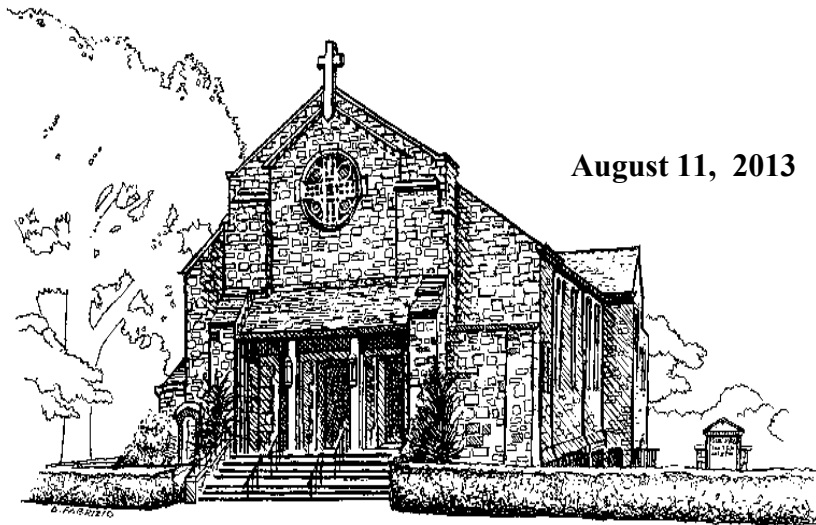


# ST. GREGORY THE GREAT

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August 11, 2013

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## Mass Schedule

### Masses for Sunday

Saturday: 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 7:00 a.m., 8:30 a.m., 10:00 a.m., 11:30 a.m.,  
& 5:00 p.m.

### Weekdays

**Monday to Friday:** 6:45 a.m., 9:00 a.m.

**Saturday:** 9:00 a.m.

### Holy Days

7:30 p.m. (eve), 6:45 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:00 noon,  
7:30 p.m.

### Devotions to Our Lady

#### Novena

Monday at 9:30 a.m.

## Matrimony

The engaged couple is to inform the Parish priest usually one year prior to the celebration. A marriage preparation program is required.

## Religious Education Program

Grades 3 & 4 Monday 3:30 - 5:00 p.m.

Grades 5 & 6 Tuesday 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Grades 7 & 8 Wednesday 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

Grades 1 & 2 Thursday 2:00 - 3:30 p.m.

## Meetings

**Parish Council:** Third Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the Lower Church Hall.

**Finance Committee:** Meets periodically.

**Rosary Altar Society:** First Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. for the Rosary, and 8:00 p.m. meeting.

**Legion of Mary:** Meets every Wednesday at 6:00 p.m.

**Folk Group:** 1st & 3rd Tuesdays - 8:00 - 9:30 p.m.

**St. Gregory's Choir:** Sundays, after the 11:30 a.m. Mass

**RCIA:** Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

**Bible Study:** Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

**Youth Ministry:** Sundays at 7:00 p.m.

**Respect Life:** Second Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

## Baptism

Celebrated every Sunday at 1:00 p.m. Please call the Parish House to make an appointment for Pre-Baptismal instructions.

## Penance

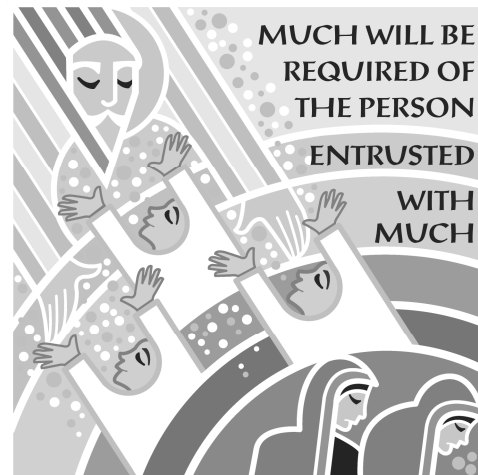
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:55 p.m.

Day Before a Holy Day: 7:00 - 7:30 p.m.

All Other Times: On Request

**Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time**  
**August 11, 2013**  
**Mass Intentions**

SAT. 8/10	5:00 p.m.	JOSEPH ACOCELLA, JR.
SUN. 8/11	7:00 a.m.	ANGELO & GIUSEPPINA MASTROGIACOMO
	8:30 a.m.	PETJA MARIA KRONER
	10:00 a.m.	ANTONIO & JERRY MARIANI
	11:30 a.m.	CATHY MIGLIACCIO MEDURI
	5:00 p.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
MON. 8/12	6:45 a.m.	ANTONINO & GIUSEPPINA MASI LAGANA
	9:00 a.m.	ANTHONY VECCHIOLLA
TUES. 8/13	6:45 a.m.	MARY & RALPH FAVARO
	9:00 a.m.	PASQUALE STINGONE & FAMILY
WED. 8/14	6:45 a.m.	GERARDO ROSSI
	9:00 a.m.	EUGENE D'IMPERIO
	7:30 p.m.	ANITA & CHARLES PASQUALE & LOUIS & DOLORES PASCAL
THU. 8/15	6:45 a.m.	ANTONIO BARTOLOMUCCI
	9:00 a.m.	THOMAS PATRICK EGAN
	12:00 p.m.	ELIZABETH & GEORGE OBERLANDER
	7:30 p.m.	PASQUA CANTONE
FRI. 8/16	6:45 a.m.	JOHN FARRELL, SR.
	9:00 a.m.	LINDA FIORE HOUSTON
SAT. 8/17	9:00 a.m.	ALDO GORI
	5:00 p.m.	ROSE SHAVER & SARAH, SAL & MICHAEL DE FONCE
SUN. 8/18	7:00 a.m.	BETTY MARIE LEO
	8:30 a.m.	WILLIAM GRABLEY
	10:00 a.m.	SALVATORE MASTROGIACOMO
	11:30 a.m.	ANNE REICH
	5:00 p.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY



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**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** is offered each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. All are welcome! **Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament is not offered during July and August.** Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will resume in September.

**DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY:** The Rosary is prayed in the Church from Tuesday to Saturday after the 9:00 a.m. Mass. Each Monday morning after the 9:00 a.m. Mass, a novena is held in honor of Our Lady of the Miraculous Medal. The Rosary is prayed following the novena.

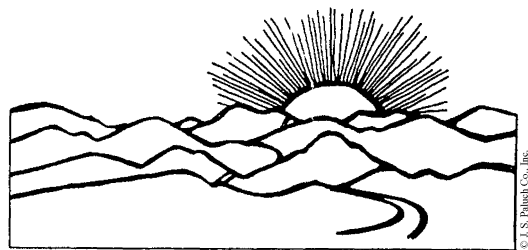
**THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY** Thursday, August 15, 2013 is a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses on Thursday will be at 6:45 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:00 Noon and 7:30 p.m. There will also be a vigil mass on Wednesday, August 14th, at 7:30 p.m.

**ST. GREGORY THE GREAT DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE** St. Gregory the Great Parish Pilgrimage to the National Shrine of the Divine Mercy in Stockbridge, Mass., will be on Thursday, August 22. Bus leaves 8:00 a.m. from St. Gregory the Great Church and returns about 6:00 p.m. Box lunch included. Please sign up by August 15th. Please call Rita at 914-835-0677 to make a reservation.

**FINANCIAL CORNER:** The average weekly church expenses are \$12,168.00. Our Sunday collection for Sunday, August 4, 2013 will be posted at a later date. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

**BASKETBALL CAMP** Frank Conroy Basketball Camp for boys and girls ages 6 - 14 will be held on August 12 - 16 and August 19 - 23 from 8:45 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at Holy Trinity Church in New Rochelle, NY. Teaching the fundamentals of basketball. Register online at [www.conroybasketballcamp.com](http://www.conroybasketballcamp.com) or call Coach Conroy at 914-980-0820.

**NOTRE DAME TRIP** The Notre Dame Club of the Mid-Hudson Valley is sponsoring its 23rd Annual Bus Trip to Notre Dame for the Oklahoma Game. The bus leaves Thursday, September 26, 2013, from five sites in the Mid-Hudson Valley and Matamoras, PA. Total cost (rooms, food, game ticket, refreshments, etc.) for double occupancy is \$580.00. Single occupancy \$100.00 additional. The bus returns on Sunday, September 29, 2013. Schedule provides for 2 full days on campus. For more information, call Schaefer at 845-831-2997 or [scschaefernd56@cschaefern56@cs.com](mailto:scschaefernd56@cschaefern56@cs.com). This is a charity fundraiser that benefits the Holy Cross Foreign Missions in Bangladesh, Good Counsel Home for Single Mothers and the club's endowed scholarship fund that provides \$10,000 per year for local students.



**Our soul waits for the LORD,  
who is our help and our shield.**

— *Psalm 33:20*

## **Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers**

The Wine and Hosts to be used in the celebration of the Eucharist this week have been donated in memory of Mary Vultaggio and have been requested by Renee Frattarola.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of the Santucci and Stout Families and have been requested by Jean and Joe Stout.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Dr. Concetta Tina Marone and have been requested by her sister, Gloria Marone.



I Jenna Evangelista and James Ryscik

## **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK**

Joan Anixt, Lorraine Arcara, Douglas Arnold, Joelen Becker, Clara Biehl, Frances Bodycott, Silvio Catalano, Maureen Coster, Matthew Coulter, Mary Crescenzi, John Curtin, Joseph Di Biase, Gabrielle Di Carlo, Donna DiMaggio, Barrett Dorn, Jerry Flanagan, Dolly Mae, Sabrina Marciante, Joanne Mayne, Vincent Moretti, Mark O'Donnell, Johnna Rocca, George Russell, Maria Sisca, Lee Ann Thomas, Marie Thomson, Monica Toro, Margaret Valeri, Peter Valeri, Concetta Vasile, Eddie Vidal, Frank Volpe, Trish Weston—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.



## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — Your ancestors waited in faith and courage for God's promised summons (Wisdom 18:6-9).

**Psalm** — Blessed the people the Lord has chosen to be his own (Psalm 33).

**Second Reading** — By faith Abraham sojourned in the promised land (Hebrews 11:1-2, 8-19 [1-2, 8-12]).

**Gospel** — You do not know the day nor the hour when the Son of Man will appear (Luke 12:32-48 [35-40]).

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

<b>Monday:</b>	Dt 10:12-22; Ps 147:12-15, 19-20; Mt 17:22-27
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Dt 31:1-8; Dt 32:3-4ab, 7-9, 12; Mt 18:1-5, 10, 12-14
<b>Wednesday:</b>	Dt 34:1-2; Ps 66:1-3a, 5, 8, 16-17; Mt 18:15-20
<b>Thursday:</b>	<u>Vigil:</u> 1 Chr 15:3-4, 15-16; 16:1-2; Ps 132:6-7, 9-10, 13-14; 1 Cor 15:54b-57; Lk 11:27-28 <u>Day:</u> Rv 11:19a; 12:1-6a, 10ab; Ps 45:10-12, 16; 1 Cor 15:20-27; Lk 1:39-56
<b>Friday:</b>	Jos 24:1-13; Ps 136:1-3, 16-18, 21-22, 24; Mt 19:3-12
<b>Saturday:</b>	Jos 24:14-29; Ps 16:1-2a, 5, 7-8, 11; Mt 19:13-15
<b>Sunday:</b>	Jer 38:4-6, 8-10; Ps 40:2-4, 18; Heb 12:1-4; Lk 12:49-53

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCES

<b>Sunday:</b>	Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
<b>Monday:</b>	St. Jane Frances de Chantal
<b>Tuesday:</b>	Ss. Pontian and Hippolytus
<b>Wednesday:</b>	St. Maximilian Kolbe
<b>Thursday:</b>	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary
<b>Friday:</b>	St. Stephen of Hungary
<b>Saturday:</b>	Blessed Virgin Mary



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## What's so special about Mary?

*I've always heard that the Redemptorists have a special devotion to Mary. Why is that? Don't all Catholic orders have the same devotion to her?*

**All Catholic orders** - all Catholics - have a devotion to the Blessed Mother because she's the Mother of God.

The Redemptorists' devotion to Mary is unique for two reasons. First, our founder, Saint Alphonsus, had a great love for Mary. He's known as one of the Marian doctors of the Church. He saw her as a powerful intercessor on our behalf.

Second, in 1866 Pope Pius IX gave the original icon of Our Mother of Perpetual Help to the Redemptorists and asked us to make her known throughout the world.

The original icon hangs in the Church of Sant' Alfonso in Rome. To see a live video stream of the icon, watch a service from the Church of Sant' Alfonso, or leave prayer intentions for Mary, go to [omphicon.org/iconfeed.html](http://omphicon.org/iconfeed.html).

Other orders also have a special love for Mary - the Oblates of Mary Immaculate and the Carmelites, to name two. Some have a special devotion to the Precious Blood of Jesus or Christ's passion. But all Catholic religious orders also have devotion to the Blessed Mother, just as Redemptorists also have devotion to the Precious Blood and Christ's passion.

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## POSSIBILITIES

*All things are possible for one who believes,  
more to one who hopes, even more to one who loves.*

—St. Lawrence