

## CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR

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## CHAPEL OF THE SACRED HEARTS OF JESUS AND MARY

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*Serving the Murray Hill and Kips Bay Communities*

### SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 17 January 2021

#### Sunday Masses

5:00 p.m. (*Our Saviour*) – *Saturday Vigil*  
8:00 a.m. (*Sacred Hearts*)  
10:00 a.m. (*Our Saviour*)  
12:00 Noon (*Sacred Hearts*) – *Live streamed via YouTube*  
3:00 p.m. (*Sacred Hearts*) – *Korean-English bilingual*  
5:00 p.m. (*Our Saviour*)

#### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Thursday from 2:00–4:45 p.m. (*Sacred Hearts*)  
Friday from 8:15–11:50 a.m. (*Our Saviour*)

#### MASS INTENTIONS

##### Sunday, 17 January – *Second Sunday in Ordinary Time*

5:00 p.m. Hector Hernandez Arteaga +  
8:00 a.m. *All Parishioners, Living and Deceased*  
10:00 a.m. Sylvia Hughes +  
12:00 p.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY  
5:00 p.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY

##### Monday, 18 January – *Weekday*

7:45 a.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY

##### Tuesday, 19 January – *Weekday*

7:45 a.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY  
12:00 p.m. Salome Cabahug +  
5:15 p.m. Michael Glover +

##### Wednesday, 20 January – *St. Fabian, Pope, Martyr;*

*St. Sebastian, Martyr*  
7:45 a.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY  
12:00 p.m. The Zuliani Family +  
5:15 p.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY

##### Thursday, 21 January – *St. Agnes, Virgin, Martyr*

7:45 a.m. The Fitzgerald Family +  
12:00 p.m. Vince Camuto & Alfonso Sattori +  
5:15 p.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY

##### Friday, 22 January – *Weekday*

7:45 a.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY  
12:00 p.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY  
5:15 p.m. Children & Youth Served by CCNY

##### Saturday, 23 January – *St. Vincent, Deacon, Martyr;*

*St. Marianne Cope, Virgin*  
5:00 p.m. Edna Sherry +

*Mass Intentions may be reserved through the Parish Office.*

Thank you for your **financial support**. There are cash boxes in the Church and Chapel for you to drop your offering. We are also able to accept offerings through our website [oursaviournyc.org/donate](https://oursaviournyc.org/donate).

#### Daily Masses (Monday-Friday)

7:45 a.m. (*Our Saviour*)  
12:00 Noon (*Our Saviour*)  
5:15 p.m. (*Sacred Hearts*)

#### Confessions

Mon., Wed., Fri.: 11:40–11:55 a.m. (*Our Saviour*)  
Tues. & Thurs.: 7:20–7:40 a.m. (*Our Saviour*)  
Thurs.: 4:45–5:10 p.m. (*Sacred Hearts*)  
Sat.: 4:30–4:50 p.m. (*Our Saviour*)

**In your prayers**, please remember all those who are infected with COVID-19, and all those who are hospitalized in the hospitals within our parish, as well as Daniel Bianco, Lily Cheng Erica, Honrado Erica, Maria Fasulo, Thomas Travers, and Domenick and Lee Zernone, who are ill.

**The Holy Father's Intention for January 2021:** *Human fraternity*. May the Lord give us the grace to live in full fellowship with our brothers and sisters of other religions, praying for one another, open to all.

The Parish Office and the Chapel will be closed on **Monday, 18 January**, in observance of Martin Luther King, Jr. Day and only one Mass will be celebrated at 7:45 a.m. at *Our Saviour*.

18–25 January is the annual observance of the **Week of Prayer for Christian Unity**. The theme chosen for 2021 is “*Abide in my love ... You shall bear much fruit.*” Throughout 2021, we join Christians everywhere in praying “that they may all be one”, uniting our prayer with that of the Lord Jesus Christ.

**Thursdays at the Chapel:** On Thursday afternoons during the month of January, Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place at the Chapel from 2:00–4:45 p.m. During this time, Fr. Enzo Del Brocco, C.P. will be available for the Sacrament of Reconciliation and for spiritual direction and ethical counseling. To schedule an appointment for spiritual direction or ethical counseling, write to Fr. Enzo at [enzodelbrocco@gmail.com](mailto:enzodelbrocco@gmail.com).

**Tax Statements:** If you would like to receive a 2020 tax statement, please e-mail [office@oursaviournyc.org](mailto:office@oursaviournyc.org). Parishioners who use WeShare (online giving) may access their 2020 tax statement through WeShare.

**Friday, 22 January** is the anniversary of the Supreme Court decision, *Roe vs. Wade* (1973). All dioceses in the United States of America will observe a Day of Prayer for the Legal Protection of Unborn Children. Please remember the unborn in your prayers.

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Join us for a **Prayer Vigil for Life** at St. Patrick's Cathedral on Friday, 22 January, the 48<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Roe v. Wade. The United States Conference of Catholic Bishops has declared that in all the dioceses of the United States of America, January 22nd shall be observed as a particular day of penance for violations to the dignity of the human person committed through acts of abortion, and of prayer for the full restoration of the legal guarantee of the right to life. A holy hour will begin at 6:30 p.m. and Cardinal Dolan will celebrate Mass at 7:30 p.m. To reserve a spot, visit: [archny.org/event/prayer-vigil-for-life/](http://archny.org/event/prayer-vigil-for-life/)

**St. Agnes, Virgin and Martyr:** With her story of virginity and martyrdom, St. Agnes stirred ... a wave of emotion and admiration in the world ... In her we are struck by her mature judgment in spite of her youth, the firmness of her decision notwithstanding her woman's impressionability, her fearless courage, notwithstanding the judges' threats and the harshness of the torments.

Agnes gave the supreme testimony to Christ through the bloody holocaust of her young life. The image of that heroic maiden takes us back in mind to the words spoken by Jesus, "Father, Lord of heaven and earth, to you I offer praise; for what you have hidden from the learned and clever, you have revealed to the merest children" (*Matthew 11:25-26*).

We feel almost a quiver of exultation pass through these solemn words. Jesus saw far. He saw the innumerable ranks of men and women over the centuries, of all ages and circumstances, who would adhere joyously to his message. And Agnes was among them.

A characteristic links them in common. They are little, that is, simple, humble ... They are people who know that they do not know anything and are not worth anything; they know they need help and forgiveness. Therefore [He] finds in them hearts open to understand him.

Not so the "learned" and the "clever" ... Christ does not ask man to give up his reason. Only he who accepts his intellectual and moral *limits* and recognizes that he *needs* salvation can attain to faith and in faith meet, in Christ, his redeemer.

– St. John Paul II

**The Familiarity of Jesus:** [John the] Baptist was separated from the world. He was a Nazarite. He went out from the world, and placed himself over against it, and spoke to it from his vantage ground, and called it to repentance. Then went out all Jerusalem to him into the desert, and he confronted it face to face. But in his teaching, he spoke of One who should come to them and speak to them in a far different way. He should not separate Himself from them, He should not display Himself as some higher being, but as their brother, as of their flesh and of their bones, as one among many, as one of the multitude and amidst them; nay, he was among them already ... The Baptist says, "There in the midst of you One whom you know not" (*John 1:26*). Next, we read of his pointing Jesus out privately, not to crowds, but to one or two of his own religious followers; then of their seeking Jesus and being allowed to follow Him home. At length Jesus begins to disclose Himself and to manifest His glory in miracles.

– St. John Henry Newman

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### Prayer for Government

We pray you, O God of might, wisdom, and justice, through whom authority is rightly administered, laws are enacted, and judgment decreed, assist with your Holy Spirit of counsel and fortitude the President of these United States, that his administration may be conducted in righteousness, and be eminently useful to your people, over whom he presides; by encouraging due respect for virtue and religion; by a faithful execution of the laws in justice and mercy; and by restraining vice and immorality.

Let the light of your divine wisdom direct the deliberations of Congress, and shine forth in all the proceedings and laws framed for our rule and government, so that they may tend to the preservation of peace, the promotion of national happiness, the increase of industry, sobriety, and useful knowledge; and may perpetuate to us the blessing of equal liberty.

We pray for the governor of this state, for the members of the assembly, for all judges, magistrates, and other officers who are appointed to guard our political welfare, that they may be enabled, by your powerful protection, to discharge the duties of their respective stations with honesty and ability.

We recommend likewise, to your unbounded mercy, all our fellow citizens throughout the United States, that we may be blessed in the knowledge and sanctified in the observance of your most holy law; that we may be preserved in union, and in that peace which the world cannot give; and after enjoying the blessings of this life, be admitted to those which are eternal.

Grant this, we beseech you, O Lord of mercy, through Jesus Christ, our Lord and Savior. Amen.

*This prayer was written in 1791 by Archbishop John Carroll, first bishop of Baltimore.*

"A nation can be considered great when it defends liberty as Lincoln did, when it fosters a culture which enables people to 'dream' of full rights for all their brothers and sisters, as Martin Luther King sought to do."

– Pope Francis, United States Capitol, 24 September 2015



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# THE ORDER OF MASS

The readings and congregational prayers for today's Mass can be viewed on your smart phone at <https://oursaviournyc.org/sunday-mass> or scan the QR code below.



**Organ Voluntary**      *Christ unser Herr zum Jordan kam (Christ our Lord came to Jordan)*      Johann Pachelbel (1653–1706)

**Introit**      *All the earth shall bow down before you, O God,  
and shall sing to you, shall sing to your name, O Most High!*      Psalm 65(64):4

**Hymn at the Procession**      *Salzburg*

Songs of thankfulness and praise,  
Jesus, Lord, to thee we raise,  
Manifested by the star to the sages from afar;  
Branch of royal David's stem in thy birth at Bethlehem;  
Anthems be to thee addressed, God in flesh made manifest.

Manifest at Jordan's stream,  
Prophet, Priest, and King supreme;  
And at Cana, wedding guest, in thy Godhead manifest;  
Manifest in pow'r divine, changing water into wine;  
Anthems be to thee addressed, God in flesh made manifest.

Manifest in making whole  
Palsied limbs and weary soul;  
Manifest in valiant fight, quelling all the devil's might;  
Manifest in gracious will, ever bringing good from ill;  
Anthems be to thee addressed, God in flesh made manifest.

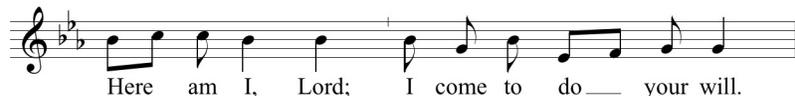
Grant us grace to see thee, Lord,  
Mirrored in thy holy Word;  
May we imitate thee now and be pure as pure art thou;  
That we like to thee may be at thy great Epiphany;  
And may praise thee, ever blest, God in flesh made manifest.

Text: Christopher Wordsworth (1807–1885), alt.

**Penitential Act**      *Mass of St. John Henry Newman*      Paul Murray (b. 1982)

**Gloria**      Jean-Paul Lécot (b. 1947)

**Responsorial Psalm**      Psalm 29(28): 1a and 2, 3ac–4, 3b and 9b–10  
Theodore Marier (1912–2001)



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**Gospel Acclamation**      Chant, Mode VI

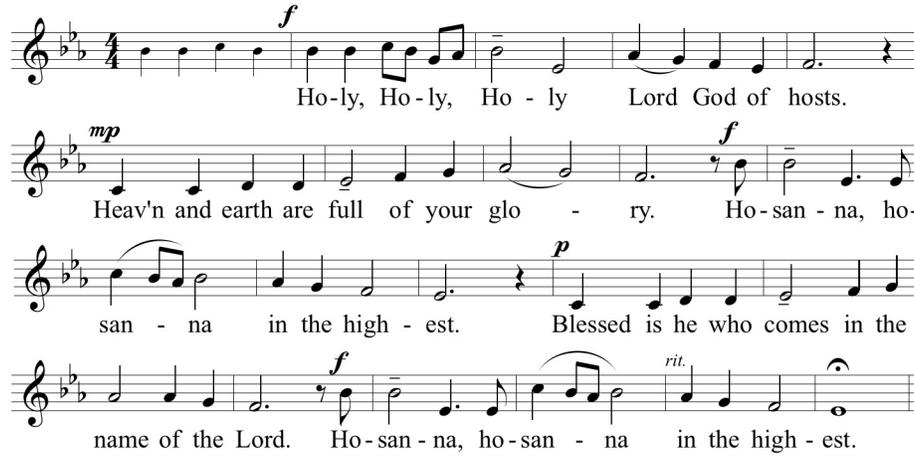
**Offertory**      Psalm 65(64):1, 2, 16

*Shout with joy to God, all the earth; sing a psalm to his name.  
Come and hear, all who fear God, and I will tell you what great things the Lord has done for my soul.*

**Sanctus**

*Mass of St. John Henry Newman*

Paul Murray



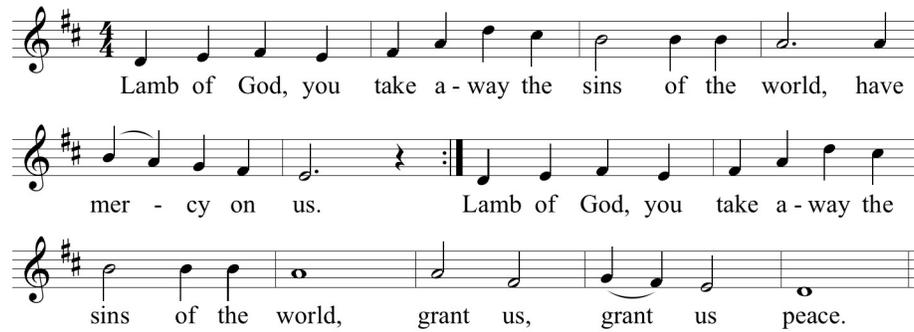
Ho-ly, Ho-ly, Ho - ly Lord God of hosts.  
 Heav'n and earth are full of your glo - ry. Ho-san - na, ho-  
 san - na in the high - est. Blessed is he who comes in the  
 name of the Lord. Ho-san - na, ho-san - na in the high - est.

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**Agnus Dei**

*Mass of St. John Henry Newman*

Paul Murray



Lamb of God, you take a - way the sins of the world, have  
 mer - cy on us. Lamb of God, you take a - way the  
 sins of the world, grant us, grant us peace.

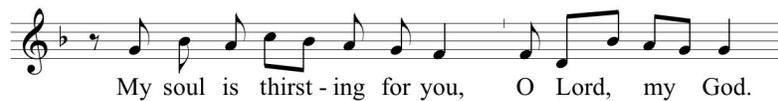
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**Communion**

cf. Psalm 23(22):5

*You have prepared a table before me,  
 and how precious is the chalice that quenches my thirst.*

Isaiah 12:2-3, 4, 5-6  
 Theodore Marier



My soul is thirst - ing for you, O Lord, my God.

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**Organ Voluntary**

*Praeludium in C, BuxWV 137*

Dieterich Buxtehude (c.1637-1707)

*Musicians for today's Mass:*  
 Emily Okaah, Cantor  
 Paul J. Murray, Director of Music and Organist