Fr. Nelson

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Fair Trade Coffee and other Equal Exchange Organic and sustainable products will be sold after Masses on Sept. 7th & 8th

Please support this ministry which supports 3rd world farmers.

Equal Exchange is a Fair Trade organization that buys directly from small-scale farmer cooperatives, owned and run by the farmers themselves. Because their farmer partners are paid above market prices for their crops, they are able to make investments in community projects, educational programs, and technical training. These cooperative organizations help keep rural communities healthy and strong; they keep local cultures vibrant.

Equal Exchange is also committed to supporting sustainable farming methods that help green the earth through reforestation, natural resource conservation and organic practices.

By buying and using so much delicious Equal Exchange coffee, tea, hot cocoa, chocolate bars, nuts and snacks, we of Holy Name of Mary have been making a difference! In solidarity with our global neighbors, we help these small farmers to help themselves, their families, and their communities, as well as the environment.

Contact Bernie at byozwiak@optonline.net or Ellen at emc709@aol.com if you’d like to assist with this ministry! YOU make a difference! We sell once a month after Masses AT COST.
Care for Creation News!
Our next Sustainable Sunday is Sunday September 8!
3:00 - 4:30 PM in PMR 3/4/5
Laila Brady Walzer offering “Climate Change, a Love Letter from God”
An exploration from an Islamic Perspective
Laila Brady Walzer, M. Div., is a Shadduli Sufi Chaplain, faculty member at the University for Spiritual Healing and Sufism, and Founder of the Woodstock Sufi Center.
Bring a friend! All are welcome!
Pope Francis’ Laudato Si encyclical compels Catholics and all persons to look at their impacts on our sister, the planet Earth.
For more info contact us at Care4CreationHNM@gmail.com

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WHY CENTERING PRAYER?
Centering Prayer involves consenting to God’s presence and healing action within you and sitting in silence for about 20 minutes, while letting go of your distractions and trying to remain open to God’s unconditional love. This method of prayer involves a movement beyond conversation with God toward contemplation and communion with God.

In Centering Prayer the focus is on the intention of simply consenting to God’s presence and action within, letting go of all thoughts. It is about consent and purification. The goal isn’t to “feel” anything special during the prayer itself. In a sense it is all about intention and not attention. The fruits are revealed outside of the prayer as shown by a new type of attention given to ordinary life.

In other words, Centering Prayer is a practice of self-emptying. It is letting go – of our attachments to our ego, self-image, control, judgments, expectations, and feelings. Though life itself – through great love and suffering – is often our most powerful teacher in these respects, Centering Prayer is a daily, small death to false self and ego. It makes space for the Divine Therapy -- the uncovering of our deepest, “True Self,” allowing it to gradually rise from the ashes of our partial and protected self and to deepen our relationship with God.

Centering Prayer teaches us to live in an undefended way. Little by little we can let go of the need to prove ourselves right or superior. It retracts our brains to know with true humility and love.

"Silence is God's first language; everything else is a poor translation. In order to hear that language, we must learn to be still and rest in God." Trappist Fr. Thomas Keating

"And the deepest level of communication is not communication, but communion. It is wordless. It is beyond words, and it is beyond speech, and it is beyond concept. Not that we discover a new unity. We discover an older unity. My dear brothers and sisters, we are already one. But we imagine that we are not. And what we have to recover is our original unity. What we have to be is what we are." Trappist Fr. Thomas Merton

Think of how often we hear about Jesus quietly going off to pray, away from it all.

We invite you to join us for Centering Prayer any Thursday 7:30-8:30 PM in the Spiritual Direction Room off the Parish Center Lobby. Everyone is welcome. For more information contact Jeanne Marie Gagnon at 914-271-1405 or John Lally at 914-271-5628 and/or go to http://www.contemplativeoutreach.org/
* OPEN HOUSE *

September 24th, 9:30am

Walking with Purpose

Do you desire to grow in your Catholic faith? Do you seek connection with other women in our parish community? We invite you to consider joining Walking with Purpose this fall at Holy Name of Mary. Weekly group sessions are starting on October 8, 2019. Opening Your Heart, our foundational study, is designed for women new to Walking with Purpose whether or not you have any Bible study experience; you are welcome as you are to learn how the Scriptures apply to our everyday lives. The second course that will be offered is Beholding His Glory, which integrates Scripture with the teachings of the Catholic Church to show us how all Scripture points us to our Redeemer, Jesus Christ. **No previous Bible study experience is required;** you are welcome to come as you are as we study Old Testament people and events to encounter problems that only Christ will solve, needs that only He will satisfy and promises that only He can fulfill.

The mission of Walking with Purpose is to help every Catholic woman and girl in America to open her heart to Jesus Christ. Interested in learning more? Please join us at our **Open House on September 24, 2019** to find out what Walking with Purpose is all about! Bring a friend to meet us at IHNM Parish Meeting Room 5, at 9:30 am. **Breakfast fare will be provided.**

For questions or to RSVP, contact Kristin Vaicels - kmstankich@yahoo.com or visit Walking with Purpose online www.walkingwithpurpose.com for more information. We hope to see you!
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