



# Our Lady of Pity & St. Anthony of Padua Parish

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August 8, 2021



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## MASSES

### *Our Lady of Pity Church*

Saturday evening ..... 5:00 pm  
 Sunday ..... 8:30, 10:30 am & 12:00 noon  
 Holy Days ..... Consult bulletin  
 Weekdays ..... 8:30 am  
 Saturday ..... 8:00 am

### *St. Anthony of Padua Church*

Saturday evening ..... 5:00 pm  
 Sunday ..... 8:00 & 11:00 am  
 Weekday Holy Day of Obligation only

## OUR LADY OF PITY CHURCH

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 Rectory Hours.....Mon. - Fri., 9:00 am - 12:00 noon & 1:00 - 5:00 pm  
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## ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA CHURCH

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## SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

*Our Lady of Pity Church* .....Saturday, 3:45 to 4:30 pm

## SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

*For either Church:* Couples should make arrangements with a priest at least one year in advance to secure a date and time.

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

*Our Lady of Pity Church:* Celebrated on the fourth (4th) Sunday of the month at 1:30 pm.

*St. Anthony of Padua Church:* Celebrated on the second (2) Sunday of the month at 12:00 pm.

## NOVENAS

*Our Lady of Pity Church:* Miraculous Medal, St. Jude and Infant of Prague Saturday after the 8:00 am Mass.

## RECITATION OF THE ROSARY

*Our Lady of Pity Church:* Rosary is recited after the 8:30 am weekday Mass; on Saturdays after the 8:00 am Mass; and, occasionally on Sundays.



NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ✕ AUGUST 8, 2021

# Mass Intentions

## DAILY MASS INTENTIONS OUR LADY OF PITY

Saturday August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:00 am Josephine Carluzzo  
5:00 pm Antoinetta Rey Sybulska

Sunday August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:30 am Robert Lospenuso  
10:30 am Helena Salwin  
12:00 pm Josephine Ippolito & Antoinette

Monday August 9<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:30 am Susana Maningas

Tuesday August 10<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:30 am Renno Rosaria

Wednesday August 11<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:30 am Sam Langone

Thursday August 12<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:30 am Agnes Gauigan

Friday August 13<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:30 am Csrl Bower

Saturday August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:00 am Corrado Rosario Biazzo  
5:00 pm Gerardo & Giuseppina Francavilla

Sunday August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:30 am Susie Laudon  
10:30 am Marion 7 jerome Gambale  
12:00 pm Armand & Mary Chapparino  
Armand Koenigsberg

## DAILY MASS INTENTIONS ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

Saturday August 7<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
5:00 pm All the Deceased members of the  
Tatar Family  
*Requested by Stanley Tatar*

Sunday August 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:00 am Lucille & Michael De Chiaro  
*Requested by the Family*

11:00am Jennifer D' Silva  
*Requested by Desouza Family & D' Silva  
Family*

Saturday August 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
5:00 pm Restoration of Health for John &  
Jacklyn Mooney  
*Requested by Mom & Dad*

Sunday August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2021  
8:00 am Doris Yellen  
*Requested by Rosalie & Angela*

11:00am Anthony Pantone  
*Requested by The Palumbo Family  
&  
Giusto Priola  
Requested by Mr. & Mrs. Vivona*



# Pray for the Sick

Every worshipping community is called to pray for the sick or elderly in their parish. It is a privilege to ask Our Lord to heal and strengthen the sick. **The Prayer List for the Sick** is our way of reaching out to our parishioners, young and elderly, who have received a critical diagnosis and are unable to go about the routines of life:

Virginia Corrente, Emil Kurak, Michael Ragonese, Helen Keiling, Frank A. Marchese, Frank J. Marchese, Agnes Mueller, Dayanara Georzette Acevedo, Rusty Amodio, MaryAnn Azzarello, Edward Bach, Ray Beshara, Jeff Beauzil, Isabella Borzumato, Brook Balacco, Joan Lee Cammy, Joann Cavallaro, Gianna Cerullo, Jared Choset, Josephine Cordaro, Ida & Jerry Coraci, Alexander Passante, Elsie Cuevas, Dom Dealto, Maureen Dragula, Phyllis Esposito, Danny Fortunato, Rose Infuso, Vincent Infuso, Frank Maltempi, Fannie Marro, Jack Masso, Lillian Miner, Julio Pagan, Ann and Angela Recker, Cheri Rosen, Margaret Ryan Galeto, Annette McGoff, Angie Mendez, Jaclyn Mooney, Darlene Remy, Valerie Rose, Peter Ruisi, Khadijah Sabir, Gloria Scaglione, John Serri, Dcn. Michael Venditto, Phillip Yoo, Brigitte Stano, Bettie Wilde, Lucy Nicholasi, Ann Arena, Tom & Mae Scarpaci, Dominic DeBenedito, John Mooney, Jeanette & Anna Ayala, Teresa Guida, Anthony Pelle Jr. Joan Conroy, Georgette Valentine, Robert Sweeney

The listed names above for those asking for prayers has been updated according to months on the list.

Those remaining have been reinstated by parishioners calling after the six-month period. If anyone wishes to put a name back or to add a new name of a parishioner who is sick, please contact the rectory Mon.-Fri. from 9 am to 5 pm



## DEVOTIONS

Following weekday 8:30 am Mass at Our Lady of Pity: Recitation of the Rosary. On First Fridays only, there is the exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Holy Hour. On Saturday following the 8 am Mass, novena prayers are said.

## PEACE THAT ONLY CHRIST CAN GIVE

### EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Do you desire a more loving relationship with Jesus? Every 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month, you will have the opportunity to spend time with Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will take place at Our Lady of Pity Church from 9:00 am to 9:45 am Eucharistic Guardians will be needed. For further information call Joseph Magliocco at 718-698-8054

### BEREAVEMENT

***"Blessed are those who mourn; for they shall be comforted."*** -Matthew 5:4.

Our Bereavement Minister, Deacon Michael Venditto, is available to assist anyone who has experienced a loss. Call the rectory (718-761-5421) weekdays between 9 am and 5 pm to set up an appointment with Deacon Michael.

### SPONSOR CERTIFICATES

Anyone desiring a certificate to serve as a sponsor for a Sacrament must be a Roman Catholic who has received the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist and Confirmation. Certificates are distributed only after weekend Masses in the sacristy, not in the rectory

### Shut- Ins

If any member of your family is homebound and unable to attend Mass, please notify the rectory and if you wish, a priest or extraordinary minister will bring them the Eucharist on the first Friday of every month.





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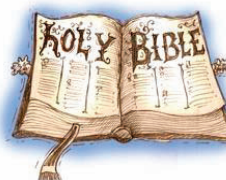
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## Gospel: John 6: 41-51

The Jews were not convinced that Jesus was the bread that came down from heaven. But he again explains that he is the bread of life. He tells them that anyone who believes and eats this bread shall live forever. He explains that the bread he will give is his flesh, for the life of the world.

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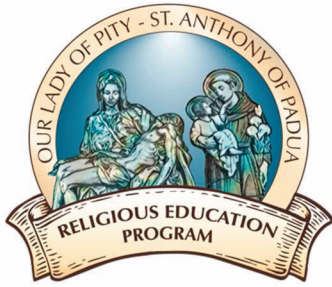
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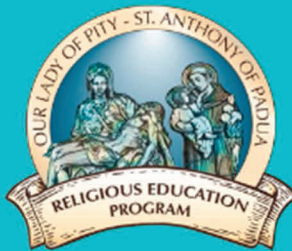
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RCIA Meets on Thursdays 7:30 pm in the parish center.

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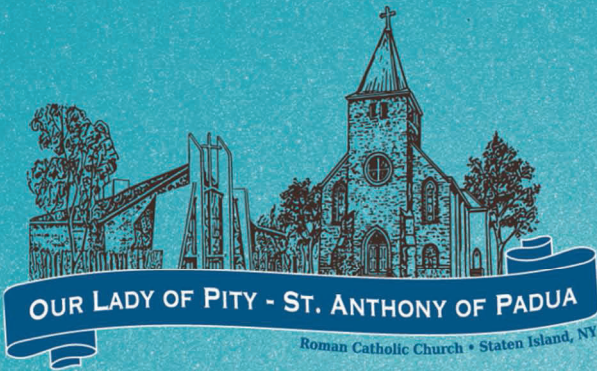


"Go, therefore, and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you" (Matthew 28: 19-20).



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## NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

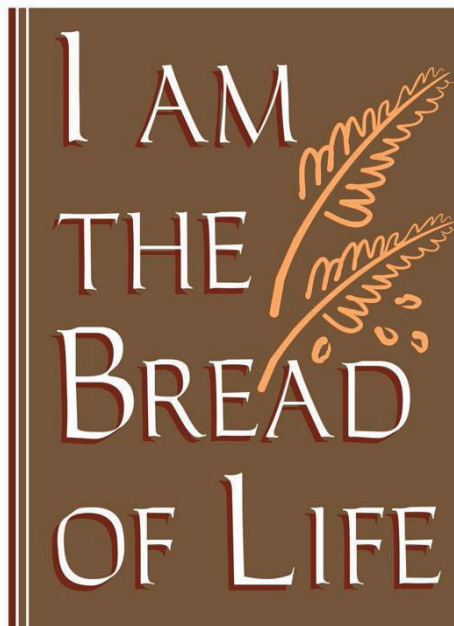
**“He lay down and fell asleep under the broom tree, but then an angel touched him and ordered him to get up and eat. Elijah looked and there at his head was a hearth cake and a jug of water... but the angel of the Lord came back a second time, touched him, and ordered, ‘Get up and eat, or else the journey will be too long for you.’ He got up, ate and drank, then strengthened by that food, walked forty days and forty nights to the mountain of God, Horeb...’ ‘I am the bread of life.’”**

The scriptures have been focusing on the 6<sup>th</sup> chapter of John, asking us to appreciate more deeply the feeding the Lord did for His people and continues for us today.

The seeming miraculous feeding of Elijah shows God’s care, His hand, and the response of the prophet to the messenger of the Lord. He needed that food to sustain him and continue his prophetic work.

Jesus, in His concern for the crowd fed them and told His disciples to give the people something to eat. They were hungry. We are true disciples for the Lord and ask that the tremendous gift of the Eucharist, so available for us, may we eagerly seek and not just presume.

How many parishes are without priests today to provide the Eucharist. How many of us who have attended mass virtually are yearning to receive holy communion? As Elijah looked and found the food God provided for his journey, may we renew our desire for and seek Him in the Eucharist.



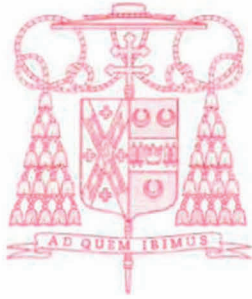
JOHN 6:48

### HIS WORD TODAY

BY REV. WILLIAM J. REILLY

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A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON  
THE SUNDAY READINGS



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June 30, 2021  
Month of the Sacred Heart of Jesus  
Year of St. Joseph

Dear Family of the Archdiocese of New York,

May I raise two points with you today?

First, as we approach the Independence Day weekend, allow me to wish all of you an enjoyable summer. It is my hope that, after the trials and difficulties of these past 16 months, you will have an opportunity for some much-needed rest and relaxation. I am very much looking forward to spending some time with family and friends that I have not seen for more than a year!

Second, let me remind you that there is still a sacred obligation to attend Sunday Mass, even if you are on vacation. Unfortunately, there has been some confusion recently over whether or not a "dispensation" from Sunday Mass has been in effect. Here in the Archdiocese of New York, there has never been a dispensation from Sunday Mass, because no man can "dispense" or set aside a Divine (as opposed to man-made) law. The Third Commandment says, "Remember to keep holy the Sabbath day," and I can no more say that this no longer applies than I can say that we can forget about "Thou shalt not steal" or "Honor thy father and thy mother." To deliberately miss Mass is a sin.

Of course, the Church has always held that there may be some justifiable reasons why a person can miss Mass, including old age, illness, and infirmity; this is still the case. During this pandemic, public Mass was not being celebrated for several months, and when Mass resumed, there was still a possibility of catching or spreading the coronavirus, and individuals could, after carefully consulting their conscience, decide not to return to Mass right away. However, now that vaccination rates are up, Covid-19 restrictions have been lifted, and people are returning to a more normal way of living, this excuse cannot be said to exist any longer. If you're going to the mall, having dinner out in restaurants, heading to the ballgame, visiting the hairdresser, and the like, then you should also be at Mass!

Please be assured of a remembrance in my Mass and prayers during these summer months. Might I ask for a remembrance in yours?

A blessed summer.

Faithfully in Christ,

+ *Tim. Card. Dolan*

†Timothy Michael Cardinal Dolan  
Archbishop of New York



# Our Lady of Pity & St. Anthony of Padua Golden Jackpot

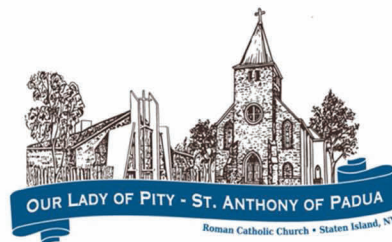
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### Our Lady of Pity

#### Weekday

8:30 am

Monday-Friday

### Saturday

8:00 am

#### Confession

3:45-4:30 PM

5:00 PM

Mass

#### Sunday

8:30 am

10:30 am

12:00 pm

### St. Anthony of Padua

#### Saturday

5:00 PM

#### Sunday

8:00 am

11:00 am

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## Gospel Today

Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time | John 6:41-51

Jesus continues trying to make the people understand, "I am the bread that came down from Heaven". John 6: 41

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### BIBLE WORD SEARCH

Find all the words...  
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## I AM THE BREAD OF



— JOHN 6:48

Jesus  
Living  
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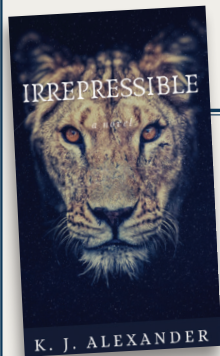
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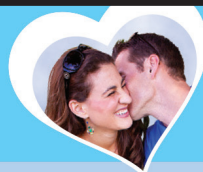
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