## SUNDAY, February 27, 2022

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7:00 Hermina Carreta

8:15 Filippo Raschella

9:45 Connie Oieni

11:30 James F. McDonald (2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary)

1:15 Luz Maria Lopez

#### MONDAY, February 28

7:00 Frederic Bastien

9:00 Bianca Ortiz

## TUESDAY, March 1 - Shrove Tuesday

7:00 Santiago Mendoza

9:00 In Thanksgiving for Shawn Paul Bendler (living)

## WEDNESDAY, March 2 - Ash Wednesday

7:00 Fr. Pat Rossi (living)

9:00 Fr. Anthony Pleho (living)

12 Noon Service with ashes

7:30 Fr. Dennis Williams (living)

## THURSDAY, March 3 - St. Katherine Drexel

7:00 Vincent McDonnell - (Living)

9:00 Luis Garcia & Venancio Benny Laureano

## FRIDAY, March 4 - St. Casimir; First Friday

7:00 Souls in Purgatory

9:00 Adeline Simonelli (living)

#### SATURDAY, March 5

9:00 Edward Cardinal Egan

5:00 Leovigildo De Jesus Tineo

## SUNDAY, March 6

7:00 Di Paolo & Petrullo Families

8:15 Living & deceased members of the Rosary Altar Society

9:45 Gloria M. Lanzone

11:30 Julie Pagan

1:15 Claude McDaniel

Confessions on Saturday 3:45 to 4:45; On Sunday, Confessions are from 9:00 to 9:45.

Please Note: Rectory Office Hours -MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY 9:00AM to 12:30PM - & - 1:30PM to 4 PM SATURDAY & SUNDAY: Closed

The Rectory will be <u>Closed for Lunch</u> between 12:30 and 1:30PM

Stations of the Cross Every Friday in Lent at 7:00PM in English

First Friday - March 4<sup>th</sup>
Exposition 2:30PM
Benediction 7:30PM
Come and spend time with the Lord

#### EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

## First Reading: Sirach 27:4-7

This reading explains that quality and truth in conversation is a test for humankind. Only after listening to a person's reasoning can we know the mind of another.

## Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:54-58

Paul speaks of the mystery of transformation that is victory over death when our mortality puts on immortality. We are encouraged by Paul to be steadfast and immovable, filling our lives with the work of the Lord.

## **Gospel: Luke 6:39-45**

Today, Jesus teaches through the use of parables, first encouraging us to be like the teacher, understand that the blind cannot lead the blind. Jesus also reminds us that only the heart's good treasure produces good. In order to remain steadfast, we must heed what Jesus tells us. If we hear God's word, our foundation will be strong, unshaken, steadfast, built upon rock.



## Monday

1 Pt 1:3-9; Mk 10:17-27 Tuesday

1 Pt 1:10-16; Mk 10:28-31

**Wednesday** JI 2:12-18; 2 Cor 5:20—6:2; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Thursday

Dt 30:15-20; Lk 9:22-25

First Friday

Is 58:1-9a, Mt 9:14-15

**First Saturday** 

Is 58:9b-14; Lk 5:27-32

Music for the Mass is TBA

This week the Bread & Wine is offered in memory of John Gigantiello from Doris Werni

Parent Baptism Class Monday, March 7 at 7:30 PM in the Church. Parents of children to be baptized must attend.

## Church of the Holy Rosary /Nativity of Our Blessed Lady Clergy

Rev. Fr. Dennis Williams, Pastor Rev. Fr. Pat F. Rossi, Ph. D. Parochial Vicar Rev. Fr. Anthony J. Pleho, Nursing Home Chaplain Rev. Fr. Hippolytus U. Duru, Sunday Associate

**CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST**The Lord's Day – Saturday, 5:00 PM Vigil

Sunday: 7:00 AM, 8:15 AM, 9:45 AM, 11:30 AM Solemn with Choir;1:15 PM. Weekdays: Monday – Friday 7:00 & 9:00 AM

Saturday: 9:00 AM

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## 40 Days for Life

Next Campaign begins Wednesday, March 2 through Sunday, April 10. You can protect mothers and children by joining this worldwide mobilization to pray and fast for an end to abortion! Through prayer and fasting, peaceful vigils and community outreach, 40 Days for Life has inspired 1,000,000+volunteers! Here's how to take part in 40 Days for Life in our community:

Vigil location: Directly across the street from

Bronx Abortion. 2070 Eastchester Rd.
Vigil hours: 7 AM – 7 PM Vigil Coordinator: Ms.
Cecile (347) 697-7589
Vigil Leader: Sister Pearl (347) 974-2272
Learn more ... get involved ... and sign up for prayer times by visiting our campaign at our web address - 40daysforlife.com/Bronx

# **Healing After Abortion**

Do you know someone who is carrying the grief of a past abortion? There is always hope. The pain and sorrow of abortion does not need to endure for a lifetime. A "Day of Prayer and Healing" offers the opportunity to experience the love and mercy of God and to respond to His invitation to begin the journey of healing the word of abortion. Upcoming dates in the NYC area are: April 20th, May 21st. For more dates, locations, and confidential registration, or just to talk to a Sister, please call the Sisters of Life at: (866) 575-0075 (toll free) or reach us by email at: hopeandhealing@sistersoflife.org.



ASH WEDNESDAY - MARCH 2<sup>ND</sup>
MASSES WITH DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES
7 & 9 AM & 7:30PM, SERVICE FOR
DISTRIBUTION OF ASHES AT 12NOON.
REMEMBER: ASH WEDNESDAY AND
GOOD FRIDAY ARE DAYS OF FAST &
ABSTINENCE. ALL FRIDAYS IN LENT
ARE DAYS OF ABSTINENCE
ABSTINENCE - NO MEAT

FAST - 3 SMALL MEALS, NOTHING IN BETWEEN

## **LENT 2022**

Lent is a holy season in our church's year. It is holy because it calls us in a special way to holiness and encourages us to adopt holy habits of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. We should try to attend Mass as often as we can during Lent and pray the rosary and make the Stations of the Cross. We should try to make special sacrifices during Lent. We should try to practice some form of self-denial or self-discipline during Lent - so that we might in some small way identify ourselves with Christ who was crucified for us. All the Fridays of Lent are days of Abstinence -All Catholics above the age of 14 are obliged to abstain from meat on the days of abstinence (unless poor health excuses). Additionally, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of both fast and abstinence. Not only is meat prohibited, but on these two fast days, only one full meal is permitted. Two smaller meals may be taken to maintain strength, but these taken together should not equal another full meal. Fasting obliges from age 18 to 59 (unless poor health excuses).

# BETHLEHEM HANDICRAFTS THE WEEKEND OF MARCH 12-13



Dear Brothers & Sisters in Christ, We are a missionary group from Bethlehem – the Holy City of Christ's birth. We sell religious articles hand carved by Christian artisans from Bethlehem and Jerusalem. As you may know, the situation is very difficult. It is hard for the Christian minority to make a living in the Holy Land and tourism has come to a halt with Covid. The sale of these items benefits the Christian families there. . Please support our brothers & sisters in Christ in Bethlehem.

The NYPD Holy Name Society invites you to the 102<sup>nd</sup> Communion Breakfast,
Sunday March 27 8AM Mass at St Patrick's Cathedral
Breakfast in the Grand Ballroom of the Hilton NY 1335 Sixth Avenue
Tickets \$85 Per Person: Reservations must be received by March 22
Check payment
NYPD Holy Name Society
130 Ave C NY
NY 10009
The Hilton requires proof of vaccination

## **Sunday Collections**

Your gift to *God* for the weekend of Feb. 19th & 20th was \$5,122. Attendance was 515. Holy Rosary thanks parishioners who have rejoined with fellow parishioners at Mass. If you have not attended services during this time, you are most welcome to join us and invite a neighbor or friend.

No reservation is necessary.

Please be sure to visit God at Sunday Mass. He is always present in our beautiful Church

Mr. Richard Janniello's Wednesday Catechism Class is suspended for the winter. It will restart on March 16<sup>th</sup> at 3PM. PLEASE PRAY FOR Estella & Myrna Alvarez, Salvatore Amedio, Rachel Acre, Francis Bele, Kim Benack, Brooke Birden, Joseph Bonocore, Sidney Brown, Mary Alice Burgan, Phillip & Anthony Capano, Ana Caturano, Christina Celantano, Margaret Centrone, Lorna Courtney, Theresa Coutain, Anna Cristina, Michael Dannucci, Audia DeJesus, Rosemarie DeNegris, Gina DiLonardo, Bob & Cynthia Dukes, Thanh Duong, Rosa Echevarria, Dawn Effendi, Laticia Elliot, Marie Ferrari, Albert Ferri, Beatrice Galeano de Maduro, Ethan Gomes, Matthew Gyau, James Heame, Vincent Helfer, Donna Hellgrone, Erik Hernandez, Erin Hughes, Marilyn Iarossi, Yolanda Imbrosci, Kay Johnson, John Joseph, Camille Knight, Singh Latchman, James Leung, Theresa Lewis, Maurice Lisby, Fey LoPresti, Connie Lorelli, Debbie Lorelli, Bonita McSchane, Brunilda Mandozza, Frank Matice, Jim Messenger, Anthony Militello, Allen Negron, Alisa Nicovic, Carmen Ortiz, Jose Ortiz, Jennifer Padro, Beth Pagan, Julie Pagan, Carol Ann Pascucci, Elena Pascucci, Rita Phillips, Mary Pirro, Angelina Rader, Lucille Rahman, Michael Ramirez, Julian Reed, Giuseppe Regina, Elizabeth Risen, Iris Rivera, Joyce Maria Roberts, Amelia Ascenio Ruiz, Dorothy Santomauro, Arthur Simmons, Carmine & Jean Testa, Jean Williams, Hopeton Williams, Karen Williamson, Lorraine Yorio, Tessa Young, & our home bound and residents of our local **Nursing Homes.** 

## PARISHIONERS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

In order to make attendance at Mass easier and more pleasurable for you we encourage you to consider two things:

- 1) Those with walkers, canes, or who cannot get up for Communion: Please sit in the front pews. We will bring Holy Communion to you.
- 2) Those with wheelchairs: Please place your chairs in the Baptismal area to the right of the sanctuary. We will bring Holy Communion to you.

## New Mass Protocols

Masks are not required.
Social Distancing seats are on the Cry Room
(Organ) side of the Church.
Open seating everywhere else.
Main Celebrant will distribute Communion in the hand, assisting Priest will distribute on the tongue.

The Sign of Peace is voluntary and should not include touching.

There is still no Presentation of the Gifts. Bulletins are on the tables.

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## HTTPS://HolyRosaryBronx.ChurchGiving.com

Parishioners interested in enrolling and donating online via **WeShare** can go online at the above web site and click "Make a donation" at the various donation opportunities listed and continue following the online directions. Questions may be directed to WeShare support at <u>WeShare@4lpi.com</u> or by calling 1-800-950-9952.

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