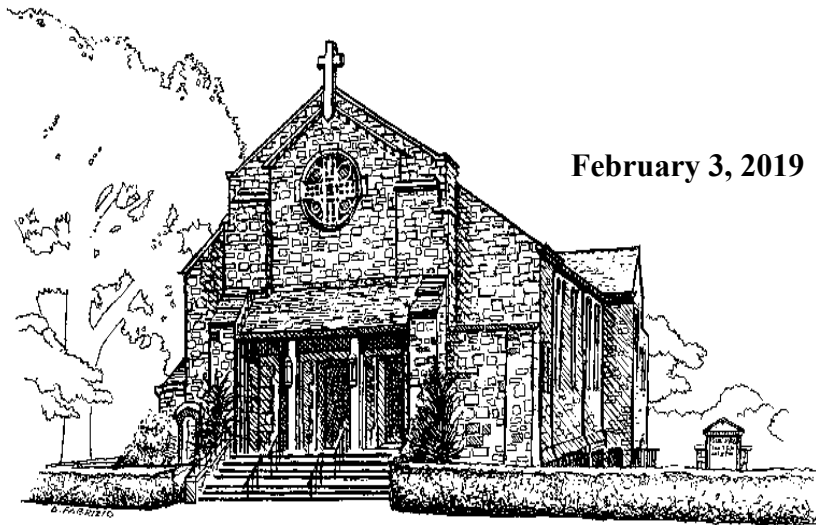


# ST. GREGORY THE GREAT

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February 3, 2019

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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 Wednesday 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.

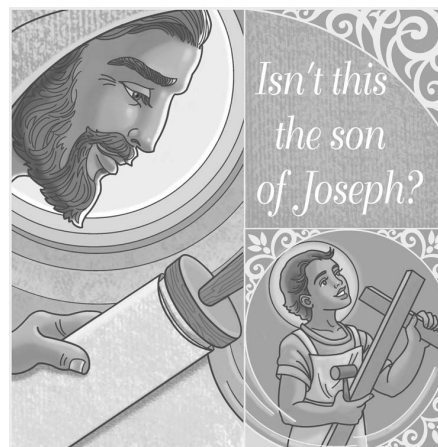
**St. Gregory's Choir:** Friday - 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.

**Bible Study:** Wednesdays at 7:00 p.m.

**Respect Life:** Second Monday of the month at 7:00 p.m.

**February 3, 2019**  
**Fourth Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
**Mass Intentions**

SAT. 2/2	5:00	p.m.	LEONARD SAURO
SUN. 2/3	7:00	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30	a.m.	RUDY RUSSO
	10:00	a.m.	ANTONIO & VIRGINIA COCCOLI
	11:30	a.m.	CHIARA DE LUCA
	5:00	p.m.	HELENE FRELICOT
MON. 2/4	6:45	a.m.	WILLIAM & PATRICIA KIERNAN
	9:00	a.m.	FRANK CESARIO
TUES. 2/5	6:45	a.m.	LINDA HARRINGTON
	9:00	a.m.	FRANCESCO BLASI
WED. 2/6	6:45	a.m.	JOSEPH, FILOMENA & ELIZABETH MINISHI
	9:00	a.m.	ANASTASIA MC DONALD
THU. 2/7	6:45	a.m.	MARY ELIZABETH PLUNKETT
	9:00	a.m.	ANTONIO & GERRI MARIANI
FRI. 2/8	6:45	a.m.	ANN GODFREY HALLORAN
	9:00	a.m.	VITO & FRANCES FAGA
SAT. 2/9	9:00	a.m.	MARANO TAURO
	5:00	p.m.	JOHN BARBIERI
SUN. 2/10	7:00	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30	a.m.	JOHN BARBIERI
	10:00	a.m.	VALLONE FAMILY
	11:30	a.m.	JOSEPH A. AND JOSEPH G. SILVESTRO
	5:00	p.m.	PENNY PETRUZELLO- DAWSON



**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 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.

**ST. GREGORY'S PARISH RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM - REGISTRATION INFORMATION** Registration for current students and incoming 1st graders will be **January 7th-25th for the 2019-2020** school year. New student registration is open February 4th-15th. Registration forms can be found on line under the Religious education tab on the parish website. Hard copies are also available in the office. Due to limited classroom space and volunteer recruitment, a strict registration timeline is necessary. Placement is not guaranteed when registration is not received in the timeline offered. Please note that you will be required to have your **parish envelope number** to complete registration. For additional information, email [stgregprep@gmail.com](mailto:stgregprep@gmail.com) or call 914-835-3685.

**FINANCIAL CORNER:** Our Sunday collection for Sunday, January 27, 2019 was \$7,327.00 Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

**SAINT BLAISE** Since the Feast of St. Blaise falls on a Sunday this year, the blessing will be given to everyone today as the final blessing for Sunday Mass.

**VALENTINE DANCE** The Knights of Columbus Holy Cross Council 16838 will have an Annual Valentine Dance on Saturday, February 9 from 6:30-11:00 p.m. at OLMC Church Hall, 92 S. Lexington Ave., White Plains, NY 10606 - \$75 per couple/\$40 individual. Buffet Dinner, BYOB, set-ups will be provided. Live Entertainment by Frank Pasqualini and the Wanderers and Tino Ciambriello and Flashback 13. For questions, please contact Andrea via email: [andrea@sjeolmc.org](mailto:andrea@sjeolmc.org) or the rectory 948-5909 or 949-0439 from 9-4 p.m. Monday-Friday.

**FRANK CONROY BASKETBALL CAMP** The camp is for boys/girls ages 6-14. You can register online at [www.conroybasketballcamp.com](http://www.conroybasketballcamp.com). The camp teaches the basics: dribbling, shooting, passing and defense. Dates: February 18 - 22nd from 8:45 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at Holy Trinity Church in New Rochelle. Any questions, please call Coach Conroy at 914-980-0820.

**CONSOLING THE HEART OF JESUS** A small group retreat for 10 weeks that delves into the simplicity and grandeur of Consoling spirituality. This retreat is based on the popular book by Fr. Michael Gaitley, MIC, *Consoling the Heart of Jesus*. St. Augustine Parish, 381 N. Highland Avenue, Ossining, NY from 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. in the Parish Annex. Dates: Sunday, February 10 to Divine Mercy Sunday, April 28, 2019 (Not including Easter Sunday). To register or for more information, contact: Myrnae at [myrnae@bestweb.net](mailto:myrnae@bestweb.net) or call (914) 643-8338.

**OPEN HOUSE** Dominican College, 470 Western Highway, Orangeburg, NY 10962, is hosting an Open House for High School and Transfer students and their families on Saturday, February 9 from 10 a.m. The event will be held in the Hennessy Center. Students can tour campus, meet faculty and current students, and learn about generous scholarship and grant programs. Please visit the website at [www.dc.edu](http://www.dc.edu) for more information.

## Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Rudy Russo and have been requested by his wife, Eleanor and Children.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of Evelyn De Palma and have been requested by Ralph Lubrino and Connie Ficarra.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Leonard Sauro and have been requested by his wife, Barbara.

In Memory



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

Donald C. Rocco



We

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

Lorenzo Bersani

*Child of Jessica and Silvio Bersani*

Anthony Cash Cirillo

*Child of Stacey Betson and Paul Cirillo*

Johanna Elizabeth Pantello

*Child of Alexis and Ryan Pantello*

Abigail Catherine Siler

*Child of Pamela and Matthew Siler*



II Jennifer Cavallo and Erik Maldonado



## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD (Jeremiah 1:4-5, 17-19).

**Psalm** — I will sing of your salvation (Psalm 71).

**Second Reading** — If I have all faith so as to move mountains, but do not have love, I am nothing (1 Corinthians 12:31 — 13:13 [13:4-13]).

**Gospel** — No prophet is accepted in the prophet's hometown (Luke 4:21-30).

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

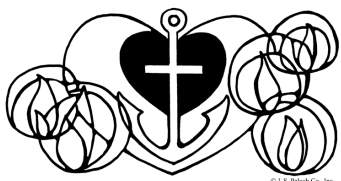
Monday: Heb 11:32-40; Ps 31:20-24; Mk 5:1-20  
Tuesday: Heb 12:1-4; Ps 22:26b-2,8,30-32"  
Mk 5:21-43  
Wednesday: Heb 12:4-7,11-15, Ps 103:1-2, 13-14, 17-18a; Mk 6:1-6  
Thursday: Heb 12:18-19, 21-24; Ps 48:2-1, 4, 9-11; Mk 6:7-13  
Friday: Heb 13:1-8; Ps 27:1,3,5,-8b-9;Mk 6:14-29  
Saturday: Heb 13:15-17, 20-21; Ps23:1-6; Mk6:30-34  
Sunday: Is 6:1-2a, 3-8; Ps 138:1-5, 7, 8;  
1 Cor 15:1 -11 (3-8); Lk 5:1-11

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time;  
Boy Scouting Sunday  
Tuesday: St. Agatha; Chinese New Year 4717  
Wednesday: St. Paul Miki and Companions  
Friday: St. Jerome Emiliani; St. Josephine Bakhita;  
International Day of Prayer and Awareness  
against Human Trafficking  
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

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



## Dear Padre February 3, 2019

My son and his wife attend a Christian church because they like the minister and the upbeat service. My son was raised Catholic and still claims he is Catholic, even though he doesn't go to a Catholic church. I feel frustrated by the whole affair!

*Your frustration is certainly shared by many parents and grandparents today.* They raised their children Catholic, even sent them to Catholic schools, but their adult children are less disciplined about their faith practices. Recent surveys on religion showed that 80 percent of Americans say they believe in God, and 75 percent consider spirituality important in their lives. But this doesn't mean they commit to religious practices. About 60 percent of Catholics questioned attend religious services only once or twice a month, or never. Many are interested in exploring different teachings and attending different churches. The loyalty to the Church and its disciplines that was evident in our own lives, or in our parents' and grandparents' lives, is often lacking in today's under fifty-five crowd.

What can one do about this? The traditional method is to pray for your children while continuing to set an example through your own loyalty to the Catholic Church - including attendance at Sunday Mass and observance of other Church disciplines. It would be good to invite your son and his wife to attend church with you when they are visiting. As we age, we often become more religious and traditional. We may become more interested in our family's history, photos, and traditions. The religion of our childhood may begin to appear very attractive again. Be patient and continue to pray that your children will return to the Church of their roots.

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