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

THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - October 31, 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

Friday from 8:15–11:50 a.m. (Our Saviour)

MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday, October 31 – Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

5:00 p.m. Loreta Co Uy +

8:00 a.m. All Parishioners, Living and Deceased

10:00 a.m. Rodolfo Salonga + 12:00 p.m. Janet Esposito + 5:00 p.m. Doilio Borsini +

Monday, November I – All Saints

7:45 a.m. Andrea & Giulia Del Gaudio (L)

12:00 p.m. Ivan "Johnny" Ivanac + 5:15 p.m. Kenneth E. Nielson +

Tuesday, November 2 – All Souls' Day

7:45 a.m. All Souls Triduum 12:00 p.m. Patrick Sullivan + 5:15 p.m. All Souls Triduum

Wednesday, November 3 – St. Martin de Porres, Religious

7:45 a.m. All Souls Triduum 12:00 p.m. Michael T.I. Cronin + 5:15 p.m. All Souls Triduum

Thursday, November 4 – St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop

7:45 a.m. Mark Yockey (L)
12:00 p.m. All Souls Triduum
5:15 p.m. All Souls Triduum

Friday, November 5

7:45 a.m. Angele Ekert (L) 12:00 p.m. Robert Elliott +

5:15 p.m. Fantaccione & Gulino Families +

Saturday, November 6 – BVM on Saturday

5:00 p.m. Coleen Rathie +

In your prayers, please remember Dominick and Diane Bianco, Brigid Corban, Maria Fasulo, Beatriz Hannan, Joan Lanaro, Susannah Stein, and Rick Warner, who are ill, and for Francis William Lenox, who has recently died.

Daily Masses

7:45 a.m. (Our Saviour) – Monday through Friday 12:00 Noon (Our Saviour) – Monday through Friday 5:15 p.m. (Sacred Hearts) – Monday through Friday

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.: 4:30–4:45 p.m. (Our Saviour)

Dear Parishioners:

I know that many of you have met Virginia Hill, our lay pastoral associate. I am pleased that she is present at the Masses to informally greet you. Please feel free to speak with her and share with her any of your ideas and interest for building our parish faith community.

Let me give you one example of how already Virginia has been helpful. One of our parishioners was about to undergo serious surgery. The parishioner spoke with Virginia, and we arranged for the Sacrament of the Anointing of the Sick before surgery. Thanks be to God the surgery went well.

This is a good opportunity to ask you to let us know if there are any parishioners who do not get out and would like communion brought to them at home. We would be happy to arrange that.

We have begun the process of auditioning and interviewing for Paul Murray's successor as organist and music director. We have some fine candidates who we expect will be able to continue the fine legacy that Paul leaves and build on and enhance that foundation going forward. No decision yet, but I am confident we will reach one shortly.

Let me mention two commitments that I have in the next two weeks that will take me out of the parish for a few days in the middle of both weeks. This upcoming I will be in Puerto Rico at the SOMOS Conference of NYS Hispanic elected officials to host of day of service sponsored by Catholic Charities on Wednesday, give the invocation on Friday, and celebrate Sunday Vigil Mass on Saturday afternoon.

The following week of November 7, I will be on a retreat on Long Island that Cardinal Dolan asked all the priests of the Archdiocese to take part in. I will be praying for you. Please pray for me.

- Msgr. Kevin Sullivan

Next Sunday, November 7th, **Daylight Savings Time ends**. Turn your clocks back one hour, which means you gain an extra hour of sleep on Saturday night.

This Tuesday, November 2nd is the **Feast of All Souls.** In the narthex of the church, the lobby of the Chapel, and your monthly envelopes, there are envelopes to be filled out enabling you to have deceased loved ones remembered in our Masses for All Souls Day and throughout the month of November. Please return your enrollment envelope with the names of deceased family members, friends, neighbors, and coworkers to be remembered at Mass. They may be deposited in any of the offering boxes in the Church and Chapel.

Covid-19 Vaccines, Mandates, & Religious Exemptions

A few people have come to the parish office inquiring about a religious exemption from the various vaccine mandates that are in place. Pope Francis and Cardinal Dolan have been clear that there is no moral problem with Catholics receiving the vaccines. Furthermore, Cardinal Dolan has been direct in his communication that the clergy of the Archdiocese of New York are not to provide letters supporting a person's claim of a religious exemption based upon the Catholic faith. Pope Francis spoke in a very different supportive tone: "being vaccinated is an act of love...a simple, but profound way of promoting the common good and caring each other especially the most vulnerable."

Young Adult Professionals' Ministry: The Church of Our Saviour and the Chapel of the Sacred Hearts of Jesus and Mary is starting a young professionals' ministry. Young professionals seeking to grow in friendship and faith through prayer, service, and social events are invited to join. We believe a faith-filled community is vital at this time of your life as you pursue holiness in your studies, work, and relationships with others. This initial meeting will take place for about an hour after the 5:00 p.m. Mass on Sunday, November 7, 2021 (6:00–7:00 p.m.) in the Undercroft at Our Saviour. Light refreshments will be served. Please contact Virginia Hill at vhill@oursaviournyc.org if you have any questions.

Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA) - Preparing for the Sacraments

There are a few adults at Our Saviour and Sacred Hearts who have indicated a desire to become Catholic or receive the sacraments of holy communion and confirmation. This is the time of the year when preparation begins for initiation into the Church or receiving the sacraments at Easter begins. Anyone interested, should let us know now. *E-mail the Parish Office at office@oursaviournyc.org.* Please share this with your neighbors, colleagues, family members and encourage them.

Sunday Bulletin and Readings for Mass



The Mass Intention Book for 2022 is now open for those who wish to have Mass offered for their loved ones. There is one book for our parish (Our Saviour and Sacred Hearts). Please call the Parish Office at Our Saviour or stop by during office hours.

All Saints Day is Monday, November I. While normally a holy day of obligation, the obligation to attend Mass is abrogated when November Ist falls on a Monday. However, we encourage the faithful to attend Mass on Monday, November Ist, All Saints Day, and Tuesday, November 2nd, All Souls' Day. We will observe our usual daily Mass schedule both days (see bulletin cover).

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for November: People who suffer from depression. We pray that people who suffer from depression or burn-out will find support and a light that opens them up to life.

The **Sanctuary Lamp at Sacred Hearts** burns this week in loving memory of Victor Manuel Rivera and Lucy Rosario. *May they rest in peace.*

Popes and Presidents: This past Friday, October 29,



President Joe Biden was received in an audience with Pope Francis. While this is not the first time that the two have met, it is the first time that they are meeting since President Biden has held the office of President of the United States.

The first president to meet with a pope was Woodrow Wilson, who met with Pope Benedict XV, before the Vatican was a sovereign state. Forty years later, Dwight D. Eisenhower traveled to the Vatican to meet with Pope John XXIII (see picture above). John F. Kennedy, the first Catholic President of the United States met Pope Paul VI in July 1963, just weeks after Paul VI's election to the papacy and almost five months before Kennedy's assassination.

Lyndon B. Johnson and Paul VI had a meeting at the Walforf-Astoria hotel on Park Avenue when Paul VI visited the United Nations in October 1965. Richard M. Nixon met with Paul VI at the Vatican in 1969 and Gerald Ford met with Paul VI in 1975.

Pope John Paul II met Jimmy Carter in 1979, when John Paul II became the first pontiff to visit The White House. During his pontificate, Pope John Paul II met with Ronald Reagan, George H.W. Bush, Bill Clinton, and George W. Bush.

Pope Benedict XVI met with George W. Bush at the Vatican and at The White House during the papal visit to the United States in April 2008. Benedict hosted Barack Obama at the Vatican in 2009. Obama met with Pope Francis in 2014 and in 2015, when Pope Francis visited The White House.

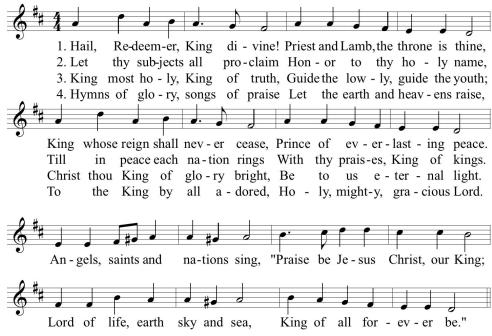
Donald Trump visited the Vatican once in 2017 and met with Pope Francis.

THE ORDER OF MASS

Introit cf. Psalm 38 (37):22–23

Abandon me not, O Lord my God, do not depart from me; come to my assistance. O Lord, mainstay of my deliverance.

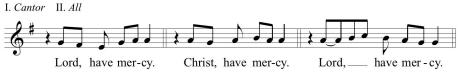
Hymn at the Procession



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Kyrie

Theodore Marier (1912–2001)

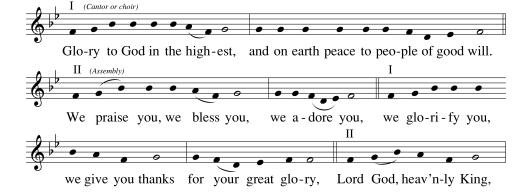


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Gloria

John Lee (1908-1990)





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First Reading Deuteronomy 6:2–6

Responsorial Psalm

Psalm 18 (17):2–3, 3–4, 47, 51 Theodore Marier



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Second Reading Hebrews 7:23–28

Gospel Acclamation

A. Gregory Murray, O.S.B. (1905–1992)

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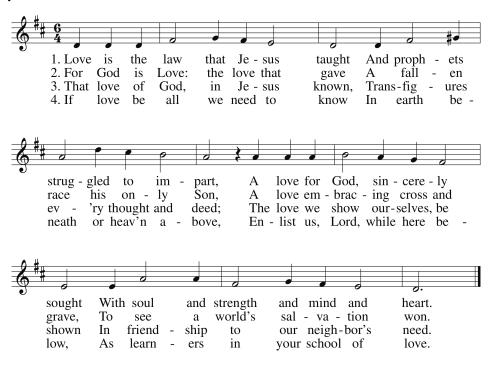
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Al-le - lu - ia,

Gospel Mark 12:28–34

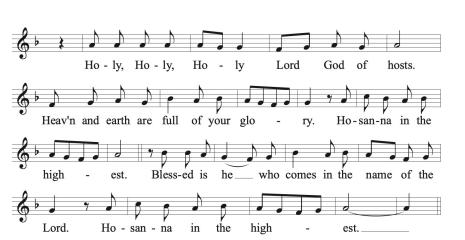
al-le-lu-ia,

At the Offertory, Hymn



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Sanctus



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Mystery of Faith



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Amen



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Chant

Theodore Marier

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Agnus Dei Theodore Marier



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Communion Psalm 20 (19):6

You have made known unto me the ways of life; you will fill me with joy at the sight of your countenance, O Lord.



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Hymn



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