

ST. GREGORY THE GREAT

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June 21, 2015

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Early Childhood Enrichment Program

94 Broadway

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Religious Education Office

94 Broadway

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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 Monday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the Lower Church Hall.

Finance Committee: Meets periodically.

Rosary Altar Society: First Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m. for the Rosary, and 7:30 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: Thursdays - 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.

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

Bible Study: Wednesdays 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

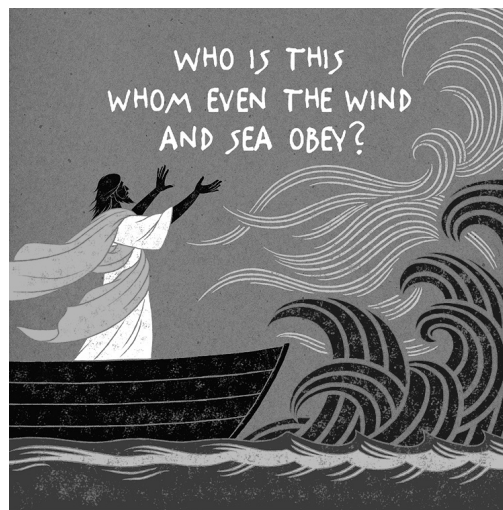
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:55 p.m.

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

All Other Times: On Request

June 21, 2015
Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions

SAT. 6/20	5:00 p.m.	KIM VALENTZAS CORTAZAR
SUN. 6/21	7:00 a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30 a.m.	FATHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
	10:00 a.m.	FATHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
	11:30 a.m.	FATHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
	5:00 p.m.	FATHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
MON. 6/22	6:45 a.m.	FATHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
	9:00 a.m.	GIUSEPPINA & ANTONINO LAGANA
TUES. 6/23	6:45 a.m.	FATHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
	9:00 a.m.	MARIA NACCI D'ALESSANDRO
WED. 6/24	6:45 a.m.	FATHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
	9:00 a.m.	ASSUNTA CICCONE
THU. 6/25	6:45 a.m.	FAITH & T. ALFRED BURTIS
	9:00 a.m.	MAGGIE LOSAVIO
FRI. 6/27	6:45 a.m.	IN THANKSGIVING
	9:00 a.m.	THE OLIVA FAMILY
SAT. 6/27	9:00 a.m.	CARMINE PISTONE JR. & MARIA MOLINO
	5:00 p.m.	LEE MIGLIACCIO
SUN. 6/28	7:00 a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30 a.m.	LOUIS "CHICK" BELLUSCI
	10:00 a.m.	MICHAEL ROSSI
	11:30 a.m.	SAM MAZZUCCA
	5:00 p.m.	SALVATORE MASTROGIACOMO



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: is offered each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Church. **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 and also on Sunday, after the 11:30 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.

THANK YOU The Respect Life group thanks all who participated in this year's baby bottle drive. This year's baby bottle drive raised \$3,280 through the generosity of St. Gregory the Great parish community.

CHILD PROTECTION Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by a priest, deacon, religious, or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000, ext. 2949 or Deacon George J. Coppola at 917-861-1762. Both may also be reached via e-mail at victimassistance@archny.org. Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, www.archny.org. In keeping with the archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, June 14, 2015 was \$6,922.00. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION We are in need of catechists and catechists aides for the Religious Education Program for the upcoming 2015/2016 school year. We need volunteers for Mondays from 3:30 to 5:00 p.m. and Thursdays from 2:00 to 3:30 p.m. If you would like to volunteer in this vital ministry of the church, please call Mrs. Iris Perez at 835-1278.

IONA PREP SPORTS CLINICS INFORMATION Iona Prep is having a basketball clinic and a football clinic. The clinics are designed for students in grades 3-9. The dates are as follows:

Football Clinic at Iona Prep: June 29-July 2
Basketball Clinic at Iona Prep: August 3-6 (Session 1) and August 10-13 (Session 2).

If interested, contact Coach Vic Quirolo at Iona Prep (914) 632-0714, ext. 231 or vquiolo@ionaprep.org. To download a brochure, go to www.ionaprep.org and click on the tab summer on the far right.

LIFE CHAIN Please join us in this prayerful presence for unborn babies and their Mothers on Sunday, June 21, 2015 at Kohl's Plaza Port Chester, New York from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. Sponsored by the Respect Life Ministry, Holy Rosary Parish, Port Chester, New York.

PILGRIMAGE TO PORTUGAL AND SPAIN Please join parishioners of St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Parish, Shrub Oak, NY, on their 10-day pilgrimage to Portugal and Spain. Dates: September 14th - 23rd. The cost is \$3,295.00, and includes all fees, taxes and tips. Go online to, www.seton-parish.org for more information. For information, contact Alex Winogradoff at 845-526-4495.

ON FATHERHOOD
One father is more than a hundred schoolmasters.
—George Herbert

Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Bernard and Maria Santucci and have been requested by Jean Stout.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of Michael Bisceglia and have been requested by Mildred Delzio and Family.

The Altar Flowers this week have been donated in Thanksgiving and have been requested by Estrella Garcia.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Bernard and Maria Santucci and have been requested by Jean Stout.

In Memory



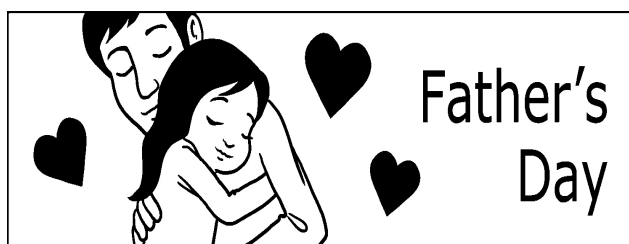
The parish community of St. Gregory the Great extends its deepest sympathy to the loved ones on their loss

Agatha Catalano
William Celestino



We
welcome into the St. Gregory the Great Family through the
waters of Baptism

Matthew Anthony Mariani
Child of Anthony and Erica Mariani



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — The Lord said to Job: Who shut within doors the sea? And who said: Thus far shall you come but no farther! (Job 38:1, 8-11).

Psalm — Give thanks to the Lord, his love is everlasting (Psalm 107).

Second Reading — Whoever is in Christ is a new creation (2 Corinthians 5:14-17).

Gospel — Who is this whom even wind and sea obey? (Mark 4:35-41).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 12:1-9; Ps 33:12-13, 18-20, 22; Mt 7:1-5

Tuesday: Gn 13:2, 5-18; Ps 15:2-4ab, 5; Mt 7:6, 12-14

Wednesday: **Vigil:** Jer 1:4-10; Ps 71:1-6ab, 15ab, 17;
1 Pt 1:8-12; Lk 1:5-17

Day: Is 49:1-6; Ps 139:1-3, 13-15;
Acts 13:22-26; Lk 1:57-66, 80

Thursday: Gn 16:1-12, 15-16 [6b-12, 15-16];
Ps 106:1b-5; Mt 7:21-29

Friday: Gn 17:1, 9-10, 15-22; Ps 128:1-5; Mt 8:1-4

Saturday: Gn 18:1-15; Lk 1:46-50, 53-55; Mt 8:5-17

Sunday: Wis 1:13-15; 2:23-24; Ps 30:2, 4-6, 11-13;
2 Cor 8:7, 9, 13-15; Mk 5:21-43 [5:21-24,
35b-43]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Father's Day; Summer begins

Monday: St. Paulinus of Nola;
Ss. John Fisher and Thomas More

Wednesday: The Nativity of St. John the Baptist

Saturday: St. Cyril of Alexandria;
Blessed Virgin Mary



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How should we treat sacred art in church?

What is the proper way to treat sacred art in Church? It upsets me to see that people place hymnals, pamphlets, plants, and other objects at the base of a sacred statue.

Catholics are a sacramental people. We use objects and works of art to reveal and remind us of God's presence and love acting in our lives. So we should respect statues, paintings, images, and sacred art. These items are valuable and make our churches beautiful. Sacred art helps us to enter into prayers. We do not adore these items as idols, but they help us to meditate and contemplate on God.

Therefore, we should respect the sensibilities of other people. Too many items around a work of art may distract people or even damage the art. So everything should be kept in its right place. For example, hymnals belong in their proper place.

On the other hand, items near the art may enhance our prayer experience. A prayer card that is associated with a statue may be nearby, or flowers may enhance the beauty of the art. But this should always be done tastefully and with the parish's permission.

In this way, we keep God's house clean and in order. Everything has a reason for where it is, and everything should be in its proper place.

Fr. Don Kirchner, CSSR
Sundaybulletins@liguori.org

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Joan Anixt, Marianne Yusi Barber, Mary Ellen Beyer, Frances Bodycott, Carmelita Briotte, Sue Burger, Silvio Catalano, Adrian and Marisa Colon, Matthew Coulter, Mark Davis, Gabrielle Di Carlo, Donna DiMaggio, Susan Di Silvestro, Barrett Dorn, Brendan Dowd, Camdon Joseph, Mary Gill, Caterina Labrosciano, Sabrina Marciante, Angela Margiotti, Joanne Mayne, Stephanie Merenda, Mary O'Sullivan, Carol Sheridan, Lee Ann Thomas, Marie Thomson, Monica Toro, Robert Travers, Concetta Vasile, Gregory Westfall, Donna Williams, Maggie Wunderlick—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.