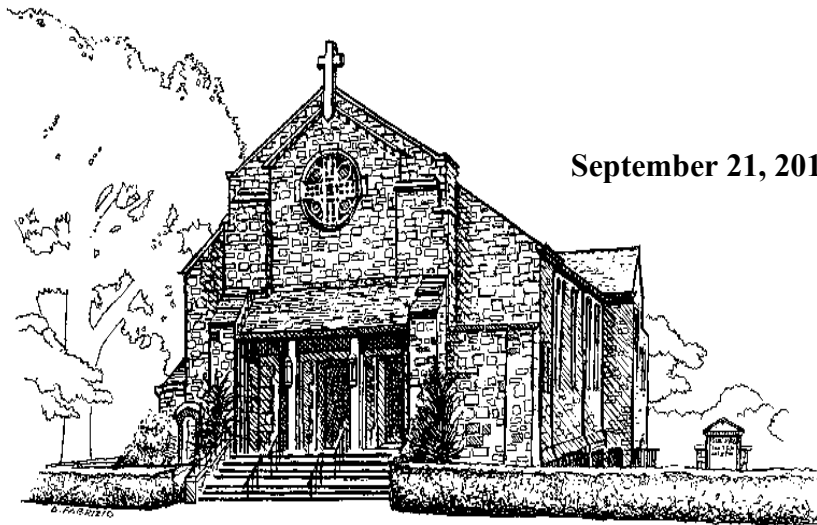


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September 21, 2014

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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.

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

September 21, 2014
Twenty-Fifty Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions

SAT. 9/20	5:00 p.m.	DEBBIE MC AULIFFE
SUN. 9/21	7:00 a.m.	LUCY & DOMINICK PANGALLO
	8:30 a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	10:00 a.m.	ROBET LOVALLO
	11:30 a.m.	JOSEPHINE FONTANA
	5:00 p.m.	ANGELO DILELLO
MON. 9/22	6:45 a.m.	JOSEPH FAMELI
	9:00 a.m.	DEBBIE MC AULIFFE
TUES. 9/23	6:45 a.m.	ANTONIO ANTOLINO
	9:00 a.m.	MICHAEL, MARIA & RAFFAELE ROSSI
WED. 9/24	6:45 a.m.	GIUSEPPINA MIELE
	9:00 a.m.	GIOVANNI IORI
THU. 9/25	6:45 a.m.	SHIRLEY FISHER
	9:00 a.m.	DANIEL ROSA
FRI. 9/26	6:45 a.m.	MICHAEL NILAND
	9:00 a.m.	ANTHONY PISCOPO
SAT. 9/27	9:00 a.m.	ISABEL daSILVA-HOMEM
	5:00 p.m.	MARY & WILLIAM DONOVAN
SUN. 9/28	7:00 a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30 a.m.	JOSEPH GIORDANO
	10:00 a.m.	ANA ISABEL ARCE
	11:30 a.m.	IDA & LUIGI BECCARELLI
	5:00 p.m.	GIUSEPPINA MIELE



*The last will be first,
and the first will be last*

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

HILDEGARD OF BINGEN CONCERT AT ST. GREGORY THE GREAT Our Music Director, Stephen Black, will lead a program of music based on the compositions of Hildegard of Bingen, a medieval mystic, writer, musician and abbess. The program will be performed by the women's vocal ensemble AMUSE from New York City, which Mr. Black leads in his capacity as Artistic Director. The concert is Sunday, September 28 at 3 p.m. in the church, and will last an hour. Donations accepted at the door. For information visit www.amusesingers.org.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE... is a peaceful, highly-focused, non-denominational, pro-life initiative that focuses on 40 days of prayer and fasting, peaceful vigil at abortion facilities, and grassroots educational outreach.

The Fall 2014 Campaign begins September 24th and continues through November 2nd. The local campaign will feature a peaceful 40-day prayer vigil in the public right-of-way outside Planned Parenthood at 175 Tarrytown Road in Greenburgh. All prayer vigil participants are asked to sign a statement of peace, pledging to conduct themselves in a Christ-like manner at all times. For more information or to sign up for the vigil, please visit: www.40daysforlife.com/white-plains or contact Gerald Yeung at (914) 837-7008.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, September 14th was \$7,721.00. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

COLLECTION FOR THE SEMINARY Thank you for your generosity. The Sunday collection for Saint Joseph's Seminary totaled \$4,547.00.

FR. CARLOS VILLACORTA...is visiting from El Salvador. Fr. Carlos will celebrate the 5:00 p.m. Mass Sunday evening on September 28th. Those of you who wish to greet him may do so after the Mass.

FALL CARNIVAL Sts. Peter and Paul Church in Fleetwood presents a Fall Carnival to be held from Wednesday, September 24 through Sunday, September 28, 2014. Featuring carnival rides, games and attractions, merchandise vendors and plenty of great food from local merchants and restaurants. Open Wednesday to Friday from 4:00 to 10:00 p.m. and Saturday from 12:00 to 11:00 p.m. and Sunday from 2:00 to 8:00 p.m.

THEOLOGY ON TAP-NYC...(a young adult ministry for those in their 20's and 30's) presents: "Bad Romance: Saint John Paul II and Lady Gaga Debate the Meaning of Love". On Monday, September 22, 2014, Dr. Phil Franco, will give an enlightening presentation on our current view of love and relationship and how this view conflicts with the teachings of our Faith. Talk begins at 7:30 p.m. and ends around 9:00 p.m. Location is Connolly's Bar, 121 West 45th Street, between 6th and 7th Avenues, on the 3rd floor. Email us at questions@totnyc.org.

OPEN HOUSE Regis High School, an all-scholarship Jesuit secondary school for Catholic boys, announces its Open House for 8th graders and their parents, to occur on Wednesday, October 8th from 5:30 - 8:30 p.m. For additional information, please write, email or call: Eric Di Michele, Director of Admissions, Regis High School, 55 East 84th Street, New York, New York 10028 - 212-288-1100, ext. 2057 or edimichele@regis-nyc.org.

Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Pasqualina and Pasquale D'Antona and have been requested by Gaetana and Angelo Iori.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of the Ciniglia Family and have been requested by the Behr Family.

The Altar Flowers this week have been donated in memory of Msgr. Raimondo, Fr. Sacca and Fr. Irrera and have been requested by Iolanda and Generoso Ciatto.

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

In Memory

Esther Egan
John Fazio
Paul Vallarelli
Grace Zicca



Jay Ciraco

Child of Erica and Jay Ciraco

Kevin Jonathan and Steven Alexis Cruz

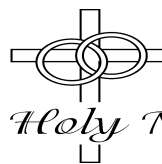
Children of Maria and Victor Cruz

Quinn Emeri Pugliese

Child of Jamie and James Pugliese

Philip Toscano III

Child of Lia and Philip Toscano II



Patricia Muollo and Vincent Lanzillotti



II Lauren Ross and Steven Masi

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Turn to the LORD who is generous in forgiving (Isaiah 55:6-9).

Psalm — The Lord is near to all who call upon him (Psalm 145).

Second Reading — Live your lives in a way worthy of the gospel of Christ (Philippians 1:20c-24, 27a).

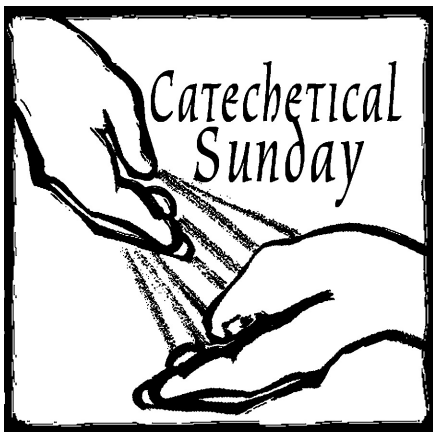
Gospel — The last will be first, and the first will be last (Matthew 20:1-16a).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Prv 3:27-34; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 8:16-18
Tuesday: Prv 21:1-6, 10-13;
Ps 119:1, 27, 30, 34, 35, 44; Lk 8:19-21
Wednesday: Prv 30:5-9;
Ps 119:29, 72, 89, 101, 104, 163; Lk 9:1-6
Thursday: Eccl 1:2-11; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17bc;
Lk 9:7-9
Friday: Eccl 3:1-11; Ps 144:1b, 2abc, 3-4;
Lk 9:18-22
Saturday: Eccl 11:9 — 12:8; Ps 90:3-6, 12-14, 17;
Lk 9:43b-45
Sunday: Ez 18:25-28; Ps 25:4-9; Phil 2:1-11 [1-5];
Mt 21:28-32

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time;
Catechetical Sunday
Tuesday: St. Pius of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio);
Autumn begins
Wednesday: Rosh Hashanah (Jewish New Year) 5775
begins at sunset
Friday: Ss. Cosmas and Damian
Saturday: St. Vincent de Paul



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Is there a dress code for weddings?

A few months ago you talked about appropriate dress for Mass. What about appropriate dress for brides and bridesmaids at church weddings? Some of the dresses are so revealing you'd never know they were getting married in a church. Are there rules about this?

You make a very good point. Individual dioceses or parishes might have guidelines, but the universal church doesn't, and standards of modesty vary. One would presume that people getting married in a church, or even just attending Mass, would understand proper decorum.

By the time the bridal party is entering the church, it's too late for the priest to do anything about the gowns, although I have heard of a priest who gave the bride a handkerchief to cover herself.

Parishes should have guidelines that cover dress for all members of the bridal party and for photography, music, and participation in the Eucharist. These guidelines should be given to the couple when they prepare for the sacrament to avoid embarrassing situations in the vestibule right before the wedding.

Ask your pastor if your archdiocese or parish has such guidelines. If it doesn't, offer to help draw them up.

Fr. Patrick Keyes, CSSR
sundaybulletins@liguori.org

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Joan Anixt, Mary Ellen Beyer, Frances Bodycott, Sue Burger, James Castaldi, Silvio Catalano, Adrian and Marisa Colon, Matthew Coulter, Mark Davis, Gabrielle Di Carlo, Donna DiMaggio, Susan Di Silvestro, Barrett Dorn, Brendan Dowd, Camdon Joseph, Michael LaDore, Sabrina Marciante, Joanne Mayne, Stephanie Merenda, Nick Rinaldi, Ralph Sirani, Sr., Lee Ann Thomas, Marie Thomson, Monica Toro, Margaret Valeri, Peter Valeri, Concetta Vasile, Elizabeth Welsh, Gregory Westfall, Maggie Wunderlick—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.