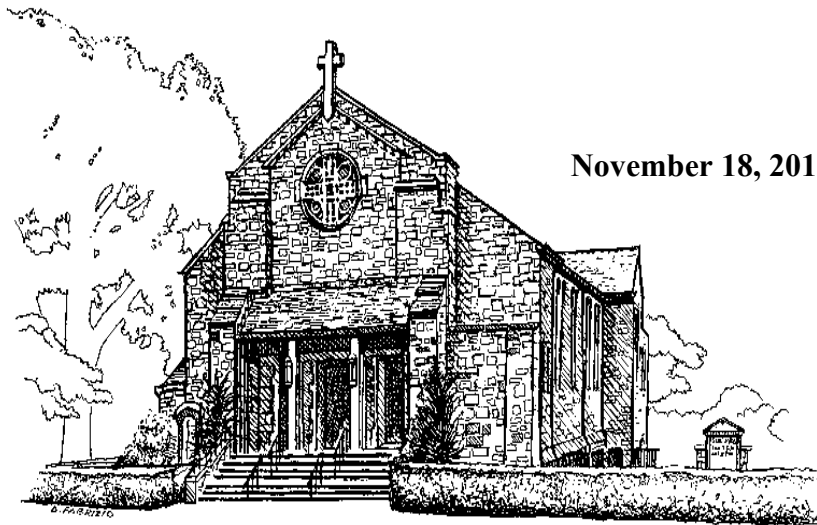


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November 18, 2018

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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

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| 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 18, 2018
Thirty-Third Sunday In Ordinary Time
Mass Intentions

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| SAT. 11/17 | 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 & THOSE TO COME |
| MON. 11/19 | 6:45 | a.m. | ANTONINA MONCADO |
| | 9:00 | a.m. | PASQUALE & MARIA ROSARIA PENNELLA & DONATO CAPUTO |
| TUES. 11/20 | 6:45 | a.m. | MARIO ANTONUCCI |
| | 9:00 | a.m. | MICHAEL CIPOLLA |
| WED. 11/21 | 6:45 | a.m. | MADJA KOROSCEC |
| | 9:00 | a.m. | MICHELE MASTROGIACOMO |
| THU. 11/22 | 6:45 | a.m. | GUS FRANZESE |
| | 9:00 | a.m. | DECEASED MEMBERS OF KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS & COLUMBIETTES |
| FRI. 11/23 | 6:45 | a.m. | DIANA PECINI |
| | 9:00 | a.m. | MARIA & RAFFAELE ROSSI |
| SAT. 11/24 | 9:00 | a.m. | ROCKY SARLO |
| | 5:00 | p.m. | AQUILINA & RAFFAELE AMELIO |
| SUN. 11/25 | 7:00 | a.m. | PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY |
| | 8:30 | a.m. | CHIT ENRIQUEZ |
| | 10:00 | a.m. | MARIE MIGLIACCIO |
| | 11:30 | a.m. | JOSEPH G. SILVESTRO |
| | 5:00 | p.m. | CATERINA LABROSCIANO |



VESPERS Starting Saturday, December 1st and for all the Saturdays of Advent, we will have Vespers sung before the 5:00 p.m. Mass beginning at 4:30 p.m. Vespers are the evening prayer of the church and consist of hymns, prayers and the blessing of the Advent Wreath. All are invited to attend. Vespers would be a good way to prepare for Christmas. The Vesper ceremony lasts about 20 minutes.

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 Thank you to everyone who participated in our annual Thanksgiving Food Drive. Over 300 bags were collected. Many gift card donations were also received. Your generosity is greatly appreciated. Thank you and have a Blessed Thanksgiving.

BUS TRIP PILGRIMAGE To the Shrine of Our Lady of LaSalette, Attelboro, MA on November 24th. Bus will leave from St. Anthony of Padua at 8:30 am. Cost is \$40 per person. Bring your own lunch. Bus ride is 3-1/2 hours. Contact Ms. Bruna Barbieri - 914-428-0532.

FINANCIAL CORNER: Our Sunday collection for Sunday, November 11, was \$8,215.00. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.

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).

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 the Great.

SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT EARLY CHILDHOOD ENRICHMENT PROGRAM REGISTRATION FOR 2019/2020...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.

COPING WITH GRIEF DURING THE HOLIDAYS WORKSHOP Tuesday, November 27, 7-8:30 p.m. at the St. Augustine School Library in Ossining, 381 N. Highland Ave., Ossining, NY. Registration required, email Gae Savino, LCSW, CT at ghsavino@aol.com to confirm a reservation. Workshop sponsored by St. Augustine Bereavement Support Group.

THE ST. VINCENT'S FRESHMAN DANCE... will be held on Friday, December 7 at the Hilton Westchester, Rye Brook, NY. All freshman girls are cordially invited to request an invitation by visiting our website at www.stvincentswestchester.org. For more information, please check our website or call our hotline at 914-925-5052.

Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Francis Piatek and have been requested by his wife, Dorean Piatek.

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

The Altar Flowers this week have been donated in memory of Theresa Gregory and have been requested by Arlene and Michael Bonavoglia.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Madja Korosec and have been requested by Vivian G. Kroner.

In Memory

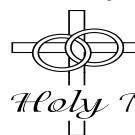


Baptisms

We

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

Matthew Joseph Sgro
Child of Jaclyn and Matthew Sgro



Holy Matrimony

Melissa Tucciarone & Christopher Konopka

Wedding Banns
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III Courtney Miner and Christopher Centuori
III Brittany Stabile and Matthew SanFelippo
II Kelly Lynch and Keith Macey



TODAY'S READINGS

First Reading — Those who lead the many to justice shall be like the stars forever (Daniel 12:1-3).

Psalm — You are my inheritance, O Lord! (Psalm 16).

Second Reading — Where there is forgiveness, there is no longer offering for sin (Hebrews 10:11-14, 18).

Gospel — Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away (Mark 13:24-32).

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

Thanksgiving Day—Suggested:

Sir 50:22-24; 1 Cor 1:3-9; Lk 17:11-19

Friday: Rv 10:8-11; Ps 119:14, 24, 72, 103, 111, 131; Lk 19:45-48

Saturday: Rv 11:4-12; Ps 144:1b, 2, 9-10; Lk 20:27-40

Sunday: Dn 7:13-14; Ps 93:1-2, 5; Rv 1:5-8; Jn 18:33b-37

SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Wednesday: The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

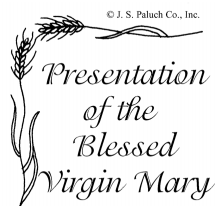
Thursday: St. Cecilia; Thanksgiving Day

Friday: St. Clement I; St. Columban;
Blessed Miguel Agustín Pro

Saturday: St. Andrew Dũng-Lạc and Companions

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 18, 2018

What are the Catholic Church's liturgical seasons?
When does a new liturgical year begin?

A liturgical year is an annual cycle of communal prayer and celebration. The Roman Catholic Church divides its liturgical year into five distinct seasons: Advent, Christmas, Lent, Easter, and Ordinary Time.

Our liturgical year starts on the first Sunday of Advent. The Christmas season officially starts with the evening celebrations on December 24. Christmas runs for more than twelve days, through the feast of the Epiphany to the Baptism of the Lord, which is celebrated on either the second or third Sunday in January.

Next is Ordinary Time, which is divided into two parts. The first part ends the day before Ash Wednesday, which is the first of the forty days of Lent. Lent is followed by the seven weeks of the Easter season, which ends on the day we celebrate the descent of the Holy Spirit at Pentecost.

On Pentecost we pick up the second part of Ordinary Time, which ends the day before the first Sunday of Advent (this year that's in two weeks, on December 2). Each liturgical season has distinct flavors and traditions, but they come together in harmony to help us reflect on the one mystery at the heart of every liturgy no matter the season: the saving mystery of Christ's life, death, and resurrection.

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