October 4, 2020
Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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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.

PARISH CENTER OFFICE HOURS
Mon–Fri 9:00 am to 4:00 pm.
The Parish Center doors will remain closed. Please ring the doorbell for assistance.

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CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST
MASS SCHEDULE
Holy Name of Mary
Sunday: 8:30 am, 10:45 am
Saturday: 5:00 pm
Mon – Fri: 12:00 noon
*Weekday Masses have been moved back to the Church*

To stream, visit:
www.holynamemofmary.org

PASTORAL COUNCIL
Tom Faranda, President

PARISH TRUSTEES
Judy Anderson
Joseph Costanzo

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confession)
Saturdays at 4:00 PM

BAPTISMS
Please call the Parish Office if you would like to schedule a Baptism

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

*Change in Church Hours:*
The Church doors will now be open each day from 8:30 am to 4:30 pm
The Parish Center office hours remain:
Monday-Friday:
9:00 am to 4:00 pm

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Mass Intentions

Masses for this weekend October 3rd and 4th

5:00 PM  Jean Karas
8:30 AM   Marino Palmietto
10:45 AM  Tom & Pat Underkofler
          Charles Anderson

MONDAY, October 5
Noon      Margaret King

TUESDAY, October 6
Noon      JoAnn Cerussi

WEDNESDAY, October 7
Noon      Dennis Gielow

THURSDAY, October 8
Noon      Myrtle Lee Owens Smith

FRIDAY,  October 9
Noon      Myrtle Lee Owens Smith

SATURDAY, October 10
5:00 PM   George Millon

SUNDAY,   October 11
8:30 AM   Richard Fuerst
10:45 AM  Loretta “Nancy” Adami
          Maurice D’Agostino

The Sanctuary Lamp burns this week, Oct. 3 – Oct. 10
In loving memory of
Maria & Joseph Obermeier
Requested by
The Kehrle Family

Event List
Oct. 3 - Oct. 10

Beginning Monday October 5th all weekday Masses will be held in the main Church at 12 noon. The Sunday Mass schedule remains 8:30 am and 10:45 am in the main Church. The Saturday 5 pm Vigil Mass remains the same.

Masses for this week:
Saturday (Church): 5:00 pm (Fr. Ron)
Sunday (Church): 8:30 am (Fr. Nelson)  
                      10:45 am (Fr. Nelson)
Monday–Friday (Church): 12:00 noon (Fr. Nelson)

Adoration Service: Every Friday at 7 pm in Church

There is no obligation to attend Mass at this time. We encourage you to stay home if you are at risk or sick. Live-streams will still be available for Sunday Masses.

Live-stream: www.holynameofmary.org
Masses also available on youtube  
www.youtube.com/user/nelson1945

Check us out on facebook at:  
www.facebook.com/holynameofmarycroton/

Sign up for flocknote to receive important updates from the Parish at:  
www.hnmcroton.flocknote.com

Continue to support our Parish by giving online through WeShare at  
www.holynameofmary.churchgiving.com
You can also mail your weekly envelopes to the Parish Center or put them in the locked mailbox on the wall outside the Parish Center doors.
MEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS
Margaret Ewing, Judy Anderson, Anne Hogan, Ronnie Bruno, Wendy Maier, John Johnson, Joanna Modica, Benjamin Ordonez, Zoi Mora, Dody Bolt, Helen McKiernan, Jim McNally, Helena Gaulrapp, Bob Spatta, Jack Mack, Matthew Trigga, John Brown, Edward Nathan, Patrick Cawley, Jude Maroney, Francisco Cabrera, Maria Jaquez, Connie Corry, Jacyn Debaun, Mary Santella, Carter McNally, Nina Barr, Peter Costantini, Mel Giarolo, Christopher Corry, Jane Milcetic, Anica Milcetic, Thomas Ferguson, Max Friedman, Jay Mercatante, Patricia Biglin, Todd Picciano, Christa Picciano, Gerald Parker

* 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 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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Please make checks out to Holy Name of Mary. The bank has advised they can no longer accept checks made out to HNM.

Mass Attendance: September 27th
With limiting attendance to 33% capacity and practicing social distancing we can fit approximately 85 people in the Church. We will continue to monitor the Mass attendance closely and return to 4 weekend Masses if attendance continues to rise.

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TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Isaiah 5:1-7
This passage about the failure of the Lord’s vineyard is a metaphor for the ingratitude of the people of Israel and Judah. In tones of sadness and rebuke, the Lord asks, “What more was there to do for my vineyard?”

Second Reading: Philippians 4:6-9
In a moving appeal to the Philippians, Paul exhorts them to embrace all that is pure, decent, and admirable; then God’s peace will be theirs.

Gospel: Matthew 21:33-43
In another rebuke to the chief priests and the elders, Jesus recounts a parable in which the owner of a vineyard leases his vineyard to tenant farmers. When the owner sends his servants and even his son to claim his rightful share of the crops, the tenants kill all of them. With some bitterness, Jesus warns the chief priests that “the Kingdom of God will be taken away from you and given to people that will yield a rich harvest.

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From Fr. Nelson

October 4, 2020
Dear Parishioners,

October is the Month of the Holy Rosary and all over the world the children of Mary will be devoutly reciting the rosary both individually and in groups. In fact our parish will have a Public recitation of the Rosary on Saturday, October 10th at noon on the front lawns of the rectory. Please make it a point to attend. We do need all the prayers we can offer to God.

This is a prayer written by Pope Francis: to our Blessed Mother, it may be recited at the end of the rosary.

“We fly to your protection, O Holy Mother of God”

“In the present tragic situation, when the whole world is prey to suffering and anxiety, we fly to you, Mother of God and our Mother, and seek refuge under your protection.

Virgin Mary, turn your merciful eyes towards us amid this corona virus pandemic. Comfort those who are distraught and mourn their loved ones who have died, and at times are buried in a way that grieves them deeply. Be close to those who are concerned for their loved ones who are sick and who, in order to prevent the spread of the disease, cannot be close to them. Fill with hope those who are troubled by the uncertainty of the future and the consequences for the economy and employment.

Mother of God and our Mother, pray for us to God, the Father of mercies, that this great suffering may end and that hope and peace may dawn anew. Plead with your divine Son, as you did at Cana, so that the families of the sick and the victims be comforted, and their hearts be opened to confidence and trust.

Protect those doctors, nurses, health workers and volunteers who are on the frontline of this emergency, and are risking their lives to save others. Support their heroic effort and grant them strength, generosity and continued health.

Be close to those who assist the sick night and day, and to priests who, in their pastoral concern and fidelity to the Gospel, are trying to help and support everyone.

Blessed Virgin, illuminate the minds of men and women engaged in scientific research, that they may find effective solutions to overcome this virus.

Support national leaders, that with wisdom, solicitude and generosity they may come to the aid of those lacking the basic necessities of life and may devise social and economic solutions inspired by farsightedness and solidarity.

Mary Most Holy, stir our consciences, so that the enormous funds invested in developing and stockpiling arms will instead be spent on promoting effective research on how to prevent similar tragedies from occurring in the future.

Beloved Mother, help us realize that we are all members of one great family and to recognize the bond that unites us, so that, in a spirit of fraternity and solidarity, we can help to alleviate countless situations of poverty and need. Make us strong in faith, persevering in service, constant in prayer.

Mary, Consolation of the afflicted, embrace all your children in distress and pray that God will stretch out his all-powerful hand and free us from this terrible pandemic, so that life can serenely resume its normal course.

To you, who shine on our journey as a sign of salvation and hope, do we entrust ourselves, O Clement, O Loving, O Sweet Virgin Mary. Amen.”

Yours in Christ,
Fr. Nelson Couto
Pre-order Your “Breaking Bread 2021” Missals by October 9, 2020

If you would like a missal for the upcoming 2021 liturgical year, please let us know by Friday, October 9th. Due to safety concerns, we will not be placing any missals out to be shared this year so it is essential you let us know beforehand if you would like a book.

There is a discounted cost of $3 which will be due upon receipt.

You may pre-order online at https://hnmcroton.flocknote.com/signup/18233
Or call the parish center at 914-271-4797 x 10.

The Care for Creation Ministry will be hosting a Sustainable Sunday Speaker Series event on Sunday October 11 at 3:00 pm – 4:15 pm on Sustainability and Westchester with County Executive George Latimer.

Please be part of the online Zoom presentation by logging onto https://fordham.zoom.us/j/99964223882 at 3 pm or slightly earlier. The presentation will start shortly thereafter.

Never been on Zoom? Ask a friend or a kid to help! Ask them to stay and watch with you!

Past Sustainable Sunday presentations are available for viewing on our website www.hnmcare4creationministry.com. Scroll down on the opening page.

The Ministry is looking for help as we are stretched thin. Please consider joining our Ministry. Contact Bernie Yozwiak at byozwiak@optonline.net.

Sam Colombo will be running in the Harry Chapin Run Against Hunger Virtual race this year to be held October 13-18. If you are interested in sponsoring him you can donate at the Harry Chapin race page: https://runagainsthunger.com/
Hit donate and Sam’s name will be listed, you can donate if you see one of us at church or in town and lastly you can write a check to Harry Chapin Run Against Hunger, put Sammy Colombo on the lower left note line and mail it to Harry Chapin Run, c/o Asbury Methodist Church, 17 Old Post Road South in Croton.
Thank you for your support,
Karen Colombo

Join in the joy of the children listed below who are receiving their First Communion this Saturday, October 3rd. As a parish community we welcome them to the Table of the Lord as they experience the life-giving power of the Eucharist.

Peter Barnes  Daire Lampley
Rocco Bartolomei  Aiden Mackay
Satya Buckley  Cooper McGowan
Lily Burns  Jack Mineo
Olympia Cramer  Conor Moran
Gabriella Damiano  Margaret Moran
Caroline Dieckman  Trevor Moran
Alesso DiSisto  Sean Munson
Giovanni DiSisto  Jack Neville
Colleen Fitzmaurice  Justin Orego
Hailey Gallagher  Matthew Orego
Nicholas Gomes  Isabelle Pepperney
Bridget Haas  Michael Perry
Charley Hutt  Mia Ribosh
Claire Keane  Caitlin Rittinger
McKenna Keane  Lewis Roane
Ava Korn  Annabel Rudden

We are grateful to Alyssa Angarola, Regina Clarkin, Jessica Dieckman, Regina Montana, Molly Moran, Maureen Munson, Mary Obermeier, Alison Stump, Michelle St. Jacques and Julie Tufanio, our catechists, for all their patience and guidance during the year.

Please reserve HNM community cookbooks for me!
Cookbooks will cost $15 each - payment due upon receipt.
You will be emailed when the cookbooks arrive.
(If not this order form and drop it in the parish house mailboxes, or email your cookbook order to HNMcookingbooks@gmail.com)

Name: ____________________________
Email Address (or phone #): ______________
Number of Cookbooks: ____________
Thank you from the HNM Respect Life Society. For 30 years your donations have helped support the following local and global causes during Respect Life Month, advancing the Consistent Ethic of Life! We have raised upwards of $140,000 over the years – the biggest collection 25 years ago when the late Fr. Dan Egan (The Junkie Priest) spoke at all the Masse for housing in India as well as Good Counsel Homes in NY. Donations totaled over $11,000.

And this year – your donation is split between Expectant Mother Care and St. Christopher’s Inn (in memory of Andrew R. Sorenson).

Here are the groups we have supported in the past, in no particular order.

AFRICAN WOMEN’S EDUCATION FUND women’s advancement
GOOD COUNSEL HOMES pregnancy care centers
LUMINA post abortion help and healing
EMC FRONTLINE PREGNANCY CENTERS support & education
SMILE TRAIN correction of cleft lip/palate birth defects
PASSIONIST VOLUNTEERS Appalachian outreach
MANHATTAN PREGNANCY CENTER pregnancy support
POTS (PART OF THE SOLUTION) urban poverty outreach
FRANCISCANS INTERNATIONAL values advocate at U.N.
MATURECARE women suffering fistula anomalies in Africa
BIRTHRIGHT support for pregnant women/families in need
NICK SPRINGER local quadruple amputee victim
NEW HOPE MANOR drug and alcohol rehab for women
DAYSTAR pregnancy care for special needs women
CROTON CARING COMMITTEE local elder care support
LOVE FOR LIFE, INC. chastity education
DOMINICAN SISTERS FAMILY HEALTH SERVICE, INC.
CATHOIC RELIEF SERVICES: Sudan Emergency Fund
PROVIDENCE HOUSE pregnant, abused, battered women
MIGRANT FARM WORKERS support for migrant workers
FR. DAN EGAN’S INDIA HOUSING global poverty outreach
ABRAHAM HOUSE post prison halfway house
SALESIAN MISSIONS Haiti earthquake and Pakistan flood relief
GENERATION LIFE youth-oriented chastity education ministry
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On Saturday, October 10 at 12:00 noon please join parishioners of Holy Name of Mary in front of the Parish House (in the church if raining) in honor of Our Lady of Fatima and “the miracle of the sun”.

Tony Corda, a parishioner of St. Augustine, will return and give his wonderful talk about his grandmother who was a witness. At the age of 28, Herminia, went with her husband after hearing about the apparitions to the three shepherd children and how a miracle was promised on October 13, 1917. Rains had begun the day before and the roads to the Cova da Iria were covered in mud.

The estimated 70,000 pilgrims were not deterred from making their journey to see the visionaries and the woman who many were saying was the Blessed Mother. Suddenly the sun appeared and started moving toward them. Then it stopped and went back into the sky. The ground was completely dry and everyone’s previously wet and muddy clothing was clean. One eyewitness at Fatima reported, “The sun, whirling, seemed to loosen itself from the firmament and advance threateningly upon the earth as if to crush us with its huge fiery weight. The sensation during those moments was terrible.”—Dr. Almeida Garrett, Professor of Natural Sciences at Coimbra University. And the entire event was covered and reported on by the Portugal newspapers.

“She never stopped talking about it her whole life. My grandparents’ faith grew because of the miracles they saw that day,” said Tony.
Something’s Missing

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