

Holy Name of Jesus Parish

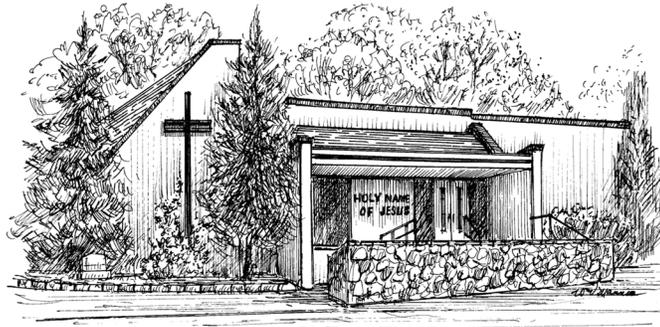
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B.A.S.I.C.

Mrs. Suzanne Gerbosi
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. Frank Bassett 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

Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time November 13, 2016

Sing praise to the LORD with the harp,
with the harp and melodious song.
— *Psalm 98:5*



Saturday, November 12	
5:00pm	Angelina Sacco (The Mercadante Family)
Sunday, November 13	
8:00am	Parigina Simeone (Valhalla United Methodist Nursery School Board)
10:00am	Theodore Mancini (The Mancini Family)
12:00pm	Millie Palmieri (Lois & Larry Whartenby)
Monday, November 14	
7:15am	Rosemary Keck (The Keck Family)
9:00am	Joseph Conley (Sister-law, Irene)
Tuesday, November 15	
7:15am	JoAnn Santoro (Cathy Donato & Family)
9:00am	All Souls
Wednesday, November 16	
7:15am	For All The People
9:00am	Columbia Sposato (Family)
Thursday, November 17	
7:15am	All Souls
9:00am	Bartolomeo Pacifico (Anthony & Filomena Pacifico)
Friday, November 18	
7:15am	MartinCuranaj (Hanah Berisha)
9:00am	Agnes Rotundo (Mary Renna)
Saturday, November 19	
9:00am	Angele & Charles Benck (Deacon Tom & Fran)
5:00pm	Robert DiStasio (Wife, Barbara)
Sunday, November 20	
8:00am	Diane Callahan (The Lane Family)
10:00am	For All The People
12:00pm	Mr. & Mrs. Gervasi (Family)



DIVINE MERCY -My daughter, your confidence and love restrain My justice, and I cannot inflict punishment because you hinder Me from doing so. (198) My daughter, look into the abyss of My mercy and give praise and glory to this mercy of Mine. Do it in this way: Gather all sinners from the entire world and immerse them in the abyss of My mercy. I want to give Myself to souls; I yearn for souls, My daughter. On the day of My feast, the Feast of Mercy, you will go through the whole world and bring fainting souls to the spring of My mercy. I shall heal and strengthen them. (206)

My daughter, do not seek sympathy from creatures. I want the fragrance of your suffering to be pure and unadulterated. I want you to detach yourself, not only from creatures, but also from yourself. (279)

My Heart was moved by great mercy towards you, My dearest child, when I saw you torn to shreds because of the great pain you suffered in repenting for your sins. ... I lift up the humble even to my very throne, because I want it so. (282)

GOD'S HEALING JUSTICE

An old expression holds that the sun-warmed stone heals. Perhaps. But Malachi explains that only dark, sunless days are in store for those who do not find a place for God in their lives. Conversely, he tells us that the warmth and light of God's healing justice await those who fear the Lord. That's a pretty comforting notion—especially now in the already short and growing even shorter days of November. It's the sun-warmed stone, and then some.

Paul speaks to us of justice as well, but points out that it is not a passive thing. To be treated justly, we need to do our fair share. If we are diligent and persevere we will be rewarded with and by the fruits of our labor. Lastly, Luke, too, tells us to persevere—in faith, this time—and our lives will be secure in God regardless of how we are treated by our enemies. Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

With Thanksgiving approaching, we think of the quest of the Puritans who arrived on the *Mayflower* from their first exile in Leyden, Holland. Like the Catholics of England, they were religious dissenters who suffered penalties for not participating in the worship life of the established church. The Catholics established monasteries, schools, and convents on the continent to assure the vigor of their faith's intellectual and spiritual life. The Puritans fled to the tolerant Netherlands with similar hopes of preserving their way of life, but were unable to adapt to Dutch ways.

There were Catholics who made a similar colonial journey. The hero of the story is George Calvert, Lord Baltimore, the former Secretary of State of Britain and a Catholic. He proposed that King Charles I establish a proprietary colony that he would own and rule, named Maryland in honor of the Catholic Queen Henrietta Maria. George Calvert died unexpectedly in the midst of this project, but his son Cecil faithfully carried out his father's wishes. Maryland became a symbol of freedom for wealthy recusant English families, as well as for the poor who held to the Catholic faith despite great hardship. From the start, the colony was open to Protestants and Catholics equally, and the seeds of the religious freedom so dear to the American spirit were sown with the first colonists in 1634. —Rev. James Field, Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

SELF-PORTRAIT- Every job is a self-portrait of the person who did it. Autograph your work with quality. —Anonymous

BIBLE TRUTH-What you bring away from the Bible depends to some extent on what you carry to it.- —O W Holmes



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>Ed Kammer</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>Scott Clark</i>	<i>Francesco Mirasole</i>
<i>Andrea Damato</i>	<i>Flavia Mirasole</i>
<i>Lou Dearstynne</i>	<i>Jaspere Miranda</i>
<i>Donald DeLandri</i>	<i>Alexa Nitting</i>
<i>Matthew Phillips</i>	<i>Alex Pacor</i>
<i>Ed Delliveau</i>	<i>Robert Pruner, Sr.</i>
<i>Linda Dempsey</i>	<i>Frankie Ragusa</i>
<i>Frankie Dezell</i>	<i>Ginger Ragusa</i>
<i>Edward DiCaprill</i>	<i>Madeline Ragusa</i>
<i>Joseph DiCioccio</i>	<i>Frank Rotelline</i>
<i>Alexandria Diemoz</i>	<i>Kathy Ryan</i>
<i>Guido Doria</i>	<i>Irene Scazzero</i>
<i>John Edwards</i>	<i>Kathy Schilio</i>
<i>Walter Franzken</i>	<i>Richard Schilio</i>
<i>Jason Fiore</i>	<i>Daniel Schoen</i>
<i>Sabrina Gerstle</i>	<i>Helen Severino</i>
<i>The Family</i>	<i>Traci Sinapi</i>
<i>Fred Gillu</i>	<i>Steven Soderquist</i>
<i>Joan</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 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 III, 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!

THANKSGIVING ECUMENICAL SERVICE

Our annual community Interfaith Thanksgiving Service will be hosted at the Valhalla United Methodist Church on Tuesday evening, November 22nd, at 7:30 p.m. This gathering of Roman Catholic, Methodist, and Muslim congregations celebrates our commitment to interfaith dialogue as we give thanks for the many blessings of faith, family, and community. An offering will be collected to benefit the Ecumenical Food Pantry in White Plains, and non-perishable food items may be brought as well. A reception prepared by the host congregation will follow the service

ALL ALTAR SERVERS, LECTORS AND EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS please email Francine at the rectory at HNJValhallaNY@gmail by November 17th and provide the dates and times you CANNOT serve during the months of December and January. For Christmas schedule and the New Year there will be a sign up sheet in the Church Sacristy. If you have any questions please call me at 949-2323.



HOLY HOUR will be on Monday evening, November 14th at 7pm

BIBLE STUDY will be on Monday at 10am and 7pm



ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

Ladies of the Parish...Please join us at our monthly meeting on Wednesday, November 16th at 7pm in the Church for the Rosary and

Installation of New Members. Immediately following there will be a small reception with the annual cookie swap in the cafeteria. Don't forget to bring enough to pass around.



SAVE THE DATE: The Rosary Altar Society's 2016 Annual Christmas Dinner is being held on Wednesday, December 7th at 6 p.m. at the Beehive Restaurant. Join us for a wonderful evening with our fellow Rosarians. (Friends and relatives are also invited.) Please respond by Friday, November 20th, send your response and check for \$35 per person to Rose Rich, 30 Hilltop Lane, Thornwood, NY 10594 (rose.rich1@verizon.net). See you there!

BLOOD DRIVE SIGN-UP on Sunday, November 20th The Youth Group will host a **BLOOD DRIVE on Sunday, November 27th** from 8:30am to 2:30pm. Please consider donating a pint of blood to help those who desperately need it! Sign up Today. Walk-Ins Welcome...you will need to bring a form of ID with your signature and/or photo, and know your Social Security Number. Those under 17 years old must present a signed parental permission form.

61st ANNUAL HOLY NAME OF JESUS MID-WINTER BALL

Honoring Mrs. Pam Matott

Saturday, January 28, 2017

White Plains Women's Club

Dancing (DJ) & Open Bar All Evening

\$85 per Person - \$170 per Couple

Cocktail Hour – 6:30pm

Sit Down Dinner – 7:30pm

FYI: The Mamaroneck Beach Club is undergoing renovation therefore the MWB Committee visited alternate sites to find a venue. The White Plains Women's Club will work with us to keep the price at \$85 per person.

In order to keep the price at this level they need a dinner count by December 14th. As soon as you have an idea that you will be coming please let Brian or Gail (914-761-7294) know and your payment is due by January 15th. Checks should be made out to Holy Name of Jesus in an envelope marked "MWB".

The cocktail hour will have four selections of hot Italian Antipasto Station with a cheese and market vegetables tapas bar. The dinner menu choices are: Prime Rib of Beef, French Breast of Chicken and Parsley Crusted Salmon.

Also if you are interested in placing an ad of Congratulations to Pam or for your business see the Journal ad form in the church foyers

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- First access formed.org on the internet
- On the home screen click register on the right side below.
- Enter Holy Name of Jesus' access code of: KP7CMR, which is case sensitive, and your email address. Click GO
- Complete the registration by filling in your name and address and create your password. Check the box and submit.
- A link will be sent to your email address to verify your registration email address. Log into you're your email account, and look for a message from Formed. Check spam if you don't see it.

Open the message from Formed and click the link to activate your account. This will verify your email, and bring you back to the Formed home screen. Congratulations, you are now registered on Formed. Any problems or question contact Fran at the rectory at or email parishcare@formed.org. These instructions are also available in a video tutorial on Formed. Scroll down to the bottom left and select "Help". Look for the tutorial, "How to Register as a Parishioner."

SOCIAL CONCERNS



THANKSGIVING FOOD COLLECTION BASKET SIGNUP:

Up: We will once again be collecting Thanksgiving food baskets for people in need this year. The sign-up sheet is in the front vestibule this weekend, along with a shopping list. We are asking that food be placed in reusable shopping bags, if possible, to make it easier for the families to carry. Completed baskets can be dropped off in front of the school building next weekend, November 19-th & 20th, before and after all weekend Masses. Please keep your basket(s) together by tying a ribbon of the same color on each handle (or something similar). Can't do a full basket? Consider putting one together with a friend or donating a gift card to a local supermarket. We are also accepting "loose" food items. If you have any questions, please contact Anthony Amiano at 914-469-2079.

PRAYER SHAWL REQUESTS-Do you know someone who is ill or bereaved, or is feeling the effects of aging and could use a shawl for comfort and warmth? We will be happy to donate a shawl to them. You can also select one for yourself. Please call or email Christine at 761-7243, cstephens@pace.edu or Maureen at 946-9334, MMCL16@optonline.net to request a shawl. They will be happy to arrange a time to give you one. Also members can always use yarn. 3 skeins of one color are needed for one prayer shawl. Please leave all donations in the Social Concerns bins in the church vestibules. Thanks so much for your generosity!

SOCIAL CONCERNS- Items Needed Year Round. We are collecting the following items year round-Travel Sized Toiletries- i.e.- soap, shampoo, deodorant, shaving cream, toothpaste, Men's sneakers and backpacks. The items may be dropped off in the Social Concerns bins.



DIAPER DRIVE TODAY

Our Confirmation students will be collecting diapers **TODAY**, Nov 12th and 13th at all the Masses. These items will go to Emmanuel House, an organization which helps women in crisis pregnancies. Please give the students your support. Thank you!

PARISH COUNCIL ELECTIONS Please fill out the form below to nominate yourself or someone else for a position on the Parish Council which meets on the fourth Monday of the Month. Nominees must be registered Parishioners. Please return by Friday, November 25th. We need two new members.

PARISH COUNCIL Members-At-Large

If nominating someone else, please speak to them first. (return form to the Rectory by Friday, November 25th and the names will be pulled on the weekend of November 27th

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

TELEPHONE: _____



Good Counsel Academy Elementary School Christmas Elves present "The Giving Tree" which will be located in the main church foyer and decorated with ornaments. The ornaments

will have the age and requested donation for a child or an adult. You are asked to donate the item listed and drop it off by December 4th in the labeled bin in the Church foyer. Please leave the gift unwrapped and attach the identifying ornament to your donation. Items must be new, not used. We thank you for your generosity and the gifts will be distributed through the Shepherd's Flock, a ministry of the Sisters of the Divine Compassion.



Having a party? The **KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS** St. Dominic Council #4399 Thornwood has a beautiful newly renovated room available for rent. We offer reasonable rates for all occasions. For further information please contact one of our members. John 769-4807 or Ralph 400-4101.

"Have you suffered from an abortion?" Experience God's love and mercy and begin the journey of healing. Please call the Sisters of Life at 866-575-0075 or email at hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org. For men, Call Theresa Bonopartis at Lumina at 877-586-4621 or email at Lumina@postabortionhelp.org

We are a **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 social meeting with refreshments. Our next meeting date is Monday, November 28th. We welcome all Catholic Widows/Widowers. For inquiries, call 914-715-5817 or email: cww10583@gmail.com.