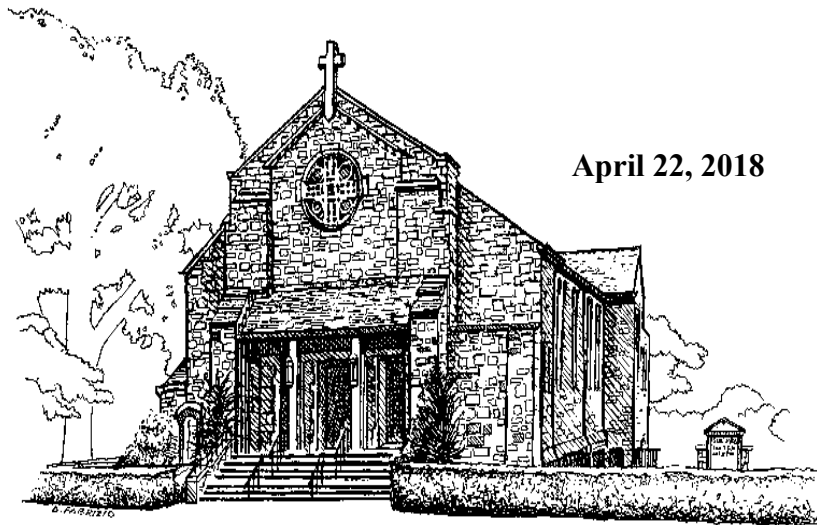


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April 22, 2018

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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

6:45 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:00 noon, and 7:30 p.m.

Devotions to Our Lady

Novena - Monday at 9:30 a.m.

Baptism

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

Penance

Saturday: 4:00 - 4:55 p.m.
All Other Times: On Request

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 5 & 6	Tuesday	3:30 - 4:45 p.m.
Grades 3 & 4	Wednesday	3:30 - 4:45 p.m.
Grades 7 & 8	Wednesday	7:00 - 8:15 p.m.
Grades 1 & 2	Thursday	3:30 - 4:30 p.m.

Meetings

Parish Council: Fourth Thursday of the month at 7:30 p.m. in the Lower Church Hall.

Finance Committee: Meets periodically.

Rosary Altar Society: First Thursday of the month at 2:00 p.m. for the Rosary, and 2:30 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: Friday - 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.

April 22, 2018
Fourth Sunday of Easter
Mass Intentions

SAT. 4/21	5:00	p.m.	ELIZABETH RUBEO
SUN. 4/22	7:00	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30	a.m.	ROBERT & AKI BISCEGLIA
	10:00	a.m.	CARMEN VERDUGAR
	11:30	a.m.	SARAH, SAL & MICHAEL DE FONCE
	5:00	p.m.	KENNETH SIMONS
MON. 4/23	6:45	a.m.	MARIANNE SCHMITT- HOFFMAN
	9:00	a.m.	ANNE & RICHARD REILLY & SONS
TUES. 4/24	6:45	a.m.	TOSCA BUTLER
	9:00	a.m.	HELEN ROWAN, MARY BUFI & REA MOSCA
WED. 4/25	6:45	a.m.	MARIANNE SCHMITT- HOFFMAN
	9:00	a.m.	HELEN CANNISTRACI
THU. 4/26	6:45	a.m.	THOMAS F. MC GEE
	9:00	a.m.	ERNIE RED FIORE
FRI. 4/27	6:45	a.m.	GEORGE VOETSCH
	9:00	a.m.	BILL & DOROTHY ROMANELLI
SAT. 4/28	9:00	a.m.	ANTONIO TAFURI & GUS FRANZESE
	5:00	p.m.	BERNARDO ROSSINI
SUN. 4/29	7:00	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30	a.m.	MARY GRABLEY
	10:00	a.m.	THE DAVIS FAMILY
	11:30	a.m.	MARCEL LE MOIGNE
	5:00	p.m.	DR. JOCILYN BERGIN & MICHAEL FRAIOLI & FAMILY



ANNUAL GOLDEN WEDDING MASS CELEBRATION Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2018 are invited to attend the golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at Saint Patrick's Cathedral on Sunday, June 3 at 2:15 p.m. Pre-registration is required. Please contact your parish to register. The closing date to register for the Mass is Monday, May 14, 2018.

PARISH CELEBRATION FOR 25, 50, 60 AND 65TH YEAR WEDDING ANNIVERSARIANS The Parish celebration for 25, 50, 60 and 65th Year Anniversarians will take place on Sunday May 27, 2018, at the 11:30 a.m. Mass. Please notify the Rectory Office if you plan to attend (Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. - 835-0677).

TOURING TUESDAY On Touring Tuesday, April 24, prospective parents are invited to experience Catholic schools in action by visiting one or more regional/parish/private school open house events throughout the Archdiocese of NY, between the hours of 9 a.m. - 11 a.m. See our K-Grade 8, Pre-K, and FREE Universal Pre-Kindergarten (UPK) programs for yourself (where available). Touring Tuesdays are for prospective parents only. Plan to visit from 9-11 a.m. or by appointment. Reservations are required. Reserve online at <https://catholicschoolsny.org/> (under events), or call our phone line 646-794-2885 to reserve. Alternative appointments can be made directly with your school of interest.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, April 15, was \$7,866.00. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

PARISH MASS FOR THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

A special Mass for the Anointing of the Sick will take place today, Sunday, April 22, 2018 at 11:30 a.m. Those who may benefit from the Sacrament of the Anointing are adults 65 years and older, anyone undergoing surgery, or adults and children with serious illness.

INTERFAITH CONGREGATIONAL LAYMEN'S COMMITTEE OF HARRISON

Please join us on Wednesday, May 2 at 7:30 p.m. in the Harrison Library, 2 Bruce Ave., Harrison, NY for a presentation: "Joachim Prinz: I Shall Not Be Silent". A documentary film about Joachim Prinz, a leading figure during the civil rights movement. Expelled from Germany in 1937, Rabbi Prinz came to America. Here he worked to bring attention to the social injustices of the time. Introduction and follow up discussion with Rabbi Norton Shargel. All are welcome! Refreshments will be served.

STEPINAC THEATRE

Archbishop Stepinac High School Drama Club presents the Tony award winning hit, **Ragtime, The Musical**. Show dates are: April 27th, 28th, May 4th, 5th at 7:00 p.m. and a matinee on May 6th at 2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$22 for adults and \$18 for children under 12 and senior citizens. For ticket reservations, please call 914-946-4800, ext. 200. For further information, email theatre@stepinac.org. Follow us: Facebook: Stepinac Drama Club Page - Twitter: StepinacDrama.

CYRM'S HS SENIOR RETREAT

Sat., May 5 - 7:00 p.m. - Sunday, May 6 - 4:00 p.m. Transition into your future with confidence and faith. Move beyond what has become familiar and comfortable in order to grow and be strengthened for the continued journey of a life with Christ after high school. \$80.00/pp includes lodging, meals and materials. Mail application and non-refundable \$40.00 deposit made payable to CYFM by May 1. Find info and application at www.cyfm.org and click on "events" Also find us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Flocknote: CYFMGarrison, capuchin Youth & Family Ministries, 781 Route 9D, PO Box 192, Garrison, NY (845-424-3609).

Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Margaret Giovannetti and have been requested by Patsy and Rosemary Altamuro.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of Vincenzo Pagnotta and have been requested by his wife, Gerardina Pagnotta.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of William Iannarelli and have been requested by Lenore and James Moretti.

In Memory



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

Adelaide D'Arminio
Patrick De Fonce, Jr.

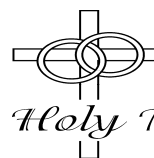


We
welcome into the St. Gregory the Great Family through the
waters of Baptism

Quinn Coleson Hockler
Child of Ashley and Beau Hockler

Dean Michael Gras
Child of Justine and Dean Gras

Jake Joseph Napolitano
Child of Kara and Nicholas Napolitano



Lisa Alvarado and Steven Di Savino

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — There is no other name under heaven by which we are to be saved than the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene (Acts 4:8-12).

Psalm — The stone rejected by the builders has become the cornerstone (Psalm 118).

Second Reading — See what love the Father has bestowed on us that we may be called the children of God (1 John 3:1-2).

Gospel — I am the good shepherd. A good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep (John 10:11-18).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Acts 11:1-18; Ps 42:2-3; 43:3, 4; Jn 10:1-10
Tuesday: Acts 11:19-26; Ps 87:1b-7; Jn 10:22-30
Wednesday: 1 Pt 5:5b-14; Ps 89:2-3, 6-7, 16-17;
Mk 16:15-20
Thursday: Acts 13:13-25; Ps 89:2-3, 21-22, 25, 27;
Jn 13:16-20
Friday: Acts 13:26-33; Ps 2:6-11ab; Jn 14:1-6
Saturday: Acts 13:44-52; Ps 98:1-4; Jn 14:7-14
Sunday: Acts 9:26-31; Ps 22:26-28, 30-32;
1 Jn 3:18-24; Jn 15:1-8

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Fourth Sunday of Easter; Earth Day;
World Day of Prayer for Vocations
Monday: St. George; St. Adalbert
Tuesday: St. Fidelis of Sigmaringen
Wednesday: St. Mark; Administrative Professionals Day
Friday: Arbor Day
Saturday: St. Peter Chanel;
St. Louis Grignon de Montfort

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Mary Ellen Beyer, Frances Bodycott, Sue Burger, Denis Cantrell, Silvio Catalano, Angela Caparelli, Anna Coppola, Matthew Coulter, Mark Davis, Gabrielle Di Carlo, Barrett Dorn, Brendan Dowd, David Fraioli & Family, Mary Gill, Brody Ryscik, William Lawrence, Kristen McRedmond, Stephanie Merenda, Joanne Opava, Frank Radogna, Joel Rivera, Carol Sheridan, Lee Ann Thomas, Monica Toro, Robert Travers, Mark Valentino, Elizabeth West, Maggie Wunderlick—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.

Dear Padre
April 22, 2018

Every time I pick up a Catholic magazine, I read articles about taking care of our environment. Shouldn't Christians be more concerned with the big problems in the world - such as war, hunger and sickness?

The world's big problems as you name them are not as disconnected to the environment as they seem. The depletion of natural resources displaces people, and their forced migration can create social conflict. Droughts impact some of the estimated 800 million undernourished people globally. Climate affects certain diseases and their transmission.

In his encyclical *Laudato si*, Pope Francis wrote, "The deterioration of the environment and of society affects the most vulnerable people on the planet" (LS 48). He adds that a solution to the crisis demands an approach that is both social and environmental in "combating poverty, restoring dignity to the excluded, and at the same time, protecting nature" (LS 139).

Thus, we can't feed the hungry or visit the ill, then dump toxins on the ground and claim we love God's creation. We can't defend the unborn and exploit the environment upon which all life depends. Love demands that we act with care toward all creation, since we cannot sever creation from the Creator. If we respect the earth, we'll find it easy to revere the war-torn, the hungry, and the sick.

Moreover, Catholic print and electronic media must help call attention to environmental concerns because they involve our Christian duty to act upon the physical world in a way that respects its relationship to God.

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