

Holy Name of Jesus Parish

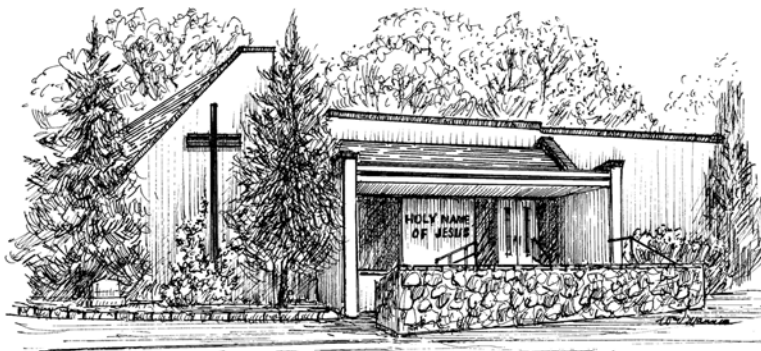
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769-4872

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946-2221
Choirs in Session
September thru May

WELCOME TO ALL!

Our Parish Family invites all to be active and participating members in every aspect of parish life! We care for each other and want to worship and serve our Lord together. Every family moving into the Parish is invited to register at the Rectory. If you change your address, please notify us. AGAIN, WELCOME!

MASSES:

Saturday: 5:00 P.M.

Sunday: 8:00; 9:30 (Contemporary Music);
11:00 A.M. (Choir); 12:30 P.M. - (not July/Aug)

Holy Days: Vigil: 5:00 P.M.

7:15 A.M., 9:00 A.M., 12 Noon and 6:30 P.M.

Weekdays: Monday - Friday: 7:15 A.M. & 9:00 A.M.

Saturday: 9:00 A.M.

Morning Prayer: Daily - 8:30 A.M.

Miraculous Medal Novena Devotions every

Monday after each Mass.

Holy Hour /Adoration-2nd Monday of the Month

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confessions)

Saturday: 4:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M. or by appointment

BAPTISM:

Baptisms are held on the First and Third Sundays of every month at 1:30 P.M. To register for a Baptism please call the rectory and arrange a meeting with the priest.

WEDDINGS:

Please contact the priest as soon as you have an approximate date for your wedding. You will be asked to attend preparation sessions and some paperwork is also involved. A year in advance is not too early to see a priest.

RECTORY OFFICE HOURS:

Monday through Friday: 9:30 A.M. - 4:30 P.M.

Office is closed on all Legal Holidays.

RCIA: Catechumenate Program- Persons interested in being Catholic or learning more about our faith, please contact Patricia Bisesto (948-4489) or the Rectory.

MEETINGS:

Parish Council: 3rd Monday of the Month at 7:00 P.M. in the Father Dave Library.

Chairman: Ms. Melissa Tillson at 263-7814

Pancake Breakfast: 2nd Sunday of the month.

Social Concerns: Maureen McLoughlin - 946-9334

Rosary Altar Meetings: 4th Wednesday of the month,
7:00 P.M. - General Meeting; 11 A.M. Mass on 2nd Sundays
President: Maureen Beitscher - 592-8492

High School Youth Group: 6:00-8:00 P.M.,
1st & 3rd Sunday of the month.

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**Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time
August 17, 2014**

Observe what is right, do what is just;
for my salvation is about to come,
my justice, about to be revealed.
— *Isaiah 56:1*



DIVINE MERCY IN MY SOUL (continued)
Jesus, I trust in you.

St. Faustina's diary indicates that Jesus wishes us to implore his mercy at this time and to "immerse [oneself] in [His] Passion", "if only for a brief moment". Her diary states that "This is the hour of great mercy for the whole world" and that nothing will be refused to a soul that makes a request of Christ in virtue of His Passion. It is a pious practice of Catholics to honor the 3:00 hour each afternoon – the time of Christ's death on the Cross. St. Faustina's diary contains the following prayer which may be said each day at 3:00 p.m. (Diary 1319) You expired, Jesus, but the source of life gushed forth for souls, and the ocean of mercy opened up for the whole world. O Fount of Life, unfathomable Divine Mercy, envelope the whole world and empty Yourself out upon us. And then, three times: "Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, Have Mercy on us

While I was saying the chaplet, I heard a voice which said, "Oh what great graces I will grant to souls who say this chaplet; the very depths of My tender mercy are stirred for the sake of those who say the chaplet. Write down these words, My daughter. Speak to the world about My mercy; let all mankind recognize My unfathomable mercy. It is a sign for the end times; after it will come the day of justice. While there is still time, let them have recourse to the fount of My mercy; let them profit from the Blood and Water which gushed forth for them.(Diary 848)

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

In many church buildings constructed in the early twentieth century, there is a window or statue of Pope St. Pius X. Often, these windows were purchased with coins collected by grateful children, since in 1910 a decree admitted much younger children to First Communion. Before then, only teenagers were customarily confirmed and then admitted to the Eucharist. What we often think is ancient practice in fact sometimes has fairly shallow roots, in this case only ten decades. For centuries, Communion had marked the end of formal religious education, but a hundred years ago, Pius X located it at the point at which a child could express a desire for the sacrament and receive it with understanding. In 1917 a new code of canon law determined that age to be about seven, and this practice was observed almost everywhere until the beginning of the Second Vatican Council forty years ago.

Goal: In a growing number of dioceses, recent practice has restored the sacramental order that Pius X's generous decree upset, and increasingly confirmation is celebrated before First Communion. But the gift Pius gave to the children of the Roman Church remains firm: everywhere we admit children to the Lord's table. Where the traditional order has been restored, seven-year-old children are confirmed before First Communion.
—Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

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GRATITUDE

O Thou who has given us so much, mercifully grant us one thing more—a grateful heart.
—George Herbert

GOOD EXAMPLE

A faithful Christian, illumined by the rays of grace like a crystal, ought to illumine his neighbor with the light of good example, through word and deed. —St. Anthony

Saturday, August 16

5:00pm Peter Weiden
(Glendon Fsmily)

Sunday, August 17

8:00am Vincent Pennella
(Pennella Family)
9:30am Frank Oderifero
(Mom & Dad)
11:00am Denise Pochat
(Daughters, Caroline & Maeve)

Monday, August 18

7:15am For All The People
9:00am Robert Neff
(Family)

Tuesday, August 19

7:15am Florence Louise Gianzero
(The Dunne Family)
9:00am Frank Oderifero (Birthday)
(Mom & Dad)

Wednesday, August 20

7:15am Marie Behling
(William & Bertha Jones)
9:00am Edgar Lechleitner
(Kathy Reilly)

Thursday, August 21

7:15am Nicholas D'Onofrio
(Wife, Grace & Family)
9:00am Edward A. Tompkins

(Wife, Jen) THE CARDINAL'S ANNUAL APPEAL
Friday, August DATE:

22 7:15am *Sharing God's Gifts #551*
Ron Bernhard Summary to date 7/3/14

(Cathy & John Our
Lester) \$97,000.00
9:00am Pledges:
Cecilia Scofield Paid:
(Karen Miceli) Number of Gifts:
Average Gift:

Saturday, August 23

9:00am Giuseppe DiSalvo
(Nonno & Anna Maria)
5:00pm Anna Del Pozzo
(Mother & Family)

Sunday, August 24

Thank you for your support and generosity.
August 10, 2014

Regular Collection: \$ 5,799.00
Maintenance & Catholic NY 1,571.00



PRAY FOR

To everything there is a season and a time for every purpose under heaven.....A time to be healed...

Please remember to pray for:

Jean Balsano	Hilde Klinger
Peter Barbieri	Gavin Little
John Bisaccia	Holly Lynch
Jeff Caponera	Helen Massaro
Elizabeth Whartenby Cox	Jaspere Miranda
Lou Dearstyne	Bill Moran
Donald DeLandri	Alex Pacor
Ed Delliveau	Frank Piccininni
Alexandra Diemoz	Frankie Ragusa
Joseph DiCioccio	Frank Roteline
Jason Fiore	Richard Schilio
Sabrina Gerstle	Steven Soderquist
Annette Gross	Brooke Steker
	Tony Taranto

And for those who have no one to Pray for them....



Pray for all the souls of our faithfully departed, especially Jean Balsano. May eternal rest grant unto them, O lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them .



CALLED TO ACT IN GOD'S NAME

“Let all the nations praise you!” (Psalm 67:4) today’s psalm response exclaims. In the psalms and other Hebrew scriptures, this kind of invocation is actually an invitation to God to act, to intervene in human lives in a manner that will cause everyone—not just the Chosen People—to give praise. Stated a bit more strongly, it is something of a “put up or shut up” challenge to God, the sort of strong statement the psalmists of Israel, trusting in their intimate and loving relationship with God, were not afraid to make. The Gospel has its own exclamation, announcing the appearance of the Canaanite woman with “Behold!” (Matthew 15:22) “Behold!” is a scriptural flag that tells us that God is about to act or announce something through an individual or a situation. In the case of Jesus, God was going to act through this woman, whom nobody among Jesus’ followers would have believed to be an agent of the divine will. Like the psalmists, we might passively inform or perhaps even actively challenge God to do something so that everyone will come to belief, but God will always turn the tables on us. It becomes our calling, our duty (as it was for Jesus) to behold the situations and persons of our daily lives so that God can act through us, so the Kingdom can be announced through our living.

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ATTENTION—ALL ATLAR SERVERS, LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS please email Fr. Frank at wrank2003@yahoo.com and the rectory at HNJVAlhallaNY@aol.com by August 17th and provide the dates and times you CANNOT serve during the months of September and October



HOLY NAME OF JESUS PARISH FESTIVAL

September 4th through the 7th

Join us for the next meeting on Tuesday, August 26th at 7PM

We need volunteers to help make this year’s Festival a big success!!!!. This is a major Parish fundraiser, and your participation is very much appreciated. **Thank You!**

NAME: _____ TELEPHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____ If under 16 yrs old, AGE: _____

I WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER FOR:

___ Setup Wednesday (9/3) 6:00-8:00pm

___ Saturday (9/6) 4pm—7pm

___ Thursday(9/4) 5pm—8pm

___ Saturday (9/6) 7pm-11pm

___ Thursday(9/4) 8pm—11pm

___ Sunday (9/7) 2pm-5pm

___ Friday (9/5) 5pm—8pm

___ Sunday (9/7) 5pm-8pm

___ Friday (9/5) 8pm—11pm

___ Cleanup Sunday 8pm—11pm

Please mark your calendar for the day/time chosen. Note: You will be contacted by phone to confirm your volunteer time slot for the Festival. Please choose alternate times also, in case there are too many volunteers for certain days/times. **THANK YOU!!! Please leave completed form in the collection basket or at the Rectory.**

SOCIAL CONCERNS~♥♥♥♥♥♥♥♥

CAMP SUNSHINE- Last week 5 parishioners and friends spent a week volunteering at Camp Sunshine in Casco, Maine. Camp Sunshine is a camp for children who have life threatening illnesses. Our Holy Namers were there during oncology week, working with children with cancer. Rose Viviano and Carol Kiachif worked in the Tot Lot, with children ages 3-5. Jean Goebelbecker, Maureen McLoughlin, and Celina Wenzel worked in the kitchen. They had a very busy week as the camp was full with 40 campers plus all their families. The kids were entertained by Elsa from "Frozen", participated in a talent show, went kayaking on the lake, etc. It was a wonderful and memorable week for all. Thanks so much to our Holy Name volunteers and for the prayers and support of our Holy Name parish. If anyone knows of a child (infant to age 18) with cancer or another life threatening illness (brain tumor, lupus, etc.) let them know about Camp Sunshine- it is free for all families, and they will have an experience they will never forget.



RENEW & REFRESH RETREAT for High School Youth, Fri. Aug. 29, 7:00pm through Sun. Aug. 31, 3:00 pm; Sun. Mass and new Cap Corps Volunteer Commissioning at 2:00. Relaxing retreat and social time with CYFM community before school begins, Music and talks by professional speakers and musician: Maryiann Deramo, a Boston-area Theology teacher and Youth Minister; Anthony Muhs a Catholic musician and member of The Catholic Ministry Team; Charlie Mailloux, Board member of the Catholic Ministry Team, and former Cap Corps Volunteer (2001-2002) an attorney whose apostolate is with Catholic artists and young people through events such as "Holy Hour and Dodgeball". R & R is a wonderful time of spiritual refreshing and fellowship. Come & experience our welcoming community, make new friendships, strengthen old ones, and get to know our NEW Cap Corps Volunteers. Cost \$115.00 pp for materials, meals & lodging. Registration deadline is Tues. Aug 26, send application (available at [CYFM.org](http://www.cyfm.org) on "events" tab), \$60.00 non-refundable deposit payable to CYFM. Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries PO Box 192, 781 Route 9D Garrison, NY 10524 (845) 424-3609 www.cyfm.org

THREE TO GET MARRIED – Marriage Preparation Course As you plan your *wedding*, take the time to plan your *marriage!* The Legionaries of Christ and Regnum Christi offer their marriage preparation course, "Three to Get Married," (you, your fiancé and God) to all engaged couples in the New York City tri-state area. This course is held at Resurrection Church in Rye, NY. It satisfies the Pre-Cana requirements for those in the Archdiocese of New York and for others by pastoral permission. It extends one full weekend, to provide each couple with a reflective and in-depth preparation for a joyful marriage, and for love that not only endures, but actually grows stronger year after year. **Upcoming weekend is Oct 17-19.** Overnight accommodations are not provided. For more information call 914-244-3685 or visit www.loveyourmission.org.

ONLINE STATIONS OF THE CROSS—Please click on <http://www.nyfaithformation.org/resources/online-stations-of-the-cross>

FYI: Holy Name of Jesus has changed the Parish envelope mailings in order to reduce the price. The mailing will now contain one additional envelope and a red border for all envelopes. Also, the post office has increased the number of envelopes the envelope company is allowed to have in each packet. Basically in 2014 we paid 10,000.88 which is per rate 7.56 per parishioner per year including postage and in 2015, we will pay 6,555.47 which is 4.955 per parishioner per year including postage. This is a savings of \$3,446.41 annually. As always if you are registered and do not receive your envelopes or you would like to register please see below.

DONATIONS TO THE PARISH MADE BY CHECK: Please remember that all contributions made to the parish by check should be made payable to the parish in the parish's name. Contributions to be made to a parish by check should not be made payable to the pastor, administrator, or any parish employee. Thank you

VALHALLA UNITED METHODIST NURSERY SCHOOL: Registration for the 2014-2015 has begun. If you or a friend has an interest in the program, please call Lois Whartenby at 289-0489.

Join the **SISTERS OF DIVINE COMPASSION** on Melodies of the Danube: a 12-day River Cruise and Pilgrimage, November 7-17, 2014. Includes 2 days in Budapest and 2 days in Prague at either end of the cruise. Limited number of cabins available. Book now to reserve yours. Contact Sr. Jane Keegan at Good Counsel (914)798-1286 or jkeegan@divinecompassion.org for information and brochure.

VILLA ST. FRANCIS: With spectacular views of the Hudson, Villa St. Francis is a senior women's residence fulfilling the needs for age 60+ women who wish to be free of the burdens of maintaining their own home, meal preparation, housekeeping, and all the other tasks of single living. Given our incomparable setting, this may well be the answer to your needs. For info and to schedule a tour, please contact Sr. Rose Cecilia at 737-4244.

LET US KNOW-New or Moving Away

If your Offering Envelopes do not have correct information or if changes were made after you registered, please fill out this form and drop it into the collection basket, or mail/bring it to the Rectory. The envelope system **MUST** be used to receive a tax donation letter. Please let the rectory know when you are moving. Thank you

(Please Print)

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____