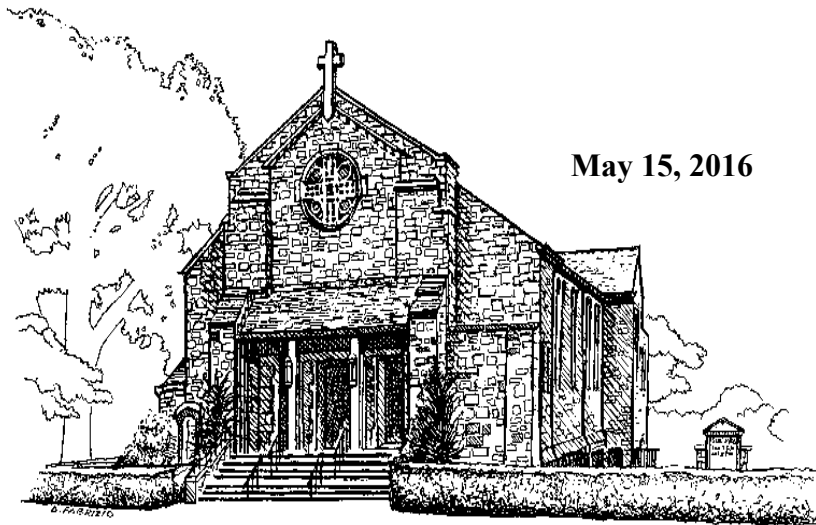


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May 15, 2016

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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: Third 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 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.

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

May 15, 2016
Pentecost Sunday
Mass Intentions

SAT. 5/14	5:00 p.m.	CHARLES & GIACONDA SLOAT
SUN. 5/15	7:00 a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30 a.m.	MARY GAUDELLI & ANNA GATTO
	10:00 a.m.	MICHELE MINICHELLO
	11:30 a.m.	PAUL VALLARELLI
	5:00 p.m.	LISA SCULTI WILLIAMSON
MON. 5/16	6:45 a.m.	GERTRUDE & FIORE ARAGONA
	9:00 a.m.	GIUSEPPINA & ANTONINO MASI LAGANA
TUES. 5/17	6:45 a.m.	BIELE & FICARRA FAMILIES
	9:00 a.m.	PASQUALE & FILOMENA MASTROGIACOMO
WED. 5/18	6:45 a.m.	GAYNOR & DAVID HOUGHTON
	9:00 a.m.	ELIZABETTA, GAETANO & CARMELA D'ANTONA
THU. 5/19	6:45 a.m.	IN THANKSGIVING TO ALL SAINTS
	9:00 a.m.	ALFONSINA FORTUNATO
FRI. 5/20	6:45 a.m.	IN THANKSGIVING TO ALL SAINTS
	9:00 a.m.	ANN DI GRACI
SAT. 5/21	9:00 a.m.	DR. FRANCIS DELZIO
	5:00 p.m.	ROCCO, SR. & MARGARET TURSO
SUN. 5/22	7:00 a.m.	ADOLPH "CHOPSEY" D'IMPERIO
	8:30 a.m.	ANGELINA, LOUIS & FRED BERLANTI
	10:00 a.m.	HENRY CIPOLLA
	11:30 a.m.	BESS & RITA JONES
	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.

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.

SAVE THE DATE Annual St. Gregory the Great Church Parish Picnic on Sunday, June 12th from Noon - 4:00 p.m. in the School Parking Lot. Entertainment - DJ and fun for kids. Bring your own food. Beer, soda, water Italian Ices, popcorn provided free of charge. Rain or shine - large tent with tables and chairs. **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** Call Bob Galante at 914-473-3170.

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 29th, at the 11:30 a.m. Mass. The deadline for reservations is Tuesday, May 24th. Please notify the Rectory Office (835-0677) if you plan to attend.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, May 8, 2016 was \$10,222.00. This total is combined with Ascension Thurs. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

SUMMER CAMP Camp Veritas 2016 is a one-week play-and-pray sleep away summer camp for teens going into 7th to 12th grades. It will be held at three USA locations in 2016; July 24-30 at Mount Saint Mary College in Newburgh, NY, July 31- August 6th, at Summit Lake Camp in Emmitsburg, MD and August 14-20 at Camp Lakota in Wurtsboro, NY. Enrollment is open and the enrollment price for each week is \$400 per camper. More details and enrollment forms for campers and volunteers (18 and over) can be found at www.campveritas.com.

25TH ANNIVERSARY - SISTERS OF LIFE Celebration on June 1 New York City - All are welcome! The holy sacrifice of the Mass at 10:30 a.m. at St. Patrick's Cathedral. Main Celebrant: His Eminence, Timothy Cardinal Dolan. Followed by a Block Party Celebration from 12:00 - 4:00 p.m., 450 W 51st St, NYC (between 9th and 10 Ave). Please RSVP at sistersoflife.org. If you would like to make a donation to help the Sisters and their mission, please send your gift to: Sisters of Life, 38 Montebello Road, Suffern NY 10901 or online: sistersoflife.org.

LIFE CHAIN Please join in this peaceful, prayerful presence for unborn babies and their Mothers at Kohl's Plaza, Port Chester, New York on Sunday, May 15, 2016 from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. Sponsored by Respect Life Ministry, Corpus-Christi-Holy Rosary Parish, Port Chester, New York. For information: (914) 939-3169).

CAPUCHIN YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRIES Free, fun day for the whole family - Sunday, May 22, 11:00 a.m. Mass followed by Senior Tree Planting Ceremony. Lunch (please bring a salad or dessert to share), Children's game booths, and God's TYM Olympics, fantastic fun competitions with other Youth Groups to bring home the Golden Tau! Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries, 781 Route 9D, P.O. Box 192, Garrison, NY 10542, (845) 424-3609. Find us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Flocknote: CYRMGarrison.

Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Petja Maria Kroner and have been requested by her daughter, Vivian G. Kroner.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of Alfonsina Fortunato and have been requested by Ann Tortello.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Alfonsina Fortunato and have been requested by Bernadette and John Bulakowski.



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

Alejandro Herberth Ribeiro
Child of Helen and Bruno Ribeiro

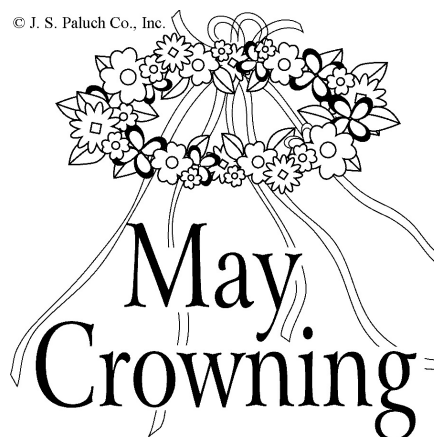


III Jill Cardinale and Colin Hourigan

III Danielle Vitti and Richie D'Amico

I Michele Noviello and Jack Burrige

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**The following youth of our parish were
“Sealed with the Gift of the Holy Spirit”**

**By The Most Reverend
Gerald T. Walsh on
April 16, 2016**

**Steven Acosta
Caitlin Bilotta
Jillian Breen
Joseph Castellana
Allison Carillo
Jenna Chiarella
Briana Catanzariti
Michael Catanzariti
Paige Cefaloni
Rafael Damian
Lindsay Flores
Ava Franco
James Gallo
Christina Giacomo
Deana Giambo
Benjamin Golden
Souleyd Denise Hinojosa
Kayla Hollmann
Thomas Homem
Brian Leonard
Greg Lucien
Riley LeFabvre
Anthony Madonna
Marcella Mazzarri
Chase Montesano
Cole Montesano
Brendan McGurk
Luke McNiff
Giulanna Miceli
Peter Neureuther
Lucas Pasquina
Natalina Passafaro
Trent Perito
Paige Pezzella
Hilary Prieto
Alexa Quirolo
Marcello Rebollo
Michael Rinaldi
Anna Romani
Brandon Singel
Jonathan Shin
Anthony Sterbens
Charles Tanico
Samantha Tardio
Mikayla Tucci
Julia Tufo
Anthony Vallaro
Janelle Vasquez
Elizabeth Vataj
Jenna Viola
Timothy Wice
Dylan Woolf
Penelope Zenhausern**

The Bible on life on other planets

What does the Bible say about life outside our solar system?

The simple answer to this question is that the Bible doesn't specifically mention life on other planets. However, there are some important biblical principles that would speak to the possibility of such a discovery.

Begin with the account of creation in Genesis: “In the beginning, when God created the heavens and the earth...” (1:1). We believe that everything that exists was created by God. All stars, planets, minerals, plants, and animals flow from the creative activity of the Holy Trinity. If there is any type of life anywhere in the universe, it owes its existence to the God we worship. So if we discover plants, animals, or even ameba on some distant planet, we should praise our Creator for that life as we do our own.

Implicit in this question is the possibility of intelligent life, and not simply lower organisms. Are there possibly societies, technologies, or even churches on other planets? Again, the Bible does not really say. If we find intelligent life, it will not be any threat to our faith. Remember: we understand that we are created in the image and likeness of God (Genesis 1:26-27). If there are intelligent species out there, they in no way would challenge that unique relationship. After all, the Son of God came to the earth as one of us.

*Rev. Matthew Bonk, CSSR
Sundaybulletins@liguori.org*

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Joan Anixt, Marianne Yusi Barber, Mary Ellen Beyer, Frances Bodycott, Carmelita Briotte, Sue Burger, Silvio Catalano, Adrian and Marisa Colon, Anna Coppola, Matthew Coulter, Mark Davis, Gabrielle Di Carlo, Barrett Dorn, Brendan Dowd, Camdon Joseph, Mary Gill, Caterina Labrosciano, William Lawrence, Sabrina Marciante, Angela Margiotti, Stephanie Merenda, Jacqueline C. Noonan, Joanne Opava, Raymond Recchia, Carol Sheridan, Lee Ann Thomas, Marie Thomson, Monica Toro, Robert Travers, Concetta Vasile, Elizabeth West, Gregory Westfall, Donna Williams, Maggie Wunderlick—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.