



# St. Rose of Lima Church

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*The Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time September 27, 2015*



Along with every other parish in the United States we welcome our Holy Father Pope Francis to this great land. As I write this article in advance of this weekend, I wonder what messages the Holy Father will impart to Catholic families, to world leaders and to our President and Congress. How blessed we are by the visit of Pope Francis and yet we too must be challenged to listen to his messages and begin to put them into force. We know that as a country we are privileged in that many of us have a strong economic life. The challenge from this of course is to share not from our surplus but to share with sacrifice and do without so that others who have less may benefit.

The family unit needs to be strong, centered on God, and needs to be led by the strong combination of a husband and wife who teach their children the masculine and feminine qualities necessary to be a whole and functioning human being. Family life in our country however, has been under stress for many years. Divorce, single parenting, parents working long excessive hours outside the home, parents who can't get a job, parents who struggle, parents who are strongly Catholic, parents who are weak in faith all are signs and symbols of the average American family in 2015. Here at St. Rose I applaud all our active families who are centered on Christ. For those of our families who do not attend Mass on a weekly basis, I strongly encourage as much as possible, to have the parent, or preferably the parents, practice their faith, teach their children to pray and establish a habit of daily family prayer with weekly Mass. By a stronger practice of their faith, their children receive the strength and courage that only the Holy Eucharist, through the scripture, can give.

Last Tuesday, September 15<sup>th</sup>, Stephanie Politi and her team had a wonderful meeting with our 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade catechists. We're apprised and ready for 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> grade sessions to begin shortly. Last Sunday Bernadette Caponegro, along with her team, had a meeting with Cycle 2 catechists and parents. We have already begun our Faith Formation classes. Thank you to Bernadette Caponegro, Stephanie Politi, Sheila Tomlinson and all who work with them for the gift of sharing our faith with our children who are the hope of a strong Catholic world for the future.

A big thank you to Susan Tietjen who has fulfilled her term of office as Parish Trustee. Last weekend I appointed Jeanne Taylor for the position of Parish Trustee. Jeanne will work with Anne Marie Gillespie in being the parish representative for all parish meetings and discussions as needed.

October 4<sup>th</sup>, as you know, is the Feast of St. Francis. This year it falls on a Sunday so we will celebrate the feast on Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup>. As is our custom, Fr. Matthew and I will be delighted to bless all your little animals at 9:30am in the plaza area outside the church.

God bless and guide our Holy Father Pope Francis as he challenges us to strive to live as the Holy Family.

*Father Owen*



## Mass Intentions

### Sunday, September 27<sup>th</sup> Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary

#### Time

- 7:30 People of the Parish  
John DeTrolio (25th Ann.), Marie Auermuller  
9:00 Ann & Dan Cappucci, Margaret Gonzalez  
10:30 Jayne Schuler, Virginia Arace, Teresa Wasielewska  
12:15 Carmella D'Uva, Florence Meola  
7:00 Cathy M. Santiago, Ed Pilot

### Monday, September 28<sup>th</sup> Sts. Wenceslaus, & Lawrence

#### Ruiz

- 9:00 Gen Kelly, Ed Pilot

### Tuesday, September 29<sup>th</sup> Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels

- 9:00 Alfred Prospero, Louis Joseph Bonita (34th Ann.)

### Wednesday, September 30<sup>th</sup> St. Jerome

- 9:00 Marion O'Connor, Andrea Varela

### Thursday, October 1<sup>st</sup> St. Therese of the Child Jesus

- 9:00 Gus Politi (7th Ann.), Madeline Zendran

### First Friday, October 2<sup>nd</sup> The Holy Guardian Angels

- 9:00 Emanuel Vito, Patrice Lanni

### First Saturday, October 3<sup>rd</sup> Weekday

- 9:00 Mass to the Blessed Mother  
Vigil

- 5:30 Rose Castucci, Frances Ditri

### Sunday, October 4<sup>th</sup> 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

## Rosary Prayer Intentions for September

**Glorious Mysteries:** For our Academy, Religious Ed and Youth Ministry Programs as we begin the academic year.

**Sorrowful Mysteries:** For our young people who have begun or returned to college that they will be safe from all harm.

**Joyful Mysteries:** For the children and young people of our parish in our grammar and high schools that they will work hard this academic year.

**Luminous Mysteries:** For Seminarians Alex and Andrew as they begin this term at the North American College in Rome.



*Father Owen & Father Matthew will bless all pets in the plaza area outside the Church on Saturday, October 3rd at 9:30am*



*THE ALTAR BREAD AND WINE  
For this week are offered in loving memory of*

*Rose Caputo*

*From: Family*



## SANCTUARY LAMP - CHURCH

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

*Mary Crescenzi*

*From: Irene Keller*



## TABERNACLE CANDLES

*For the week are offered in loving memory of:*

*Angelo Marcantonio*

*From: Filomina Marcantonio*



*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 and  
Jessica Petti*



*We remember and give God thanks for our beloved  
dead especially*

*Rocco Salerno*

*Joseph Borruso*

*Joseph R. Conte*

*Peter Malone*



*Congratulations to the Parents of our newly*

*Baptized:*

*Camila Grace Audino*

*Vivian Rose D'Amore*

## 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](mailto:spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org).

## 2015 CONFIRMATION NEWS

**9th Grade: Your first class night will take place on Sept. 27th** along with your orientation into our program, which must be attended by at least one of your parents/guardian. Students are to arrive no later than 5:15pm through the Academy lobby doors for their class. At least one parent must then attend the orientation at 6:15pm in the Church with their child. The 7:00pm Mass will be the Entrance Rite Mass for our 9th graders in which parents are encouraged to stay and attend. Students will be dismissed at the end of Mass. Registered students will receive an email with additional important information regarding the upcoming year.

**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](mailto:spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org) or Lisa Paradiso at [lparadiso@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto: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:

### September

27 Cycle 1 Gr. 1 Mrs. Messana &  
Gr. 8 Ms. Casile

### 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. Kolecz &  
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!!!

## Rosary Altar Society

Next Meeting – October 7th beginning with the Rosary at 7pm in church with a meeting to follow.

## 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, Pam Bruns, Lorraine & Dolores Lynch, Cathie & Pat Robinson, Neale Baxter, Louis Giordano, Teresa Rella, Carolyn Imposimato, Dot Zoppi, Geri Swetz, Clarita Flores, Marilyn Hawksworth, Helen McVicar, Eddie O'Connor & Connie Walsh, Marily Pollard, Sophie Spagnuolo, Michele Barbieri, Juanita Nostrame, Fern Pateiro, Rita Vescara, Maribel Montes, Deidre Vento, Renee Centrone, Susan & Werner Teitjen, Maryann Goodwin, Barb Wetzel and Mario Marrano.

## CAR RAFFLE SALES

**CAR VALUE: \$33,409**

**TOTAL SALES: \$14,470**

Only \$18,939 until we pay off the car and we start making a profit. Keep up the good work.

## World Youth Day Donations

Thank you to everyone who donated on Sept 13th for World Youth Day. If you were not here and would still like to donate to support our young people on this spiritual journey to Krakow, Poland with Pope Francis, please send your donations made out to St. Rose of Lima and put WYD in the memo. Send to Attention: Stephanie Politi. Thank you for your generosity and payers.  
Stephanie Politi



## TEAM JESS

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

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](mailto:Mvernotica311@gmail.com) or Lisa Paradiso at [LP123095@aol.com](mailto:LP123095@aol.com) for a registration form or if you have any questions. All proceeds will go to the Petti Family.

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](http://www.gofundme.com/jessandnico).

## 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@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org). Thank you for your loving support of the Youth of our Parish.





**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, 20 2015**

Weekly Tithing Parishioners	\$ 9,567.00
School Tithing	\$ 595.00
Loose Checks	\$ 477.00
Loose Cash	\$ 1,630.00
<b>Total Sunday Collection</b>	<b>\$ 12,269.00</b>

**"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**

## 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](http://www.kofc6504.org) [info@kofc6504.org](mailto:info@kofc6504.org)  
[www.facebook.com/EastHanoverKnightsOfColumbus](http://www.facebook.com/EastHanoverKnightsOfColumbus)

## ADORATION NEWS WE NEED YOU

In order for this beautiful Ministry to continue to be successful, we are in need of a minimum of 7 people to attend Adoration. The days and hours that are in need:

<u>Tuesdays</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>
2pm – 3pm	8am – 9am
5pm – 6pm	9am – 10am
	4pm – 5pm
	5pm 6pm
	7pm – 8pm

If you are looking for a prayerful hour in peace and quiet, our Lord is waiting for you in our Divine Mercy Chapel. Please call to sign on:

Barbara Wetzel 973-386-0007  
 Carolyn Imposimato 973-585-4388  
 Anne Marie Gillespie 973-884-2011

## 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 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> 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 [Isabellafrancis2@gmail.com](mailto:Isabellafrancis2@gmail.com).

## FALL STUDIES

### PART II

## SYMBOLON: KNOWING THE FAITH

**Wednesdays: 9:30am – 10:45am**

**Sept. 30, Oct. 7, 14, 21 & 28**

**Thursdays: 7:00pm – 8:30pm**

**Oct. 1, 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 5 weekly sessions will cover the following topics:

"The Mysteries of Jesus' Death and Resurrection"

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](mailto:pegleo5@gmail.com).

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

It is important that when you give to any charitable organization, you are confident that the funds are used wisely. Be assured that your gift to the Bishop's Annual Appeal supports four causes: our Catholic Charities agencies, seminarian education, our inner-city area elementary schools and our priests' retirement residence. Funds are used for no other purpose. Note, also, that all funds raised for the Paterson Diocese stay in the Paterson Diocese. Please make a pledge to the Bishop's Annual Appeal today.

Morris Catholic High School will be hosting our **Open House** on:

**Tuesday, October 6th from 7:00pm – 9:00pm**  
**AND**

**Sunday, October 18th, from 2:00pm – 4:00pm**

All prospective students and their families are invited to attend and meet our amazing teachers, coaches, and students. For more information, please visit [www.morriscatholic.org](http://www.morriscatholic.org) or contact Maureen Costello at 973-627-6674, ext. 132.

## SCHOOL NEWS

**THIS WEEK WE HAVE BEEN FOCUSED ON THE VISIT OF OUR HOLY FATHER TO THE UNITED STATES.** Our children have prayed each morning for his safety. We have followed his trip, presentations, and prayers with great interest and excitement. Hopefully, you and your family have had the opportunity to talk and pray about this tremendous event!

**OUR BACK TO SCHOOL NIGHT THIS PAST WEEK** provided a wonderful opportunity for parents to meet other parents and their children's teachers. In addition to the opening introductions and information, parents listened to teacher presentations in the classrooms. Many thanks to the parents who were able to be there. We are off to a GREAT start!!!



**WE SEND A HUGE THANK YOU TO THE WONDERFUL PARENT VOLUNTEERS** who took the time last weekend to paint the Pre-school/Pre-K foyer. It is beautiful, clean and inviting. The Home and School has a bulletin board to let the parents in the Early Childhood Center know about the many activities conducted by the HSA as well as to invite their participation. We have also installed a TV monitor to display the many activities that our children are involved in throughout the day! A huge round of applause for Mrs. Kvesic, who did ALL of the prep work and to the members of the Father's Club who joined in the painting fun – Mr. Nigro, Mr. Vescera, Mr. Kiss, Mr. Ryzewski and alumni father, Mr. Greg Taylor. This was truly an act of love for our children.

**SAVE THE DATE! Our fall Shredding Event will be held Saturday, October 24th from 9:30 – 12:30pm at the back end of the parking lot.**

**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

<b>September 30</b>	High School Night for 7th and 8th grade students and parents at St. Patrick's school. Teachers will be selling car raffle tickets from 2-4pm. Please plan to purchase your tickets then.
<b>October 2</b>	First Friday Mass 9:00am
<b>9</b>	School Closed – Professional Development Day for Teachers
<b>12</b>	School Closed – Columbus Day

**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@stroseacad.org](mailto:stomlinson@stroseacad.org) or 973-887-6990 if you are interested in applying.

## Enjoy these Pictures from Pre-K



**ORATORY PREPARATORY SCHOOL:** Committed to our motto of "Preparing Lives, One by One" we invite you to come live the "Oratory Experience" at our OPEN HOUSES on Sunday, October 4, 2015 from 1-3pm and on Thursday, October 22nd from 6:45 – 8:15pm. Faculty and students will be present to give tours and answer questions for prospective 7th – 12th grade boys and their families. Oratory Prep is located at 1 Beverly Road, Summit, NJ, off Morris Ave. For further information call: 908-273-5771, ext 1 or visit us at [www.oratoryprep.org](http://www.oratoryprep.org).



## PARISH DIRECTORY

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## 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](mailto: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 – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at 8pm in Labrecque Hall

Rosary Altar Society – 1<sup>st</sup> 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](mailto: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.