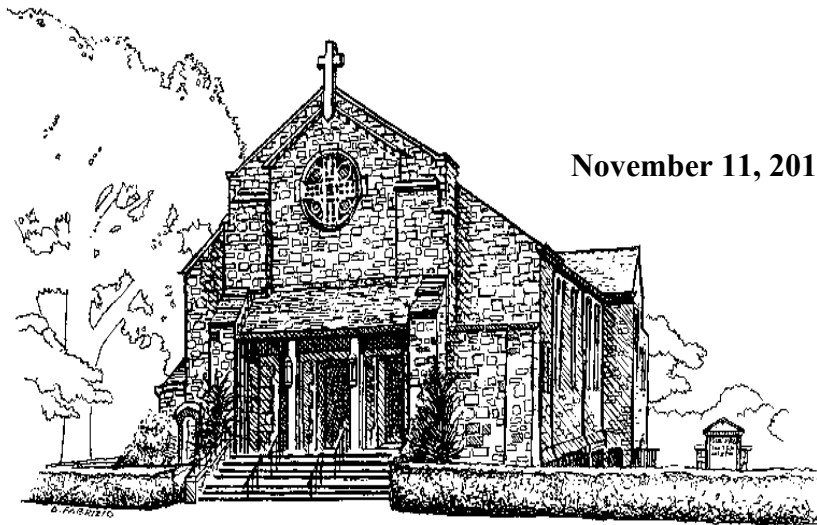


# ST. GREGORY THE GREAT

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November 11, 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 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.

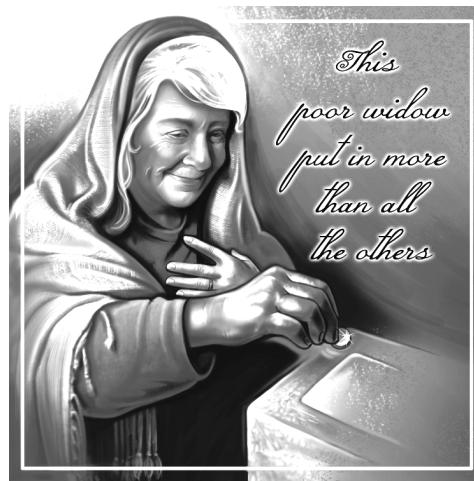
**St. Gregory's Choir:** Friday - 7:30 - 9:00 p.m.

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

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

**November 11, 2018**  
**Thirty-Second Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
**Mass Intentions**

SAT. 11/10	5:00	p.m.	SARAH, SAL & MICHAEL DE FONCE
SUN. 11/11	7:00	a.m.	PETJA MARIA KRONER
	8:30	a.m.	FRANK DE LIBERO
	10:00	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	11:30	a.m.	MICHAEL SORACIN
	5:00	p.m.	ANTONIA ROSSI
MON. 11/12	6:45	a.m.	SHARON MINISHI SCHWARTZMAN
	9:00	a.m.	ANNA & CHARLES REDA
TUES. 11/13	6:45	a.m.	BOB AMELIO
	9:00	a.m.	ANTONIO CONTI
WED. 11/14	6:45	a.m.	BOB AMELIO
	9:00	a.m.	VERA FIORE ROCCO
THU. 11/15	6:45	a.m.	LEO & ANGELA LUIISO & DECEASED CHILDREN
	9:00	a.m.	ANGELA DI BIASI
FRI. 11/16	6:45	a.m.	CARMINE IULIANO
	9:00	a.m.	GILDA & FRANK SALAMONE
SAT. 11/17	9:00	a.m.	GEORGE MAGNOTTA
	5:00	p.m.	LOUIS DI BICCARI
SUN. 11/18	7:00	a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30	a.m.	FRANCES & HENRY KIELKUCKI
	10:00	a.m.	ALFONSINA & PELLEGRINO FORTUNATO
	11:30	a.m.	RICHARD CONTRATA, SR.
	5:00	p.m.	THANKSGIVING FOR BLESSINGS RECEIVED & FOR THOSE TO COME



**MASS FOR THANKSGIVING** St. Gregory the Great will be celebrating a special Mass for Thanksgiving for all our families on Tuesday, November 20th at 7:00 p.m. Every culture uses bread as a staple. To show this unity, a bread representing different ethnic backgrounds will be brought to the Thanksgiving Mass by children of our parish. The breads will be presented by the children as part of our Offertory Procession and then given to the poor. All are welcome.

**THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE** Please bring all bags of food down to the lower church or see one of our 7th/8th graders who will carry it down to the lower church for you. Just a reminder that cash donations and supermarket gift cards are also needed. Thank you for your generosity.

**ICLC** The Interfaith Congregational Laymen's Committee of Harrison will have their annual Thanksgiving Service at The Greek Orthodox Church of Our Saviour, 2195 Westchester Ave. Rye, NY on Thursday, November 15, 2018 at 7:30 p.m. The theme is "Call to Stewardship". Please bring a canned and or dry goods to be donated to the Harrison Food Pantry. Refreshments after the service.

**JOB OPPORTUNITY** A Custodian is needed at St. Gregory the Great Church. If you are interested in this position, please send a resume to St. Gregory the Great Church, 215 Halstead Ave., Harrison, NY 10528.



**FINANCIAL CORNER:** Our Sunday collection for Sunday, November 3, 2018 was \$8,551.00. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

**GIVING TREE** The Christmas Giving Tree this year will benefit the following charities: Cardinal McCloskey Home, Sisters of Life, Hour Children's Center and St. Anthony's Shelter. The name of an item is written on each tag on the tree that would benefit someone in need. Simply select a tag from the Christmas trees in Church on the weekend of December 1st and 2nd. On the following weekend of December 8th and 9th, place your gift under the tree. The gifts collected will be donated to the needy in the name of the parishioners of St. Gregory's.

**HOLIDAY LIGHTING CEREMONY** On Saturday, December 1, from 3-5 p.m., the Town-Village of Harrison is sponsoring Harrison Holiday Happening in Ma Riis Park across from Town Hall. Enjoy hot cocoa, baked goods, hear the children of Parsons and Harrison Avenue Schools sing holiday songs, visit with Santa and celebrate the lighting of our Christmas Tree and Menorah. This event is free of charge. Please join us! (SNOW DATE: Sunday, December 9th).

**SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT EARLY CHILDHOOD ENRICHMENT PROGRAM REGISTRATION FOR 2019/2020...** will be held on the following dates: **November 13-16** from 9-11 a.m. - Current students/siblings/alumni - Registration Fee: \$225 (non-refundable). **November 26-30** from 9-11 a.m. New Families: (Three and Four Year Olds) Registration Fee: \$225.00 (non-refundable). Call 835-1278 to request an interview and tour of the school.

**THANKSGIVING TURKEY AND HAM DROP...**sponsored by The Little Sisters of the Poor to benefit the elderly Residents at The Jeanne Jugan Residence, 2999 Schurz Avenue, Bronx, NY 10465. On Saturday, November 17, 2018, we will be happy to accept your donations at the front door. All size Turkeys and Hams are gratefully accepted! (Spiral Hams are especially enjoyed!). If you need additional information, please call Sr. Jane at 347-329-1800.

## Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Adrian O'Dell and have been requested by Elvira Scappaticci and Family.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of George Magnotta and have been requested by his Family.

The Altar Flowers this week have been donated in memory of Mario Scappaticci and have been requested by Corinne, Nancy and Diane.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Petja Maria Kroner and have been requested by her daughter, Vivian G. Kroner.

In Memory



William Richard Bisignano  
Alice O'Connor  
Jean Parisi  
Jo-Ellen Rowitt



We

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

Stella Giuseppina Arminio  
*Child of Julianna and Michelle Arminio*  
Angelo John DelBorgo IV  
*Child of Amanda and Angelo John DelBorgo III*  
Isla Rae and Oliva Laura Serpe  
*Children of Sara and William Serpe*



III Melissa Tucciarone & Christopher Konopka  
II Courtney Miner and Christopher Centuori  
II Brittany Stabile and Matthew SanFelippo  
I Kelly Lynch and Keith Macey

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — The widow of Zarephath had only a handful of flour and a little oil, but made a little cake for Elijah (1 Kings 17:10-16).

**Psalm** — Praise the Lord, my soul! (Psalm 146).

**Second Reading** — Christ will appear a second time to bring salvation to those who eagerly await him (Hebrews 9:24-28).

**Gospel** — This poor widow put in more than all the other contributors (Mark 12:38-44 [41-44]).

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Ti 1:1-9; Ps 24:1b-4ab, 5-6; Lk 17:1-6  
Tuesday: Ti 2:1-8, 11-14; Ps 37:3-4, 18, 23, 27, 29; Lk 17:7-10  
Wednesday: Ti 3:1-7; Ps 23:1b-6; Lk 17:11-19  
Thursday: Phlm 7-20; Ps 146:7-10; Lk 17:20-25  
Friday: 2 Jn 4-9; Ps 119:1-2, 10-11, 17-18; Lk 17:26-37  
Saturday: 3 Jn 5-8; Ps 112:1-6; Lk 18:1-8  
Sunday: Dn 12:1-3; Ps 16:5, 8-11; Heb 10:11-14, 18; Mk 13:24-32

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Thirty-second Sunday in Ordinary Time; Veterans Day; Remembrance Day (Canada)  
Monday: St. Josaphat  
Tuesday: St. Frances Xavier Cabrini  
Thursday: St. Albert the Great  
Friday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude  
Saturday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Mary Ellen Beyer, Frances Bodycott, Sue Burger, Dennis Cantrell, Danielle Camarda, 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, Marie Valentino & Family, Elizabeth West, Maggie Wunderlick—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.



## Dear Padre November 11, 2018

Is envy a sin? I find myself becoming very envious of people who have more than I do. I find it difficult to be content with what my family and I have now.

*We live in a climate of want that encourages discontent with what we have.* Advertising plays on our feelings of envy and our desire for possessions. In this almost universal rush to possess more and better material objects, Christians are called to a counter witness. We are called to embrace a freedom and a poverty of spirit that actually rejoices in the blessings of others.

The Tenth Commandment alerts us to the danger of undisciplined envy: “You shall not covet...anything that belongs to your neighbor” (Exodus 20:17). In the New Testament, Jesus says that where our treasure is, there also will be our heart (Matthew 6:21). The real antidote to envy, then, is prayers of thanksgiving for all God has given to us and others.

To feel envious, to desire or covet someone else’s possessions, is not in itself a mortal sin. But to let that feeling invade your mind, to indulge it and brood over it, to set your heart on it, is to let that feeling harden into an envious frame of mind. Then you are flirting with real sin. The grave sin is to allow these envious thoughts to drive you to any injustice or evil.

The Catechism of the Catholic Church sums it up well: “Would you like to see God glorified by you? Then rejoice in your brother’s (sister’s) progress and you will immediately give glory to God” (CCC 2540).

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