

**TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
SEPTEMBER 20, 2015**



SAT:	5:30pm	Jaime Velez
Sun:	7:00am	All Parishioners Living & Deceased
	9:00am	Alfredo Piacente Frank Sorice
	11:30am	Charles F. Mitchell, Jr.
	1:00pm	Ed Gavin
MON:	7:30am	Theresia Perna
	12:10pm	Francesco & Filomena De Iure
TUE:	7:30am	Eugene Connor
	12:10pm	Francis Edwards
WED:	7:30am	Paul Schizzano
	12:10pm	Carmin & Maria Anna Talarico
THUR:	7:30am	Helen Dana
	12:10pm	Margaret Fuller
FRI:	7:30am	Clara & David Damola
	12:10pm	Francis Edwards
SAT:	8:00am	Giosue Falanga
	5:30pm	Andrew Lubrano
SUN:	7:00am	Vito Masi
	9:00am	Nicola & Josephine Arceri Frances Ann Mirra
	11:30am	All Parishioners Living & Deceased
	1:00pm	San Migual del Milagro Catatino Ramirez

PRAY FOR
Maria Hernandez
Miriam Terrales
Haulef Gomez

Note: Monday through Friday, 12:10 mass is offered for an increase in vocations. An additional intention may be requested.

2016 PARISH MASS BOOK TO OPEN

On **Wednesday, October 21st**, the 2016 Parish Mass Book will open. Requests **MUST** be made in person **NOT** by phone. Requests will be recorded in the Meeting Room/Gym from 9:00am-3:00pm. Also requests will be made from 6:30pm-8:00pm in the rectory. You may request up to a total of **SIX** masses, but not more than **TWO** may be on a Saturday evening or Sunday masses. An offering for an announced mass is \$15.00.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE

The fall campaign begins on September 23rd. Please join in this prayerful effort to eliminate abortion. Your prayers, your sacrifices, your fasting are critical to the success of our efforts. Perhaps you are also able to stand witness at Planned Parenthood on Coates Drive in Goshen. The vigil takes place from 7AM-7PM every day through November 1st. While our parish is committed to every Monday please join the vigil whenever you have time.

You may sign up by looking for the table at the doors of the Church or by calling Deacon Mike Brescia at 845-341-7357.



PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION

"I am not afraid to say it: the cult of Solemn Exposition is the great need of our times; this public and solemn profession of faith in the divinity of Christ and in the reality of His Sacramental Presence is a necessity. It is the best refutation which can be levelled at the renegades, the apostates, the impious and the indifferent. It will crush them like a mountain of fire, but a fire of love and goodness." *St. Peter Julian Eymard*

Will you become a Guardian of the Eucharist? Every hour of every day and night is available to you. We can never have too many Guardians. Call Marty/Clarice 692-4510.

Some hours are in real need for Guardians:

- Monday 3-4AM**
- Wednesday 3-4AM**
- Tuesday 4-5AM**
- Saturday 7-8PM**
- Saturday 10-11PM**

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Reminder to all Confirmation Candidates: All required paperwork is due on the first day of classes. Please submit all forms completed in their entirety to your teacher in class.

Offertory envelopes were distributed to the children. These will be used for tracking attendance at Mass. If your child did not receive a box of envelopes please contact the Religious Education office as soon as possible.

Today is Catechetical Sunday and we would like to thank in a very special way all of our Catechists for sharing their time and talents with us. All our Catechist and their families are invited to the 9:00am Mass and then to the gymnasium building for light refreshments.

APOSTOLATE OF PRAYER

Parishes of the Orange County Vicariate are uniting in prayer each day throughout the year for the members of our beloved clergy. Please remember:

September 20	Pope Francis
September 21	Rev. Sandro Leyton Rev. Raymond Nwegede
September 22	Rev. Dennis Nikolic Deacon James Faulkner
September 23	Rev. William Scafidi Rev. Clifford Ekwueme
September 24	Rev. Daniel O'Hare Deacon Tom Jordan
September 25	Rev. Dennis Dinan Rev. Fernando Hernandez
September 26	Priests and deacons who have Served in the vicariate

A LAY CARMELITE INVITATION

The "Call to Carmel: is a vocation to strive to seek the presence of God in the ordinary circumstances of everyday life. We seek His presence through personal and liturgical prayer, community, and apostolic work. All Catholics, 18 years and older, are invited to an Open House at the National Shrine of Our Lady of Mt. Carmel in Middletown, NY on Sunday, October 18th, from 3:30-5:30pm to learn more about belonging to the Carmelite Family. Please call Jim Lancellotti @845-344-2226 for more information and directions.

ORANGE COUNTY ROSARY CONGRESS

PLEASE MARK YOUR CALENDARS!! Friday & Saturday – November 20 & 21, 2015 – 8th ORANGE COUNTY ROSARY CONGRESS – ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH!!!

The theme of the conference will be: "Lukewarm Catholicism: Scourge Upon the Church and Ruin of Souls..."

We are blessed to include at our conference this year: Fr. Bill Halbing, Fr. John Tino, Colleen Willard, Fr. Glenn Sudano, Al Barbarino, and for the first time gracing this very special weekend will be our very own, Fr. Donald Timone.

The Church is mortally wounded in this country. Friends, don't put it off. Don't count on others to do it for you. Our time may very well be short. Archbishop Sheen used to say that, before the hand of God comes down upon the world, it always comes down upon the Church... Fr. Bill Casey, Fathers of Mercy. *To Volunteer/Assist/Attend/More Information: Please call Mary Brescia – 845-374-2901.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION FOR SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

Classes for St. Joseph's Rite of Christian Initiation Program (RCIA) will begin today Sunday, September 20th.

On the Vigil of Easter Saturday evening, March 26, 2016 the sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and the Eucharist will be administered by the pastor. These RCIA classes are open to all adults who are interested in becoming Catholics and those adult Catholics who have not received First Holy Communion or Confirmation. Call the rectory at 343-6013 and leave your name, address and phone number. Someone will get in touch with you.

ANNUAL COLUMBUS DAY MASS

St. Joseph's Parish will have a bus to St. Patrick's Cathedral for the Annual Columbus Day Mass and Parade on Monday, October 12th. The bus will leave St. Joseph's Church parking lot at 7:00am sharp. We will be leaving St. Patrick's at 3:00pm and arriving home at 5:00pm. **Seats are still available.** If interested, please call the rectory at 343-6013. The cost is \$25.00.



PUBLIC SQUARE FATIMA ROSARY RALLY

Where: St. Joseph Church
Wisner Ave. & Cottage St.,
Middletown, NY

When: October 10, 2015

Time: 12:00 Noon

Info: 845-733-572

CHILD PROTECTION

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 Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at 212-371-1000 x 2949 or Deacon George J. Coppola at 917-861-1762. Both may also be reached via e-mail at victimassistance@archny.org. Information can also be found on the Archdiocese website www.archny.org. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

Cualquier persona que necesite reporter algun incidente de abuso sexual de un menor por un sacerdote, diacono, religipsp/a, o laico sirviendo en la Arquidiocesis de Nueva York, se le pide que por favor contacte Hermana Eileen Clifford, O.P. al (212)371-1000 estension 2949 o Decon George Coppola at 917-861-1762. Ambos también pueden ser contactados via correo electrónico: victimassistance@archny.org. Para mas información pueden visitar la pagina en la red da la Arquidiocesis: www.archny.org. De acuerdo con las normas de la Arquidiocesis respeto al abuso sexual de menores, esta información se provee para asegurar que nuestros niños permanezcan seguros.

ORANGE COUNTY LIFE CHAIN

Stand up and be counted with thousands of Pro-Lifers! Join the Annual Pro-Life Family Event – The Orange County Life Chain, Sunday October 4th along Route 211, Middletown, NY from 2:00pm – 3:30pm. Please join us!

AL BARBARINO TO VISIT

On the weekend of Sept 26 & 27, Al Barbarino, will be a guest singer & speaker at St. Joseph. He will sing and speak at the Masses & offer a “Two Night Mission,” on Sunday and Monday evenings at 7pm.

Al is a Lay Franciscan of the St. Pedro Pio Shelter with the Friars of the renewal. He is also an active member of the Knights of Columbus. Over the past 20+ years he has recorded many Cd’s of spiritual/inspirational music & videos, which help support the Friars ministry for the poor & the international outreach of the Croatian Relief Services; as well as the needy families of the parish where he sings. He has traveled throughout th U.S. & abroad as well.

At the end of each Mass & Mission his recordings will be available. Your support will also help the needy of the parish. Please try to attend the Mission at 7:00pm. The focus will be “DO YOU TEXT GOD?”

REMINDER: 1. At each of the Masses, I sing a “Prelude, Offertory, Communion & Recessional Hymns. All Mass parts & Entrance Hymn may be done by Parish Cantor. 2. I usually speak after a short homily, explaining this ministry and the 2 nite mission. 3. At the mission, it would be appreciated, if a love offering can be taken for the charities (Fr. Gio & Friars)

SPANISH FOOD FESTIVAL

Our Spanish Food Festival was a great success. Everyone enjoyed delicious homemade foods and entertainment. Thank you to all the volunteers and parishioners and friends who helped make this event a success.

The winners of the Raffle were: Domingo & Tammy Perez -1000, Antelmo Guzman-\$500 and Salvador Cid-\$200. **CONGRATULATIONS!**

FOOD FOR THE POOR

Our monthly food drive for the poor will be held next weekend. Do bring some canned or packaged foods when you come to mass. There will be containers at the doors of the church for your donations. All canned, packaged and dried foods are welcome, but there is a special need for canned items such as: **spaghetti** or **ravioli**, fruits, vegetables, **soups**, **tune fish**, **spam** or **other meats**, rice and **peanut butter** and **jelly**.