



Pray for the Sick

**33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time
November 19, 2017**

Rayyan Ahsan, Tatum Allen, Virginia Barrett, Zoe Bonowitz, Walter Brady, Lauren Dittrich Bilyeu, Dominick Cannavo, Michael Casarella, Conner Curran, Marie Doescher, Frankie Dezell, Maureen Doran, Mary Doyle, Meghan Farrell, Helen Flower, Jean Gallagher, Duane Goff, Jeffrey Greason, Leslie Hammerschmidt, Margaret Harrington, Healy Pauline Marie, Molly Henry, Pauline, Francine M. Holley, Chester Hooper, Richard Hughes, Christine Iannino, Kathleen T. Kelleher, Bill Killen, Maureen Laning, John Li Conti, Dominic Lombardi, Veronica Lopez, Frank Kearns, Joyce Kersh, John Magnotta, Kevin Mahoney, Steve Mazzei, Jim Murphy, John Pasquale, John Reardon, Madeline Sanford, Chris Schate, Matthew Scherer, Otto Siegwarth, Thomas Valentine, Michael Walsh, Mia Wiltse, Albert Young, Christine Young, Eileen Riley Zawada, Magdalena Zikely and all who request our prayers.

Saturday, November 18th

- 9:00 Erme Linda Hernandez req. by Gina Lodolini
- 5:30 America LaFuente req. by The Guevara Family

Sunday, November 19th

- 7:30 For the Living & Deceased Members of St. Patrick's Parish
- 9:00 Sister Rosemary Sheehan req. by Jim & Fran Dowling
- 10:30 Sister Sophia Michalenko, CMGT req. by Bill & Maryanne Riley
- Noon Victoria Sota (Newtown) req. by Smith
- 5:30 Sister Rosemary Sheehan req. by James & Judith A. Bailey

Monday, November 20th

- 7:00 Lily Gorman req. by The O'Meara Family
- 9:00 Richard Frunzi req. by Family

Tuesday, November 21st

- 7:00 Amie Crabtree req. by The Santore Family
- 9:00 Alfred Agresti req. by The Santore Family

Wednesday, November 22nd

- 7:00 Amie Crabtree req. by The Crummy Family
- 9:00 Carolyn Campbell req. by Joan & Jim Renella

Thursday, November 23rd

- 7:00 No Mass
- 9:00 Jacqueline Garibaldi req. by Barbara Stafa & Danny Frederick

Friday, November 24th

- 7:00 Charlie Rose req. by Voltaggio Family
- 9:00 Charlie Rose req. by The Vincent Family

Saturday, November 25th

- 9:00 Carmela DiCapua req. by Marcia Di Capua
- 5:30 Ceclia Archer req. by The Scuderi Family

Sunday, November 26th

- 7:30 For the Living & Deceased Members of St. Patrick's Parish
- 9:00 Bernard Curran req. by The Collins Family
- 10:30 Raymond F. Hickey, Sr. req. by Family
- Noon Charlie Rose req. by The Mc Cormick Family
- 5:30 Emily Ingraldi req. by The Voltaggio Family

RECENT COLLECTIONS

November 12th \$8,320
Partnership in Faith \$ 2,189

Service Personnel Prayer List
The name listed below is service personnel serving in our nation's armed forces who are relatives of our parishioners. Please keep them in your prayers.
Darren Adler/Marines
Charlie Carr /Air Force
Richard Hughes/Marines

It is a privilege and a duty for us to pray for those commended to our prayers. From time to time we start a new list to make sure that it is up-to-date. If we have removed someone who should remain on the list, please call the Parish Office at 234-3344.

Partner-in-Faith Prayer
Heavenly Father, we ask your blessings and protection on the people of Sacred Heart Parish. We, your children at St. Patrick's, invoke your name on their behalf. We are grateful for all you have given us and in return we are mindful of those who have less than we do. Bless us all and keep us close to you. May the example of your Son, Jesus Christ, be the strength that will make us one in you. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Cardinal's Appeal 2017
The Annual Cardinal's Appeal is underway. Please be as generous as you can to this most important Archdiocesan charity.

FROM THE PASTOR'S **DESK**

This is the continuation of last week's submission of From The Pastor's Desk.

Concrete Time: Object of Experience

We cannot ignore the great "clocks" of the sun and the moon. They determine and measure night and day, the seasons, and, among other cycles, the year. It is possible to be content with this and take into account only their regular movement. In this perspective, time is a neutral value. In spite of variations (mostly minor or accidental) that can change the seasons from one year to the next time is characterized by the cyclical regularity that brings about monotony, or even the jaded boredom of which Ecclesiastes speaks:

One generation passes and another comes,
but the world forever stays.
The sun rises and the sun goes down;
Then it presses on to the place where it rises.
Blowing now toward the south, then toward the north,
The wind turns again and again, resuming its rounds.
All rivers go to the sea,
Yet never does the sea become full.
To the place where they go,
The rivers keep on going.

What has been, that will be; what has been done, that will be done. Nothing is new under the sun. Even the thing of which we say, "See, this is new!" has already existed in the ages that preceded us.
(Eccl 1:4-7,9-10)

It is true that we are not free simply to do anything at any moment. "Each thing in its time." Nature sets its rhythms; times of sowing, of reaping and harvests, etc.; time to rest in the field and time to bring in the cattle, etc. This regularity can, in itself, be perceived as constraining and monotonous. But this way of

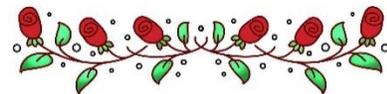
looking at time is concrete. It takes its historical content into consideration and is not concerned with the philosophical question of its nature. thus is it dealt with in the Bible. It calls Kairos "favorable time" or "opportune moment", what the Greeks would simply call chronos, i.e., abstract duration, mathematically measurable.

WORDS OF INSPIRATION

MORE ATTENTIVE LIVING

Paul's letter to the Thessalonians calls us to be aware of the times in which we live so that each day we do what God wants and not just what we want. Such attentiveness prepares us for the "thief in the night" that might come and, if we're not awake, disturb us out of our complacency and thrust us into darkness. That was what the Master in the Matthean parable recommended when he was generous. He praised those who multiplied their talents and, thus, gave them something to share with others. That is the same way the "woman of worth" in the first reading acted so that the "work of her hands" could be a source of praise. Do not bury what is valuable but use it wisely.

--Dorothy Jonaitis



Weekend Flower Donations

***Weekend of 11/18/2017-11/19/17
In Loving Memory of
Robert J. Best***

Flowers Donated by Carol Best

HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH GROUP

The High School Youth Group will be meeting on Sunday, November 19th from 6:30 pm-8:00 pm in the Church Meeting Room.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

THANK YOU!

The Religious Education Program would like to thank all the parishioners who donated clothing for their Community service project. The 8th graders brought the clothing to NYC and distributed the items to the homeless. Thank you for your generosity.

BOOK DRIVE

Join St. Patrick's Religious Education Program in a Community Service Project. New and Gently used Children's books needed for libraries in the US Virgin Islands destroyed by Hurricane Maria.

Books needed for children: Babies to 12th grade.

We can only accept children's books.

Drop off at St. Patrick's School, Religious Education Office by December 3rd

If you would like to donate towards the shipping costs or have other questions, please contact Maryann Antolino at maryannantolino@aol.com

CHRISTMAS EVE CHILDREN'S MASS NATIVITY PLAY

Calling All Angels!

Take part in the annual 4:00 pm Christmas Eve Children's Mass Nativity Play. During the Homily the children re-enact the Nativity story. If your child would like to participate, your child and a caregiver must attend the first rehearsal on November 28th. There are many speaking and non-speaking roles to choose from. All children Pre-K and up are encouraged to participate in the play. Speaking parts will be given to older children. To sign up email Brittney Tanzi at bhtanzi@yahoo.com If your child would like a speaking part, let Brittney know before the first meeting. All Rehearsals will take place at the Church from 5:15-6:45. Rehearsals: November 28, Dec 5, Dec 12, Dec 19. Please contact Brittney Tanzi with any questions at bhtanzi@yahoo.com

Widow, Widowers & Singles

Christmas Luncheon

Friday, December 1st – 12 noon

*Crabtree's Kittle House
11 Kittle House Road
Chappaqua, NY 10514*

*\$42 Check made out to Crabtree's Kittle House
Sent by Tuesday, November 28th to:*

*Sue Coan
11 Brook Farm Lane
Bedford, NY 10506*

Youth Ministry Initiative Event

A group of High Schoolers from the Parish made 20 Birthday Bags to give to Friends of Karen for critically ill children. For more information about the Youth Ministry Initiative contact Michelle at spatsymi@gmail.com.



THE SANTA PROJECT

For well over a decade, the people of St. Patrick's Church have "adopted" a poor family from the Mott Haven Section of the Bronx and played Santa at Christmas. It is a wonderful opportunity for our families to share Christmas joy with those who are less fortunate. If you are interested in participating, an early response would be greatly appreciated. The staff at Archcare @ Home, formerly the Dominican Sisters Family Health Services, has requested the following:

- One family gift, a blanket (full or queen)**
- One article of clothing for each child (size will be indicated on the Santa letter)**
- A toy or game requested by the child (indicated on the Santa letter)**

If you would like to participate, a letter of instruction with the "wish list" for each child will be mailed to you. Please call Chris Zagajeski at 845-582-0657 or email to Chriszagajeski@comcast.net If not in, please leave your name, full mailing address, size of the family you would like to adopt (the number of children 1,2,3,4, or 5). All gifts should be brought to St. Patrick's school gym between **9am and 4 pm on Thursday, December 7th**. Please do not drop off gifts any sooner as there is no one who can accept them before the date.

