

ST. GREGORY THE GREAT

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June 28, 2015

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Religious Education Office

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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

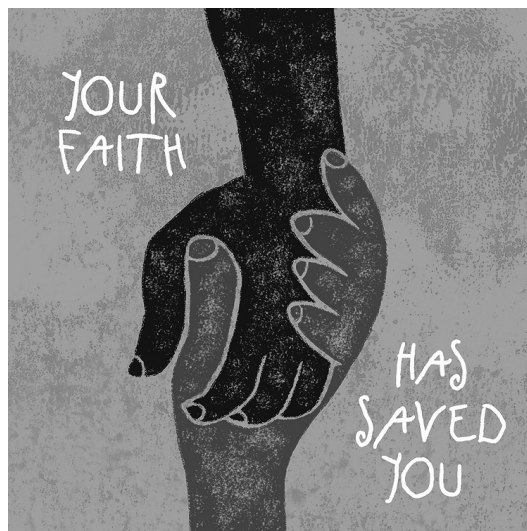
Saturday: 4:00 - 4:55 p.m.

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

All Other Times: On Request

June 28, 2015
Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions

SAT. 6/27	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
MON. 6/29	6:45 a.m.	VINCENZO PAGNOTTA
	9:00 a.m.	JOSEPH PISCOPO
TUES. 6/30	6:45 a.m.	ANGELINA MAFUCCI
	9:00 a.m.	CHARLES & ANITA PASQUALE
WED. 7/1	6:45 a.m.	ELEANOR COLARUSSO
	9:00 a.m.	THOMAS & ANNA KAY DEMPSEY
THU. 7/2	6:45 a.m.	INBO CHANG
	9:00 a.m.	GIUSEPPINA & ANTONINO LAGANA
FRI. 7/3	6:45 a.m.	EMMA & NICHOLAS SILVESTRO & THE SILVESTRO FAMILY
	9:00 a.m.	MAGGIE LOSAVIO
SAT. 7/4	9:00 a.m.	TERESA LOIZZO
	5:00 p.m.	STEPHEN MC DONNELL
SUN. 7/5	7:00 a.m.	TERESITA ENRIQUEZ
	8:30 a.m.	GRACE ZICCA
	10:00 a.m.	CECELIA TINTRUP
	11:30 a.m.	KENDRICK ANDERSON
	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. **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 I wish to thank all who attended our Parish Picnic on Sunday, June 14th. It was really a great afternoon. Everyone had a good time. We look forward to doing it again next year.

I wish also to thank Bob Galante and his wonderful crew who organized everything and the members of the Knights of Columbus who helped. A special thank you to John Wagner who went above and beyond to help. Thanks again, John.

THANK YOU The Rosary Altar Society would like to thank everyone who bought a 50/50 raffle ticket. Mrs. Adeline Nolletti was the winner of the raffle. We would especially like to thank Mrs. Nolletti for donating her winning portion back to the Rosary Altar Society. The total collected was \$941.00.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, June 21, 2015 will be posted at a later date. 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.

BECOMING A CATHOLIC The RCIA process is a journey of faith in the lives of those who seek God. The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults invites those who...

- * are unbaptized and want to become Catholic Christians through the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Eucharist
- * are baptized Christians in another faith tradition who wish to come into full communion in the Catholic Church
- * are uncatechized Catholics who wish to learn more about their faith or complete their initiation through the sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation.

If you or someone you know is interested or would like to know more about this wonderful opportunity, please call the rectory (835-0677).

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, Margaret Valeri, Peter Valeri, Concetta Vasile, Gregory Westfall, Donna Williams, Maggie Wunderlick—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.

Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Dominick Triolo and have been requested by Toni Faga and Family.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of Salvatore and Mary Grace Fiore and have been requested by their daughters, Rosemary King and Sally Mulholland.

The Altar Flowers this week have been donated in memory of the Comes, Buonsante and Tanese Families and have been requested by Madalena Tanese.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Angela Marsico and have been requested by Susan and Marianne Cipolla.

In Memory



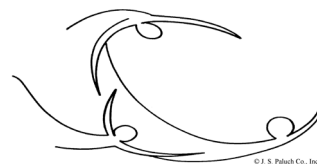
The parish community of St. Gregory the Great extends its deepest sympathy to the loved ones on their loss

Thomasina (Vicki) Condro
Virginia A. Decea



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

Noah and Nicholas Piccolo
Children of Cristina and Michael Piccolo
Hunter Joseph Price
Child of Lauren and Bennett Price
Lucia Felicissimo Steele
Child of Cristina and David Eric Steele



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — God did not make death, nor does God rejoice in the destruction of the living (Wisdom 1:13-15; 2:23-24).

Psalm — I will praise you, Lord, for you have rescued me (Psalm 30).

Second Reading — Your abundance should supply the needs of the others (2 Corinthians 8:7, 9, 13-15).

Gospel — Your faith has saved you (Mark 5:21-43 [21-24, 35b-43]).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: **Vigil:** Acts 3:1-10; Ps 19:2-5; Gal 1:11-20; Jn 21:15-19

Day: Acts 12:1-11; Ps 34:2-9; 2 Tm 4:6-8, 17-18; Mt 16:13-19

Tuesday: Gn 19:15-29; Ps 26:2-3, 9-12; Mt 8:23-27

Wednesday: Gn 21:5, 8-20a; Ps 34:7-8, 10-13; Mt 8:28-34

Thursday: Gn 22:1b-19; Ps 115:1-6, 8-9; Mt 9:1-8

Friday: Eph 2:19-22; Ps 117:1bc-2; Jn 20:24-29

Saturday: Gn 27:1-5, 15-29; Ps 135:1b-6; Mt 9:14-17; or, for Independence Day, any readings from the Mass “For the Country or a City,” nos. 882-886, or “For Peace and Justice,” nos. 887-891

Sunday: Ez 2:2-5; Ps 123:1-4; 2 Cor 12:7-10; Mk 6:1-6a

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

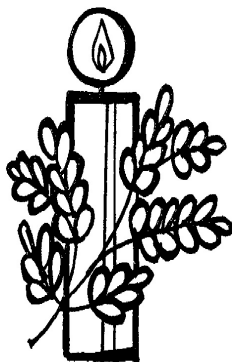
Monday: Ss. Peter and Paul

Tuesday: The First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church

Wednesday: Blessed Junipero Serra; Canada Day

Friday: St. Thomas; First Friday

Saturday: Independence Day; First Saturday; Blessed Virgin Mary



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What does the Church teach about animal cruelty?

What constitutes cruelty to animals? I think rodeos are cruel to animals, others don't. My sister thinks I'm cruel when I leave my two dogs in cages while at work. Does the Church teach anything about this?

The Catechism of the Catholic Church. (2416-2418) talks about how we should treat animals. In short, animals are God's creatures and we owe them kindness. However, we may use animals for food, clothing, and to help us in our work and leisure. Therefore, it is morally acceptable to use animals for medical and scientific experiments within reasonable limits if they contribute to caring for and saving human lives. But we should not cause animals to suffer or die needlessly, and we should not spend excessive money on them that could go toward relieving human misery or love animals with the same affection due only to persons.

Thus, using animals in rodeos could be justified as entertainment. No one tries to injure the animals on purpose. In fact, people often go out of their way to keep the animals healthy.

As for caging your dogs, there are tiny cages that could inflict cruelty and other types that afford comfort, space, and safety. But if you cage your dogs, also make certain they get adequate exercise.

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