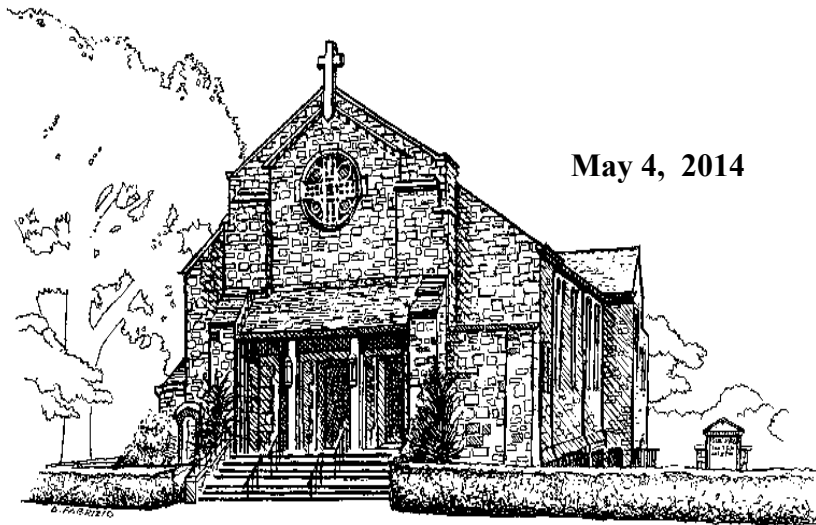


# ST. GREGORY THE GREAT

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May 4, 2014

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**Mrs. Rita Verrino**

*Parish Manager*

**Mr. Stephen M. Black**

*Organist*

**Professor Pierluigi Sampietro**

*Organist Emeritus*

**Ms. Maria Gaudelli**

*Director of Early Childhood Program*

**Mrs. Iris Perez**

*Coordinator of Religious Education*

**Ms. Katherine Castillo**, Youth Minister

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*94 Broadway*

*835-1278 - Fax 835-2070*

**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:** 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:** Fridays 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

**Third Sunday of Easter**  
**May 4, 2014**  
**Mass Intentions**

SAT. 5/3	5:00 p.m.	ANGELINA BERLANTI
SUN. 5/4	7:00 a.m.	BIELE & FICARRA FAMILIES
	8:30 a.m.	DAVID IZZO
	10:00 a.m.	WILLIAM RITACCO
	11:30 a.m.	MICHAEL CIPOLLA
	5:00 p.m.	DOMENICK GATTO
MON. 5/5	6:45 a.m.	WILLIAM RITACCO
	9:00 a.m.	JOSEPH LA VIGNA
TUES. 5/6	6:45 a.m.	ADELAIDE KIRBY MC GEE
	9:00 a.m.	IMROGNO FAMILY
WED. 5/7	6:45 a.m.	CONCETTA & SALVATORE TARASCIO
	9:00 a.m.	ANTOINETTE BULAKOWSKI
THU. 5/8	6:45 a.m.	ROCCO SCHEPIS
	9:00 a.m.	MICHAEL CIPOLLA
FRI. 5/9	6:45 a.m.	MARGARET FANELLA JACOBY
	9:00 a.m.	VITO & FRANCES FAGA
SAT. 5/10	9:00 a.m.	PURCELL, ROONEY & MC QUADE FAMILY & MARK GARRETTO
	5:00 p.m.	MOTHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
SUN. 5/11	7:00 a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30 a.m.	MOTHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
	10:00 a.m.	MOTHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
	11:30 a.m.	MOTHER'S DAY INTENTIONS
	5:00 p.m.	MOTHER'S DAY INTENTIONS



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**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** is offered each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.

**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 2014 CARDINAL'S APPEAL** To date our parish has received \$74,904.00. The goal for our parish is \$81,500.00. For this Appeal to be truly successful, we must have the support of all of our families. Your participation is invaluable because of what it allows our Church to accomplish. It is not too late to make your gift. You can also make your gift online at [www.cardinalsappeal.org](http://www.cardinalsappeal.org). May God bless you for your generosity.

**PARISH CELEBRATION FOR 25 - 50 AND 60 YEAR WEDDING ANNIVERSARIANS.** The Parish celebration for 25, 50 and 60 Year Anniversarians will take place on Sunday, June 1st at the 11:30 a.m. Mass. A reception will follow in the Lower Church. The deadline for reservations is May 26th. Please notify the Parish House (835-0677) if you plan to attend.

**FINANCIAL CORNER:** Our Sunday collection for Sunday, April 27, 2014 will be posted at a later date. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

## **ANNUAL GOLDEN WEDDING MASS CELEBRATION**

Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2014 are invited to attend the Annual Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at the Cathedral of St. Patrick, Saturday, June 14th **OR** Sunday, June 15th at 2:00 p.m. Pre-registration is required. Please contact your parish for registration. The closing date to register for the Mass is Tuesday, May 13, 2014. This event is sponsored by the Family Life + Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of N.Y.

**COLUMBIETTES CELEBRATION** The Harrison Columbiettes are celebrating their 50th Anniversary on September 21, 2014 at Beckwith Pointe in New Rochelle at a cost of \$65.00 per person. Reservation and payment are due by June 30th. Anyone interested, please contact Gloria Fava at 835-2165.

**SALUTE TO SENIORS** This year's 46th Annual Salute to Seniors on Thursday, May 8 from 9 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. at the County Center in White Plains is guaranteed to be the best one yet. Be among the first to experience the new and innovative Telehealth Intervention Program for Seniors that uses technology to remotely monitor your vital signs. Live entertainment will feature Elvis Presley and Diana Ross impersonators, while Polynesian and Irish Step dancers will add to the fun. The Business Expo will again have more than 90 vendors who specialize in products and services for seniors and caregivers and officials from county and state agencies will also be on hand. Admission and parking are free.

**THEOLOGY ON TAP-NYC** (a young adult ministry for those in their 20's and 30's) presents: "Pope Francis-Why He Leads the Way He Leads". On Monday, May 5, 2014, Mr. Chris Lowney will make a return to our venue to talk about his new book on Pope Francis. Mr. Lowney will provide some insights on how the Pope is influenced by his Jesuit roots and the way he was raised in Argentina. Talk begins at 7:30 p.m. and ends around 9:00 p.m. Location is Connolly's Bar, 121 West 45th St., between 6th and 7th Avenues, on the 3rd floor. Visit us at [www.totnyc.org](http://www.totnyc.org) for more information.

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

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Clara Theresa Biele and have been requested by Diane Dempsey.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of Emilio, Filomena and Clemente Scatenato and have been requested by Ida Scatenato and Family.

The Altar Flowers this week have been donated in memory of Dr. Concetta Tina Marone and have been requested by her sisters, Joan Anixt and Gloria Marone.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Pat and Eleanor Angarano and have been requested by Arlene Perazzini.

### **In Memory**



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

Nancy Marotta  
Frances Scelia



Gabriel Joseph Cortese  
*Child of Crystal and Anthony Cortese*



I Victoria Anne Petrucco and Christopher Oscar  
James Hultman

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — God has raised the crucified Jesus, who now pours forth the Holy Spirit upon us (Acts 2:14, 22-33).

**Psalm** — Lord, you will show us the path of life (Psalm 16).

**Second Reading** — Our faith and hope are in God who raised Jesus from the dead (1 Peter 1:17-21).

**Gospel** — Through his words and in the breaking of the bread, the risen Christ made himself known to two disciples on their way to Emmaus (Luke 24:13-35).

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

**Monday:** Acts 6:8-15; Ps 119:23-24, 26-27, 29-30; Jn 6:22-29

**Tuesday:** Acts 7:51 — 8:1a; Ps 31:3cd-4, 6, 7b, 8a, 17, 21ab; Jn 6:30-35

**Wednesday:** Acts 8:1b-8; Ps 66:1-3a, 4-7a; Jn 6:35-40

**Thursday:** Acts 8:26-40; Ps 66:8-9, 16-17, 20; Jn 6:44-51

**Friday:** Acts 9:1-20; Ps 117:1bc, 2; Jn 6:52-59

**Saturday:** Acts 9:31-42; Ps 116:12-17; Jn 6:60-69

**Sunday:** Acts 2:14a, 36-41; Ps 23:1-6; 1 Pt 2:20b-25; Jn 10:1-10

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

**Sunday:** Third Sunday of Easter

**Monday:** Cinco de Mayo

**Saturday:** St. Damien de Veuster

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Joan Anixt, Joelen Becker, Mary Ellen Beyer, Frances Bodycott, Silvio Catalano, Matthew Coulter, Maria D'Alessandro, Gabrielle Di Carlo, Donna DiMaggio, Susan Di Silvestro, Barrett Dorn, Dolly Mae, Sabrina Marciante, Joanne Mayne, Elaine Noll, Ralph Sirani, Sr., Maria Sisca, Lee Ann Thomas, Marie Thomson, Monica Toro, Margaret Valeri, Peter Valeri, Concetta Vasile, Frank Volpe, Elizabeth Welsh, Gregory Westfall, Maggie Wunderlick—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.

## Must we lend money?

*My daughter is \$30,000 in debt. On her last payday, a friend asked to borrow \$600 for his house payment. My daughter lent him the money because she heard a reading at Mass that if you have money and your friend needs it, you should lend it. Is that what Jesus would have my daughter do in her current situation?*

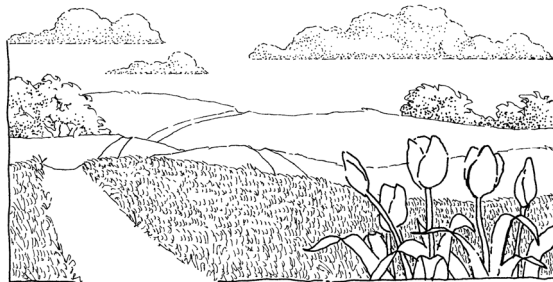
*If your daughter* had \$600 she didn't need immediately and was quite sure her friend would pay it back in a timely fashion, then yes, it was good for your daughter to have lent the money in that situation. It's a sign of your daughter's generosity and kindness.

But there are a lot of "ifs" in the above scenario. If someone had lent that money to your daughter, and because she then lent it to her friend, the lender was denied her payment in a timely fashion, your daughter shouldn't have lent the money.

Putting this idea in simpler terms, if I have two chickens and I need only one for supper, I can give a hungry person the extra chicken. But I needn't give away all that I have to feed the hungry, thus becoming hungry myself. If I have only one chicken, I don't have to give it away.

We're called to be generous, but not at the expense of our own well-being. Lending money is a different issue because it seems everyone owes money. If your daughter is paying her debts in a timely fashion, she's not obligated to pay more, and she can continue to be generous.

*Fr. Patrick Keyes, CSSR*  
*sundaybulletins@liguori.org*



## **MINISTRY OF LECTORS – 2014**

DAY	TIME	May 3 & 4	May 10 & 11	May 17 & 18	May 24 & 25	May 31
Saturday	5:00 pm	Susanna Germani	Stephen Rolandi	Robert Galante	Mary Niland	Jane McCarty
Sunday	7:00 am	Robert Shannon	Eamon Kelly	William McKay	Andrew Duggan	<b>Thursday – May 29 – ASCENSION THURSDAY</b>
Sunday	8:30 am	Eleanor Russo	Patricia and Dino Fabrizio	Marianne Cipolla	Daniel Rogers	9:00 a.m. Eleanor Russo
Sunday	10:00 am	Family Mass	Madge Bocskay	Family Mass – Grade 2	Frank Kizis	12:00 p.m. Joan Francesconi
Sunday	11:30 am	Diane Dempsey	Joan Francesconi	Jean Wurzburger	Marwan Bishtawi	7:30 p.m. Robert Shannon
Sunday	5:00 pm	Angela D’Onofrio	Peter Agliardo	Mary Niland	Jane McCarty	

Faith is the substance of things hoped for,  
the evidence of things not seen  
Heb. 11:1

**LECTORS:** Please remember lectors are responsible for saying the verse part only of psalm. Please discuss with Cantor before Mass if you have questions.

(Don’t forget short a for “a reading...”)

**COMMUNION PRAYER IS READ ONLY AT MASSES WHERE THERE IS NO MUSIC**

**LECTORS:** Please **DO NOT** leave the altar with the Gospel Book. Leave it either on the lectern or bring it down and put it on the bench in back of the altar pews we use for sitting.

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**ALTAR SERVER MAY 2014**

	MAY 3 & 4	MAY 10 & 11	MAY 17 & 18	MAY 24 & 25	MAY 31 JUNE 1
Sat. 5:00 p.m.	6	5	4	3	2
Sun. 7:00 a.m.	7	6	5	4	3
8:30 a.m.	1	7	6	5	4
10:00 a.m.	2	1	7	6	5
11:30 a.m.	3	2	1	7	6
5:00 p.m.	4	3	2	1	7



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