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May 26, 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

PARISH OFFICE

21 Cinder Road ♦ 947-1873

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Email sgbparish@verizon.net
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RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

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THE SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

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 confession, communion and anointing at home. When you go to a hospital 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 rectory. 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, Lamar McNabb, Donna Lodi, Noel Jackson, and 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. LCpl. Joseph Robert Gizzi, USM*

I'VE GONE TO PREPARE A PLACE FOR YOU: Please remember our recently deceased, Norah Hickey, Scott Natale and Robert C. Hobbs and all the souls for whom Mass will be offered:

MONDAY, MAY 27

Weekday—Memorial Day

9:00 AM Frank Kitz

TUESDAY, MAY 28

Weekday

9:00 AM Mother's Day Intentions

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29

Weekday

9:00 AM Vera Mulligan

5:30 PM Vigil Mass—Mother's Day Intentions

THURSDAY, MAY 30

The Ascension of the Lord

9:00 AM The McNicholas Family

12:10 PM Bernadette Gomes

7:00 PM Patricia Horan

FRIDAY, MAY 31

The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

9:00 AM Frank Lyons

SATURDAY, JUNE 1

Saint Justin, Martyr

9:00 AM Maureen N. Lynch

SUNDAY, JUNE 2

The Ascension of The Lord

5:30 PM John Byron

7:30 AM Donald Toscano

9:30 AM James and Peggy O'Keeffe

11:30 AM Enza Amicucci



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

THIS WEEK AT A GLANCE

MONDAY, MAY 27

Memorial Day (Rectory Office Closed)

THURSDAY, MAY 23

3:00 PM Bible Study, Narthex

7:00 PM Bible Study, School Room 105

FRIDAY, MAY 31

1:00 PM Proud To Be An American Concert, school gym

Renew + Rebuild Capital Campaign Please continue to fulfill your pledge payments over the next few years, and know that additional gifts and new donors are most welcome.



ADORATION CHAPEL—GOOD NEWS! Twelve new people have signed up to spend a quiet hour in prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. More visitors are certainly welcome. For more information please contact: Bob or Jessica Zottoli at (845) 429-0320 or Lucca@optonline.net.



Ascension Thursday Mass Schedule

Holy Day of Obligation

Wednesday, May 29— 5:30 PM—Vigil

Thursday, May 30— 9:00 AM, 12:10 PM and 7:00 PM.



FATHER'S DAY MASS INTENTION CARDS

Are available at all exits of the Church. Please return them back either in the collection baskets or by dropping them off to the Rectory.



Cardinals Appeal Progress Report

As of 05/17/19

Goal: \$84,500 Pledged: \$73,488

Number of Gifts: 277 Needed: \$11,012

86.97% Towards our Goal



Happy Memorial Day! As you might know, Memorial Day is observed on the last Monday of May, honoring the men and women who died while serving in the U. S. military. Originally known as Decoration Day, it originated in the years following the Civil War and became an official federal holiday in 1971. Many Americans observe Memorial Day by visiting cemeteries or memorials, holding family gatherings and participating in parades. Unofficially, it marks the beginning of the summer season.

This Thursday, May 30th, is Ascension Thursday, a holy day of obligation. A day where we celebrate that Christ Ascended back up to Heaven, leaving the Church in that time of anticipation of the coming of the Holy Spirit. Mass is offered on Wednesday evening at 5:30 PM, then on Thursday at 9:00 AM, 12:10 and 7:00 PM.

Finally, development of the Community Room/Cafeteria is moving along. If all goes well, we could begin construction by the Fall, and be complete sometime in the Spring, early Summer. We will keep you posted.

Yours in Christ,
Father Fallon



MONSIGNOR THOMAS J. DARBY SCHOLARSHIP FOUNDATION

Applications are available by emailing Father Fallon at sgbrectory@gmail.com at the parish office. Applications are due back to Father by Friday, May 31. We have some school families who are having difficulties as they attempt to meet the financial obligations of tuition at the regional school. A memorial scholarship foundation has been established and named after the first pastor of St. Gregory Barbarigo, Monsignor Thomas Darby. Shortly after his arrival in 1961, he founded the parochial school. This is a fitting tribute in his honor. Are you eligible to apply? Do you attend Mass at SGB each Sunday and contribute to the parish offertory? Do you have continuing financial need? Good attendance, a respectable behavior record, a demonstrated sense of service? In addition to the financial assistance provided, it is emotionally uplifting to know that parishioners find our program at St. Gregory Barbarigo worthy of patronage. If you would like to make a contribution to this foundation, please speak with Father.

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A Week Ago 05/19/19.....	\$8,946.00
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Total Weekly.....	\$12,220.24
A Year Ago 05/20/18.....	\$10,241.00

GIFT CARD PURCHASES

Total Purchased by 23 Families.....	\$3,590.00
5% Commission to Parish.....	\$179.50



It is not too early to begin thinking about fall religious education classes for your children. Registration for **2019-2020** school year has begun and materials have been sent home and should be returned as soon as convenient; but no re-registrations will be accepted after August 16. Weekly faith formation for children in grades 1 through 8 takes place between September and May and includes preparation for the sacraments of reconciliation, Eucharist and confirmation. Registration for new families will be mailed home by the middle of June. A copy of your child's baptism certificate will be needed. Further questions please call Donald Ruzzi at 845-429-2775.



ALTAR FLOWER MEMORIALS Flowers on the altar is a nice gesture to remember loved ones. If you would like to remember a loved one or a special intention, you may call the rectory (947-1873) to arrange for a memorial basket for a donation of \$50.

Your Parish Bulletin— An inexpensive medium that hundreds of people take home and look at when they have a need is this parish bulletin. You might be surprised at how affordable a six month or year long contract can be. If you are interested please contact the Rectory at (845) 947-1873.



NOTES FROM THE SCHOOL..... Please join us to celebrate our Veterans and showing how proud we are to be Americans by joining us for Our Proud To Be An American Concert on Friday, May 31 at 1 PM in the school gym. Registration is ongoing. Give the gift of a Catholic education. Catholic Schools in the Archdiocese of New York are Christ-centered, academically excellent, and welcoming communities that teach students to be life-long learners and leaders energized by fidelity to Christ, the Church, and one another. Visit our school website www.stgregorybarbarigoschool.org or call the school at (845)947-1330 to set up a visit.



NORTH ROCKLAND 5K RUN/WALK On Sunday, June 2 at 9 AM at Bowline Point Town Park, the proceeds of this event will benefit three families from the community, Sofia Cervantes Flores, Jelen Ramos and Ryan Berwick. The children's race begins at 8:30 AM. This is chaired by Town of Haverstraw supervisor Howard Phillips Jr., Town of Stony Point supervisor Jim Monaghan and North Rockland Athletic Director Joseph Casarella. For more information, visit www.townofhaverstraw.org or call 429-2200.

ST. GREGORY'S 5TH GRADE GIRL SCOUT TROOP 40154 is sponsoring a Food Drive as they work towards a Bronze Award. Could you please donate a box or can of non-perishable food to help? Food boxes for collection will be in the Narthex. Weekends of 5/18, 5/19 and 5/25, 5/26. The food will be donated to our local Catholic Charities. We will also be sponsoring a Food Drive in school with a class competition. The class that donates the most food wins ice cream at lunch! The contest will be the week of 5/20/19. The pantry always needs rice, beans, peanut butter, jelly, tuna or cereal if you need suggestions. Thank you for your help.



ST. GREGORY BARBARIGO NIGHT AT ROCKLAND BOULDERS will be held on Saturday, June 1st at 6:30 PM. Tickets are \$15 per ticket. Join your friends for a fun night of baseball, mini—golf, and fireworks while raising money for the school. Everyone who purchases a ticket will receive a Rockland Boulders hat and the kids get to participate in a pre-game parade around the field. If 100 tickets or more are sold, \$8 per ticket goes back to SGBS! Let's make it a fun night!! Contact Lou at (917) 658-0188 or by email lcapastina@optonline.net

Albertus Magnus High School Bingo Extravaganza!! June 13, 2019, Doors open at 6 PM, games start at 7:00 PM; \$50 per person, bring your own snacks and refreshments, prizes include: gift cards, spa certificates, jewelry, pocketbooks and more. Register online at www.albertusmagnus.net. After the Bingo Extravaganza please support the Albertus Golf Classic on Monday, June 24 at Paramount Country Club, New City for more information call the Albertus Magnus HS Development Office at (845) 634-3862.

Also, please visit the schools website for some wonderful Camp opportunities that the school will be offering during the summer.



We received a Thank You from Catholic Charities thanking us for our generous donation of 29 bags of food that they received from us in the month of April. Our contributions helps to support and "Meet the Need" of individuals and families that go into their facility. Please continue to bring in items from your pantry/cupboard, especially while the Girls Scouts will be holding their food drive which is ending on Sunday, May 26 this is benefiting the people in the committee as well as the Girl Scouts working towards their Bronze award.

SUPERMARKET GIFT CARD PROGRAM For Shop Rite and Stop & Shop are sold in the narthex when you come to Mass on Saturday night and Sunday morning and at the parish office every day in denominations of \$10, 20, 25, 50 and 100. This is an easy and effortless way to raise funds for parish programs with no cost to you. Just purchase the card at face value and 5% is returned to SGB. You can use them like cash—they work on a declining balance system. It is great for gifts or every day use.



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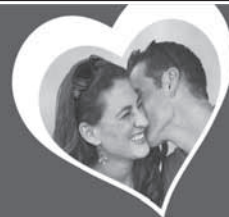
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