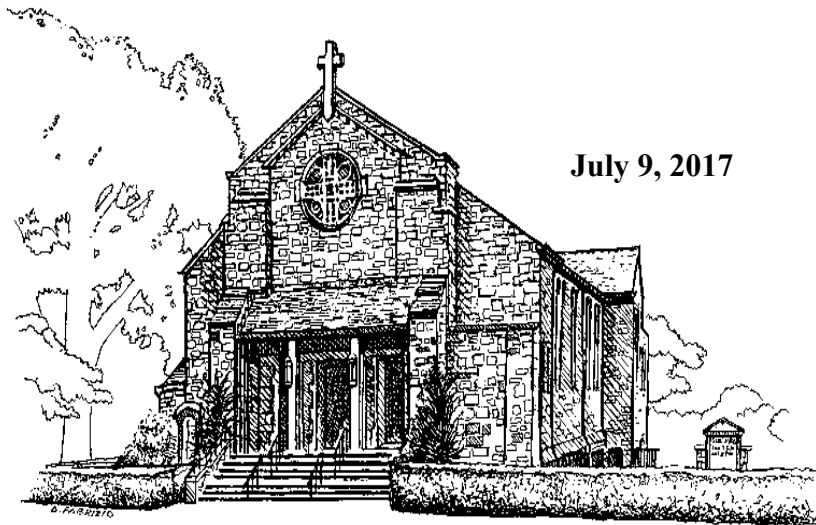


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Mass Schedule

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: Thursdays - 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.

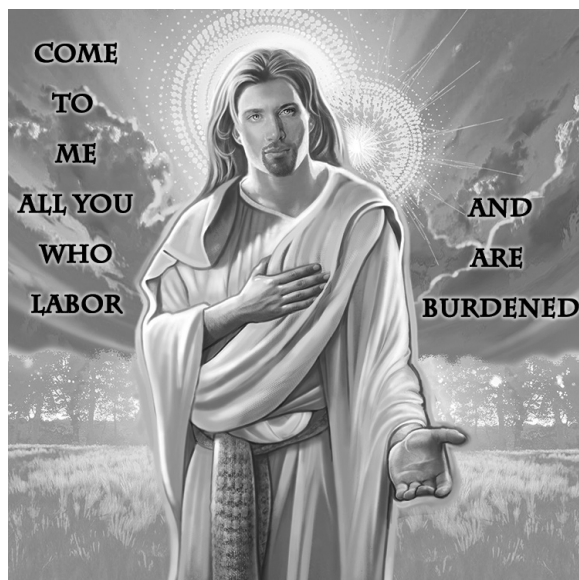
RCIA: Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

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

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

July 9, 2017
Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions

SAT. 7/8	5:00	p.m.	THE ZIPPILLI FAMILY
SUN. 7/9	7:00	a.m.	PAULINE ARCARA
	8:30	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	10:00	a.m.	HENRIETTE LE ROUX
	11:30	a.m.	ROCCO SCATENATO & LAVINIA & VANANZIO SCATENATO
	5:00	p.m.	GERARDO ROSSI
MON. 7/10	6:45	a.m.	FRANCO ACCURSO
	9:00	a.m.	CEIL TINTRUP
TUES. 7/11	6:45	a.m.	ETTORE MANFREDI
	9:00	a.m.	JOSEPH ERLANGER, SR.
WED. 7/12	6:45	a.m.	FRANCES SANTA-DONATO
	9:00	a.m.	ANN LE GRAZIE
THU. 7/13	6:45	a.m.	SEBASTIANO RESTIFO
	9:00	a.m.	SR. JOHN MARIE O'TOOLE & REV. VINCENT TAGLIENTI
FRI. 7/14	6:45	a.m.	MARY & RALPH FAVARO
	9:00	a.m.	ROSARIA VITALE
SAT. 7/15	9:00	a.m.	FELIPPO CONTI & FAMILY
	5:00	p.m.	TOM LOPAC
SUN. 7/16	7:00	a.m.	SALVATORE & FELICIA SORGE
	8:30	a.m.	JENNIE LABROSCIANO
	10:00	a.m.	FRANCES A. ROBERTO
	11:30	a.m.	ANDREW SIMONE
	5:00	p.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY



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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 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.

PROCESSION OF THE STATUE OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL Please join the Procession of the Statue of Our Lady of Mount Carmel on Sunday, July 16th for a public procession of prayer to honor the Virgin Mary. Worshipers in the procession of our Patron Saint will assemble in front of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel Church (92 South Lexington Avenue, White Plains, NY 10606) at 3:30 p.m. The procession will begin at 4:00 p.m. followed by the celebration of Holy Mass at 5:00 p.m. For more information, please call Andrea in the rectory at 914-948-5909.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, July 2, 2017 will be posted at a later date. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

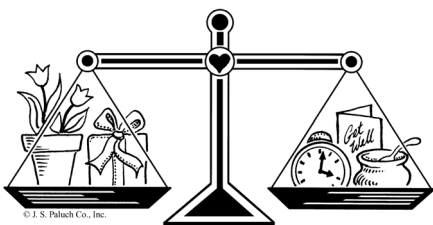
TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

The premier poet of the English language, Geoffrey Chaucer, introduced one of his most beloved characters, the “Wife of Bath,” by this telling remark: “Husbands at church door she had five.” Four times widowed, she was setting off on a pilgrimage, notably without number five. The church door is a curious detail, pointing to the fourteenth-century wedding custom of marrying on the porch of the parish church. The goal was to give maximum publicity to the consent of the groom and bride, and so consent was moved from the bride’s home to a public venue. The priest would stand in the doorway and begin by sprinkling the couple with holy water. He needed to make sure they weren’t too closely related and give them some instruction. He would direct the groom to pay the bride’s family a dowry, and then announce the monetary amounts to the interested passersby. Only then would the guests enter the church for the wedding Mass, during which the bride and groom would hold lighted candles. The gradual move from home to church and the shift from the bride’s father to the priest’s authority helped to protect the freedom of brides who weren’t quite as confident as the Wife of Bath.

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PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Marianne Yusi Barber, Mary Ellen Beyer, Frances Bodycott, Sue Burger, Silvio Catalano, Anna Coppola, Matthew Coulter, Mark Davis, Gabrielle Di Carlo, Barrett Dorn, Brendan Dowd, David Fraioli & Family, Mary Gill, Brody Ryscik, William Lawrence, Angela Margiotti, Kristen McRedmond, Stephanie Merenda, Joanne Opava, Vito Rizzo, Sr., Carol Sheridan, Lee Ann Thomas, Monica Toro, Robert Travers, Beatrice Victory, Elizabeth West, Gregory Westfall, Donna Williams, Maggie Wunderlick—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.



Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Rino Orsini and have been requested by Gabby and Patree Limardi.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of Rocco Scatenato and Venanzio and Lavinia Scatenato and have been requested by Ida Scatenato and Family.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Rosaria 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

Dorothy Sergel
Joyce Colangelo



Fiona Rose Kamienska
Child of Brittney and Richard Kamienska
Christopher James La Manna
Child of Paola and Craig La Manna
Mia Bella Sumang
Child of Diana and Chris Sumang



Jaclyn Le Pino and Matthew Sgro



I Maria Guglielmo and Francis Malara
I Allysa Marcone and Chris Romero

TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Rejoice heartily, O Jerusalem! For see, your savior comes (Zechariah 9:9-10).

Psalm — I will praise your name for ever, my king and my God (Psalm 145).

Second Reading — The one who raised Christ from death will give life to your mortal bodies also (Romans 8:9, 11-13).

Gospel — Come, all you who labor and are burdened, and I will give you rest (Matthew 11:25-30).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Gn 28:10-22a; Ps 91:1-4, 14-15ab;
Mt 9:18-26

Tuesday: Gn 32:23-33; Ps 17:1b, 2-3, 6-7ab, 8b, 15;
Mt 9:32-38

Wednesday: Gn 41:55-57; 42:5-7a, 17-24a;
Ps 33:2-3, 10-11, 18-19; Mt 10:1-7

Thursday: Gn 44:18-21, 23b-29; 45:1-5; Ps 105:16-21;
Mt 10:7-15

Friday: Gn 46:1-7, 28-30; Ps 37:3-4, 18-19, 27-28,
39-40; Mt 10:16-23

Saturday: Gn 49:29-32; 50:15-26a; Ps 105:1-4, 6-7;
Mt 10:24-33

Sunday: Is 55:10-11; Ps 65:10-14; Rom 8:18-23;
Mt 13:1-23 [1-9]

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Tuesday: St. Benedict

Thursday: St. Henry

Friday: St. Kateri Tekakwitha

Saturday: St. Bonaventure



Dear Padre
July 9, 2017

What should Jesus look like?

When people close their eyes and imagine the person of Jesus, no two images are exactly the same. Our images of Jesus are usually the result of our cultural influences and experiences. When I imagine Jesus, I often call to mind a picture of Jesus that was on one of my first holy cards.

With recent archeological investigation, combined with the work of medical artists who are often called to testify as forensic witnesses in capital murder trials, and finally starting with the assumption that Jesus resembled a typical peasant from first-century Palestine, some clues may have emerged. According to experts like Richard Neave, Jesus was possibly a person with a broad peasant's face, dark olive skin, short curly hair, and a prominent nose. His height would have been on the order of 5 feet 1 inch and he would have weighed about 110 pounds.

Of course, all of this is unnecessary speculation. What is important in matters of faith is not this level of detail but what is expressed and celebrated by the Church - that Jesus became man, born of the Virgin Mary, and we are all offered a share in the divinity of Christ.

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