



St. Rose of Lima Church

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The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time January 17, 2016



So our Christmas trees are put away, decorations stored until next year and we begin the second week of Ordinary Time. As much as Christmas is a joyful and festive time, it's also nice to be able to find some down time and in ordinary time we zone in on trying to do ordinary things in an extraordinary way. In this week's Gospel we hear Jesus picks His leadership team. We have all received a vocation from the Lord. Some are called to be married, others are called to be single. Our work too is a part of our response to the vocation we are called to. We must strive to not simply earn a living but respond to God's call in whatever work we do.

On Friday, January 22nd, many churches in our area will make a pilgrimage to Washington DC and Trenton NJ to show support to "Save a Life" of the unborn child who is a gift from God. For anyone who is interested and has the energy to go to Washington D.C., Holy Family Parish still has some room on the bus. To reserve a seat please call Barbara Tinari at 973-822-0084 or email her at btinari@optonline.net. For those of you who cannot make the trip, we will have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the church from 9:30am until 7:00pm. Fr. Matthew will preside at a Holy Hour starting at 7:00pm and concluding with Benediction at 8:00pm. I strongly encourage those of you who work to come after work as we together besiege God to end the killing of innocent life in our country. We pray that our president and the leaders of our country will change their hearts and come to understand that the gift of human life is a blessing for our country and a gift for future generations and that abortion, apart from being a sin, decreases the amount of talent and gifts that these beautiful babies would have given to our world.

This is our much anticipated Antioch Retreat weekend. Mrs. Politi, along with Jaclyn Layman and Lisa Paradiso have been meeting with our team leaders for many months now. Our young people have excellent talks and presentations prepared for our 10th graders. Through the grace of God, this weekend the Holy Spirit will open the hearts of our Confirmandi in this retreat setting where our young people minister to our 10th graders and relate with them in the joys and struggles of their lives. Please pray for all of our Antioch community this weekend and thank you to everyone who has helped with the administration, setup, and of course food, which is always an important part of the weekend.

Father Owen



Mass Intentions

Sunday, January 17th Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 People of the Parish
Tullio Manna, Richard Santoro
9:00 Joan Jones, Gerardo Guarente
10:30 Lucy DeVito, Taddeo Bozzone (1st Ann.)
12:15 Giuseppe Bio, Alejandrina Torna
7:00 Gloria DeMaio, Peter DelliSanti

Monday, January 18th Martin Luther King Jr. Holiday

- 9:00 Frederick Prosperi, Felix Terrero

Tuesday, January 19th Weekday

- 9:00 Ralph Currie, Ed Pilot

Wednesday, January 20th Sts. Fabian & Sebastian

- 9:00 Carmine Iuso, Nicky DeFinis

Thursday, January 21st St. Agnes

- 9:00 Paul D. DeCabia, Al Burns

Friday January 22nd USA: Day of Prayer for the Legal

Protection of Unborn Children

- 9:00 Anna & Louis Montuori, Nick DeFinis

Saturday, January 23rd Sts. Vincent & Marianne Cope

- 9:00 Mass to the Blessed Mother
Vigil

- 5:30 Anna Postma, Rocco Salerno

Sunday, January 24th Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 People of the Parish
Kathy Beltram, Lisa & Minnie Zoppi
9:00 John Martinolich, Giuseppa Cangialosi
10:30 Michael & Angela DeSantis, Anthony DeSantis
12:15 Salvatore Finelli (12th Ann.), Alejandrina Torna
7:00 Gloria DeMaio, John & Johnny Snyder

Rosary Prayer Intentions for January

Glorious Mysteries: For our beloved America that we, with courage, will mention the name of God frequently.

Sorrowful Mysteries: We pray for an end to the violence in the world.

Joyful Mysteries We place our New Year under the care of our Blessed Mother, may she help and guide us.

Luminous Mysteries: In thanksgiving for the many families who reached out to the needy this past Christmas season.



Our Sick: Please remember in your prayers those in our parish and community who are ill, especially *Adrianna Monaco, Maria Ravanno, Dean Everetts, Lena Raimo, Mary Jo Corey, Jessica Petti, Mary Edwards, Pat DeDeo, Sheila Tomlinson and Jain Thomlinson*

We remember and give God thanks for our beloved dead especially

Nicola Germario



THE ALTAR BREAD AND WINE

For this week are offered in loving memory of
Ryan Tony Fernando
In Thanksgiving



SANCTUARY LAMP - CHURCH

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

Taddeo Bozzone

From: *Michael Malanga*



TABERNACLE CANDLES

For the week are offered in loving memory of:

Angelo Marcantonio

From: *Wife, Filomena*



ALTAR CANDLES

For the week are offered in loving memory of:

Mary Plakey

From: *Brenda McNeil*

"Learn Your Faith"

Baltimore Catechism Question of the Week

Q Can God do all things?

A. God can do all things, and nothing is hard or impossible to Him.

Q. Is God just, holy, and merciful?

A. God is all just, all holy, all merciful, as He is infinitely perfect.

On Monday, January 18th the parish office will be closed in observance of Martin Luther King Day and open on Tuesday, January 19th. In case of a TRUE EMERGENCY, death or funeral, please call 973-887-5572 and press "2" to reach Father Owen or Father Matthew.

2015 Bishop's Annual Appeal Serving Christ Among Us

If you have not yet responded to the 2015 Bishop's Annual Appeal, there is still time to do so as the 2015 Appeal funds are used to support ministries and programs through the end of the diocesan fiscal year on June 30, 2016. Your gift is a great blessing and valued so we can serve Christ by serving his people.

2016 CONFIRMATION NEWS

9th Grade: Your next class night is February 21st. Students are to arrive no later than 5:25pm through the Academy lobby doors for their class. Parents should attend Mass with their child. Students will be dismissed at the end of the 7:00pm Mass. Remember to bring your Mass tickets.

10th Grade: Your next class will be the Antioch Retreat Weekend, Jan. 16th and 17th. Saturday, Jan. 16th 9:00am – 9:00pm and Sunday, Jan. 17th 9:00am – 5:30pm.

Parents and families are encouraged to attend the 4:00pm Closing Mass.

YOUTH CENTER

Youth Group – is open to all high school age students. 7:00pm – 9:00pm in the Youth Center. Join us for a night of Fellowship.

**Post Antioch Pizza Party, Tuesday, January 19th
7:00pm – 8:30pm**

**Please bring a non-perishable food item and/or \$5.00 donation.* Please contact Stephanie Politi at spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org for any questions.

YOUTH MINISTRY 50/50 RAFFLE SALES FOR THE WORLD YOUTH DAY TRIP



Raffle tickets will be sold in the front vestibule of the church on January 16th and 17th after all the Masses. Tickets are \$10.00 each. **If all tickets are sold, the lucky winner will win \$15,000!!!**

Raffle tickets will also be available at the Confirmation Office, please call Stephanie Politi or Tanya at 973-599-2944 or email Kelly Robertazzi at krobertazzi@saintroseoflimachurch.org or Tanya D'Souza at tdsouza@saintroseoflimachurch.org.

The drawing is at the conclusion of the 4:00PM Mass on January 17th. Thank you for your generous support to our Youth Ministry.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

January

17 No Classes
24 Cycle 1
30 Second Grade Retreat
31 Cycle 2

February

7 Cycle 1
14 No Classes
21 Cycle 2
28 Cycle 1



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!

Friday night, February 12, 2016 6:30pm – 9:30pm

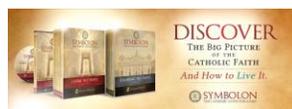
Children ages 3 yrs old (potty trained) to 10 yrs old **Cost \$20 for 1 child and \$35 for 2 or more** from the same family. Our 9th and 10th graders, under the supervision of a minimum of 2 adult supervisors, will supervise your children as you enjoy a "night out on the town". Confirmation students 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 February 8th



2016 LENTEN STUDIES

SYMBOLON: LIVING THE FAITH

Wednesdays: 9:30am – 10:45am

Feb 17, Feb. 24, March 2, 9, & 16

Thursdays: 7pm – 8:30 pm

Feb. 11, 18, 25, March 3, & 10

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

Symbolon: Living the Faith is a program which uses prayer, videos teaching, and discussion to take you through a journey into the how we live the faith that we have learned and how God's Love for us is shown.

In the previous Sessions we came to **Know Our Faith**. The 5 weekly sessions will cover the following topics as we **Learn to Live our Faith:**

The Sacraments – Baptism and Confirmation

The Eucharist – Source and Summit of Christian Life

Walk through the Mass – Exploring the Sacred Liturgy

Penance & the Anointing of the Sick – God's Mercy Revealed

Matrimony & Holy Orders – The Sacraments of Service & Communion

Join us for an interesting look at Living Our Faith. Refreshments will be served.

Donations accepted to cover costs.

Register for the classes, by calling Deacon Vin, 973-334-5858 or email Peggy Leo, pegleo5@gmail.com.



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

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

January 10, 2016

Weekly Tithing Parishioners	\$ 9,544.00
School Tithing	\$ 780.00
Loose Checks	\$ 750.00
Loose Cash	\$ 1,416.00
Total Sunday Collection	\$ 12,490.00
Christmas Collection	\$ 750.00

THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO IS SACRIFICING TO HELP US MEET OUR FINANCIAL COMMITMENT. MAY GOD BLESS YOUR FOR YOUR LOVING HEARTS.

\$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 cleaning supplies, laundry detergent and hot cereal.** The next time the food pantry will be open Saturday, January 23rd from 10:00-11:30am. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Isabella Francis at Isabellafrancis2@gmail.com.

Fr. Owen's Second Parish Pilgrimage Announced ITALY OCTOBER 10-20, 2016



Brochures are available in the Parish Office or contact Great Experiences, Inc.
greatexinc@verizon.net or
spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org

Rosary Altar Society

Next Meeting: February 3rd beginning with the Rosary at 7pm. Please remember to bring a donation for the food pantry.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #6504

"Wives Appreciation Night"

Valentine Dance/Music by "Symphonics"

February 5th at Hanover Manor - \$75.00 per person

Call Rich 973-887-7101 or Chris 973-560-1248

Email: info@kofc6504.org

NEWS FROM ROME

Happy New Year Everyone! I know it is a little late but this is my first article in 2016. It is wonderful to be back in Rome after a relaxing break. My time in the Philippines was incredible. I know Fr. Owen put the photo of myself and Leo meeting with Cardinal Tagle while we were in Manila. It was a wonderful experience meeting such a humble Prince of the Church. We had no appointment to see him, we just stopped by his residence when we were visiting the Cathedral and we were invited in to have a meal and meet His Eminence, despite him already having a very busy schedule. The highlight of the trip for me was visiting a group of five sisters of the Dominican Daughters of the Immaculate Mother in Bilar on the island of Bohol. We first got to know of their presence by accident, when we were staying with the Maryknoll Fathers in Manila. The superior of the Fathers, Fr. Jim Ferry, was leading a Day of Recollection for the sisters and they stopped at the house to pick him up. We chatted with them while watching the Rizal Day Ceremonies (Filipino Fourth of July) and told them that our next destination was Bohol. They told us they had a community there and we would be more than welcomed to go. When we arrived in Bohol, the sisters were about 2 hours motorcycle drive away, but the path to visit them was filled with awesome natural beauty. I decided to make the trip on the Sunday of the Epiphany and arrived in the town unsure of where to find them. However, as soon as I asked the gas station attendant about the sisters, he shut down his gas station and said that he would lead me to their school. When I arrived, they were all relaxing, but they hurried to put on their habits and come down to greet me. They had already finished eating lunch, but within minutes a plate was put out for me. I felt so well received and we had an opportunity to speak about their school and their work in the community. They are the only Catholic school in the community and are already open for Pre-K to 6th grade, despite still being in construction. What struck me most though was their witness to Christian poverty. After showing me their school, they showed me where they lived, it was two classrooms they converted into their living quarters. One room was used as a Chapel where they would gather for prayer and the other room into a kitchen, dining room, and three cells. I then asked where the last two sisters slept, and they promptly brought me to the roof, where two more cells could be found, built out of plywood and a corrugated steel roof. It was such a sign of solidarity with the community and witness of the gospel poverty I was so moved. There were no complaints from any of the sisters, just constant happiness and generosity, wishing to have more for the children they teach and be able to expand to teach up to high school. I ask that you please keep these wonderful sisters in your prayers, as well as all the Catholics in the Philippines who are filled with such great faith in the face of any adversity.

God Bless, Alex



Congratulations to Anthony & Natalie on the Baptism of their son Zachary Paul Bruno.

SCHOOL NEWS

THE STUDENTS OF THE ACADEMY SEND THEIR PRAYERS OF SUPPORT TO THE MEMBERS OF THE ANTIOCH TEAM and the students participating in the Antioch Retreat this weekend. We pray that each of you will be touched by God's love through this experience!



Winners of our Christmas raffle baskets and candy guess.



Fifth grade science students "The Rockettes", Emily Crabbe, Annabella Carrascosa and Michelle Portal applied their rocking knowledge of rocks and minerals to present their project to the 2nd and 3rd graders.



Grades 6, 7, and 8th work on a STEM project of designing, constructing and testing their lunar rovers.



Ms. Sandra's class celebrating the New Year.



Ms. Sandra's class is starting their carnation experiment. They will observe how flowers absorb water.



Mr. Mike's class is practicing cutting and sequencing.

Alumni Corner

We congratulate Bernadette Pacelli for achieving the Principal's List for the first marking period at Mary Help of Christians Academy.

THE ACADEMY IS STILL ACCEPTING STUDENTS FOR THE CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR IN PRESCHOOL THROUGH GRADE 8. Please contact us to arrange for a tour and receive registration information. 973-887-6990. We welcome the opportunity to share our success with you and your children!!

TRICKY TRAY CORNER

Please look for reservation and order form for prepaid raffle tickets this weekend in the bulletin! If anyone has any baskets they can donate back to the Academy, it would be greatly appreciated. Please drop them off at the front desk. Thank you for your support of our Academy!

CALANDAR JANUARY

January
 18 No School – Martin Luther King Jr. Day
 28 Father's Club Meeting 7pm
 29 End of 2nd Quarter
 30 Grade 2 Sacramental; Retreat 2:30 – 5:30
 31 Catholic School Week Begins

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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 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.

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