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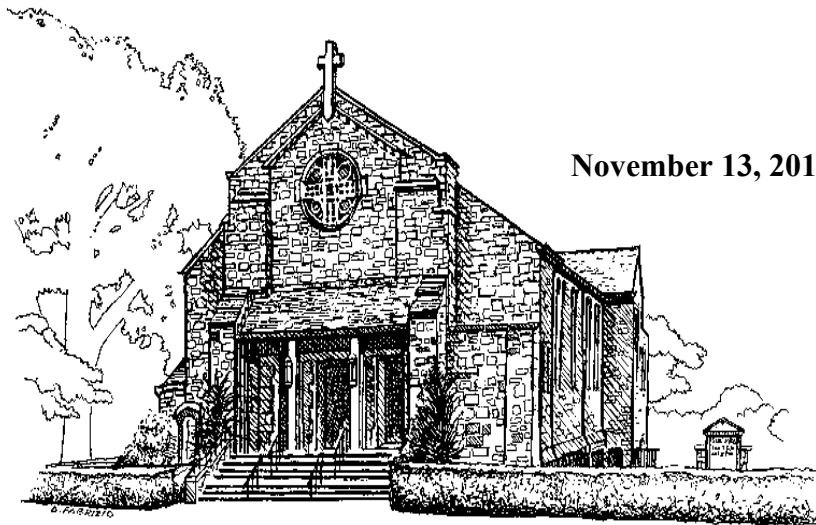
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Mass Schedule

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 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.

November 13, 2016
Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions

SAT. 11/12	5:00 p.m.	ROBERT VALENTZAS
SUN. 11/13	7:00 a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30 a.m.	MICHELE MASTROGIACOMO
	10:00 a.m.	ALFONSINA FORTUNATO
	11:30 a.m.	HELEN & JULIUS GABRIELE
	5:00 p.m.	THE ROUSSEL FAMILY
MON. 11/14	6:45 a.m.	WILLIE MAE TUCKER
	9:00 a.m.	LOUIS DI BICCARI
TUES. 11/15	6:45 a.m.	FRANK DUFF & ADELE QUINN & ALL MEMBERS OF THE LEGION OF MARY
	9:00 a.m.	PAUL NARDOZZI
WED. 11/16	6:45 a.m.	LOUIS J. TROTTA
	9:00 a.m.	ROBERT & AKI BISCEGLIA
THU. 11/17	6:45 a.m.	SHARON MINISHI SCHWARTZMAN
	9:00 a.m.	DEBBIE MC AULIFFE
FRI. 11/18	6:45 a.m.	IN THANKSGIVING FOR E.S.
	9:00 a.m.	VERA FIORE-ROCCO
SAT. 11/19	9:00 a.m.	PASQUALE & ROSARIA PENNELLA & DONATO CAPUTO
	5:00 p.m.	JOSEPHINE & ANTHONY COPPOLA
SUN. 11/20	7:00 a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30 a.m.	ALFONSINA FORTUNATO
	10:00 a.m.	FRANCESCO PARRELLI
	11:30 a.m.	JOSEPHINE CARNEVALLA
	5:00 p.m.	DOMINICK & LUCY PANGALLO



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MASS FOR THANKSGIVING St Gregory the Great will be celebrating a special Mass for Thanksgiving for all our families on Tuesday, November 22nd 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. Some of 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 St. Gregory the Great Church, 215 Halstead Avenue, Harrison, NY on Thursday, November 17, 2016 at 7:30 p.m. The theme is "One Nation, Under God". Please join us as members of the community enlighten us with inspirational talks, spiritual reflections and musical selections at a gathering of faiths. Please bring canned and or dry goods to be donated to the Harrison Food Pantry. Refreshments after the service.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, November 6, 2016 will be posted at a later date. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

REGISTRATION St. Gregory the Great Early Childhood Enrichment Program will be holding registration for the 2017/2018 school year for new students interested in the 3 and 4 year old programs. Registration will begin on Monday, November 28th and run to Friday, December 2nd from 9-11 a.m. in the school located at 94 Broadway. Enrollment is on a "first come first serve basis." Parents are encouraged to call and tour the school before registration. Our number is 914-835-1278.

Re-registration for alumni families, siblings and current students for the 2017/2018 school year will begin on Monday, November 14th and will run through Thursday, November 17th, from 9-11 a.m. in the school located at 94 Broadway. Enrollment is on a "first come first serve basis". Any questions, please contact Maria Gaudelli, Director at 914-835-1278.

BAKE SALE The Harrison Columbiettes will hold a Bake Sale on Sunday, November 13th, after all the masses, at the Veterans Building across the street from the Church. Beginning at 7:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m., you may purchase delicious homemade cakes, brownies, breads and other assorted goodies. 50/50 raffle tickets will be sold. Thank you for your support.

STEPINAC THEATRE Archbishop Stepinac High School Drama Club presents the regional premiere of the Tony award-winning Broadway hit based on President Lyndon B. Johnson, **ALL THE WAY**. Show dates are: November 18th and 19th at 7:30 p.m. and November 20th at 2:00 p.m. Tickets are \$20 for adults and \$15 for children under 12 and senior citizens. For tickets reservations, please call 914-946-4800 ext. 200. For further information email theatre@stepinac.org. Follow us: FaceBook: Stepinac Drama Club Page - Twitter: Stepinac Drama.

JOB OPPORTUNITY The Sisters of the Divine Compassion have an immediate opening for a Geriatric Care Manager for 30-40 hrs/wk. Masters in Social Work and geriatric experience required. Send resume or for more information: psheridan@divinecompassion.org.

Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of Rudy Russo and have been requested by Susan and Marianne Cipolla.

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 Rose Nuetts and Concetta Doti and have been requested by Joan Anixt.

In Memory



Mary Theresa D'Annibale
Frances Santa-Donato
Giuseppe Di Biasi
James J. Hofgartner

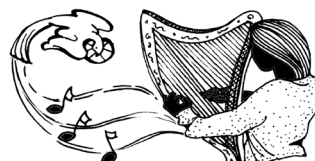


We
welcome into the St. Gregory the Great Family through the
waters of Baptism

Julianna Ave Miele
Child of Eleanor and Augustine Miele
Elizabeth Vassallo
Child of Catherine and John Vassallo



|| Meredith Barrera and David Parmon



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — There will arise the sun of justice with its healing rays (Malachi 3:19-20a).

Psalm — The Lord comes to rule the earth with justice (Psalm 98).

Second Reading — Paul speaks of his hard work among the Thessalonians (2 Thessalonians 3:7-12).

Gospel — Jesus foretells the destruction of Jerusalem, the persecution of his followers. But their perseverance will be their salvation (Luke 21:5-19).

READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Rv 1:1-4; 2:1-5; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 18:35-43
Tuesday: Rv 3:1-6, 14-22; Ps 15:2-5; Lk 19:1-10
Wednesday: Rv 4:1-11; Ps 150:1b-6; Lk 19:11-28
Thursday: Rv 5:1-10; Ps 149:1b-6a, 9b; Lk 19:41-44
Friday: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131;
Lk 19:45-48 or (for the memorial of the
Dedication) Acts 28:11-16, 30-31;
Ps 98:1-6; Mt 14:22-33
Saturday: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10;
Lk 20:27-40
Sunday: 2 Sm 5:1-3; Ps 122:1-5; Col 1:12-20;
Lk 23:35-43

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
Tuesday: St. Albert the Great
Wednesday: St. Margaret of Scotland; St. Gertrude
Thursday: St. Elizabeth of Hungary
Friday: The Dedication of the Basilicas of
Ss. Peter and Paul in Rome;
St. Rose Philippine Duchesne
Saturday: Blessed Virgin Mary

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

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

Dear Padre November 13, 2016

My husband is buried in a public cemetery, which is not consecrated ground. Am I permitted to be buried next to him, and can the priest bless and consecrate our final resting place?

I commend your care in this matter. The Catechism stresses that “the bodies of the dead must be treated with respect and charity, in faith and hope of the Resurrection. The burial of the dead is a corporal work of mercy” (CCC 2300). However, it makes no reference to the place of burial - only the manner in which our bodies are treated after death (that is, conditions for autopsy, organ donation, and cremation).

Canon Law “earnestly recommends that the pious custom of burying the bodies of the deceased be observed”; by doing so properly and receiving an ecclesiastical funeral, you honor your body, witness to our belief in the resurrection of the body, and bring “the solace of hope to the living” (Canon 1176). It later specifies that “where possible, the Church is to have its own cemeteries or at least areas in civil cemeteries that are designated for the deceased members of the faithful and properly blessed. If this cannot be achieved, however, then individual graves are to be properly blessed” (Canon 1240). Given this, it would seem that there is no objection to your being buried in the grave next to your husband or any difficulty in requesting that the priest bless your final resting place.

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***Sing praise to the LORD with the harp,
with the harp and melodious song.***

— ***Psalm 98:5***