

# Holy Name of Jesus Parish

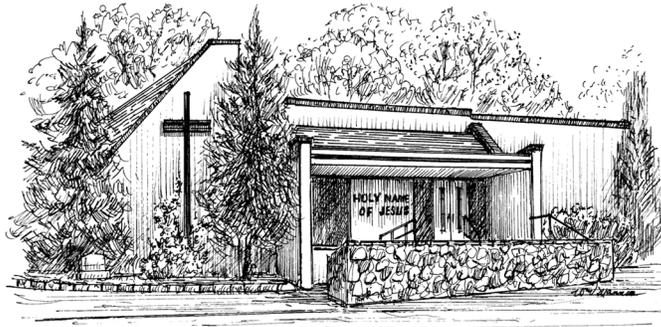
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Children's Choir

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 and one another. 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 PM

**Sunday:** 8:00AM, 10:00 AM and 12:00PM

**Holy Days:** Vigil: 5:00 P.M.  
7:15 AM, 9:00 AM, and 6:30 PM.

**Weekdays:** Monday - Friday: 7:15 AM & 9:00 AM  
Saturday: 9:00 AM  
Morning Prayer: Daily - 8:30 AM  
Miraculous Medal Novena Devotions every  
Monday after each Mass.  
Holy Hour /Adoration-2nd Monday of the Month

### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (Confessions)**

**Saturday:** 4:00pm - 5:00pm or by appointment

### **BAPTISM:**

Baptisms are held on the First and Third Sundays of every month at 1:30 pm To register for a Baptism please call the rectory at least two months in advance as Sundays fill up.

### **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.

**RCIA:** Catechumenate Program- Persons interested in becoming a Catholic or learning more about our faith, please call Fr. Phil at the Rectory.

### **MEETINGS:**

**Parish Council:** 4th Monday of the Month at 7:00 PM in the Father Dave Library.  
Chairman: Brian Morrow 761-7294

**Pancake Breakfast:** 2nd Sunday of the month. In June, it will be the third Sunday of the month for Father's Day

**Social Concerns:** Maureen McLoughlin - 946-9334

**Rosary Altar Meetings:** 4th Wednesday of the month at 7:00 P.M in the Church. No meetings January & February.  
Co-Presidents: Mary Coleman & Joelen Donohue- 422-0990

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

**Sponsor Letters:** Please know that if you are in need of a sponsor letter you must be a registered and a active parishioner for at least six months. An active parishioner is one who attends Mass regularly and receives the sacraments. The importance of this is that by being a sponsor you will be taking on active part in raising the child in the Catholic faith.

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[WWW.HolyNameofJesus.org](http://WWW.HolyNameofJesus.org)

**Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time  
August 13, 2017**

Truth shall spring out of the earth,  
and justice shall look down from heaven.  
— *Psalm 85:12*

**MASSSES for the WEEK**

Saturday, August 12	
5:00pm	Maria & Joseph Multari (Daughter, Carmella)
Sunday, August 13	
8:00am	For All The People
10:00am	Antoinette Gerolimo (The Abbamont Family)
12:00pm	John Norman Oliver (Neil, Marguerite & David)
Monday, August 14	
7:15am	Michael Boylan (Family)
9:00am	Teresa Giamangno (Family)
5:00pm	Theodore Mancini (JoAnn Bateman)
Tuesday, August 15	
7:15am	Patricia Montasano (Rose Briante)
9:00am	Anna Matthews (Liz & Tim Tillson)
6:30pm	Hannah & John OBrien (Flood & Sullivan Families)
Wednesday, August 16	
7:15am	Peter Weiden (Daughter, Bernadette Glendon)
9:00am	Frank Gatti (Cafagno & Sczafave Families)
Thursday, August 17	
7:15am	Aristide & Ursula DeLuise (Fran & Jim Berger)
9:00am	Josephine Miceli (Birthday) (Daughter, Karen)
Friday, August 18	
7:15am	Mario Cafagno, Sr. (Family)
9:00am	Honor Shofi (Megan & Shaun Bliss)
Saturday, August 19	
9:00am	John McCance (Mary McCance)
5:00pm	Frank J. Oderifero (Happy Birthday-We Miss You So) (Mom & Dad)
Sunday, August 20	
8:00am	Anna Klimek (Walter & Ann Marie Bonowizi)
10:00am	For All The People
12:00pm	Helen Massaro (Third Anniversary) (Daughter, Marion)



**DIVINE MERCY**—Proclaim that mercy is the greatest attribute of God. All the works of My hands are crowned with mercy." (301)

My daughter, I demand that you devote all your free moments to writing about My goodness and mercy. It is your office and your assignment throughout your life to continue to make known to souls the great mercy I have for them and to exhort them to trust in My bottomless mercy. (1586) Who God is in His Essence, no one will fathom, neither the mind of Angels nor of man. Get to know God by contemplating His attributes. (30) Souls perish in spite of My bitter Passion. I am giving them the last hope of salvation; that is, the Feast of My Mercy. If they will not adore My mercy, they will perish for all eternity. Secretary of My mercy, write, tell souls about this great mercy of Mine, because the awful day, the day of My justice, is near. (965) In the Old Covenant I sent prophets wielding thunderbolts to My people. Today I am sending you with My mercy to the people of the whole world. I do not want to punish aching mankind, but I desire to heal it, pressing it to My Merciful Heart. I use punishment when they themselves force Me to do so; My hand is reluctant to take hold of the sword of justice. Before the Day of Justice I am sending the Day of Mercy. (1588)

**NOTHING TO FEAR**

A rabbi was asked why God sends trials and troubles into human lives. "Because God gets lonely for his people" was the reply. There is some resonance with this wisdom in today's Gospel, as Jesus makes his disciples get into a boat without him and goes off alone while they venture into stormy waters. Of course, neither Jews nor Christians believe that the Almighty plays this sort of whimsical game with them, but there is some truth in the statement that we don't turn to God for saving help until we're in a bind. Peter's role today, as it is throughout the New Testament, is to be a sign or to represent each member of the church and the whole church. Our story is the tale told about Peter's faith today. What can bolster our faith is that even when Christ calls us to face bravely the tempests of life, if we are walking through them with our eyes fixed on him in faith, we have nothing to fear. Even when we falter or sink, simply crying "Lord, save me!" is enough to help us know the steady grasp of God's hand. Then, sheltered inside the walls of faith, the storms we endure lose their power over us. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co., Inc.

**TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION**

The Roman Canon, called Eucharistic Prayer I, is probably seldom heard in your parish. Some priests will choose it for at least one of the Masses of Christmas, or the Easter Vigil. Such sparing use of this prayer seems strange, especially since it was the only Eucharistic Prayer in the Latin Rite for many centuries, from as long ago as 500 right up to 1970.

In 1965, the vernacular language was approved for the canon of the Mass. Almost immediately, some experimental texts began to surface in the Netherlands, and priests began to use new Dutch texts without permission. By 1966, Pope Paul VI had set up a committee to consider whether or not it was time to approve such experimentation and extend it to non-Dutch churches. No sooner had the committee been formed than other individuals copied the Dutch by just plunging on ahead. The Dutch bishops had approved the use of the new prayers nationwide in 1968, and Flemish bishops in Belgium quickly agreed. By then, German translations of the Dutch prayers were in wide use, and before long nearly one hundred Eucharistic Prayers, all unapproved, were in circulation in France. The Vatican heard the widespread desire for more variety in Eucharistic Prayer forms, and, with the pope's approval, the process of creating new official prayers began. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J.



## 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:

<i>Peter Barbieri</i>	<i>Joan</i>
<i>Ben Balldasamo</i>	<i>Nick Klaus</i>
<i>Gerry Blenkle, Sr.</i>	<i>Teresa Lingardo</i>
<i>Nick Cacciola</i>	<i>Gavin Little</i>
<i>Jeff Caponera</i>	<i>Holly Lynch</i>
<i>Andrea Damato</i>	<i>Flavia Mirasole</i>
<i>Lou Dearstyne</i>	<i>Francesco Mirasole</i>
<i>Donald DeLandri</i>	<i>Jaspere Miranda</i>
<i>Matthew Phillips</i>	<i>Frank Morganthaler</i>
<i>Ed Delliveau</i>	<i>Alexa Nitting</i>
<i>Linda Dempsey</i>	<i>Ginger Ragusa</i>
<i>Frankie Dezell</i>	<i>Frankie Ragusa</i>
<i>Edward DiCapril</i>	<i>Madeline Ragusa</i>
<i>Joseph DiCioccio</i>	<i>Frank Rotelline</i>
<i>Alexandria Diemoz</i>	<i>Kathy Schilio</i>
<i>Guido Doria</i>	<i>Richard Schilio</i>
<i>John Edwards</i>	<i>Daniel Schoen</i>
<i>Walter Franzken</i>	<i>Traci Sinapi</i>
<i>Jason Fiore</i>	<i>Steven Soderquit</i>
<i>Sabrina Gerstle</i>	<i>The Family</i>
<i>Fred Gillu</i>	<i>Carol Tucciarone</i>

And for all those who have no one to pray for them....



Pray for all the souls of our faithfully departed, especially Francis Nicoletti,, Anthony Totillo and Stephen Vadella, grant eternal rest unto them O lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.



### Pray for Our Military

*Please pray for those who are serving our country in the military, especially, Nicholas Capasso, U. S. Marine Ensign Louis DePaolis, U.S. Coast Guard Capt. Peter M Kavanagh 111, U.S. Army 1st Lt Kyle J. Kavanagh, U.S. Marine Sgt. Kyle Ross Martin, U.S. Marine Alyson Oderifero, US Air Force Christopher T. Oderifero, Sr. Airman, Air Force Lt. Daniel Spies, U.S. Army Capt. Michael Tillson, U.S. Army*

May the Lord watch over and protect them!



### Thank you for your support and generosity for August 6th:

Regular Collection:	\$ 8,846.50
Regular Collection 2016:	8,520.50
Mission Appeal:	2,438.00
Parishpay :	607.50

The Rectory Office is closed on Fridays through August and the Church will be locked at 12 noon.



## ASSUMPTION OF

**THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY-** On Tuesday August 15, 2017 we will celebrate the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Assumption Day commemorates the belief that when the Blessed Virgin Mary, the mother of Jesus Christ, died, her body was "assumed" into heaven and reunited there with her soul. This holiday, has been celebrated since the fourth century.

Like the Immaculate Conception, the Assumption was not always an official dogma of the Roman Catholic Church – not until Pope Pius XII ruled it so in 1950. It is regarded as the principal feast day of the Virgin Mother and Holyday of Obligation. The Mass schedule is as follows: Monday, August 14th at 5pm and on Tuesday, August 15th at 7:15am, 9am and 6:30pm

**GOING ON VACATION-** Before leaving for your vacation, visit the website [www.parishesonline.com](http://www.parishesonline.com), or call 410-676-6000, to find a church and Mass times near where you'll be staying. An additional site is: [www.masstimes.org](http://www.masstimes.org).

**NATIONAL 54 ROSARY NOVENA-** the Archdiocese of New York will participate in the National 54 Day Rosary Novena for Family and Marriage sponsored by the Rosary Evangelization Apostolate. This Novena will launch on August 15th and conclude on October 7th. This effort is to help bring spiritual renewal in the nation through the intercession of Our Lady of the Rosary. For information about the Novena, please check the website at [www.54days.org](http://www.54days.org) The Novena consists of five decades of the Rosary each day for twenty-seven days in petition; then immediately five decades each day for an additional twenty-seven days in thanksgiving, whether or not the request has been granted. The meditations vary from day to day. On the first day meditate on the Joyful Mysteries; on the second day the Sorrowful Mysteries; on the third day the Glorious Mysteries; on the fourth day meditate again on the Joyful Mysteries; and so on throughout the fifty-four days.

**FLOCKNOTES-We'd like to connect with you! As of August 7th, 907 Holy Name of Jesus Church families have signed up.....**

**..WHY NOT YOU!** Through Flocknotes Fr Phil can communicate more effectively with you especially in an emergency. But we also want to make it easy for you to control what types of announcements you get from HNJ. Any questions call the rectory at 949-2323. our parish at: <https://new.flocknote.com/HNJvalhalla> or [www.flocknote.com/HNJValhalla](http://www.flocknote.com/HNJValhalla)

### THE POPE'S CHOIR IS COMING TO NYC

The oldest, and most famous choir in the world is coming to St. Patrick's Cathedral in NYC. It's the first time in over 30 years!!**Date:** Saturday, September 16, 2017

**Time:** 7:00 pm

**Location:** St. Patrick's Cathedral

**Cost:** Suggested Donation - \$50

Don't miss out on this heavenly experience. Get your tickets today at [www.sistinechapelustour.com](http://www.sistinechapelustour.com)

**WHAT I KNOW-**As for me, all I know is that I know nothing. —Socrates

**FROLICSOME-**Anyone who wishes to frolic with the devil cannot rejoice with Christ.—St. Peter Chrysologus

## SOCIAL CONCERNS

**PRAYER SHAWL REQUESTS-** Do you know someone who is ill or bereaved, or is feeling the effects of aging and could use a shawl or lap blanket for comfort and warmth? We will be happy to donate one to them. You can also select one for yourself. Please call or email Christine at 761-7243, [crosestephens@optimum.net](mailto:crosestephens@optimum.net) or Maureen at 946-9334, [MMCL16@optonline.net](mailto:MMCL16@optonline.net) to request a shawl or lap blanket. They will be happy to arrange a time to give you

**PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY-** Everyone. welcome! There are not any meetings in the Summer, However, the ladies of Prayer Shawl continue to create beautiful shawls and blankets . Don't know how to crochet and would like to learn? We have a member who is most willing to teach you! Don't like to go to meetings? You can knit or crochet from home. If you are interested in joining our ministry, please call or email Christine Stephens, 761-7243, [crosestephens@optimum.net](mailto:crosestephens@optimum.net) or Maureen McLoughlin, 946-9334, [MMCL16@optonline.net](mailto:MMCL16@optonline.net).

**SCHOOL SUPPLIES NEEDED-** We will be collecting NEW school supplies for children in need all summer until Labor Day. Sister Maureen Jerkowski, a Social Worker with Good Shepherd Family Services in the Bronx, said many families they serve are unable to buy school supplies for their children. We would love to be able to give those children supplies so they can have a good start to the new school year. Last year, with our donations, each Social Worker was able to give supplies to 4 of their neediest families. This year we would love to help out even more families. Can you help make that possible? Needed items- NEW - crayola crayons, #2 pencils, pens, spiral single subject notebooks, marble composition books, filler paper, file folders, glue sticks, crayola markers, elmers washable school glue, erasers, crayola colored pencils, binders, and school scissors. New Backpacks would also be appreciated. Please leave all donations in the Social Concerns bins. Thanks so much in advance for your generosity!!!

The annual "**Kindness Matters in memory of Denise Pochat**" drive will take place 8/19 11am-3p at 4 Northminster Dr White Plains. We are collecting new school supplies and diapers benefiting area schools , Good Shepherd Family Services, and Shepherd's Flock. Any questions or to arrange dropoff at another time please contact Lynn Ryan @ [lynnryanrm@hotmail.com](mailto:lynnryanrm@hotmail.com)



**Capuchin Youth Leadership Training, Aug 25-27, 2017;** Join the thousands of teens CYFM has helped become more confident in themselves and skilled in public speaking, communicating effectively, understanding group dynamics and facilitating groups, developing and delivering effective presentations, enhancing self-esteem, and time management--as well as how to combine all those skills for utilization in Evangelization as authentic Christian leaders. Even those who don't consider themselves leaders WILL benefit from the authenticity and skill-training offered in this motivational and inspiring program. Be prepared to be transformed into the person that God is calling you to be! Fee \$125.00 per person includes lodging, meals, and materials; application and non-refundable \$60.00 deposit due by 8/22/17 Find more info on web: [cyfm.org](http://cyfm.org). Capuchin Youth & Family Ministries, 781 Route 9D, PO Box 192, Garrison, NY 10524. (845) 424-3609. Find us on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Flocknote: CYFMGarrison.

**SCHOOL BUS DRIVER NEEDED-** Looking for a reliable person to drive a mini-bus to private schools from the Valhalla School District . Two hours in both the morning and afternoon each day for the coming school year. For further information contact Deb at **769-5737**.

**MEDICARE** – As part of National Medicare Education Week (9/15 – 9/21) our parishioner and licensed Medicare agent, Jack Lofaso, will be presenting an information session entitled 'Medicare Made Clear' here in the HNJ Gym on Thursday 9/21 at 7:30 PM. Please join us to learn about your Medicare choices. Jack will also share tools and resources to help you understand the coverage that may be right for you, including a free education guide.. Medicare Annual Enrollment starts Oct 15, so whether you are just getting started with Medicare or simply looking to learn more, this is the place be. For more info contact Jack Lofaso [\(914\) 479-9878](tel:9144799878).

**CATHOLIC SOCIAL WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS GROUP-** We meet monthly, usually on the fourth Monday of the month, at Church of St Pius X, 91 Secor Rd, Scarsdale to honor our deceased spouses with a Mass at 7 PM in the small chapel off the main church, followed by a meeting social with refreshments. We plan activities and have meals at local area restaurants. We welcome all Catholic Widows/Widowers. For inquiries, call 914-715-5817 or email: [cww10583@gmail.com](mailto:cww10583@gmail.com).

**TACHS:** (Test for Admission to Catholic High Schools) 2017 Summer/Fall Classes & Boot Camps held at Sacred Heart School, 59 Wilson Street, Hartsdale and the Ossining Public Library, 53 Croton Avenue, Ossining, Register at [www.educapeassociates.com](http://www.educapeassociates.com). Questions? Contact Gale Marchica at 914-886-5043 or Office at 914-941-4148

**FOOD FOR OUR FURRY FRIENDS-** Our parishioner, Kathy Ferri, helps run the Hudson Valley Pet Food Pantry located in White Plains. They provide pet food to those going through difficult financial times and are unable to provide for their pets. They could use donations for cats and dogs, wet or dry. For further information call Kathy at 914-473-9551.

### WELCOME TO ALL WHO CELEBRATE WITH US-

If you would like to register in our Parish, 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.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

New to Parish

Change of Address/Phone Number/Moving

Moving- please remove my name from Parish list