



St. Rose of Lima Church

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Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time September 4, 2016



Can you believe Labor Day has arrived? This sadly brings an end to the beautiful season of summer. I certainly had an amazing summer and I'm pleased and grateful for all the experiences I had in July and August. I hope all of you workaday people had some fun, rest, and time to relax. I hope our lovely retired community will take advantage of the beautiful weather for the next six weeks and take little day trips and a mini vacation and treat yourself to a little rest and relaxation. We keep our college students in prayer these days as they begin new and exciting experiences or as they return to their studies and their college friends. We also keep the parents of our college students in prayer. It's difficult to let our little six foot kids leave but of course it's part of the cycle of life. By the way, they'll be back at Thanksgiving with filled laundry bags and healthy appetites!!!

Our young people will be starting or returning to high school within the next week. We wish our high school students God's blessings whether they travel to Hanover Park or one of the many Catholic high schools in our area.

Cycle 1 Religious Ed will begin next weekend. We welcome back our students as we begin a new year of faith formation. We still need one fifth grade catechist and one six grade catechist. Would one of the parents of a Religious Ed student please consider sharing some quality time and help to make a difference in the lives of our young people? I know our children in the public school children are beginning classes this week. I wish them God's blessings. The children from our former Academy will be starting at St. Vincent's, St. Patrick's, All Saints, Trinity Academy and Our Lady of the Lake in Verona this week. I look forward to visiting them in the coming week.

Many Religious Ed families choose another Mass rather than the 9:00am Mass when their children have Religious Ed. I'm very comfortable with a parent choosing the Saturday evening or the Sunday night Mass so that they can worship as a family. I have noticed in the last several years that our Sunday 9:00am Mass dwindles down to approximately sixty people when there is no Religious Ed. I've decided to try omitting the Sunday 9:00am Mass when there is no Religious Ed. We will remind you by bulletin and oral announcement a week before there is no Religious Ed. Through the month of September there will be a Sunday 9:00am Mass on the 11th, 18th and the 25th. We resume our regular Mass schedule this coming weekend, September 11th. Masses will be Saturday, 5:30pm; Sunday 7:30am, 9:00am, 10:30am, 12:15pm and 7:00pm.

Our car raffle has begun!!! Everyone loves the Audi crossover and why not? It's spacious, fast, beautiful and fully loaded. All you need to do to win the car is to purchase tickets. You need to be in it to win it! By now every family will have received their package of tickets. I appreciate you mailing them back to us at your earliest convenience. The car will be raffled on October 22nd and so we have approximately eight weeks to achieve our goal of a \$50,000.00 profit. Once the cost of the car, \$40,545.00, is paid then we start to make the profit. Our car booth will open for curbside sales this Wednesday, September 7th. We placed the car sitter calendar in the church foyer. Please sign up for the most convenient time that works for you.

Happy Labor Day Weekend!

Father Owen



Mass Intentions

Sunday, September 4th Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary

Time

- 7:30 People of the Parish
The Vecchiarello Family, Henry Smolen
10:00 Frank DiMatteo, Aileen Sorensen
12:00 Cathy Santiago, Anna Romano
7:00 Michael Quatrella, Maria Ninetta D'Egidio

Monday, September 5th Weekday

- 9:00 Jadwiga Kaszuba, Vera LaTorracca

Tuesday, September 6th Weekday

- 9:00 Cesare Prosperi (6th Ann.), Lucia Forgione

Wednesday, September 7th Weekday

- 9:00 Jayne Candura (10th Ann.), Angelo Marcantonio
(20th Ann.)

Thursday September 8th The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin

Mary

- 9:00 Antonetta & Vincent Brigandi, Elba C. Bozzo

Friday September 9th St. Peter Claver

- 9:00 Francis Faderwick, Anthony Reynolds

Saturday, September 10th Weekday

- 9:00 Mass Intentions to the Blessed Mother
Vigil

- 5:30 Jennie Bonito (4th Ann.), Anna Coppola

Sunday, September 11th Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- 7:30 People of the Parish
Amarando Barsanti, Antonio & Maria Cunha
9:00 Anthony Pryer Sr., James Emiliani
10:30 Anthony Russo, Danny Tarantino,
12:15 Frank Custode, Salvatore & Maria Finelli, Mary
DeMarino
7:00 Michael Quatrella, Barbara Cicalese

Rosary Prayer Intentions for September

Glorious Mysteries: For our ECC, Religious Ed, Youth Ministry, and former Academy children in our local Catholic schools 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.



Our Sick: Please remember in your prayers those in our parish and community who are ill, especially Adrianna Monaco, Lena Raimo, Lillian Caruso, Fred Stickel, Tom Manna, Layla Morales, John Parisi Sr. and John Parisi Jr.



THE ALTAR BREAD AND WINE

For this week are offered in loving memory of

Nadine Ruta

From: Renee Davino



SANCTUARY LAMP - CHURCH

For this week are offered in loving memory of:

Peter & Nadine Delli Santi

From: The Davino Family



ALTAR CANDLES

For this week are offered in loving memory of:

Salvatore & Christina Davino

From: The Davino Family



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

David Gubitosa

Joanne E. Blahitka

Gloria Zwick

Barbara Gassner

John T. Grieb

Congratulations to the Parents of our newly Baptized:

Marlo Grace Cucciniello

Anthony Jameson Draynanski

The Mass Intention Book will open Tuesday, September 6, 2016 and we will accept only two intentions per Mass. The suggested donation is \$15.00. We offer additional Intentions on Saturday mornings at the 9:00am Mass as a dedication to our Blessed Mother, but names for those Masses will only be announced and not placed in our weekly bulletin. Additionally, intentions can be made for the Bread & Wine, Sanctuary Lamp, Altar Candles and Tabernacle Candles. Thank you for your cooperation.

In Observance of Labor Day Monday, September 5th the Parish Office will be closed and will reopen Tuesday, September 6th at 9:00am

Parish Office Hours

The parish office will resume regular office hours on Tuesday, Sept. 6th

Monday thru Friday 9:00am – 3:00pm

Beginning Sept. 11th Mass hours are as follows:

Saturday 5:30pm

Sunday: 7:30, *9:00, 10:30, 12:15 & 7:00pm

***Please watch the bulletin as there will only be a 9:00am Mass when Religious Ed is in session.**

2016 CONFIRMATION NEWS

9th Grade: Orientation for *registered* students is on Thursday, Sept. 15th from 6:15 – 7pm in the church, student and one parent must attend.

The first class night is Sept. 25th from 5:30 – 7pm followed by the Entrance Rite Mass for all 9th Graders and their parents. Details to follow!

10th Grade: Orientation for *registered* students is on Thursday, Sept. 15th 7:15- 8pm in the church.

The first class night is Sept. 18th from 5:30 – 7pm. Details to follow.

YOUTH CENTER

St. Rose Youth Ministry Shredding Event!

Come with your personal documents to be shredded right in front of you when you arrive. Saturday, September 24th 9:30 – 12:30pm. \$10 per box. We will be located in the St. Rose Church parking lot. St. Rose Antioch Team and Confirmation students will be there to help unload your car. Please contact Lisa Paradiso at lparadiso@saintroseoflimachurch.org with any questions.

Hope to see you there!

RELIGIOUS ED NEWS

All Religious Education volunteers: we will be meeting on Wednesday, September 7, at 6pm to kick off our new year. An email has been sent with details. Dear Families, The class assignments have been sent by email. If you registered by August 15, you should have received your child's catechist's name and cycle; if you have not, please contact us at reled@saintroseoflimachurch.org. Please note classes begin at 9:45am (immediately after the 9am Mass). There will be two parent meetings, Sunday, September 11 and Sunday, September 18, beginning at 10am. Each family is expected to have one parent in attendance at one of the two meetings.

Our registration period has closed. If you wish to register for the 2016-2017 program year, the registration form is available on the parish website. Please submit the completed form and payment including late fee to the parish office. Class assignments will be emailed to the parent.

Our program is in need of one fifth grade and one sixth grade catechist. Please prayerfully consider sharing your faith with the children of our parish.

COME AND JOIN THE ADULT CHOIR FOR CHRISTMAS



It might sound too soon, but the music ministry at St. Rose will start rehearsing our beautiful Christmas Concert this September. We are inviting all parishioners who enjoy the Christmas Midnight Mass to rehearse on Wednesday, Sept. 7th at 8:00pm in the church or Monday, Sept. 12th at 9:30am in the church. No experience required, just all of your love for the Baby Jesus!

CAR RAFFLE 2016

Ticket sales for this year's Car Raffle (**2016 Audi Q3**) will begin on Wednesday, September 7th at our Roadside Booth and will run until Saturday, October 22nd. The drawing will be held on Saturday, October 22nd in the foyer of the Academy at 7:00pm. 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

Let's Celebrate Fr. Owen's Silver Jubilee!

25th Anniversary of Ordination as a Priest and 13 Years in Service to St. Rose of Lima.

Fr. Owen was ordained by Bishop Rodimer on December 14th, 1991 in Limerick, Ireland. We celebrate his 25 years of service with joy. Join us as we express our appreciation and shower Fr. Owen with prayers and blessings on December 11th at the 10:30am Mass. After Mass, there will be a luncheon in his honor at The Park Savoy in Florham Park. For all those who cannot attend the December 11th luncheon, the following weekend December 17th and 18th, there will be refreshments after every Mass and an opportunity to extend your congratulations to Fr. Owen.

RSVP Cards Reminder

If you are thinking of coming to Fr. Owen's Jubilee Reception at The Park Savoy, please send in your RSVP cards immediately, as we are almost full.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY

OPEN TO ALL PARISHIONERS: Mass and Communion Breakfast, Sunday, Oct. 2nd at 9:00am at The Hanover Manor, \$25-per person. Informational flyer on the table in the Church foyer, or call Maureen Carvagno 973-887-7696.

DATE CHANGE FOR NEXT MEETING: September 14th beginning with the Rosary at 7:00pm in the Church.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

OPENS: Tuesday, September 13th
DAYS: Tuesdays and Wednesdays
HOURS: 8am until 8pm

Please sign up this year to attend Adoration in the Divine Mercy Chapel. When you sign up, you commit to attend only 1 hour a week. Prayer partners will be in your hour, if you are unable to attend on your day, your prayer partner will be there. You support each other. We desperately need a minimum of 10 more people. Please call one of the following to sign up:

Carolyn Imposimato – 973-585-4388

Barbara Wetzel – 973-386-0007

Anne Marie Gillespie – 973-884-2011

Thank you and may God Bless You.



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

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

August 28, 2016

Sunday Masses	\$ 8,403.00
Loose Checks	\$ 1,047.00
Loose Cash	\$ 1,041.00
Total Sunday Collection	\$10,491.00

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

CYO BASKETBALL

St. Rose CYO is now accepting pre-registrations for the 2016-2017 Basketball Season for boys and girls in grades 4-8. If your children are interested in playing CYO basketball, please contact Bill Bohri at 973-886-2016 or bbohri@aol.com to pre-register for try-outs.

You must pre-register for try-outs. Try-outs will be held on Sunday, September 25th and Sunday, October 2nd from 1pm to 5pm.

Any questions please call or email

Bill Bohri 973-886-2016 bbohri@aol.com.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #6504

2nd Annual Soccer Challenge

Hosted by the East Hanover Knights of Columbus and the East Hanover Soccer Club.

Saturday, September 10th from 8:30am – 11:00am

Grades 3-5 girls then boys. Grades 6-8 girls then boys.

Those who make the finals will come back for the final round from 2:30PM – 3:30PM.

Any questions, please call Event Chairman, Andy Liebhauser at 201-317-6507.

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 jelly, tea, mayonnaise, water, grits snacks for kids, shampoo, conditioner, deodorant men and women, soap bars, toothpaste, toothbrushes and paper towels.** The next time the food pantry will be open is Saturday, September 10th from 10:00-11:30am. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Isabella Francis at Isabellafrancis2@gmail.com.

World Youth Day Reflection by Eric Magnifico

Not a day has gone by since my arrival home from my World Youth Day Pilgrimage, that I do not find myself thinking back and reflecting on such an amazing, spiritual experience. This experience is something that will stay with me all the days of my life. Of course you must know, that in preparation for this journey, I truly had no idea that I would be having this kind of opportunity to be part of something this huge, on a universal level. I was told about how so many others from all around the world would be uniting together as a spiritual group, but I was no way even close to understanding what I finally became part of.

Mostly, when I returned and spoke of my World Youth Day journey to Kraków people always asked me if I was afraid to go. Well, truthfully the thought of our safety did enter my mind. And I remained conscious of our group, as we toured the beautiful city together. But what I did experience was an overwhelming feeling of safety, traveling with our group led by Father Owen, He had complete faith in our journey and trust in God that we should continue with our travel plans. It is this faith that kept us strong in our commitment to be part of World Youth Day activities.

Each day we celebrated mass together with Father Owen and Father Matthew Twiggs. It was also such a pleasure to reunite with Deacon Michael and Alex. I wish everyone could have seen these Basilicas and Cathedrals! Each one of them had a history that went back so many years ago. The Wavel Cathedral in the Wavel Royal Castle had tombs of Saints and Royalties from the 1600s.

Thursday evening our group walked with thousands of pilgrims to Blonia Park where Pope Francis greeted the crowd with his welcome speech on "Mercy". It was a true test of complete faith and trust in God for our safety. In the vast crowd of people, I will never forget how the universal spiritual unity of the love of God brought us all together. It was such a powerful feeling that made me realize how strong the word of God is, and that His presence with the Pope in our midst is the heartbeat of life everlasting.

My World Youth Day journey reminds me that our faith will be tested. We all have fears that need to be conquered. But with the faith of God, we can be brave and accept what is before us, and continue to challenge ourselves. I have only spoken of some of my experiences during this pilgrimage, only the surface. I gratefully have so many more that I cherish. I thank everyone in our parish that supported us to carry on and embrace this experience.

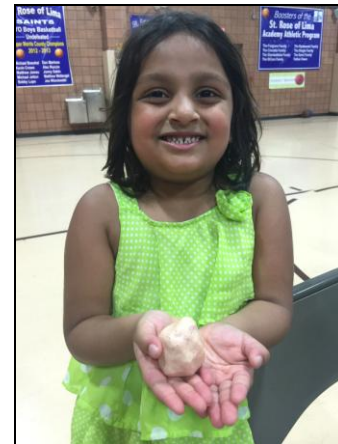
Attention Divorced/Separated Catholics! It's Not Too Late!

Notre Dame RC Church is pleased to announce a ministry to men and women who have suffered from divorce or separation. The Catholic's Divorce Survival Guide is a twelve week program featuring thirty minute DVD sessions each week that covers topics of shock, denial, anger, grief, guilt, forgiveness, money, the courts, the kids, the ex-spouse, annulment, dating, sexuality, spirituality, remarriage or staying single and much more. Whether you got divorced or separated ten days ago or ten years ago, this program offers valuable insight for everyone. Call Lauren Egan 973-903-5294 or email nageneral@gmail.com for further information or to register. The group will run on Wednesday evenings from 7-8:30pm starting Sept. 14, 2016. Take that first step today towards your healing.

EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER NEWS

Our Summer Camp came to a close, but not without an enriching and successful summer experience for all of our campers! Some of the most memorable experiences include our walk to the library, our trip to the zoo, water days, a visit from The Lizard Guy and our spectacular Carnival. Each day the children came to camp excited and ready to learn, play and have fun! A special thank you goes out to all of our Summer Camp Teachers and Aides for doing a magnificent job at this years Summer Program.

We are looking forward to a new school year filled with exciting and educational experiences for all of our Pre-school and Pre-Kindergarten students! We are busy planning our STEM projects, our field trips and exciting school activities! We can hardly wait for our new school year to begin!



Enrollment still open for September 2016!

Register now to reserve your spot!

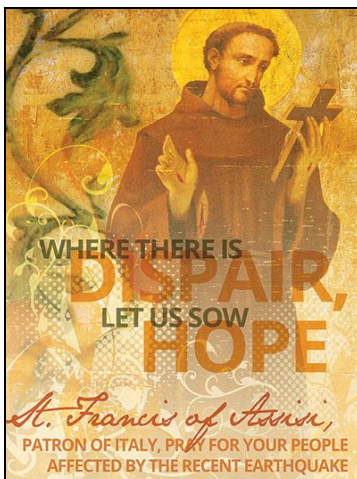
For more information contact Carol Freeman or Lorie Agrifolio

Carol: cfreeman@saintroseacad.org

Lorie: lagrifolio@stroseacad.org

If you would like to be a substitute for our Early Childhood Center, please contact the director, Lorie Agrifolio for further information.

Please visit our
Early Childhood Center
New website
www.SaintRoseOfLimaECC.org
Like us on m.facebook.com/stroseecc



PARISH DIRECTORY

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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 or Father Matthew immediately

Fr. Owen B Moran	Pastor 973-887-5572 Ext 114	omoran@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Fr. Matthew Kranc	Parochial Vicar 973-887-5572 Ext 125	fr.matthew@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Rev. Mr. Michal Rybinski	Transitional Deacon 973-887-5572	michal.rybinski@outlook.com
Deacon Vincent Leo	Permanent Deacon 973-887-5572	tvleo@carroll.com
Mr. Alex Nevitt	Seminarians Theology, North American College, Rome	wnevitt@gmail.com
Mr. Andrew Burns	Theology, North American College, Rome	aburns@pnac.org

Msgr. William McCarthy retired and not in residence

Mrs. Gretchen Turner	Business Manager	973-887-5572 Ext 115	gturner@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Mr. Diego Badilla	Music Director	973-887-5572 Ext 157	dbadilla@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Mrs. Karen Cunningham	Bookkeeper	973-887-5572 Ext 129	kcunningham@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Ms. Cathleen Seborowski	Parish Secretary	973-887-5572 Ext 128	cseborowski@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Mrs. Angela Burns	Parish Secretary	973-887-5572 Ext 152	aburns@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Mrs. Anne Marie Gillespie	Trustee		
Mrs. Jeanne Taylor	Trustee		
Mr. William Nevitt	Parish Council President		

Saint Rose Pre-School

Mrs. Lorie Agrifolio	Director of ECC	973-887-1801	lagrifolio@stroseacad.org
Mrs. Carol Freeman	Administrative Assistant (Pre-School/Pre-K)	973-887-1801	cfreeman@stroseacad.org

Faith Formation

Mrs. Stephanie Politi	Coordinator of Pastoral Ministries	973-599-2944	spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Mrs. Bernadette Caponegro	Director of Religious Education	973-887-0357	bcaponegro@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Mrs. Gina Liebhauser	Ass't Coordinator of Religious Ed	973-887-0357	reled@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Mrs. Tanya D'Souza	Assistant to Coordinator of Pastoral Ministries and D.R.E.	973-887-0357	tdsouza@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Ms. Lisa Paradiso	Youth Ministry and Confirmation Assistant	973-599-2944	lparadiso@saintroseoflimachurch.org
Mrs. M. Kelly Robertazzi	Youth Ministry and Confirmation Assistant	973-599-2944	krobertazzi@saintroseoflimachurch.org

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 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