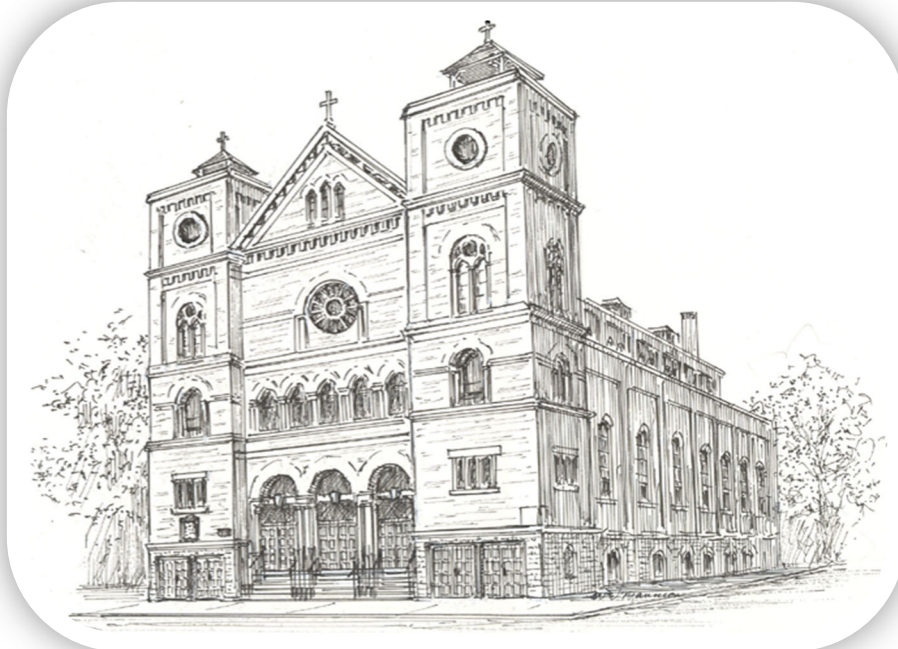


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Sunday, August 9th, 2015 | XIX Sunday in Ordinary Time- Year B



Schedule of Masses & Services

Saturday: 8:30am | 12:00pm | 5:00pm (English)

Sunday: 8:30am (English) | 9:30am (Spanish)
11:00am (Italian) | 12:15pm (English)
1:30pm (Spanish)

Weekday: 8:30am / 12:00pm / 6:30pm(English)

Confessions: Saturdays from 4:00pm to 5:00pm

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION/HOLY HOURS

Every Thursday from 5:30pm to 6:30pm

Every Saturday from 12:30pm to 1:30pm

First Friday of every month from 12:30pm-6:30pm

Novena Devotions: After each Mass

Monday: Miraculous Medal

Wednesday: Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Thursday: Saint Joseph

Friday: Divine Mercy Chaplet

BAPTISMS:

2nd Sunday of every month in Spanish at 2:30pm

3rd Sunday every other month in English at 2:30pm

Please stop by the Parish Center to register or call for more information.

PARISH STAFF

PASTOR

Rev. Fr. Jonathan Morris

PAROCHIAL VICAR

Rev. Fr. Urbano Rodrigues

PARISH CENTER

2380 Belmont Avenue

Monday & Thursday
9:00am to 5:00pm

Tuesday, Wednesday & Friday
9:00am to 8:00pm

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM

COORDINATOR

Sister Edna Loquias, S.M.C.

PARISH SCHOOL

PRINCIPAL

Mr. John T. Riley

MARRIAGES:

We will be happy to help any couples who are preparing for marriage. Please make an appointment with a Priest at the Parish Center.

PASTORAL VISITS TO THE SICK:

If you or someone you know are in the hospital or homebound and would be served by a pastoral visit by a Priest, Religious Sister or a lay Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist, please contact the Parish Center.

PARISH MEMBERSHIP:

We invite new parishioners to register at the Parish Center as soon as possible after moving into the parish.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION PROGRAM:

For information and to register your child for Religious Education Classes, please call the Catechetical Office at (718) 295-3770.

MOUNT CARMEL ELEMENTARY SCHOOL:

The parish school is located at 2465-67 Bathgate Ave. For information please call (718) 295-6080.

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Sunday, August 9th | XIX Sunday in O.T.

- 8:30am Frances Tiburzi
- 9:30am Pro Populo
- 11:00am Giovanni e Salvatrice Di Prima
- 12:15pm Michelle Racioppo
- 1:30pm Por una Intencion especial

Monday, August 10th | Saint Lawrence

- 8:30am Monsignor Thomas Heneghan
- 12:00pm Marie De Dominicis and Family
- 6:30pm Josefina Pomares

Tuesday, August 11th | Saint Clare

- 8:30am Michael Verini
- 12:00pm Olympia Gigante
- 6:30pm Elizabeth and Leonardo D' Aiello

Wednesday, August 12th | Weekday

- 8:30am Larry and Lily Borgatti
- 12:00pm Frank Di Noia
- 6:30pm Rosa Leo

Thursday, August 13th | Weekday

- 8:30am Giovanni Santaniello and Family
- 12:00pm Lena and Mel Bucci and Mario Campanelli
- 6:30pm Mary Conte

Friday, August 14th | Saint Maximilian Kolbe

- 8:30am Aura Cenobia Sanchez de Alzate
- 12:00pm Serafina and Egidio Cavaliere
- 6:30pm Rosa and Pasquale Leone

Saturday, August 15th | Assumption of BVM

- 8:30am Pro Populo
- 12:00pm Padre Pio Prayer
- 5:00pm Elizabeth and Leonardo D'Aiello

Sunday, August 16th | XX Sunday in O.T.

- 8:30am Deceased Benefactors and Parents of the Missionary Sisters of the Catechism
- 9:30am Pro Populo
- 11:00am Salvatore Guzzi e Nonni e Tommaso Mancuso
- 12:15pm John and Josephine Ferrari
- 1:30pm En Honor a la Inmaculada Concepción

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for the deceased members of our parish *Enrique Laureano* & our fallen military.

WEDDING BANNS

III. Corey Hayes and Laureen Sada
Nicholas I. Doran and Nanette P. Prince

"From the Desk of Father Jonathan"

This past week, on August 4th, we celebrated the feast day of St. John Mary Vianney (1786-1859), that wonderful parish priest who was the pastor of the tiny parish church of Ars, France.

Besides the fact that St. John Vianney is the patron of parish priests, and therefore beloved by all of us, I personally have special affection for him because 22 years ago on his feast day, August 4th, I decided to go to the seminary. On that day I knew very little about St. John Vianney, but I came to see God's providence in my life by receiving the grace to say yes to the priesthood on the very feast day of the patron of parish priests.

If there is one thing that the "Cure of Ars", as he became known, was famous for it was the number of hours he spent in the confessional, and the mercy and wisdom with which he administered the sacrament of penance. Here at Our Lady of Mount Carmel we have confessions available every Saturday from 4:00pm - 5:00pm, and any other time upon appointment. My guess is that if St. John Vianney were pastor here, one of the first things he would do would be to offer more times for confessions. We all need confession. I try to confess my sins at least once a month, plus any other time that I need it for a particular sin I have committed. Maybe it's not so easy for you all to find a good time for confession.

Can you help me by suggesting convenient times for extra confession hours? How about before one or two of the masses on Sunday?

Thank you for all of your prayers and hard work for our beloved parish.

Father Jonathan

MEMORIALS OFFERED THIS WEEK

Mass Wine

In Memory of Justin Acocella
Requested by Frank and Diana Barbieri

Altar Bread

In Memory of Justin Acocella
Requested by Frank and Diana Barbieri

MASS COLLECTION - 8/2/ 2015

Collection\$3,598.16
Last year's Collection\$3,638.45

Thank you all for your generosity!!

LAST WEEKEND'S ATTENDANCE - 8/2/ 2015

Adults: 561..... Children: 105..... / Total...666

REFLECTING ON GOD'S WORD**Sunday Gospel: John 6: 41-51**

In 2000, Pope John Paul II dedicated the Basilica of Saint Bartholomew in Rome as a shrine to all Christian victims of twentieth-century wars and persecution. In 2008, Pope Benedict XVI visited the basilica and spoke of the great love of those saints, known and unknown, who suffered for Christ. The basilica is in the care of the Community of Sant'Egidio, founded in Rome by high school students in 1968 and now expanded around the world. Pope Benedict was celebrating this community's fortieth anniversary. These lay people are committed to daily prayer and Bible reading together.

They work together to assist the poor, the elderly, the homeless, and the sick. Like the members of the Community of Sant'Egidio, we should observe and value the images of the saints in our church. They serve as a constant reminder of the value of a gospel-centered life, and challenge us to risk whatever it takes to follow Christ.

Living Stewardship Now

The saints and other heroes of faith are meant to inspire and encourage us on the path of discipleship. Let your discipleship bear fruit as the stewardship of your time, abilities, and resources, given freely and regularly.

REGISTRATION - RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Registration will take place Monday through Friday from 9:30am to 12pm and 2:00pm to 4:30pm

If your child is already baptized, please bring a copy of the baptism certificate

Registration Fee - \$60

"ROOTED"

Our Youth Group has chosen a name "ROOTED" in Christ Jesus! If you are in 9th to 12th grade, come to Fatima Hall on Saturdays from 2pm to 4pm. For more info please contact Jesus Vargas at the parish office.

REGISTRATION CAMPAIGN

Please pick up your new box of envelopes before or after Mass this weekend. The envelopes are for one entire year. Thank you for your continued support!

WORLD MEETING OF FAMILIES**Pope Francis' Visit to Philadelphia**

Sunday, September 27, 2015

Tickets \$45

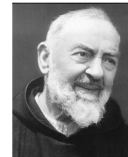
Limited Seating! Reserve at the Parish Office
Buses leaves at 7:00am—Return at 6:00pm

RIFLESSIONE SULLA PAROLA DI DIO**Vangelo della Domenica: Giovanni 6: 41-51**

Siamo noi a cercare Dio o e lui a cercare noi? Ancora prima che noi cominciamo a cercarlo consapevolmente, egli ci attira a sé, come un innamorato, tramite Cristo.

La reazione giusta da parte nostra è di essere pienamente disposti ad ascoltare e ad imparare: "Chiunque ha udito il Padre e ha imparato da lui, viene a me". Ciò significa seguire Cristo, poiché "solo colui che viene da Dio ha visto il Padre" e quindi solo lui può conoscere perfettamente la volontà del Padre e rivelarla. La vita eterna che noi tutti desideriamo dipende dalla fede in Cristo, da una fiducia e da un impegno costanti, che faranno cominciare la vita-risurrezione qui ed ora, garantendo la risurrezione dei corpi alla vita immortale.

In attesa, i fedeli si nutrono del suo Corpo e del suo Sangue nella santa Eucaristia, costituendo a poco a poco in loro stessi una "riserva" di vita immortale. Se Elia o gli Ebrei dell'Esodo mangiarono del pane prezioso, noi mangiamo qualcosa di molto più prezioso: "Il pane che io darò è la mia carne".

ANNUAL PADRE PIO DAY

*Shrine of the Immaculate Heart of Mary
Washington, New Jersey*

Saturday, August 22nd

~ Confession, Adoration ~

Holy Sacrifice of the Mass
Most Rev. Gerald Walsh, D.D.

Tickets - \$27

*Available at the Parish Office
Bus leaves 7:00am & returns 6:30pm*

INCONTRO MONDIALE DELLE FAMIGLIE**Papa Francesco - Filadelfia**

Domenica, 27 Settembre, 2015

Biglietti - \$45

I posti sono limitati! Prenotatevi al più presto!

L'autobus sale alle 7am
e ritornerà alle 6:00pm

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

There will be no meeting in August. Members will attend the 8:30am Sunday Corporate Communion Masses tomorrow/today, Sunday, August 9th, 2015.

REFLEXIONEMOS LA PALABRA DE DIOS

Evangelio del Domingo: Juan 6: 41-51

En el año 2000 el Papa Juan Pablo II declaró la Basílica de San Bartolomé en Roma como santuario dedicado a todos los cristianos del siglo veinte que fueron víctimas de guerras y persecución. En 2008 el Papa Benedicto XVI visitó la basílica y habló en esa ocasión sobre el gran amor de esos santos, conocidos o desconocidos, que sufrieron por Cristo. La basílica está atendida por la comunidad de Sant'Egidio, fundada en Roma por estudiantes de secundaria en 1968 y actualmente extendida por todo el mundo. El Papa Benedicto fue a celebrar el cuadragésimo aniversario de esta comunidad. Estos laicos están comprometidos a la oración diaria y a leer juntos la Biblia. Ellos trabajan conjuntamente para atender a los pobres, a los que no tienen techo y a los enfermos. Igual que los miembros de la comunidad de Sant'Egidio nosotros debemos imitar y valorar a los santos de nuestra Iglesia.

Ellos son un constante recordatorio del valor de una vida centrada en el Evangelio y nos desafían a arriesgarlo todo para seguir a Cristo en nuestra vida diaria.

Viviendo la Palabra de Dios

Los santos y las santas, los héroes y las heroínas de la fe nos inspiran y alientan a seguir el camino del discipulado. Deja que tu discipulado dé frutos al ofrecer gratuita y regularmente tu tiempo, tus habilidades y recursos.

GRUPO JUVENIL "ROOTED"

Invitamos a todos los Jóvenes de 9 a 12 grado a participar del Grupo Juvenil todos los Sábado de 2:00pm a 4:00pm en el Salón de Fatima.
¡Te esperamos!

EDUCACION RELIGIOSA PARA ADULTOS

Si estás interesado en recibir el Bautismo, Comunión o la Confirmación, las inscripciones están abiertas para las clases en Inglés y Español. Por favor regístrate en el Centro Parroquial o bien pueden llamar al 718-295-3770.

ENCUENTRO MUNDIAL DE LAS FAMILIAS

Visita del Papa Francisco - Filadelfia

Domingo, 27 de Septiembre, 2015

Boletos - \$45

Asientos Limitados

Reserva tu ticket en el Centro Parroquial

Salida: 7:00am - Regreso:6:00pm

CAMPAÑA DE REGISTRACIÓN

Continuamos con nuestra Campaña de Registración. Por favor, sírvase pasar por el frente de la Iglesia para que se lleve su caja de sobres. Muchas gracias.

ADULT RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

English and Spanish classes for adults will begin in September. We ask everyone interested to please contact or come to the office and leave their name & number. Those who have already been baptized are asked to bring a copy of their baptism certificate as well. Thank you!

Lectors for August 15th – 16th

5:00pm Ralston Dangcalan and Annabel Hansen
8:30am Belinda Rivera
9:30am Catalina Modesto y Guadalupe Pimentel
11:00am Rosanna Bizzarro e Adriana Pepe
12:15pm D. Miantsoke and Maria Gerbasi
1:30pm Yohan Garcia y Lucy Ortega

PASTORAL VISITS TO THE SICK

Please feel free to call the parish office with the names and contact information of anyone you know who is in the hospital or homebound and would be served by a pastoral visit by a Priest, Religious Sister or a lay Extraordinary Minister of the Eucharist.

SANTO ROSARIO—VIRGEN PEREGRINA

AGOSTO 10

Sandra Mesa
2360 Crotona Ave #1

AGOSTO 12

Alicia Bavina
2232 Adams Pl #B

AGOSTO 14

Alma
2328 Hughes Ave #5

Si deseas recibir y pedir gracias a la Virgen Maria en tu hogar, junto a tu familia, por favor, déjanos saber, dejando tu nombre o bien llamando al Centro Parroquial. Nuestra Madre quiere entrar a tu hogar.

ASSUMPTION OF THE BVM

The Feast of the Assumption is *not* a holy day of obligation this year as it falls on a Saturday. Masses will be offered at the regular schedule.

Though we will not celebrate liturgically, we strongly encourage everyone to pray to Our Lady in a special way that day. Ave Maria!

MEGA RAFFLE - 2015

First prize - \$2,500 Second prize - \$1,000

Tickets - \$20 or 6 for \$100

Purchase your tickets in the vestibule today!

Vacation Time Is Upon Us – Enjoy!

But remember:

Don't take a vacation from Jesus!

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