



# St. Rose of Lima Church

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*Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary Time November 8, 2015*



The gift of priesthood is a very special gift from God. I'm very grateful to God for the gift of my priesthood. In a busy parish like ours the priest literally is in contact with every aspect of life; marriage prep, baptisms, education, sacramental life, illness, death, and the bereaved. None of us have any control over how old we are when we die but we have every control over how we live. As a priest I celebrate the sacraments and give God strength to His people so we can be holy and blameless in His sight.

For many years I have fostered the priesthood among many men. We all remember particularly, Fr. Hubert, who came to us as a newly ordained deacon. This past summer we had the pleasure of having Andrew with us for ten weeks. Now we have Michael who will come to us for Thanksgiving, Christmas and holiday weekends. Alex of course, a son of our parish, is of special pride to all of us. The role of the pastor in particular is to mentor young men so that they will be properly prepared to lead parishes in the future. He must teach them to be holy men of God, full of confidence, and able to stand up to public opinion when necessary. As a priest, our hands are anointed with holy oils. Our hands heal the sick, prepare the dying, baptize the child or adult and bring hope and consolation to those in need.

The road to priesthood is a hard and arduous journey. It takes between six and eight years and each young man is pushed towards a sense of spirituality with academic excellence. In the early years of seminary it can be quite lonely as the young man must distance himself from his family and focus on studies that prepare him to serve the people of God. The North American College is a major seminary which was built and financed by the bishops and Catholics of the United States. It is the biggest seminary in the city of Rome. It presently houses 250 students from all over the United States with a few Canadians and Australians. This seminary is in the Vatican City and is a testament to the faith of the American people in the universal Church. I made a quick trip to the North American College in Rome at the end of October to visit with our diocesan seminarians. How proud I am of their dedication to work. They begin each day at Mass at 6:10am, walk forty minutes to the Gregorian University, take studies in Italian, and then return to the NAC for further studies and spiritual formation. Please keep our young men Alex, Andrew, Caesar, and John in prayer during these important years of formation. You'll be pleased to know that Alex and Andrew send their best wishes to you all and are happy and doing very well in their formation.

While in Rome I had the privilege of celebrating Mass on my birthday at the side altar of St. Michael the Archangel at St. Peter's Basilica. We visited the beautiful Province of Abruzzo. The beautiful fall colors, the mountains, the lovely basilica and of course the food, were a joy to behold. I had a short retreat at the Monastery of Greccio and in that beautiful holy mountainside monastery I gave God thanks for my life and prayed to be able to continue to be the shepherd God calls me to be.

Last Tuesday evening, I celebrated Mass for all those who were buried from our parish this past year. It was an emotional Mass for all of us especially when the name of the deceased was called and the family members brought up a lit candle to the altar. We know that our beloved dead have moved on to the glory of God and we pray that each of us will brighten God's world with love, faith, and hope.

During this month of November it is traditional that all Catholics pray for their beloved dead. Be sure to leave your list of names in the collection basket so that we can place them with the names of our beloved dead on the altar.

*Father Owen*



## Mass Intentions

### Sunday, November 8<sup>th</sup> Thirty-Second Sunday in Ordinary

#### Time

- 7:30 People of the Parish  
Helen Scullen, Raymond Rosati  
9:00 Maria Rebela-Cunha, Steven Allan Azaravich MD  
10:30 Pasquale DeLuca, Marie Auermuller  
12:15 Louis Angelino (20th Ann.), Vincent & Kay Vecchiarelli  
7:00 Richard Stark, Christopher Cunningham

### Monday, November 9<sup>th</sup> The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

9:00 Frances Stampone, Frank Cordally

### Tuesday, November 10<sup>th</sup> St. Leo the Great

9:00 Silvio Joseph Citarelli (35th Ann.), William Cecere

### Wednesday, November 11<sup>th</sup> St. Martin of Tours

9:00 Roger Taylor Becker, Benjamin Spagnola

### Thursday, November 12<sup>th</sup> St. Josaphat

9:00 William Cecere, Leonardo Salese

### Friday, November 13<sup>th</sup> Weekday

9:00 Joseph Perrotta, Marcello Civetta

### Saturday, November 14<sup>th</sup> Weekday

9:00 Mass to the Blessed Mother  
Vigil

5:30 Carmen Marrano, James Alviggi

### Sunday, November 15<sup>th</sup> Thirty-Third Sunday in Ordinary

#### Time

- 7:30 People of the Parish  
Concetta DeRosa, Vera Marcantonio  
9:00 Marco & Lois Tartaglia, John Lupo  
10:30 Francesco Vacca, Benni DiArchi  
12:15 Marian Rillo, Frank Custode  
7:00 Frank L. Lemma, Geraldine Vitiello

## Rosary Prayer Intentions for November

**Glorious Mysteries:** For the souls in purgatory that they are lifted up into the Glory of Heaven.

**Sorrowful Mysteries:** In thanksgiving for our beloved dead who has taught us our faith.

**Joyful Mysteries:** That we may emulate the saints as we journey through life with their guidance.

**Luminous Mysteries:** That during this month of November we will give thanks to God for all the Saints.



*Our Sick: Please remember in your prayers those in our parish and community who are ill, especially:*

*Adrianna Monaco, Maria Ravanno, Felix Terrero, Dean Everetts, Lena Raimo, Sandy DiMassi, Mary Jo Corey, Frank DiMatteo, Anita Drescher, Carmine Sarno, Jessica Petti, Mary Edwards, Pat DeDeo, Fr. Fred Walters and George Catrabbone*



## THE ALTAR BREAD AND WINE

For this week are offered in loving memory of

Joseph Perrotta

From: Cathy Perrotta & Donna Mirocco



## SANCTUARY LAMP - CHURCH

A reminder of the Divine Presence in the Eucharist burns this week in memory of:

Peter Catalano, Jr.

From: Wife & Children



## TABERNACLE CANDLES

For the week are offered in loving memory of:

Maria & Cas Mascitelli.

From: Children



## ALTAR CANDLES

For the week are offered in loving memory of:

Domenick Cerruto

From: Ron & Arlene Mayer



We remember and give God thanks for our beloved dead especially

Anthony Ciccone



Congratulations to the Parents of our newly

Baptized:

Matteo James Cavezza



Fr. Matthew congratulating Richard & Mary Piotrowski winners of the car.

Thank you to all of those who donated books for the St. Rose of Lima library for the Girl Scout Troop 4054. We have collected a total 574 books so far and are looking forward for more. We will continue to keep the bin in the church lobby for those who wish to donate books. We appreciate everyone's support!

## 2015 CONFIRMATION NEWS

**9th Grade:** Your next class night is **December 13th**. Students are to arrive no later than 5:25pm through the Academy lobby doors for their class. Parents should attend Mass with their child. Students will be dismissed at the end of the 7:00pm Mass. Remember to bring your signed bulletins.

**10th Grade:** Your next class night will take place on **Nov. 15th**. this is a special event held from 10:00am – 12 noon. Details to follow.

## YOUTH CENTER

**Youth Group** – is open to all high school age students. 7:00pm – 9:00pm in the Youth Center. Join us for a night of Fellowship.

**Next Meeting: Thanksgiving Party Nov. 24th**

*\*Please bring non-perishable food items to donate to the food pantry in honor of Thanksgiving.* Please contact Stephanie Politi at [spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org). for any questions.



Confirmation students were inspired by Ray Boswell, the Potter on October 25th in St. Rose gymnasium.

## RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

### November

- 8 No Classes
- 14 Supplemental classes 4:00pm to and including 5:30pm Mass
- 15 Cycle 2 10am – noon
- 21 Supplemental classes 9am Mass to 11:00am
- 22 Cycle 1 10am – noon
- 29 No classes – Happy Thanksgiving

All second grade students are to attend the Buddy event on Sunday, Nov. 15 from 10:00am to 11:45am. Please consult the flyer sent home for details.

Congratulations to all of our new Altar Servers. We look forward to seeing you on the altar during Sunday Mass. Thank you to Mrs. Bregna for your gift of time in preparing the children.

### Congratulations to Mrs DiCaro's 10th grade Confirmation class

On October 25, St Rose of Lima was represented at an event with Bishop Serratelli held at Morris Catholic High School. Our hundreds of students from throughout the Diocese, our St Rose students were among the top finalists, in a quiz contest conducted by Bishop himself. Congratulations to Anthony Paradiso, Allan Dingle, Michael Cusano, Ralph Gamba, Sarah Bregna, Noelle Gregory, Emily Schum, and Claire and Madeline McVicar for representing St Rose so well! Thank you to chaperones Mrs Bregna and Mrs Paradiso.

## Annual Youth Ministry Halloween Party



A great time was had by all! Special thanks to Mrs Ramona Borgo for chaperoning.

### Bed Sheets needed for Hospital in Grenada, West Indies.

An alumnus of our Antioch Team, Rachel Gonnella, is currently studying to become a physician at St. George's University in Grenada, West Indies, an often overlooked third world country. She noticed that the Grenada General Hospital does not have enough bedsheets for the patients. Through her mother, Theresa Gonnella, she is collecting new or gently used twin bedsheets (A "set" of sheets consists of one flat/one fitted sheet and one standard pillowcase and must be in good condition-no holes or stains.) Monetary donations will gladly be accepted as well.

Please drop off the sheets and/or monetary donations at the Youth Center on Saturday, November 14, 2015 between the hours of 9:00am and 12:00pm. Please support this worthy event. Thank you.

Please contact Theresa Gonnella directly if you have any questions: [jag0133@aol.com](mailto:jag0133@aol.com).



**The Parish belongs to all of us, and only through the parish community can we achieve our goals. The Challenge is Ours!!!**

### OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

**November 1, 2015**

Weekly Tithing Parishioners	\$ 9,832.00
School Tithing	\$ 639.00
Loose Checks	\$ 905.00
Loose Cash	\$ 1,616.00
<b>Total Sunday Collection</b>	<b>\$ 12,992.00</b>

“Total does not include on-line tithing”

All Saints	\$ 1,609.00
All Souls	\$ 1,270.00

**THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO IS SACRIFICING TO HELP US MEET OUR FINANCIAL COMMITMENT.**

**\$13,500**

**Thank You**

#### 2015 Bishop's Annual Appeal *Serving Christ Among Us*

Nazareth Village in Chester is our residence for retired diocesan priests. It is a wonderful place where senior priests live in community while also helping at local parishes. Your generous support of the Bishop's Annual Appeal helps support Nazareth Village and is a perfect way to give thanks to those priests who spent a lifetime helping parishioners grow in the faith. Please make a pledge to the 2015 Bishop's Annual Appeal today!

#### FOOD PANTRY

Thanks to your generous donations we are able to help many people that come to our Food Pantry. The pantry will now be opened on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Saturday of every month. **The Pantry is in need of coffee, tea, canned meats and fish.** The next time the food pantry will be open Saturday, November 14th from 10:00-11:30am. If you have any questions or concerns, please email Isabella Francis at [Isabellafrancis2@gmail.com](mailto:Isabellafrancis2@gmail.com).

#### KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS #6504

Meetings are the 2nd and 4th Mondays at 8:00pm in Labrecque Hall

18 and older and wish to join the Knights contact Chris 973-560-1248

[www.kofc6504.org](http://www.kofc6504.org) [info@kofc6504.org](mailto:info@kofc6504.org)  
[www.facebook.com/EastHanoverKnightsOfColumbus](https://www.facebook.com/EastHanoverKnightsOfColumbus)

#### Rosary Altar Society

Next Meeting – December 2nd beginning with the Rosary at 7pm. Please remember your donation for the men at Market St. Mission.

### Fr. Owen's Second Parish Pilgrimage Announced

**ITALY**

**OCTOBER 10-20, 2016**



**Brochures are available in the Parish Office or contact Great Experiences, Inc.**

[greatexinc@verizon.net](mailto:greatexinc@verizon.net)

or

[spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:spoliti@saintroseoflimachurch.org)

**There will be an information meeting. Date: TBA**

#### News From Italy

This past weekend was my first travel weekend. It is a term used at the seminary to describe certain free weekends when we are encouraged to travel around Europe and take advantage of this great opportunity. I was so happy that this weekend coincided with Fr. Owen's trip to Rome. As such we were able to spend some time together and enjoy the riches that Italy has to offer. We went on a small trip to the region of Abruzzo in the Apennine. It was incredible, I felt like I was back in New Jersey with all the trees and fall colors. I couldn't believe people were so friendly and the food was delicious, especially all the different kinds of mushrooms they served. I would definitely recommend going.

Plus it was a pleasure to have Fr. Owen over to the seminary to visit and that he was able to concelebrate at one of our All Souls Day Masses. Afterwards all the Paterson seminarians went out with him for a nice dinner before he left to go back to the US. Please keep all of us in your prayers as we continue in our journey to the priesthood and for those priests here that are studying for higher degrees. Rev. Lemmuell Camacho, Rev. Stephen Prisk, Rev. James Platania, Mr. Andrew Burns 3rd Theology, Mr. Cesar Jaramillo 3rd Theology, Mr. John Calabro 1st Theology and myself.

God Bless

Alex

## SCHOOL NEWS



Miss Lorie's class dressed up and ready for their Halloween parade



Lola dressed as a Bat.



The children are building a ramp to see how far and fast the cars will go in their race track.

**OPEN HOUSE - November 11<sup>th</sup> for the Academy, Pre-school through grade 8.** Parents are invited to visit the school and learn about our programs from 9:00 – 11:00 A.M. and 7 – 8 P.M. If you cannot make either of these times, please call 973-887-6990 and we will make arrangements for you to visit at another time.

## CALENDAR NOVEMBER

### November

- 11 Open House for new families 9-11am and 7-8pm  
Paterson Diocese Interpretive Reading Tournament – 3pm at St. Patrick's
- 16 Home and School Meeting 7pm in Messina Hall
- 19-20 Parent Conferences
- 23 11:30 Dismissal (K-8) No aftercare  
Thanksgiving Feast Pre-School/Pre-K – Center closes at 3:00 P.M.

## THE MIRACLE OF CHRISTMAS

Sight & Sound Theatre – Lancaster, PA  
Tuesday, December 1, 2015

**Depart:** St. Vincent Martyr Church – 7:00am SHARP  
11:00am Show

**Lunch:** 2:30pm Good n' Plenty Restaurant  
Featuring old fashioned Pennsylvania Dutch cooking served family style

Cost: \$120.00 per person – includes, show, lunch, bus and all gratuities. Please bring a snack to eat on the bus. Please contact Joanne Novack for more information and reservations. Home: 973-845-9205 cell: 201-572-5650



We had to temporarily close the choir loft because all of the pipes had to be laid down on the pews upstairs.



The organ installation began with the biggest pipes, which will be played with the pedal board.

## PARISH DIRECTORY

Parish Office: 973-887-5572 Fax: 973-884-0476

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## PARISH EMERGENCY NUMBER

In case of a **TRUE EMERGENCY**, death or funeral, after office hours, please call **973-887-5572 and press "2"** to reach Father Owen immediately

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## SACRAMENTS

### Baptism

We celebrate the sacrament of Baptism most Sundays. Parents are welcome to have the Baptism celebrated either at a week-end Mass or at the Liturgy of Baptism at 1:15. To make arrangements for Baptism please call Father Owen or Fr. Matthew. Godparents must be confirmed and be active members of the church and attend Mass regularly.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation

Every Saturday at 8:15 – 8:45 and 4:45 – 5:15 (or by appointment with Fr. Owen or Fr. Matthew).

### Sacrament of Marriage

Please contact Fr. Owen or Fr. Mathew and set up an appointment. Any Catholic couple needs approximately a year to prepare for the Sacrament of Marriage, which includes sessions with the Priest celebrating the marriage and attendance at Pre-Cana conferences.

### Sacrament of the Sick / Hospital Visits

At St. Rose we are strongly committed to the spiritual care of the sick. Because of privacy laws, hospitals and nursing homes are not allowed to release the patient's religious affiliation. Therefore, we must depend on families of our sick parishioners to inform us of their whereabouts and condition. Please notify the parish office of any need for a home or hospital visit.

### RCIA

The Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a program for people who seek full initiation in the Catholic Church through the reception of the Sacraments of Baptism, Eucharist and Confirmation, which are received at Easter Vigil. For information, please contact Fr. Owen or Fr. Matthew at the parish office.

## PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

Miraculous Medal Novena – Following 9am Mass on Saturday  
Devotion to Padre Pio – Following the 9am Mass on Friday  
Right to Life – Anne Marie Gillespie [amgillespie@optonline.net](mailto:amgillespie@optonline.net)  
Secular Franciscan Order - Second Saturday after 9am Mass  
First Saturday Devotion – to Our Lady of Fatima Following 9am Mass

## PARISH ORGANIZATIONS

Adult Choir – Rehearsal Mondays 9:30am or Wednesdays 8:00pm  
Knights of Columbus – 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Monday at 8pm in Labrecque Hall  
Rosary Altar Society – 1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday of the month at 7:00pm in church  
Adoration to the Blessed Sacrament – Tues. & Wed 8am – 8pm  
Bereavement - 973-599-2944

## PARISH GENERAL INFORMATION

**PARISH OFFICE HOURS** - Our clergy and staff will be happy to assist you during the following hours: Monday – Friday 9am - 3pm  
Summer Hours Monday – Thursday 9am – 3pm. Closed Friday's July and August

**New Parishioners** - We welcome those who have recently moved to the area. If you would like to be part of the St. Rose of Lima family, please call the parish office to register.

**Bulletin Deadline** – Please kindly submit all bulletin materials to Angela ([aburns@saintroseoflimachurch.org](mailto:aburns@saintroseoflimachurch.org)) at the parish office, Please note that in order for articles to be published in next week's bulletin they need to be submitted **no later than 10a.m. of the prior Tuesday.**

**Mass Intentions** – Please come into the office or call during regular office hours.