

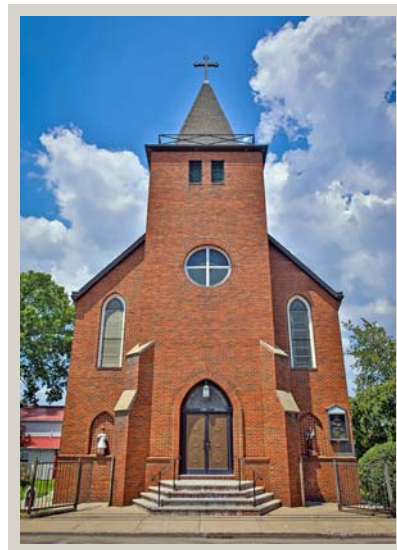


Our Lady of Pity & St. Anthony of Padua Parish

A Community of Faith



January 15, 2023



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All calls or faxes to the above numbers will be automatically routed to the Rectory at Our Lady of Pity & St. Anthony of Padua Church.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Our Lady of Pity ChurchSaturday, 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.

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



SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME ✠ JANUARY 15, 2023

Mass Intentions

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS OUR LADY OF PITY

Saturday 8:00 am 5:00 pm	January 14 th , 2023 Mariana Gallo Esther Castellano (Living)
Sunday 9:00 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	January 15 th , 2023 Jack F. Masso Anna & Giovanni Sciara Virgina Zimmermann & Jean Tomasuolo
Monday 8:30 am	January 16 th , 2023 Bernie & Bernadette Gilligan (Living)
Tuesday 8:30 am	January 17 th , 2023 Leon Sierakowski
Wednesday 8:30 am	January 18 th , 2023 Brian Weeks
Thursday 8:30 am	January 19 th , 2023 Jim & Maureen Deale
Friday 8:30 am	January 20 th , 2023 Jason Weeks
Saturday 8:00 am 5:00 pm	January 21 st , 2023 Maria Colella Joanne Lafaigio
Sunday 8:30 am 10:30 am 12:00 pm	January 22 nd , 2023 Assunta Marra Isidoro Calo Robert Cybyiski

DAILY MASS INTENTIONS ST. ANTHONY OF PADUA

Saturday 5:00 pm	January 14 th , 2023 Deborah Scott <i>Requested by Mark & Nicole</i> Blanchard
Sunday 8:00 am	January 15 th , 2023 Theresa Mathiasen Birthday in Heaven <i>Requested by Family</i> & Marie Tringali <i>Requested by Ruth Kahmann</i>
11:00am	Msgr. Alfred A. Varriale Anniversary in Heaven <i>Requested by Family</i> & Vincent & Rose Infuso <i>Requested by Family</i>
Saturday 5:00 pm	January 21 st , 2023 Kevin Mc Padden Birthday in Heaven <i>Requested by Sue & Anthony</i>
Sunday 8:00 am 11:00am	January 15 th , 2023 Eileen Sullivan Meurer Anniversary in Heaven <i>Requested by Susan Sullivan</i> Rose Infuso <i>Requested by Sue & Paul Wicinski</i>



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, Agnes Mueller, Dayanara Georzette Acevedo, Rusty Amodio, Edward Bach, Ray Beshara, Jeff Beauzil, Isabella Borzumato, Brook Balacco, Joan Lee Cammy, Joann Cavallaro, Gianna Cerullo, Jared Choset, Josephine Cordaro, Alexander Passante, Elsie Cuevas, Dom Dealto, Maureen Dragula, Phyllis Esposito, Danny Fortunato, Vincent Infuso, Frank Maltempi, Fannie Marro, Lillian Miner, Julio Pagan, Ann and Angela Recker, Cheri Rosen, Margaret Ryan Galetto, Annette McGoff, Angie Mendez, Jaclyn Mooney, Valerie Rose, Peter Ruisi, Khadijah Sabir, Gloria Scaglione, John Serri, 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, Eugene LaPeruta, Javier Rivera, Tony Driscoll, Salvatore Gambarella, Lauren Russ, Gerard & Patricia Esposito, Diane Mooney, Angelo Chiapperino, Lewis Reno, John Nelson, Barbara Mikolajczak, Cynthia Russello, Anthony Pelle, Anthony Di Tore, Henry Radd, MaryJane Desalvo, Kathy Carpenito, Providencia Rios, Emma Villiarola, Rosalie Siconolfi, Mackenzie Craven, Lynn Brennan, Teresa Baptista, James Donzella Jr., Salvatore Mazzaro,, Dominick Marro, Ruth Skelton & Edwin Dominguez

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 1st 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

Jacobs Well Food Pantry

Located at Our Lady of Pity

If you need assistance or know someone that does. Please feel free to stop by any Thursday and speak to one of our volunteers.

Food will be distributed every Thursday from 10 am to 12 noon.

Please visit our website at www.jacobsowellfoodpantry.com for food applications and donations and volunteering information.

We continue to encourage all parishioners to assist by donating nonperishable food items at all masses.



Online Giving with OSV

Our Online Giving is getting an upgrade to a newer, easier-to-use platform! If you currently give online, you will soon be receiving an email with instructions on how to log into the new system. Best of all, your existing payment and donation information will be migrated over so you will not have to set up your gifts again! Keep an eye on your email for more information coming very soon.

<https://www.osvhub.com/our-lady-of-pity-rccchurch/funds>

Our Lady of Pity & St. Anthony of Padua Sunshine Club

We are happy to announce that we are forming a sunshine club that reaches out to our homebound church community.

The Sunshine Club Is a unique volunteer program designed to bring cheer and companionship into the lives of local seniors.

If you know anyone who is homebound and/or if you would like to volunteer in this program, please contact Jackie Johnson at 347-409-9197 or Marianna Pastena 917-547-7845 (Eucharistic Minister)

Our Lady of Pity & St. Anthony of Padua Golden Age Club

Our Golden Age Club will be resuming on Tuesday January 10th from 11:30am to 2:30pm.

Parish Office Closed

The Parish office will be closed on Monday January 16th in observance of MLK Day



Gospel: john 1: 29-34

When Jesus visits John, John recognizes Jesus as the “Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world.” John further indicates that Jesus is truly the Messiah and “God’s chosen One.”

SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Isaiah 49:3, 5-6

This reading is a short passage from the second song of the Servant of the Lord. The Lord will show his glory through His servant whose mission is to restore Israel and bring salvation “to the ends of the earth.”

Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:1-3

Paul sends greetings to the people of Corinth, who have been called to be holy and consecrated in Christ.

New Envelope Company Starting August

Mid July, all parishioners who are registered will be receiving new envelopes from our new company Church Budget. If you haven’t received your envelopes sets over the last few months, you may have been removed because no donations have been recorded over the past year. If you wish to be readded, please reach out to the rectory and we will mail you a temp set of envelopes & once we see a record of donation you will get a permanent set.

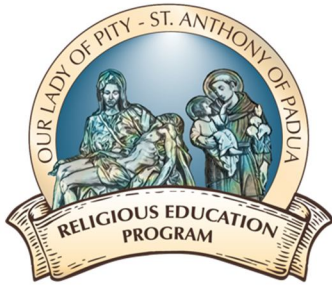
Any questions or concerns, please feel free to reach out to the rectory Monday – Friday 9-5pm

Christmas Wreath Program 2022

Plaques from our Christmas Wreath will be available for pick up in the back of the church starting this weekend. They will be discarded Sunday Feb 5th if they aren’t picked up.

Thank You to all who supported this year!





Diane Becker, CRE

Office: 718-494-0308

**RELIGIOUS ED REGISTRATION IS CLOSED
FOR THIS YEAR!**

EMAIL: dbecker@olopsa.org

Religious Education Classes have begun!

10/4	Tuesday	4-5:30pm	4 th & 5 th Grade
		6-7:30pm	6 th & 7 th Grades
10/5	Wednesday	4-5:30pm	2 nd & 3 rd Grades
10/6	Thursday	4-5:30pm	1 st Grade
		4:15- 5:00pm	Bridge Class

RCIA

A journey in faith

The Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA)

Is a process where you can experience the Catholic faith community. It is an opportunity for questions to be answered and for learning about the teachings and traditions of the Catholic Church. Are you:

- A person who has not been baptized and would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, and become a Catholic?
- A Baptized Christian of another denomination who would like to learn about and join the Catholic tradition?
- A baptized Roman Catholic who has not received Eucharist or confirmation and would like to become a full participant in the life of the Church?

The Christian initiation process offers an environment of support and guidance as you discover God is working in your life. Through RCIA, the Our Lady of Pity- St. Anthony of Padua community can help you fulfill this journey. If you think the RCIA program is for you, and you would like registration information, please email cookvin1@aol.com.

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



May 5th, 2022

Dear Parishioners,

I can't thank those enough who participated so far in our "Buy a Brick Fundraiser" to kick off our 100th Anniversary. To date we were able to raise \$20,000 dollars towards our remodeling of "Our Lady" Shrine by the parish center. We have made it to 50% of our \$40,000 dollar goal. You may continue to drop brick forms off at the rectory. They will be submitted in phases.

The first 110 bricks for Phase 1 have been sent to the engraver and we will announce soon when the unveiling will be in the fall. Stay Tuned! Also, over the next few months we will be holding two more fundraisers to continue the efforts to the beautification of the campus at Our Lady of Pity as well as St. Anthony of Padua in Travis. The next two fundraising events that will be kicked off in the fall are:

1. **The Path to the Station of the Cross** at Our Lady of Pity & St. Anthony of Padua.
 - a. \$500.00 donation to dedicate a station as a family or in memory of a loved one.
2. **Missallettes**- Both worship sites will be getting updated permeant missals that will be in the church. You can dedicate a missal as a family, to a loved one or in memory of someone.
 - a. \$50.00 donation per missal dedicated.

If there are any questions regarding fundraising or the 100th Anniversary of Our Lady of Pity, contact Frank Marchese at fmarchese@olops.org.

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