

Mass Intentions for the Week



Monday – October 2-*The Guardian Angels*

6:55 Richard Seiboldt
9:00 Teresa Faggella

Tuesday – October 3

6:55 Vorel & Salerno Families
9:00 Robert & Laura Dunn

Wednesday – October 4-*Francis of Assisi, religious*

6:55 Giovanni Gandolfi
9:00 Eleanor Laughlin

Thursday – October 5

6:55 Angelo Longhi
9:00 Gwan Mei Huang

Friday – October 6-*Bruno, priest*

*BL. Marie-Rose Durocher,
Virgin*

6:55 Carlo Mazzoni
9:00 James H. Donohue

Saturday – October 7-*Our Lady of the Rosary*

9:00 Lawrence Gallagher
5:15 Marian North

Sunday – October 8

7:45 The People of St. Patrick's
9:00 Francesca Fichera
9:15 Phyllis Johnson
10:30 Donald J. Connor
11:00 Alison Kerrigan
12:30 Gilda & Eugene McCormack
5:00 Eleanor Laughlin

WEEKLY READINGS

Monday: Ex 23: 20-23/Mt 18: 1-5, 10
Tuesday: Jb 3: 1-3, 11-17, 20-23/Lk 9: 51-56
Wednesday: Jb 9: 1-12, 14-16/Lk 9: 57-62
Thursday: Jb 19: 21-27/Lk 10: 1-12
Friday: Jb 38: 1, 12-21; 40: 3-5/Lk 10: 13-16
Saturday: Jb 42: 1-3, 5-6, 12-17/Lk 10: 17-24
Sunday: Gen 2: 18-24/Heb 2: 9-11/Mk 10: 2-16

COLLECTION FOR SEPTEMBER 24, 2006

Tithing Last Year	\$24,444.25
Tithing This Year	\$24,560.00
Children's Last Year	\$410.00
Children's This Year	\$246.00

Parish Calendar

Monday – October 2

9:00a.m. ParentCare (Parish Center Hall)
4:30p.m./6:00p.m. Rel. Ed. Prayer (New Church)
7:00p.m. Boy Scouts (Lower Church)
7:30p.m. Parish Council Exec. Board (Rectory)

Tuesday – October 3

9:30a.m. Parish Library (Library)
9:45am. Movie (Parish Center Mtg. Room)
10:00am. Safe Environment Course (EC107-108)
4:30p.m./6:00p.m. Rel. Ed. Prayer (New Church)
4:30p.m. Basketball (Aud.)
5:00p.m. Irish Dance (Lower Church)
6:00p.m. Bereavement Group (PC-Hall)
7:00p.m. Widows/Widowers (PC-Hall)
7:30p.m. Choir Rehearsal (New Church)

Wednesday – October 4

9:00a.m. ParentCare (Parish Center Hall)
4:00p.m. Religious Ed. (EC 109-110)
4:30p.m./6:00p.m. Rel. Ed. Prayer (NewChurch)
4:30p.m. Basketball (Aud.)
6:00p.m. AA (Lower Church)
6:00p.m. Youth Group (PC-Hall)
6:30p.m. Cub Scouts (Art Room)
7:00p.m. AL-ANON (EC Room 109)
7:00p.m. Safe Env. Course (PC-H)
7:30p.m. Teen Choir (New Church)
7:30p.m. Columbiettes (PC-M)

Thursday – October 5

8:00a.m. Pre-K Rel. Ed (PC-M)
4:00p.m. Irish Dance (Lower Church)
4:30p.m./6:00p.m. Rel. Ed. Prayer (New Church)
4:30p.m. Choristers (EC 109-110)
4:30p.m. Basketball (Aud.)
7:00p.m. Earn Group (Rm. 107-108)
7:30p.m. Choir Practice (New Church)
8:00p.m. Prayer Group (PC-M)

Friday – October 6

4:00p.m. Basketball (Aud.)
4:30p.m. Rel. Ed. Prayer (NewChurch)

Saturday – September October 7

9:00a.m. Basketball (Auditorium)
9:00a.m. Pre-Cana (PC-Hall)

Sunday – October 8

10:15a.m. Parish Library (Library)
6:00p.m. AA (Lower Church)



Banns of Marriage

Laura Friedlander & Michael Gabriel
Toni Ann Madsen & Justin Foley

Weddings

Sunday- October 8th, 2006
3:00PM-Stone Church
Angelo Maggiolo & Tania Walters

Exciting opportunity for Children!

The children's liturgy is the first Sunday of every month at the 9:15 AM Mass. We are looking for the children of the Parish to become more involved in this liturgy. For more info please call Terry Lanza at 914-962-2721.

"Would that the Lord might bestow His Spirit on them all!"

Come and see what the Holy Spirit has waiting for your marriage/holy orders on a Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend. The next Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend is November 10 – 12. For more information please call 914-524-7088.

Weekday Lectors Needed:

Lectors are needed for the 6:55 and 9:00 AM weekday Eucharist. Bi-weekly scheduling. Training provided. Please contact Paul Turnley at 914-245-7483 or the Rectory if you are interested in this important Liturgical ministry.

Yorktown Volunteer Ambulance Corps would like to thank all who donated to make the Blood Drive a success. We collected 66 pints of Blood this drive. Our next Blood Drive will be in the spring.

Circolo da Vinci Italian American Org. invites the public to their monthly dinner meeting at Mirragio's on Thurs. Eve. Oct. 5th at 6:30 PM. Our featured speaker is Prof. Aldo Belardo His topic is Ancient Roman History- Carthaginian Wars. Dinner is \$25. For info call Dorothy 245-2316.

The Altar of Bread and Wine used in the New Church this week was donated by Mr. & Mrs. Thomas Cerabona & Family in memory of:

Kaare Nuume, Sr.

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the New Church this week was donated by The Crane Family in memory of:

Eileen O'Neil-Feeney

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the Stone Church this week was donated by Elizabeth Counihan

William Counihan

UNANNOUNCED MASSES: Deceased: Msgr. John J. Sheehan, Deceased Members of the Mazzone Family, Vincent Cavasti, Mrs. Evangelista, Elsa Comacho(2), Arthur Clark, Richard Huffield, William J. Rizzo, Carlo Mazzone, John Paul Ragussa(3), Rose Muscato. **Special Intentions:** June Conlin, Rich Finn, The Taylor Family.

MUSIC MINISTRY

Singers Grades 3-8: St. Patrick's Choristers, our choir for young people, has openings for the 2006-2007 season. Rehearsals for grades 5-8 are on Monday from 4:45 to 5:45. **Rehearsals for grades 3&4 are on Thursday from 4:45 to 5:30.** (This information was inadvertently omitted from previous bulletins.) The Choristers sing at the monthly 9:15AM Family Mass and at special parish events. For registration information, contact Kathey Lewis, Director of Music Ministries at 962-5050.

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by priest, deacon religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Monsignor Desmond O'Connor at 212-371-1000 extension 2931 or Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 ext. 2949. Both may also be reached via email at victimassistance@archny.org. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this is to keep children safe.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION:

ST. PATRICK'S SCHOOL

ST. PATRICK'S RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM:

We are still in need of catechists for some upper grades. If you would like more information about how you can help pass on the faith to our young people, please call Susan Wallace at 962-5586.

The District Conference Day for teachers has been changed from November 13th to November 7th. Therefore, school **will be in session on Monday November 13th**. There will be **no school on Tuesday, November 7th**. We apologize for any inconvenience.

REMINDER FOR ALL FAMILIES IN OUR RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM:

Religious Education Classes this fall are ninety minutes each week; from 4:30 pm to 6:00 pm or 6:30 pm to 8:00 pm. Please refer to the class placement packet you received for additional information and if you have any questions, please call us at 962-5586.

PARISH LIBRARY

St. Patrick's Library will show the inspiring conclusion of Therese, the life of St. Therese of Lisieux, this Tuesday, October 3rd, after the 9:00A.M. Mass and Rosary. Therese made the surprising yet simple discovery that holiness can be achieved by small acts of love and compassion, a spiritual path she called her "Little Way." Join us for this wonderful video.

PARISH COUNCIL

ANNUAL ST. PATRICK'S DINNER DANCE:

Come and join us Sunday October 22, 2006 from 5 to 9 p.m. when The Parish Council will be sponsoring the annual St. Patrick's Dinner Dance and Social in celebration of our pastor's 25th anniversary. There will be great food, a cash bar and a six member band called The Metro Orchestra all at Sinapi's Ceola Manor in Jefferson Valley. Attendance is \$65 per person. Tickets are available at the Rectory. This is a perfect way to celebrate the beautiful Autumn season!

Midnight Run is in need of men's light and medium weight jackets, men's sneakers and jeans. Donations may be left in the vestibule of the New Church marked "For Midnight Run". Thank you for supporting this ministry generously.

October is the time for Birthright's Annual Walk for Life.

Birthright empowers pregnant women and girls to realize they can carry their baby to term. Please join us on Saturday Oct. 14th at FDR Park in Yorktown. You can pick up a sponsor sheet by calling 914-945-0711 and asking for Tom. Don't miss this opportunity to join us for a fun easy 2 mile walk.

PARENTCARE:

Education for Parenting Parents of infants, toddlers and pre-schoolers are invited to our Parentcare program. Parents and children attend on either Monday or Wednesday mornings during the school year, from 9:45-11:15am. For more information, call Eileen Murphy at the rectory.

EARN (Employment Assistance & Resource Network)

will host its monthly meeting this Thursday night October 5 starting at 7:45 in rooms 107/108 of the Family Education Center. Expect to gain valuable insights into job search issues from our guest speaker, to learn about job leads and area seminars and to network. All are welcome.

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BEHIND THE MASS

Meaning, Signs, and Symbols.

Have you ever wondered about what is truly happening at Mass! Why are things done that way?



What do they mean? Increase your understanding and participation in our Roman Catholic Mass by gaining an insight into all that taking place and how we are in relationship with Jesus and each other. Please join us on October 13th from 7:30 to 9:00 P.M. in our Main Church for a Reflection on the Eucharist.

The Trinity Gift Shop Hours are as follows:

Tuesday –Thursday from 9-12Noon and Sunday's 9-12 Noon.

POSTURES AT MASS

The General Instruction of the Roman Missal issued by the Holy See is the document which governs the celebration of Mass throughout the world. A new edition of this document was issued in the year 2000; and in the spring of 2003, an English translation of this third General Instruction with adaptations for the United States was approved by the Vatican.

Among other things, the third General Instruction includes some changes in the posture of the people during the celebration of Mass. It points out first that a common posture, to be observed by all participants is a sign of the unity of the members of the Christian community gathered for the sacred Liturgy: It both expresses and fosters the intention and spiritual attitude of the participants. (42)

(43) The principal changes in posture include the following:

1. At the conclusion of the Preparation of the Gifts (Offertory) the people are directed to stand when the celebrant has finished saying: “Pray brethren, that our sacrifice may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.”

2. The faithful should kneel (in the United States) from the end of the Holy, Holy until the end of the “Great Amen” at the conclusion of the Eucharistic Prayer.

3. When receiving Holy Communion, the communicant bows his or her head before the Sacrament as a gesture of reverence and receives the Body of the Lord from the minister. The consecrated host may be received either on the tongue or in the hand, at the discretion of each communicant. When Holy Communion is received under both kinds, the sign of reverence is also made before receiving the Precious Blood. (160c)

4. While the General Instruction indicates that the people stand when receiving Communion, the Holy See has indicated that communicants may sit or kneel when they return to their places after having received Communion. (Response from Congregation for Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments, Prot.n.855/03L)