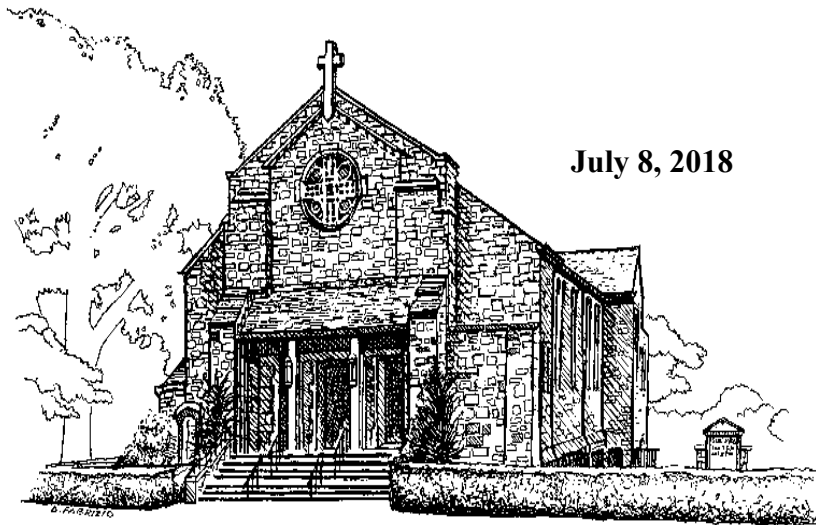


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Mass Schedule

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.

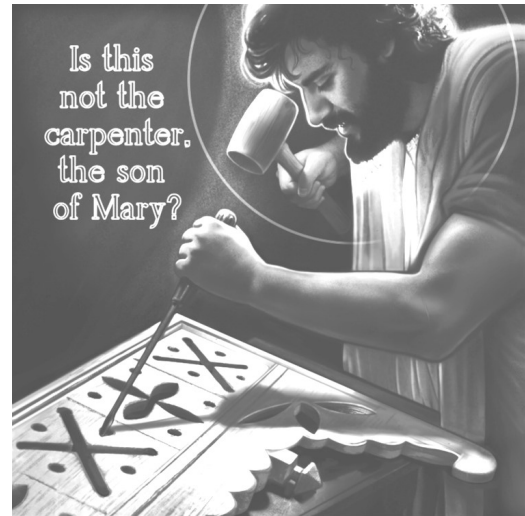
St. Gregory's Choir: Friday - 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.

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

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

July 8, 2018
Fourteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions

SAT. 7/7	5:00	p.m.	JULIAN & MARIA GORORDO
SUN. 7/8	7:00	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30	a.m.	THERESA VASSALLO
	10:00	a.m.	VINCENT COCCOLI
	11:30	a.m.	NANCY SPINELLI
	5:00	p.m.	FRANK CASTELLANO
MON. 7/9	6:45	a.m.	LANA FLORIO
	9:00	a.m.	MELISSA D'AGOSTINO KOLB
TUES. 7/10	6:45	a.m.	GERALDINE GILMORE
	9:00	a.m.	CARMELLA & MICHAEL CESARIO
WED. 7/11	6:45	a.m.	ROSE BRUNO
	9:00	a.m.	PIO GASPARRINI
THU. 7/12	6:45	a.m.	WANDA & SEKA BACIC
	9:00	a.m.	GERARDO ROSSI
FRI. 7/13	6:45	a.m.	MARINA, PAULINE & SUE ARCARA
	9:00	a.m.	SR. JOHN MARIE O'TOOLE & FR. VINCENT TAGLIENTI
SAT. 7/14	9:00	a.m.	ANGELA DI BIASI
	5:00	p.m.	FRANK DI BUONO III
SUN. 7/15	7:00	a.m.	MARY & RALPH FAVARO
	8:30	a.m.	FR. VINCENT TAGLIENTI
	10:00	a.m.	KAREN IANNIELLO
	11:30	a.m.	ANGELINA & LOUIS MUOLLO
	5:00	p.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY



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 June, 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.

FESTA ITALIANA” The Church of St. John the Evangelist and Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church will hold its annual “Festa Italiana on July 12th, 13th, 14th and 15th, 2018 on the Church grounds of Our Lady of Mount Carmel Church at 92 South Lexington Avenue, White Plains, NY 10606. Thursday and Friday 6:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m., Sat. 5:00 p.m. - 11:00 p.m., and Sunday 2:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Our “Festa Italiana” features live Italian and American music and entertainment, an outdoor dance floor, children’s games and entertainment, great Italian foods and desserts, American fare, espresso bar, air conditioned casino and much more. The admission and entertainment are free.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, June 24, was \$8,470.00 and Sunday, July 1, will be posted at a later date. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

PROCESSION Please join the “Procession of the Statue of Our Lady of Mount Carmel” on Sunday, July 15th for a public procession of prayer to honor the Virgin Mary. Worshipers in the procession of our Patron Saint will assemble in front of the Church at 12:30 p.m. The procession will begin at 1:00 p.m. followed by the celebration of Holy Mass at 2:00 p.m. For more information, please email Andrea at the rectory andrea@sjeolmc.org. or 914-948-5909.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Last week’s Treasure mentioned the “Nuns of the Battlefield,” religious sisters from several communities who served as nurses in the Civil War. Florence Nightingale had only instituted female nurses a decade before in the Crimean War, so the idea of women tending to wounded soldiers was extraordinary. The medical and sanitary conditions on the battlefields were appalling, and the sisters were nearly all teachers. Few had any medical training beyond what they had learned as youngsters in the family. Anti-Catholic prejudice was so deeply entrenched in America that sisters could not wear their habits in public. These sisters were the first, and people on both the Union and Confederate sides soon began to marvel at their bravery, efficiency, and respect for Protestant soldiers. More than six hundred sisters from twenty-one communities went to war, serving in wretched conditions. They were tough and single-minded, efficient and fearless.

After the war, sisters could appear in public everywhere in the reunited nation, and often received the praise and gratitude of grateful soldiers and family members on behalf of their sister nurses. An outdoor monument to the “Nuns of the Battlefield” stands in Washington at M Street and Rhode Island Avenue. The inscription reads: “They comforted the dying, nursed the wounded, carried hope to the imprisoned, gave in His name a drink of water to the thirsty.”

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Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Raphael (Bob) Amelio and have been requested by Antoinette, Chibba and Linda Faga.

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

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Rosario Vitale and have been requested by The Tammaro Family.

In Memory



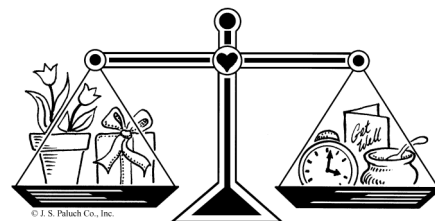
The parish community of _____ St. Gregory the Great extends its deepest sympathy to the loved ones on their loss

Virginia Fusco

Eunice P. Marchiselli

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Mary Ellen Beyer, Frances Bodycott, Sue Burger, Denis 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, 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.



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — They shall know that a prophet has been among them (Ezekiel 2:2-5).

Psalm — Our eyes are fixed on the Lord, pleading for his mercy (Psalm 123).

Second Reading — I am content with weaknesses and hardships for the sake of Christ (2 Corinthians 12:7-10).

Gospel — The people said: “Where did this man get all this? Is he not the carpenter, the son of Mary?” (Mark 6:1-6).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Hos 2:16, 17b-18, 21-22; Ps 145:2-9; Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Hos 8:4-7, 11-13; Ps 115:3-10; Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Hos 10:1-3, 7-8, 12; Ps 105:2-7; Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Hos 11:1-4, 8c-9; Ps 80:2ac, 3b, 15-16; Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Hos 14:2-10; Ps 51:3-4, 8-9, 12-14, 17; Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Is 6:1-8; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Mt 10:24-33

Sunday: Am 7:12-15; Ps 85:9-14; Eph 1:3-14 [3-10]; Mk 6:7-13

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Augustine Zhao Rong and Companions

Wednesday: St. Benedict

Friday: St. Henry

Saturday: St. Kateri Tekakwitha

Dear Padre

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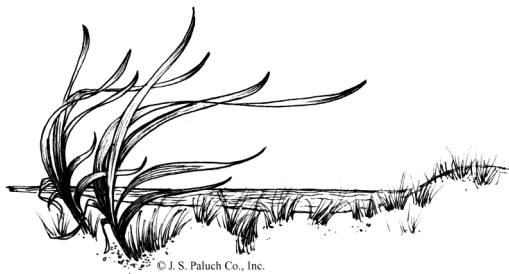
I am troubled with doubts of faith and find these thoughts very frightening. Have I lost my faith? Please help me.

It's not a sin to have these worries and doubts. I've seen this kind of thing happen to very good, holy people. Some of the saints went through terrible periods of darkness when everything they believed in seemed to be gone. Saint Therese of Lisieux said several times that her faith seemed to have vanished, that her prayers seemed to be going nowhere. So you are not alone.

Saint Alphonsus recommends that a person hounded by such doubts should not try to argue with them in the heat of battle, but rather should “run away” - that is, make a brief act of faith and try moving onto something else, get involved in some distracting activity. Temptation or doubt will likely persist, but don't believe these dark feelings. The devil is the father of lies. He is trying to make you think you're lost when you're not. By making you upset and agitated, he keeps you from prayer and other good deeds.

To sum up, when a doubt arises, say a short prayer such as “My Lord, I believe in you, I hope in you, I love you.” Once you've said a little prayer, you can ignore the temptation even if it keeps roaring in your head. Remember that the Lord can read your heart and knows that you don't want to offend him, but rather to love him with your whole heart.

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I will rather boast most gladly of my weaknesses, in order that the power of Christ may dwell with me.

— 2 Corinthians 12:9

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