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February 10, 2019

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MASS SCHEDULE

The Lord's Day

Saturday Evening Anticipated Mass 5:30 PM
Sunday Morning 7:30, 9:30, 11:30 AM

Weekday

Monday thru Friday (at Immaculate Conception). 7:30 AM
Monday thru Saturday 9:00 AM

Holy Days Pending

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THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Confessions are heard on Saturday afternoon at 4:00 PM—5:00 PM and anytime upon reasonable request.

THE SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

First and third Sundays at 1:00 PM. Expectant parents may contact the parish office to arrange for the baptism. The prep seminar is at 7:30 PM on the first Monday of the month to help them understand the beauty and responsibilities of the sacrament. Adults are baptized and confirmed at the Easter Vigil after completing the stages of the Rite of Christian Initiation.

THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

Since Catholic marriage requires a time of preparation, arrangements should begin at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding to allow for the Marriage Preparation Program and Natural Family Planning (NFP). Registered, participating and contributing parishioners may contact the parish office to begin the process.

PASTORAL CARE OF THE SICK

If you are planning to enter the hospital for surgery, experiencing a prolonged or serious illness, or are very weak due to advancement of age, call the parish office to arrange for the sacraments of reconciliation, communion and anointing at home. Communal anointing of the sick is celebrated at Mass each April and October. Notify us or the Catholic chaplain at Good Samaritan, Helen Hayes and Nyack of any hospitalization so that we may be of assistance. Be sure to tell the admitting office that you are a Catholic patient and a member of St. Gregory Barbarigo parish.

PERPETUAL EUCHARISTIC ADORATION CHAPEL is open all day and night for Eucharistic adoration and is located at the south end of the campus on Cinder Road in front of the parish house. Parishioners and friends are encouraged to become adorers or to stop in and spend some time in quiet prayer with the Lord. If interested in learning more please call or email: Bobby or Jessica Zottoli @ (845) 429-0320 or stgregspea@hotmail.com.

WELCOME The St. Gregory Barbarigo faith community warmly welcomes you. Please introduce yourself to Father Fallon as you leave church so that, on behalf of the entire community we may greet you. You may register at the parish office and pick up an informational packet. Kindly notify us of any change of address.

MISSION STATEMENT

St. Gregory Barbarigo parish is a Christian community of disciples in the Roman Catholic faith, called by Jesus, united in Eucharistic worship and growing in faith, hope and love. Nourished through the sacraments and strengthened by God's transforming love, we are empowered to know the gospel message and to witness it to others. As Christian stewards, we are thankful for God's many gifts and we commit ourselves to share our time, talent and treasure in Christ-like service within our parish community and beyond. We seek God's blessing and guidance to be faithful to this mission.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK: The sick are comforted knowing that we pray for them. In your charity, please remember, Donna Lodi, Mary Kitz and the petitions on the Wailing Wall and the intentions on the prayer network.



THE BLUE STAR BANNER, created in 1917, hung in a family's window to show pride in a loved one serving in the armed forces. Please pray for those protecting our liberty: *LT JAKUB BIALEK, USN; MAJOR EDWARD CARDINALE, USAF; MAJOR MATTHEW COYNE, USA; SRA DANIEL DWYER, USAF; PVT SHAWN GLEASON, USMC; LCDR DAVID J. HANEY, USN; PO3 HUNTER MORALES, USN; CAPTAIN ERIKA NOYES, USA; LTJG JOHN PETR, USN; 2LT NICHOLAS PISANO, USA; SGT RICHARD PISANO, USA; TSGT CHARLES VANDERBILT, NYANG; CPL JOHN C. WAMSLEY JR., USMC; PVT MICHAEL JOSEPH YOUNG, USA.*

I'VE GONE TO PREPARE A PLACE FOR YOU: Please remember recently deceased Michael Telesco, Elizabeth Larkin, and the souls for whom Mass will be offered:

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 11

Our Lady of Lourdes

9:00 AM Harold & Gloria Grune

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

Weekday

9:00 AM Christopher Woods

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 13

Weekday

9:00 AM John Bryon

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14

Saints Cyril, Monk, & Methodius, Bishop

9:00 AM Mary Rynne

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15

Weekday

9:00 AM Gene Rocco

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Weekday

9:00 AM John Byron

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10

Sixth Sunday In Ordinary Time

5:30 PM John Gillespie

7:30 AM Betty & Joe Maguire

9:30 AM William Lubeck

11:30 AM Fr. Raymond McNulty



THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday, February 11

7:00 PM Women's Prayer Group, Church

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 12

6:30 PM Children's Hummingbird Choir Rehearsal, Church

7:00 PM Adult Choir Rehearsal, Church

Wednesday, February 13

7:30 PM RCIA, OLV

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 14

3:00 PM Bible Study, OLV

7:00 PM Bible Study, School Room 105

FIRST FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 15

7:00 PM Sharing Christ Training, Library



OFFERTORY COUNTERS' REQUEST Envelope users, please take a moment to write the amount of your contribution on the outside of your weekly envelope. This will ensure that our contribution records are accurate and it will really help our volunteer counters who have been spending additional time "filling in the blanks." Are you not currently an envelope using parishioner? Just call or email the parish office at 947-1873 or sgbparish@verizon.net and we will be happy to help you. You may also consider using WeShare.

If you have arranged an intention for Mass, consider presenting the gifts of bread and wine during that celebration and kindly inform the usher.

PETER'S PENCE OFFERING This is the only archdiocesan collection designed to support the world-wide charitable and spiritual works of his Holiness, Pope Francis. Please pray for the Holy Father and give generously to today's appeal. Please see letter from Cardinal Dolan about this important collection.



CYO BASKETBALL PLAY OFF GAMES The regular season games are beginning to wind down and play off games begin on February 9th and 10th. Come out and support our teams that are fighting for a spot in the archdiocesan championships. All home games will be played in the cozy St. Gregory Barbarigo school gymnasium. Grab a delicious bite to eat at our refreshment stand, and see some great basketball. For more information, you may contact Tom or Kyle O'Grady at sgbcyo@gmail.com.



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January 25, 2019
Month of the Holy Name of Jesus

Dear friends in the Lord:

As you know, every year we collect a special offering in our parishes known as the *Peter's Pence Collection*. It is an opportunity for the Church around the world to stand in solidarity with those who suffer and are marginalized. Your generosity helps Pope Francis ease their suffering and show them the tender love of God.

For one example, in Iraq, many people still live a nightmare of war and violence. This has left many, especially many Christians, displaced, including young people in the midst of their studies. Without an educated population, it will be difficult for the country to gain stability. But, with our support given to the *Peter's Pence Collection*, the Archdiocese of Erbil, in Iraqi Kurdistan, has received funding for ten scholarships for young displaced persons. With this help, the students will be able to complete their university education and move forward with the hope of rebuilding their country.

Please prayerfully consider a generous donation to this special collection as an act of mercy and charity. Join with our brothers and sisters in faith from around the globe to help Pope Francis reach the most marginalized in our world. For more information about the collection, please visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence.

With prayerful best wishes, I am,

Faithfully in Christ,

†Tim. Michael Dolan

†Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan
Archbishop of New York



NOTES FROM THE SCHOOL.....

Catholic School Week was a huge success. On Wednesday, January 30th we celebrated Career Day in the school and we had family members join us to talk about their careers.

A week ago Saturday, the Regional School had their 13th Fashion Show and if you had attended you would agree what a wonderful night it was. The 8th grade girls looked beautiful and the boys handsome as ever.

Thank you to Jeannie Nicholson, Jennifer Bricker, Kelly Kearns and their team. A huge shout out to Jeannie for 13 years of dedicated service since her youngest is now graduating. Also, thank you to Dan Sullivan for being a wonderful Emcee. The school also collected 380 food items in 56 bags to donate to Catholic Charities. The 5th Grade conducted a raffle that raised \$430.00 for St. Jude's Children's Hospital during Catholic School Week. Deacon John Sadowski came to visit the school this past Monday to talk about community service and how important it is to help others. He explained to the children about the Midnight Runs and the Early Breakfast deliveries that are made to help others. Lastly, please remember that we are still having our Free Story Time Program for 3 & 4 year old children during February from 8:30-9:15 AM on Thursdays.



ROCKLAND COUNTY YOUNG ADULT GROUP, ATTENTION YOUNG ADULTS OF ROCKLAND COUNTY: There is a new regional young adult group starting for any young adults (20's & 30's) in Rockland. The first meeting will be at The Bruger Loft (395 S. Main Street, New City, NY 10956) on Wednesday, February 13th at 7 PM. To RSVP or any questions contact: chase.crouse@archny.org.

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ADORATION NEEDS HELP....the ideal is to have at least two people in Adoration every hour, some hours only have one person. We need three people to commit to one of the following hours:

1. Tuesday's 6:00 AM to 7:00 AM
2. Wednesday's 1:00 AM to 2:00 AM
3. Friday's 12 PM to 1:00 PM

If you have any questions—please call Bob or Jessica @ 845-429-0320 or email: stgregspea@hotmail.com.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SICK On Monday, when the church keeps the liturgical memorial of Our Lady of Lourdes, once again we turn our eyes to those who suffer and call attention to the incurably ill, many of whom are dying from terminal diseases. As we pray for them, may they be encouraged to contemplate the sufferings of Christ crucified, and to know that their sufferings, united to those of Christ, will prove fruitful for the needs of the Church and the world.



ALTAR FLOWERS MEMORIALS Traditionally, altar flowers are donated for the Sunday Masses to remember a loved one or for a special intention. You may call the parish office (947-1873) to arrange for a memorial basket for a donation of \$50. Reservation cards are also in the narthex. And remember to shop at Stony Point Florist for all your decorating needs.

RENEW + REBUILD CAMPAIGN PLEDGE PAYMENTS If you made a pledge to this campaign, please remember to stay current with the reminders that are being sent from the central office. Your campaign pledge can be honored in any combination of cash, trust, appreciated securities or property. Your gift has made it possible to address the critical needs of our parish, as well as support the greater community of the Archdiocese of New York. Thank You. Statements which you could use for your income tax will be mailed from the central office. If you have not received one, please call the rectory.



MEMORIAL CANDLES reach Catholics on a spiritual level and remain a source of inspiration and a symbol of Christ as a worthwhile expression of faith. They have always been seen as sentinels, keeping watch while a person cannot be there. By lighting a candle, people know their prayer will continue throughout the day, long after they leave the church. Our candles are designed to also serve as perpetual memorials for a specific intention which will remain lighted day and night for a whole year for a donation of \$200. You may inquire at the parish office. If you had a candle for the past year, please let us know if you would like to renew it.

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THE HEATHER LEIGH COLON SCHOLARSHIP is available for 8th grade CYO basketball players that are planning on attending a catholic high school in the fall of 2019. For more information contact Barbara or Mark Colon at (914) 447-5962 or email: bcolon3821@aol.com.

PRAYING AT THE COMPUTER "Sacred Space" is an online daily prayer web site produced by the Irish Jesuits. It might seem strange to pray at your computer, in front of a screen, especially if there are other people around you or distracting noises. But God is all around us, constantly reaching out to us, even in the most unlikely situations. When we know this, and with a bit of practice, we can pray anywhere! With scriptures and on-screen guidance chosen each day, you are invited to "spend 10 minutes of praying as you sit at your computer." The program is offered in 12 languages, and there is also a section where people can "pray with the pope" by sharing his prayer intentions for the month. The web site is www.sacredspace.ie.

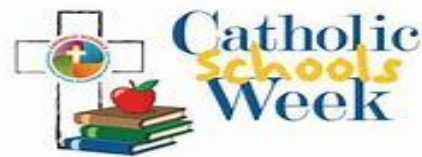


BURNING OF PALM BRANCHES Where do the ashes which begin the Season of Lent come from? They come from the palm branches that were blessed and distributed during Holy Week. Because they are a "sacramental", they must be disposed of in a proper way. There is a basket in the narthex. You may leave your palm branches there, and we will burn them in anticipation of Ash Wednesday. Please do not leave palm in baggies or with rubber bands.





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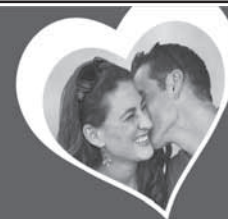
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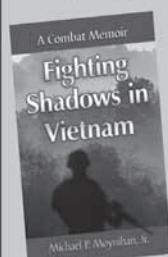
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