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.

February 2, 2020 - The Presentation of the Lord

CELEBRATION of the EUCHARIST

HOLY NAME OF MARY

Mass Schedule

Sunday: 8:00 AM & 10:45 AM
Monday - Friday
8:00am and 12:00 noon
Saturday:
9:00am & 5:00 pm

CHAPEL OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Mass Schedule

Sunday: 9:15 AM (English)
11:00 AM (Bilingual)

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.
Masses for this weekend, February 1 & 2

5:00 PM  Gina Costanzo, The Keon Family
8:00 AM  Robert McHugh, The Leder Family
9:15 AM  Virginia Wolf & Carol Tirella, Karen & Chris Moore

10:45 AM  JoAnn Cerussi, Albert Cerussi
11:00 AM  Parishioners of HNM

MONDAY, February 3

8:00 AM  Joe Considine (L), Paul & Jennifer Kooney
Noon  John Medeiros, Dolores C. Cerulli

TUESDAY, February 4

8:00 AM  Don’s Donor (L), Don & Dagmar
Noon  Jerry Mahon

WEDNESDAY, February 5

8:00 AM  Tom Kelley (L), Paul & Jennifer Kooney
10:30 AM  Mass at Skyview, for Residents
Noon  Parishioners of HNM

THURSDAY, February 6

8:00 AM  Lillian Sechner, Richard Snow & Maria Modica-Snow
Noon  Parishioners of HNM

FRIDAY, February 7

8:00 AM  Maria D’Aguanno, Richard Snow & Maria Modica-Snow
Noon  Dominic P. Cerulli, Dolores C. Cerulli

SATURDAY, February 8

9:00 AM  Parishioners of HNM
5:00 PM  Margaret Cunningham, Pat Makai

SUNDAY, February 9

8:00 AM  Gina Costanzo, Joe Costanzo
9:15 AM  John L. Toppi, Correale & DeMattia Family
10:45 AM  Lee Maegerle & Anne M. Fenton, The Family

11:00 AM  Parishioners of HNM

This week’s 2nd collection is to help offset the costs of visiting priests in Fr. Brennan’s absence.

Event List
2/1/2020 - 2/8/2020

Saturday, February 01, 2020
Cenacles for Life 7:20AM before Mass, Church
Fair Trade Coffee Sales
9:00 AM Men’s ACTS meeting, PMR’s 3,4&5
9:00 AM Woman’s ACTS Meeting, Rms. 314A, 4th fl, Chapel, 4th fl, Library
9:00 AM -12:00 PM Montessori Open House
9:45 AM - 5:00 PM CYO games, GYM
10:00 AM Weekly Food Pantry CCFP, PMR 1
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM CYO games, GYM

Sunday, February 02, 2020
Cenacles for Life 7:20AM before Mass, Church
Fair Trade Coffee Sales
9:00 AM Rel Ed grades 1-8, Church
11:45 AM - 8:00 PM CYO games, GYM

Monday, February 03, 2020
3:30 PM - 9:00 PM CYO MonWedThu, GYM
4:00 PM Cub Scouts Den 14, PMR 3
4:00 PM Prayer Shawl Group, Rm. 302
6:30 PM Cub Scouts Den 6, PMR 1
7:00 PM AA Mon/Wed Meeting, 4th fl, Library
7:00 PM Liturgy meeting, Rms. 314A, 314B
7:00 PM Spanish Rosary Group, 4th fl, Chapel
7:30 PM Debtors Anonymous, Rms. 316A, 316B

Tuesday, February 04, 2020
9:30 AM Walking With Purpose PMR’s 3,4&5
3:30 PM - 7:30 PM CYO Tues ,GYM
4:30 PM Prayer Shawl Ministry, Rm 302
7:00 PM Bible Study Class, Rm. 302
7:15 PM Care 4 Creation, Rm. 314B
7:30 PM BSA Troop 28 Committee meeting PMR 1
7:30 PM BSA Troop 28, GYM

Wednesday, February 05, 2020
3:30 PM - 9:00 PM CYO MonWedThu, GYM
4:00 PM Rel Ed classes, Rm. 314B
6:00 PM Cub Scouts Den 4, PMR 3
7:00 PM AA Mon/Wed Meeting, 4th fl, Library
7:00 PM Cub Scouts Dens 9 & 12, PMR 5
7:30 PM BSA Troop 28 Committee meeting, PMR’s 1&2
7:30 PM BSA Troop 28 camping prep, PMR’s 1&2
7:30 PM Centering Prayer, Rm. 302
2:00 PM - 5:00 PM CYO games, GYM
7:00 PM Adoration, Church
8:30 PM AA Grand St Meeting, 4th fl Library
9:00 PM HNM Mens Basketball, GYM

Friday, February 07, 2020
9:00 AM Montessori parents meeting, PMR 5
3:30 PM CYO Friday, GYM
5:30 PM GSA Troop 1557, PMR2
6:00 PM GSA Troops 2026 & 2806, PMR’s 3&4
7:00 PM Music Ministry rehearsal, Church
7:30 PM BSA Troop 28 camping prep, PMR’s 1&2
7:30 PM Centering Prayer, Rm. 302
9:00 PM HNM Mens Basketball, GYM

Saturday, February 08, 2020
9:00 AM Women’s ACTS Meeting, Rms. 314A, 4th Chapel, 4th fl, Library
10:00 AM Weekly Food Pantry CCFP, PMR1
11:00 AM - 2:00 PM HNMS Activity Day, GYM
2:00 PM - 5:00 PM CYO games, GYM
6:00 PM - 9:00 PM CYO games, GYM
Dear Parishioners,

All we need to do is to just have a cursory glance at our parish to find that Holy Name of Mary does not have the attendance at Mass that we used to have in past years. Our parish is feeling the loss as more members drift away. Many young people do not desire, even remotely desire to continue as members of our faith community. It seems like their priorities have changed while the welfare of their souls have taken a back seat.

Parents also are less keen on making a commitment to their children’s Religious Education and so we find the number of children registering for Religious Education falling fast. While we see this taking place we could choose to sit on the sidelines and wring our hands or we could use our time and talents to bring the Faith to those who have lost it. One way of sharing your faith could be volunteering with the kids in our Religious Education classes.

And yet there is a ray of light and optimism. There is so much to hope for, because if we look around we still may find very many like the prodigal son longing to return to the Father. There are those who are in distress not knowing where to turn, those who are stagnant and labor under heavy burdens. If we look again we could find how much they long to get their souls back into shape. But will they find that someone who could hold them while they struggle to stand?

We who are the salt of the earth are called to become "mission" because this is what God is in his deepest self: He engulfs and reaches out to creation with love, he creates it freely with love, while at the same time redeeming, healing and challenging creation. To become mission is an urgent call and we need apply ourselves to go out into the world and proclaim the Good News.

Just as Jesus is a gift of God to the world, we too are the signs of the kingdom and gifts of the Father to the world. If we welcome Him, we too, become the Father's gift to the world.

"Follow me and I will make you fishers of men." is a cry that becomes increasingly urgent in today's secular and material world. Recall how Mother Teresa and John Paul II renewed the Church in their day. Like them, with Pope Francis we point the world to the heart of God who is infinite compassion and love. A Father waits anxiously for every child of his to return home. The world is submerged in materialism and secularism, this penetrates the young and they become less and less aware that they have a soul, a spirit and consciousness. They are trained to “be nice” but are largely unaware of their moral-spiritual potential. As they get into adulthood, they are gripped by a feeling of alienation, they resent being ostracized. Some resort to violence.

We live in an alienated global village. With Christ we seek ways to remedy the causes of alienation. The penetration of secular systems of thought causes division and hatred that cut off those who are not in the same group. In some cases, this had led to the persecution of those who believe. Rise up and listen to the call and be “mission.”

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Nelson Couto
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, especially Vera Scozzafava and all 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.

Our Parish Collections

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Fair Trade Coffee will be sold after all Masses this weekend.

Scout Sunday will be celebrated at the 10:45 am Mass on Sunday, Feb 9th with a special blessing for all Scouts in uniform: Boy Scouts, Eagle Scouts, Girl Scouts, Cub Scouts, Venturers, Scout leaders, etc. Reception with light refreshments to follow downstairs. Contact Marie Considine with questions 271-0054.

God Squads Full Spring Calendar is now available at www.holynameofmary.org/god-squad-spring-calendar

Youth Ministry Volunteers
We have a very active teen youth ministry at the parish. We rely on volunteers to help with our events, provide transportation and attend functions. Have you ever thought of the opportunity to impact the faith journey of our young people? God’s gifts are best used at the service of others. Contact Youth Minister Carl Barnes at 914-263-3111 or via email at carlbarnes12@gmail.com if you would like to help out this school year!

Next week, we will take up the Peter’s Pence Collection, which provides Pope Francis with the funds to carry out his charitable works around the world. The proceeds benefit our brothers and sisters on the margins of society, including victims of war, oppression, and disasters. Please be generous. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence

Come pray with us.
Women’s ACTS retreat
May 7-10
Please Save the Date

Croton Community Blood Drive
Tuesday, February 11th from 2:30 pm – 7 pm
Croton Free Library – 171 Cleveland Drive
Walk-Ins Welcome, Appointments appreciated

To schedule an appointment, contact Aidan Mayer at CrotonBlood@gmail.com or 914-862-0199. Please bring donor ID card or other identification with photo ID and signature. If you donated on December 8 at the Blood Drive at Croton Harmon HS, you are eligible to donate at this drive. For questions about eligibility to donate due to travel outside the U.S., medications or medical conditions, call 1-800-688-0900
God Squad & Credo are partnering to offer Young Adult Faith Formation to young adults (ages 18-35).

We know there may not currently be enough actively practicing young adults aged 18-35 at HNM, but so do other parishes. That is why we have decided to support Credo in promoting their young adult group with other Northern Westchester parishes to offer power in numbers and an opportunity to mingle with other young adults outside of the Croton bubble. We invite all HNM young adults aged 18-35 to join God Squad Youth Minister Lindsay Gilbert at a monthly Credo Mass on Tuesday, March 10th at 7:00PM at St. Augustine Catholic Church in Ossining to find out more about this special young adult group. Please contact Lindsay at lindsaygilbert04@gmail.com if you are able to join her on March 10th or just stop by St. Augustine.

Below is a message from Credo and a sample of their upcoming calendar of events. Contact God Squad Youth Minister Carl Barnes at carlbarnes12@gmail.com or Credo directly at the address below for more information...

Join the Credo community at St. Patrick's Church in Yorktown as we explore our Catholic faith and how we can apply the Gospel to our own lives! Each month we delve into a different facet of what it means to be a follower of Christ through fun and thought-provoking discussions and activities meant to inspire us to fulfill our true calling as children of God. All young adults (ages 18-35) are welcome to meet us on the 3rd Friday of the month for adoration in the chapel of St. Patrick's Church from 7-7:30pm, followed by our discussion of the night in the Family Education Center, Rm. 101. Everyone is also invited to join us for a group dinner at a local restaurant following the meeting.

For more info, please contact us at CredoYoungAdults@gmail.com.

**Sampling of Credo January/February Events Calendar**

1. **Northern Westchester Y.A. Mass: Tues. 1/14/20 7:00pm**
   Join us at St. Augustine's church for adoration (with confessions available) and Mass, followed by a pizza and karaoke night social! Fr. Walter Genito will be this month's celebrant. For more info/to RSVP, check out the Facebook event: https://www.facebook.com/events/476397313074711/

2. **Monthly Rosary & Dinner: Tues. 1/28/20 7:30pm**
   As always, we wrap up the month with a group rosary at St. Elizabeth Ann Seton parish in Shrub Oak. Please join us inside the church by the Marian statue on the 4th Tuesday of the month for an evening of prayer, followed by dinner at Novecento (right across the street!). In order to have a proper head count, please RSVP via email by 1/27/20.

3. **RSVP for Credo's Winter Masquerade Ball: Sat. 2/22/20 7:00pm**
   We know this isn't an event for January, BUT we are very excited to tell you about our upcoming Masquerade Ball in February! This will be a formal dance, with dinner served, and a dance instructor offering lessons in the Waltz, Foxtrot and other classic dances. A station will be set up to make a mask the night of, but attendees are welcome and encouraged to bring their own. Tickets are $18 (early bird), and $25 at the door. You can RSVP and purchase tickets through our Facebook event: https://www.facebook.com/events/2647118345378935/ OR our Eventbrite link: https://www.eventbrite.com/e/credo-winter-masquerade-ball-tickets-88605945769?aff=efbeventtix&fbclid=IwAR3tG28GR4XzP3IwJzAWW5thdTltQNgkU9V7fKxppovgbCp9rJfUzqxevE