



St. Rose of Lima Church

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The Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time October 4, 2015



What a joy it was to have the Holy Father, Pope Francis, visit us in Washington D.C., New York and Philadelphia. Thank God he has arrived home to the Vatican City safe and in good health after a rigorous but most enthusiastic trip. The Holy Father has given us much to ponder. He reminds us to be true to the

Gospel values and to be truly joyful in a world that's tainted with human sadness and weakness. The Holy Father challenges us "To be better and to do better in the name of Christ." In New York he reminded us to be the face of Christ and to seek the face of Christ in the other human being living in the large populated cities. In Philadelphia his Mass for families invited us to consider the question "In our own homes is our voice loud and angry or is it calm and loving?" Sometimes life can get us down and family tensions can bring havoc into our home. We must try as individuals and as members of our own family to be courageous in the face of difficulty and to ensure that our voice is not too high with tension but calm in the knowledge that Christ is at our side.

I'm excited to begin the Rite of Catholic Initiation of Adults (RCIA) sessions this coming Monday, October 5th at 7:00pm. Judy Angelo, Debbie Riccio and I look forward to giving instruction to adults who seek Baptism, Holy Communion, and/or Confirmation. We already have four young ladies who seek the Sacrament of Confirmation. If you know anyone who is not Baptized, a Protestant who would like to become Catholic, a Catholic who has never made Holy Communion, or a Catholic who has never made Confirmation, please have them contact me directly and I will be glad to have them join our group.

Everyone is talking about the wonderful Audi A3 we are raffling off this year. The drawing, as you probably know, will take place on Saturday, October 24th. Thanks to all our parishioners who have helped in the booth and those of you who have sold tickets to family, co-workers and friends. All registered parishioners have received raffle books in the mail. If you are not a registered parishioner, or if you are a visitor to the parish, I would so appreciate you buying tickets at the booth to support this major fundraiser. For all those who received tickets in the mail, could you please, as soon as possible, mail or bring in your tickets as we need your help in this fundraiser.

We look forward to the Columbus Day Parade next Sunday, October 11th. Fr. Matthew and I are excited to welcome the Italian Police and we have invited Fr. Lou, the pastor of St. Lucy's to concelebrate the 10:30am Mass with us. We have invited the St. Lucy Parish Council to bring the beautiful statue of St. Gerard to our church for the Mass and then the statue will be carried in the parade.

Father Owen



Mass Intentions

Sunday, October 4th Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary

Time

- 7:30 People of the Parish
Minnie Zoppi, Andy & Dottie Remias
9:00 Mary E. Splaine, Joseph Lomazzo
10:30 Ellen Limone, Frank Rosamilia
12:15 Mildred & Jim Bailey, May DiMatteo (30th Ann.)
7:00 Charles Winkler, Sandra Fischer

Monday, October 5th Weekday

- 9:00 Gladys Sopher, Ed Pilot

Tuesday, October 6th St. Bruno

- 9:00 Barbara Gardner, Vita Antonelli

Wednesday, October 7th Our Lady of the Rosary

- 9:00 Ed Pilot, Linda Barrett

Thursday, October 8th Weekday

- 9:00 John Haggart (14th Ann.), Andrea Varela

Friday, October 9th Sts. Denis & John Leonardi

- 9:00 John Scullen, Edward Broderick, Jr.

Saturday, October 10th Weekday

- 9:00 Mass to the Blessed Mother
Vigil
5:30 Joseph Dorey (7th Ann.), Deceased Members of the Bruno Family

Sunday, October 11th Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary

Time

- 7:30 People of the Parish
Ann Faliveno, Vecchiarello Family
9:00 George White (7th Ann.), Vera Marcantonio
10:30 Silvia DeAngelis, Margaret Lomio
12:15 Carmella D'Uva, Mary Lester
7:00 Sandra Fischer, Phylis Gallucci

Rosary Prayer Intentions for October

Glorious Mysteries: That all Catholics will respect the dignity of life.

Sorrowful Mysteries: In Thanksgiving for the visit of our Pope and his safe return to the Vatican City.

Joyful Mysteries: That all Catholics will strive to practice the Holy Father's invitation to be faithful disciples.

Luminous Mysteries: That Alex and all seminarians at the Gregorian as they begin their academic year, will be in our prayers.



Our Sick: Please remember in your prayers those in our parish and community who are ill, especially:

Adrianna Monaco, Maria Ravanno, Felix Terrero, Dean Everetts, Lena Raimo, Sandy DiMassi, Mary Jo Corey, Frank DiMatteo, Anita Drescher, Carmine Sarno, Jessica Petti, Mary Edwards, Pat DeDeo and Fr. Fred Walters



THE ALTAR BREAD AND WINE

For this week are offered in loving memory of

Leslie Mayer

From: Ron & Arlene Mayer



SANCTUARY LAMP - CHURCH

A reminder of the Divine Presence in the Eucharist burns this week in memory of:

Antonio & Maria Rodrigues

From: Rebelo Family



TABERNACLE CANDLES

For the week are offered in loving memory of:

Maria Peralta

From: Rebelo Family



ALTAR CANDLES

For the week are offered in loving memory of:

Daive, Jamie & Manny Rebelo

From: Rebelo Family



Congratulations to the Parents of our newly

Baptized:

Sofia Clair Balzer

Serena Erika Balzer

BEREAVEMENT

Father Owen and Stephanie Politi will be starting our next Bereavement Group here at St. Rose. Our first meeting will be on Wednesday, October 28th at 7:00pm in the Church Office. Subsequent meetings will usually be held on Wednesdays. We are planning for the sessions to continue most weeks through December and January. If you have any questions or plan to come to these sessions please register by Oct. 14th by emailing Stephanie Politi at spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org.

OCTOBER

RESPECT LIFE MONTH

“O God, our Creator, all LIFE is in your hands from conception until death. Help us to cherish our children and to reverence the awesome privilege of our share in creation. Bless all those who bravely defend the rights of the unborn, the handicapped and the aged. Enlighten and be merciful toward those who fail to love. Let freedom be tempered by responsibility, integrity and morality.”

Please pray with us and help America to remain to be “the land of the free and the home of the brave!”

Respect Life Committee

Are you interested in joining our Committee, Please call:

Carolyn 973-585-4388

Anne Marie 973-884-2011

2015 CONFIRMATION NEWS

9th Grade: Your next class night will take place on Oct. 25th. Students are to arrive no later than 5:15pm through the Academy lobby doors for their class. Students will be dismissed at the end of the 7:00pm Mass

10th Grade: Your first class night will take place on Oct. 4th. Students are to arrive no later than 5:15pm through the Academy lobby doors. Registered students will be receiving an email with additional important information about the upcoming year.

“Finding Neverland” On Broadway



Please join us on a luxury bus trip to see Finding Neverland on Broadway on October 22nd at 7:30pm. Tickets are \$124 which includes the ticket and transportation. The bus will depart from St. Rose parking lot at approximately 4:45pm and return back to St. Rose at the conclusion of the show. Tickets are limited, so please do not hesitate. First come, first served. If you are interested in purchasing tickets please contact Stephanie Politi at spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org or Lisa Paradiso at lparadiso@saintroseoflimachurch.org or call the Youth Ministry office at 973-599-2944 ASAP.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Our classes have begun. You may still submit registrations. The form is available on our parish website. Registrations received will be processed and class assignments will be sent by email.

Our class schedule and Mass Leaders of Prayer:

October

4	Cycle 2	Kindergarten: Mrs. Guiliano & Gr. 8 Mrs. Krueger
11	No Classes	Columbus Day Weekend (see you in Mass!)
18	Cycle 1	Gr. 2 Mrs. Taylor & Gr.8 Mr. Gatti
25	Cycle 2	Gr. 1 Mrs. Kolcz & Gr. 7 Mrs. Mitchell

Catechists and Student Leaders of Prayer are asked to be in the church at 8:30am.

We look forward to seeing you in class!!!

Silver and Gold Wedding Anniversary Mass

Couples, were you married in 1965 or 1990? You are warmly invited to celebrate your 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary with the Church of Paterson. Bishop Serratelli will be the main celebrant at Mass at St. Mary Church, Denville on

Sunday, November 8, 2015 at 4:00pm.

Arrangements can be made by contacting the parish office. Registrations will be accepted through **Monday, October 26, 2015**. Information will be sent from the Office of Family Life once your registration has been processed. Congratulations on this joyous occasion.

TEAM JESS

Zumbathon to support Jessica Petti and her family in their fight against Leukemia

Remember To Wear Orange



This event will take place on October 18th from 2-4pm in the St. Rose gym. The cost is \$20 if you register before the event and \$25 to register at the door. If you are interested in participating, please contact Michael Vernotica at Mvernotica311@gmail.com or Lisa Paradiso at LP123095@aol.com for a registration form or if you have any questions. All proceeds will go to the Petti Family. T-shirts will be sold at this event.

If you cannot attend or are interested in donating, please visit the Go Fund Me website for Jess and her family: www.gofundme.com/jessandnico.

Thank you to all who supported Youth Ministry Car Wash September 2015



Need a night out but don't have a babysitter?

Let the St. Rose of Lima Confirmation students baby-sit your children in our beautiful Youth Center!

**Saturday night, October 24, 2015
6:30pm – 10:00pm**



Children ages 3 yrs old (potty trained) to 10 yrs old **Cost \$20 for 1 child and \$35 for 2 or more** from the same family. Our 9th and 10th graders, under the supervision of a minimum of 2 adult supervisors, will supervise your children as you enjoy a “night out on the town”. Confirmation students will earn Community Service hours and **all profits** generated from the Community Service event **will go to the Youth Center**.

Registration will be on a first come, first serve basis.

If you would like to register your child for this special event, email Mrs. Liebhauser reled@saintroseoflimachurch.org or

Mrs. Politi spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org

Put your name, contact information and the names and ages of your children in the email. Register ASAP or no later than October 19th.



The Parish belongs to all of us, and only through the parish community can we achieve our goals. The Challenge is Ours!!!

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

September, 27 2015

Weekly Tithing Parishioners	\$ 9,204.00
School Tithing	\$ 588.00
Loose Checks	\$ 905.00
Loose Cash	\$ 1,443.00
Total Sunday Collection	\$ 12,140.00
Project Faith	\$ 2,216.00

“Total does not include on-line tithing”

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO IS SACRIFICING TO HELP US MEET OUR FINANCIAL COMMITMENT. MAY GOD BLESS YOU FOR YOUR LOVING HEARTS. WE ENCOURAGE ALL OUR PARISHONERS TO USE THE TITHING ENVELOPES AND HELP US TO MEET OUR GOAL OF

\$13,500

Thank You

FOOD PANTRY

Thanks to your generous donations we are able to help many people that come to our Food Pantry. The pantry will now be opened on the 2nd and 4th Saturday of every month. **The Pantry is in need of hygiene items and paper products. Medications or vitamins are not accepted.** The next time the food pantry will be open Saturday, October 10th from 10:00-11:30am. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Isabella Francis at Isabellafancis2@gmail.com.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #6504

Meetings are the 2nd and 4th Mondays at 8:00pm in Labrecque Hall 18 and older and wish to join the Knights contact Chris 973-560-1248

www.kofc6504.org info@kofc6504.org

www.facebook.com/EastHanoverKnightsOfColumbus

2015 Bishop's Annual Appeal *Serving Christ Among Us*

Our Catholic Charities agencies continue to serve tens of thousands of people in profound need each year. These people could be your neighbors, co-workers, friends or loved ones. As Catholics, we are committed to serving Christ among us, especially those who are hurting and lost. The largest percentage of Appeal funds each year is used to help our Catholic Charities agencies do their essential work. Please make a pledge to the 2015 Appeal today. For your convenience, you can make an online gift at www.2015appeal.org.

FALL STUDIES PART II

SYMBOLON: KNOWING THE FAITH

Wednesdays: 9:30am – 10:45am

Oct. 7, 14, 21 & 28

Thursdays: 7:00pm – 8:30pm

Oct. 8, 15, 22, & 29

All Sessions will meet in the Cafeteria (under the Church)

We will continue to use Symbolon: Knowing the Faith, a program which uses prayer, videos teaching, and discussion to take you through a journey into the timeless beauty and truths of our Catholic faith and reveals to us God's incredible love for us.

Dr. Edward Sri is the lead teacher in this series filmed on location in Rome, the Holy Land, and Calcutta with the best Catholic teachers.

The 4 weekly sessions will cover the following topics:

The Holy Spirit and the Life of Grace: God's Divine Life within us

Why do I need the Church: The Mystery of the Catholic Church

Mary and the Saints: Our Spiritual Mother and the Communion of Saints

The Last Things: What Happens After We Die?

Join us for an interesting look at our faith. Attendance at Part I is not a necessity.

Refreshments will be served. Donations accepted to cover costs. Register for the classes by calling Deacon Vin, 973-334-5858 or email Peggy Leo at pegleo5@gmail.com.

CAR RAFFLE 2015

Ticket Sales for this year's Car Raffle (2015 Audi A3 Sedan) began on Saturday, August 22nd at our Roadside Booth and will run until Saturday, October 24th. The drawing will be held on Saturday, October 24th at our Parish Sliced Steak Dinner (baby-sitting services will be available). Any questions call Bruno Barillari 973-428-2828. We hope to see you there! If you would like to volunteer selling tickets at our ticket booth, please sign up on the calendar which can be found in the church foyer after any Mass. Remember that by working together we can make a difference, so please consider volunteering! If you have any questions, please contact Jeanne Taylor at 973-980-9424.

Many thanks to Ron Mayer, Dot Zoppi, Marilyn Pollard, Gerri Swetz, Marilyn Hawksaorth, Chris Rosoff, Pam Bruns, Tony Longo, Juanita Nostrame, Bill Wahlers, Academy Teachers, Ceil Definis, Eddie O'Connor, Connie Walsh, Kelli DeChiara, Kim Gerardis, Jim Giordano, Kathie & Pat Robinson, Vito Dantonio, Miriam Nestarez, Louis Giordano, Mario Marrano, and Fuseila

CAR RAFFLE SALES

CAR VALUE: \$33,409

TOTAL SALES: \$20,752

Only \$12,657 until we pay off the car and we start making a profit. Keep up the good work.

Outdoor Patio set needed for Youth Center

The Youth Center is in need of an outdoor patio set with 6-8 chairs for the patio in front of the Youth Center for use at all Youth Ministry meetings and events. If you have a set in good condition that you are willing to donate, please email a picture to Stephanie Politi – spoliti@saintroseofimachurch.org. Thank you for your loving support of the Youth of our Parish.

SCHOOL NEWS

WE ARE VERY GRATEFUL TO THE HOLY FATHER not only for visiting our country but also for inspiring us to do good things. We pray each day that we demonstrate gratitude for the many blessings that God has given us and we ask for the courage to use those blessings in our daily lives. Recognizing the goodness in each of our classmates, we hope to build strong relationships with all the Children of God. Our second and third grade students demonstrated their art talent in drawing Pope Francis for all of us to see and remember!

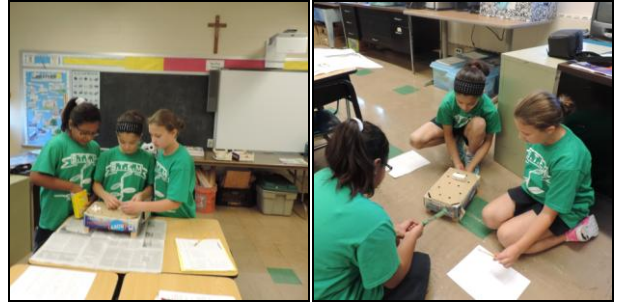


PRE-K STUDENTS IN MISS LORIE'S CLASS HAVE BEEN BUSY TIE DYEING FABRIC as part of their lesson on mixing colors while the students in Miss Sandra's class are making new friends and mixing their colors using their paint and crayons!



ST. ROSE OF LIMA ACADEMY IS LOOKING FOR AN AFTERCARE STAFF PERSON for Wednesdays from 2-6 P.M. in the Early Childhood Center. Please contact Ms. Tomlinson at stomlinson@strosecad.org or 973-887-6990 if you are interested in applying.

GRADE 5 SCIENTISTS are designing a building to withstand the pressures of an earthquake while **SIXTH AND SEVENTH GRADE SCIENTISTS** are designing bubble wands to compare the shape of the bubble too the shape of the wand. What do you think the result will be? Stay tuned!



GET ALL YOUR SHREDDING TOGETHER! Saturday, October 24th the Education Council will be sponsoring a Shredding Event from 9:30am to 12:30pm. We will be located at the far end of the parking lot. Just look for the shredding truck. We will be glad to help you unload from your car!

CAR RAFFLE: Be sure to sell your raffle tickets. When returning stubs and money, school families should be sure to turn them in to the school office to insure credit toward your Home and School Commitment. Let us know if you need to add to your supply of tickets!

APPLICATIONS FOR THE 2015 – 2016 SCHOOL YEAR ARE NOW BEING ACCEPTED! Please contact us to arrange for a tour and to receive application information. [973-887-6990](tel:973-887-6990).

CALENDAR

October 9	School Closed – Professional Development Day for Teachers
12	School Closed – Columbus Day
13	Home and School Meeting 7:00pm in Messina Hall
15	Pre-K Field Trip to the Pumpkin Farm – Wightman's
22	Book Fair
24	Shredding Event 9:30 – 12:30 in the Parking Lot. Car Raffle Drawing and Dinner at 7:00pm in the gym
30	Family Fun Night 7-9pm in the gym

PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Office: 973-887-5572 Fax: 973-884-0476

Website: www.saintroseoflimachurch.org

PARISH EMERGENCY NUMBER

In case of a **TRUE EMERGENCY**, death or funeral, after office hours, please call **973-887-5572 and press "2"** to reach Father Owen immediately

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SACRAMENTS

Baptism

We celebrate the sacrament of Baptism most Sundays. Parents are welcome to have the Baptism celebrated either at a week-end Mass or at the Liturgy of Baptism at 1:15. To make arrangements for Baptism please call Father Owen or Fr. Matthew. Godparents must be confirmed and be active members of the church and attend Mass regularly.

Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday at 8:15 – 8:45 and 4:45 – 5:15 (or by appointment with Fr. Owen or Fr. Matthew).

Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact Fr. Owen or Fr. Mathew and set up an appointment. Any Catholic couple needs approximately a year to prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage, which includes sessions with the Priest celebrating the marriage and attendance at Pre-Cana conferences.

Sacrament of the Sick / Hospital Visits

At St. Rose we are strongly committed to the spiritual care of the sick. Because of privacy laws, hospitals and nursing homes are not allowed to release the patient's religious affiliation. Therefore, we must depend on families of our sick parishioners to inform us of their whereabouts and condition. Please notify the parish office of any need for a home or hospital visit.

RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a program for people who seek full initiation in the Catholic Church through the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation, which are received at Easter Vigil. For information, please contact Fr. Owen or Fr. Matthew at the parish office.

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

Miraculous Medal Novena – Following 9am Mass on Saturday

Devotion to Padre Pio – Following the 9am Mass on Friday

Right to Life – Anne Marie Gillespie amgillespie@optonline.net

Secular Franciscan Order - Second Saturday after 9am Mass

First Saturday Devotion – to Our Lady of Fatima Following 9am Mass

PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Adult Choir – Rehearsal Mondays 9:30am or Wednesdays 8:00pm

Knights of Columbus – 2nd & 4th Monday at 8pm in Labrecque Hall

Rosary Altar Society – 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm in church

Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament – Tues. & Wed 8am – 8pm

Bereavement - 973-599-2944

PARISH GENERAL INFORMATION

PARISH OFFICE HOURS - Our clergy and staff will be happy to assist you during the following hours: Monday – Friday 9am - 3pm

Summer Hours Monday – Thursday 9am – 3pm. Closed Friday's July and August

New Parishioners - We welcome those who have recently moved to the area. If you would like to be part of the St. Rose of Lima family, please call the parish office to register.

Bulletin Deadline – Please kindly submit all bulletin materials to Angela (aburns@saintroseoflimachurch.org) at the parish office, Please note that in order for articles to be published in next week's bulletin they need to be submitted **no later than 10a.m. of the prior Tuesday.**

Mass Intentions – Please come into the office or call during regular office hours.