

Holy Name of Jesus Parish

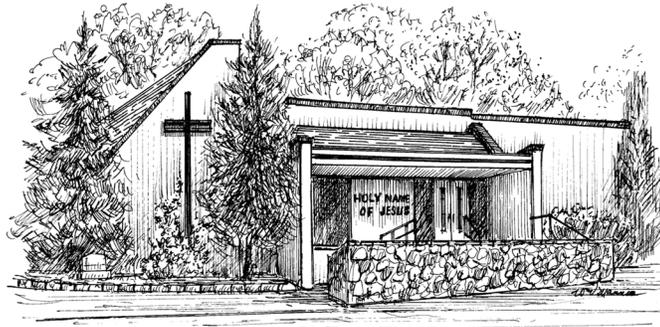
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Children's Choir

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. 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

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 4, 2016

Fill us at daybreak with your kindness,
that we may shout for joy and gladness
all our days.

— *Psalm 90:14*

MASSSES for the WEEK

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Saturday, September 3	5:00pm	Tony Taranto (Ralph & Jenny Mancini)
Sunday, September 4	8:00am	Jeanne Marie Finan (Husband, Bill & Daughters)
	10:00am	Michael Dolan Sr. (Family)
	12:00pm	For All The People
Monday, September 5	7:15am	No Mass
	9:00am	Dominick Massaro, Jr. ((94th Birthday) (Daughter, Marian)
Tuesday, September 6	7:15am	Thomas Morzello (The Morzello Family)
	9:00am	Marie Behling (Husband, Tom)
Wednesday, September 7	7:15am	Christine Eunok Kim (Helen Grundy)
	9:00am	Louise Franzese (Husband, Paul)
Thursday, September 8	7:15am	Julia & Philip Oh (Helen & David Grundy)
	9:00am	Rocco & Margaret Magnotta (Family)
Friday, September 9	7:15am	Donald MacDonald (Family)
	9:00am	Barbara Mahon (Fran & Jim Berger)
Saturday, September 10	9:00am	Luciano Corsini, Sr (Family)
	5:00pm	Gus Capasso (Birthday) (Barbara & Bob Valentine)
Sunday, September 11	8:00am	For All The People
	10:00am	Lauren Perraglia (The Donovan Family)
	12:00pm	Anna Mola (The Mola Family)



DIVINE MERCY CONTINUED:

“Everyone in the world can belong to this group. A member of this group ought to perform at least one act of mercy per day; at least one, but there can be many more, for such deeds can easily be carried out by anyone, even the very poorest. For there are three ways of performing an act of mercy: the merciful word, by forgiving, and by comforting; secondly, if you can offer no word, then pray—that too is mercy; and thirdly, deeds of mercy. And when the Last Day comes, we shall be judged from this, and on this basis we shall receive the eternal verdict.” (Diary 1157-1158, page 424)
“I am love and Mercy Itself. There is no misery that could be a match for My mercy, neither will misery exhaust it, because as it is being granted – it increases. The soul that trusts in My mercy is most fortunate, because I Myself take care of it.” (Diary, 1273, page 459)

INVITED

The Good News is that we have all been invited—invited to the Kingdom, invited to be disciples. It’s a life-changing invitation, and like so many other such invitations, it requires a great deal of deliberation and discernment. Whether we choose marriage, ordination, single life, or community life, we know the serious planning and consideration that accompany these profound decisions. Like the tower-builder in the Gospel, we have weighed both the monetary and emotional cost. We have pondered and planned our lives in the direction to which we believe God has called us. And while we pray for guidance and acceptance of God’s will, we often fail to understand so much. Like Solomon, we turn to God for wisdom and counsel in our life-changing decisions.

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TREASURES FROM OUR TRADITION

Sometimes, this “Treasures” column can seem to be a species of crib-notes for Catholic *Jeopardy*. Indeed, you may never know when knowledge of our particular vocabulary may come in handy. Such is the case with papal bulls, which conjure up all sorts of images, but are actually not what you might expect. A bull is a papal letter on a matter of great consequence, such as a decision about a crisis in the Church, the declaration of a doctrine, the summoning of a council, or the canonization of a saint. It has a more solemn intention than a mere letter or even an encyclical, a teaching letter circulated through the whole Church. Its odd name comes from the Latin *bullā*, which is the stamp used to apply a signatorial design to the hot lead, or even molten silver or gold, that seals the decree.

The format for the bull is the name of the pope in Latin, followed by the title “servant of the servants of God,” also in Latin, and then the text. The title of the bull is always the first two words of the text. Some famous papal bulls are *Exsurge Domine* (Arise, O Lord), written against Martin Luther’s Ninety-five Theses in 1520; *Munificentissimus Deus* (The Most Bountiful God), the promulgation of the dogma of the Assumption in 1950 by Pope Pius XII; or *Humanae Salutis* (Human Salvation), by which Pope John XXIII convened the Second Vatican Council in 1962.

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THE DIFFERENCE—It is labor indeed that puts the difference on everything.—John Locke

FOLLOW YOUR PATH—You have to do your own growing no matter how tall your grandfather was. —Abraham Lincoln

MISSION- God has created me to do some definite service. God has committed some work to me which has not been committed to another. I have a mission. —John Henry Newman



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:

Peter Barbieri
Ben Balldasamo
Gerry Blenkle, Sr.
Nick Cacciola
Jeff Caponera
Andrea Damato
Laurie D'Amico
Lou Dearstyne
Donald DeLandri
Anita Del Vecchio
Ed Delliveau
Linda Dempsey
Frankie Dezell
Joseph DiCioccio
Alexandria Diemoz
Guido Doria
John Edwards
Walter Franzken
Jason Fiore
Sabrina Gerstle
Fred Gillu
Ed Kammer
Nick Klaus
Teresa Lingardo
Gavin Little

Holly Lynch
Francesco Mirasole
Flavia Mirasole
Jaspere Miranda
Toni Naughton
Alexa Nitting
Alex Pacor
Peter O'Connor
Peter O'Connor
Matthew Phillips
Robert Pruner, Sr.
Frankie Ragusa
Ginger Ragusa
Madeline Ragusa
Frank Rotelline
Kathy Ryan
Irene Scazzero
Kathy Schilio
Richard Schilio
Daniel Schoen
Helen Severino
Traci Sinapi
Steve Soderquist
Ann Tantillo
Carol Tucciarone

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



Pray for all the souls of our faithfully departed, especially Monica Colhoun 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!

Question of the Week:

When we gather at the Lord's invitation as we have done today, sometimes we encounter a word that is more challenging than comforting. In the Gospel, Jesus calls for renunciation of all our possessions. Especially in our culture, that is a hard word indeed! How must I transform myself to live Jesus' gospel so that I can offer everyone his generous, compassionate, self-sacrificing love?



Labor Day

THE RECTORY WILL BE CLOSED
ON LABOR DAY
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 5th



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

On September 9th, there will be a meeting for all new and transfer parents of Religious Education in the Cafeteria at 7pm

CLASSES BEGIN:

Saturday sessions on Sept 17th
Monday sessions on Sept 19th
Tuesday sessions on Sept 20th

If you need a Registration packets they are in the Church vestibules and on line at www.HolyNameofJesus.org.

New Families: Registration must be done in person at the RE Office. Baptismal Certificate and records from previous R.E. School (if applicable) are required for first-time registrants.

Office Hours: For the rest of the summer, please leave a message at 949-1422, or email HJRE@aol.com

ALL ALTAR SERVERS, LECTORS AND

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS please email Fr. Frank at wrank2003@yahoo.com and the rectory at HNJValhallaNY@gmail.com by September 17th and provide the dates and times you CANNOT serve during the months of October and November

Our Bingo Boys will serve **PANCAKE BREAKFAST** Sunday September 11th, after the 8am and 10am Masses. Join then for a delicious breakfast after Mass-SAVE THE DATE!!

BIBLE STUDY: On Mondays, September 26th through December 5th there will be a Bible Study at 10am and at 7pm in the Fr Dave Library. No worries if you miss a week and it is free to all. The series will be based on Catholicism: The Journey of a Lifetime written by the Most Reverend Robert E. Barron. Please call the rectory and sign up.

RITE of CHRISTIAN INITIATION for ADULTS:

R.C.I.A. "COME, AND YOU WILL SEE" (John 1:39)
Are you someone who was baptized Catholic but who never received the Sacraments of Communion or Confirmation? Are you an unbaptized person who wishes to become Catholic? Are you a Catholic who has received your Sacraments but would like a deeper understanding of your faith? If you or someone you know can answer yes to any of these questions, then RCIA is for you. RCIA is the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. The RCIA team meets every Sunday after the 12:00pm Mass beginning October 9th. For more information and to register call the rectory at 949-2323 and watch the bulletin for further details.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: From September 28th through November 6th you are invited to join other Christians for 40 Days for Life—40 days of prayer and fasting for an end to abortion. You're also invited to stand and peacefully pray during a 40-day vigil in the public right-of-way outside the Planned Parenthood Center at 175 Tarrytown Road in Greenburgh, and to help spread the word about this community outreach. For information and to sign up to volunteer at a vigil visit the website at 40daysforlife.com/whiteplains.

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



**GOOD COUNSEL ACADEMY
ELEMENTARY at Holy Name of Jesus-**
offers a PreK3through 8th grade program.
For more information please call the office
for further information at 761-4423 or email
goodcounsel@gcaelem.net



The Original Image of Divine Mercy Documentary-A Film for the Holy Year of Mercy produced by divinemercyfilm.com will be held on October 5th at the Church of the Resurrection Chapel in Rye at 7pm with a \$10 donation. This is sponsored by Entering Canaan Ministry/Reclaiming our Children and hosted by Resurrection Parish

SOCIAL CONCERNS

PRAYER SHAWL MEETING- Saturday, September 24- Our first meeting of the fall will be on Saturday, September 24, from 11:30-12:30 in the Father Dave Library. Please park in the back lot, enter through the RE doors. New members are always welcome! Please call or email Christine Stephens at 761-7243, cstephens@pace.edu or Maureen McLoughlin at 946-9334, MMCL16@optonline.net if interested or if you have any questions. Please consider joining this most worthwhile ministry!



SCHOOL SUPPLIES- Collection Ends Labor Day Weekend- Thanks SO, SO much to all our parishioners who have contributed to our school supply drive. We have had a wonderful, amazing response!!! Sister Maureen and the staff at Good Shepherd Family Services will be thrilled to be able to give these supplies to children in need. The last weekend of the collection will be Labor Day weekend, September 3rd and 4th. Thanks so much for your generosity and helping these children start the school year prepared to learn and succeed.

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...Backpacks
Prayer Shawl 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!

LET US KNOW AND WELCOME TO ALL WHO CELEBRATE WITH US- If you would like to register in our Parish, or if changes were made after you registered, or if your envelope should be corrected in any way please fill out this form and drop it into the collection basket, or mail/bring it to the Rectory.

Also, if you are over the age of 18 and live at home please register under your own name.

Name: _____

Address: _____

Telephone: _____

E-mail: _____

New to Parish

Change of Address/Phone Number

Spelling change

I would like to receive donation envelopes

Looking for a meaningful **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY** The Ladies of Charity are a diverse group of Catholic women who volunteer to meet the critical needs of those in challenging situations through: Engaging in Ministries with flexible time commitments in Parishes, Nursing Homes and others institutions that care for the marginalized The creation and donation of handmade items for those we serve Providing spiritual and social support for our volunteers For more information or to become a Lady of Charity please contact us at Ladies of Charity 1011 First Avenue, NYC, Tel: 212-371-1000x2542 or email :PC@archny.org

We are a **CATHOLIC SOCIAL WIDOWS AND WIDOWERS.** 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, August 29th. We plan activities and have meals at local area restaurants. In June, we held our Annual Communion Brunch. We welcome all Catholic Widows/Widowers.. For inquiries, call 914-715-5817 or email: cww10583@gmail.com.

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 tristate 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 14-16** at St. Patrick's Old Cathedral in SoHo, NY. This is a Day Program. Overnight accommodations are not included. For more information call 914-244-3685 or visit: www.regnumchristiny.org.

ARCHCARE (The Continuing Care Community of the Archdiocese of New York)- Need help caring for yourself or someone else, but not sure where to turn with questions about: Housing for seniors and disabled persons, Access to healthcare, Health-related legal and financial issues, Dementia care, Transportation options, Caregiver support groups, Food and nutrition, Volunteer Opportunities. Call ArchCare. We'll answer. ArchCare Navigation Center-call 855-951-CARE. Care Navigators are there to help you from 8am to 8pm, seven days a week. Help from a Care Navigator is totally free.

Abortion impacts families, and often siblings of those who have been aborted are left suffering in silence. A retreat for siblings will be held from Friday, September 23rd to Sunday, September 25th. Spiritual Director, Rev. Fidelis Moncinski, CFR. For further information and confidential reservations please call: Lumina at 718-881-8008 or email