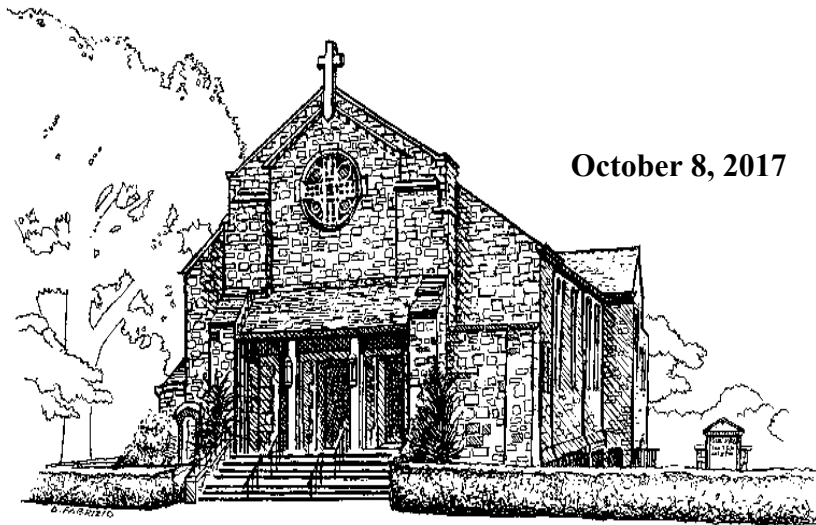


# ST. GREGORY THE GREAT

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October 8, 2017

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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.

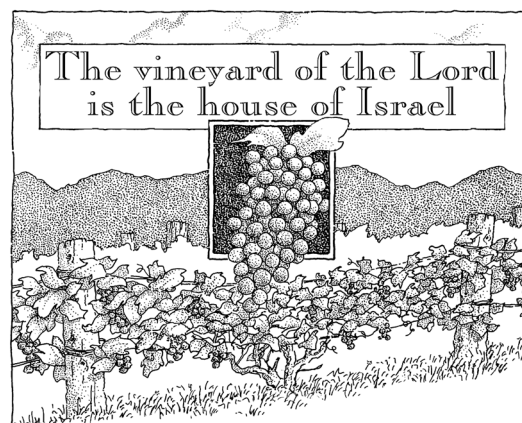
**RCIA:** Tuesday evenings at 7:00 p.m.

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

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

**October 8, 2017**  
**Twenty-Seventh Sunday In Ordinary Time**  
**Mass Intentions**

SAT. 10/7	5:00 p.m.	JOSEPHINE GONNELLA
SUN. 10/8	7:00 a.m.	ROSINA, DOMENICO & NICOLA TORTORELLA & GUERINO DE VITA
	8:30 a.m.	JOHN QUIGLEY
	10:00 a.m.	AMELIA BLASI
	11:30 a.m.	FRANK, JOSEPHINE & ANTHONY RAGOZZINO
	5:00 p.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
MON. 10/9	6:45 a.m.	MARY KAYE WALDRON
	9:00 a.m.	GIOVANNI, ROSA, GIACONDA & ANGELO IORI
TUES. 10/10	6:45 a.m.	CHRISTINA MARIE PORPORA
	9:00 a.m.	DE GREGORIO FAMILY
WED. 10/11	6:45 a.m.	THERESA PISCOPO
	9:00 a.m.	PELLEGRINO FORTUNATO
THU. 10/12	6:45 a.m.	WILLIAM HANRAHAN
	9:00 a.m.	LEE MIGLIACCIO
FRI. 10/13	6:45 a.m.	ANGELO MASTROGIACOMO
	9:00 a.m.	THOMAS & LAWRENCE DEMPSEY
SAT. 10/14	9:00 a.m.	CONNIE & RALPH SIRANI, SR.
	5:00 p.m.	JOAN DONOVAN & DEBBIE MC AULIFFE & FAMILIES
SUN. 10/15	7:00 a.m.	PEOPLE OF ST. GREGORY
	8:30 a.m.	ANNE & PAUL VALLARELLI
	10:00 a.m.	ELIZABETH HAUGHNEY
	11:30 a.m.	MARGARET & PETER MAZZA
	5:00 p.m.	ANTOINETTA SALVATI



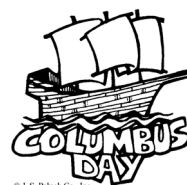
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**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT:** is offered each Wednesday at 7:00 p.m. in the Church.

**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.

**COME AND SEE** Is God calling you to walk in the footsteps of St. Francis of Assisi but still "remain in the world?" The Secular Franciscan Order (OFS) is a branch of the world wide Franciscan family. The Secular Franciscan Order was established by St. Francis 800 years ago. We are men and women, single or married whose purpose is to bring the gospel to life where we live and work and to try to help others do likewise. If you would like to learn more, we invite you to our "Come and See" on October 10th at 7 p.m. in the lower church of St. Gregory the Great Church, 215 Halstead Avenue, Harrison, NY. Please contact: Dede Juergens (914) 886-3412 if you plan to attend. Refreshments will be served.

**FINANCIAL CORNER:** Our Sunday collection for Sunday, October 1, 2017 will be posted at a later date. Thank you and may God bless you for your generosity.



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**OPEN HOUSE** Holy Child, Rye New York on Saturday, October 14, 2017 from 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. Registration and check-in will take place throughout the day in The Kelly Family Gymnasium. Join us any time for: a student-led tour of our beautiful campus, an academic and extracurricular fair to meet faculty members and learn about exceptional opportunities in the classroom and beyond, and an interactive breakout session to see firsthand the joy in teaching and the joy in learning that occurs here every day. Holy Child's culture of achievement creates highly motivated students.

**LITURGY WORKSHOP** "First Communion in the Liturgical Life of the Church Workshop" at St. Joseph's Seminary (Yonkers) on Friday, October 13th from 3 - 5:00 p.m. Presentation by Donna Eschenauer, Ph.D., author of "First Communion Liturgies: Preparing First-Class Celebrations". For more information: [nyliturgy.org/workshops](http://nyliturgy.org/workshops) or Contact: [liturgy@archny.org](mailto:liturgy@archny.org) or 914-968-6200, ext. 8177.

**OUR LADY OF FATIMA** Please join St. Augustine Church, 381 North Highland Avenue, Ossining, NY, on Friday, October 13th, for a 7:00 p.m. Mass to honor the Miracle of the Sun - Centennial celebration of Our Lady of Fatima. Following the Mass, there will be a candlelight procession (rain or shine), and rosary with benediction. Let us pray for Peace through the Intercession of the Immaculate Heart of Mary! For more information please call Myrnae Burns at (914) 643-8338.

**RED MASS** His Eminence Timothy Cardinal Dolan, Archbishop of New York, will celebrate the Annual Red Mass for the Judiciary, Attorneys, and Members of Law Enforcement and their families on Thursday, October 12, 2017, at 6:00 p.m. at St. John the Evangelist Church, 148 Hamilton Avenue, White Plains, New York. The Red Mass is sponsored by the Catholic Lawyers' Guild of the Archdiocese of New York and is a solemn religious ceremony asking God to guide the legal profession toward the administration of justice. Following the Mass, there will be a reception in the auditorium of St. John the Evangelist School located next to the Church. The public is invited to attend.

## Wine & Hosts, Candles & Flowers

The Wine and Hosts this week have been donated in memory of Thomas and Lawrence Dempsey and have been requested by The Family.

The Altar Candles this week have been donated in memory of Giovanni Sagliocco and have been requested by The Sagliocco Family.

The Flowers at the Shrine of Saint Anthony this week have been donated in memory of Joseph Cannella and have been requested by Megan Dempsey.

### In Memory



The parish community of St. Gregory the Great extends its deepest sympathy to the loved ones on their loss

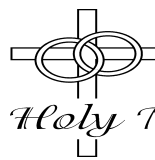
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We welcome into the St. Gregory the Great Family through the waters of Baptism

Isabella Rose Guglielmo  
*Child of Siomara and Thomas John Guglielmo*

Sienna Joie Mullen  
*Child of Krista and Michael Mullen*



Jeanette Haviland and Stephen McLoughlin



III Alexis Pellegrino and Anthony Oliva

## TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** — The vineyard of the LORD is the house of Israel (Isaiah 5:1-7).

**Psalm** — The vineyard of the Lord is the house of Israel (Psalm 80).

**Second Reading** — God's peace will guard your hearts and minds (Philippians 4:6-9).

**Gospel** — The kingdom of God will be given to those who will produce its fruit (Matthew 21:33-43)

## READINGS FOR THE WEEK

Monday: Jon 1:1 — 2:2, 11; Jon 2:3-5, 8; Lk 10:25-37

Tuesday: Jon 3:1-10; Ps 130:1b-4ab, 7-8; Lk 10:38-42

Wednesday: Jon 4:1-11; Ps 86:3-6, 9-10; Lk 11:1-4

Thursday: Mal 3:13-20b; Ps 1:1-4, 6; Lk 11:5-13

Friday: Jl 1:13-15; 2:1-2; Ps 9:2-3, 6, 16, 8-9;  
Lk 11:15-26

Saturday: Jl 4:12-21; Ps 97:1-2, 5-6, 11-12;  
Lk 11:27-28

Sunday: Is 25:6-10a; Ps 23:1-6; Phil 4:12-14, 19-20;  
Mt 22:1-14 [1-10]

## SAINTS AND SPECIAL OBSERVANCE

Sunday: Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St. Denis and Companions;  
St. John Leonardi; Columbus Day;  
Canadian Thanksgiving Day

Wednesday: Saint John XXIII

Saturday: St. Callistus I; Blessed Virgin Mary

## 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, Frank Radogna, Vito Rizzo, Sr., Carol Sheridan, Lee Ann Thomas, Monica Toro, Robert Travers, Elizabeth West, Gregory Westfall, Donna Williams, Maggie Wunderlick—and for all who have requested a remembrance in our prayers.

## Dear Padre October 8, 2017

*I know we're all supposed to use our gifts to glorify God, but what is liturgical dance? Is it acceptable as part of Mass? Are there rules surrounding it?*

***Liturgical dance is dance movement forming a part of official worship.*** Through it, people in a community express their joy at God's blessings, foreshadowing the joy of heaven.

Dance, in many cultures, is a sign of joy. We dance at weddings, birthday celebrations, and anniversaries. People from both Eastern and Western traditions use dance as a form of expression, and some incorporate it into their religious rites. Jewish worship includes dance on certain feasts, such as the Simhat Torah, where the holy scrolls are part of the sacred movement.

In the United States, the practice of liturgical dance began to grow following Vatican II, but it was not readily accepted. Since dance in Western culture is viewed by some as an expression of love, intimacy, or diversion, the Church's approach is reserved. In 1975, the Vatican repeated this and said that because the Roman rite does not include dance as part of worship, inclusion of dance in liturgy is not appropriate ("The Religious Dance, an Expression of Spiritual Joy," *Notitiae* 11,202-205).

We see dancing in our parishes and at diocesan celebrations; however, it should occur outside of the liturgy.

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