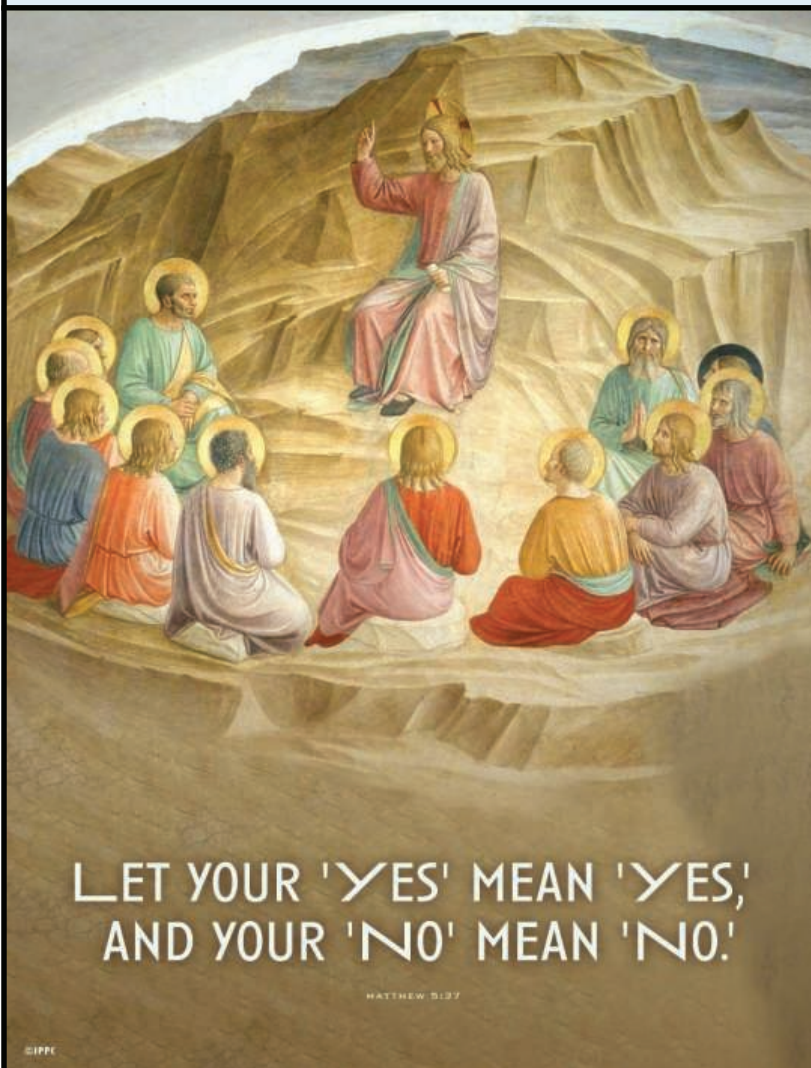


Sacred Heart—Our Lady of Pompeii Parish



Sunday, February 12, 2023

Mass Schedule

Saturday	5:00pm	SH
Sunday	9:00am	SH
	10:15am	OLP
	11:00am	SH
	5:00pm	OLP

Mon-Fri	8:30am	SH	
Mon, Wed, Fri	7:30am	OLP	<i>Sept-June</i>

Confessions

Saturday, 4:00-4:45pm (SH)

Adoration and Benediction

First Thursdays, 7:00pm (OLP) *Sept-June*



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Rev. Christopher W. Monturo, Pastor

Rev. Fidelis H. Oppong, Parochial Vicar

Rev. Jude Egbiji, Weekday Associate

Rev. Peter G. Philominraj, Associate

Rev. Timothy Scannell, Pastor Emeritus

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Sacred Heart Church

417 Broadway, Dobbs Ferry, NY 10522

Our Lady of Pompeii Church

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Sacred Heart Church

Sat, Feb 11	5:00pm	Manuel Docoito (2 nd Anniv)
Sun, Feb 12	9:00am	Our Parishioners
	11:00am	Louis Ferrer
Mon, Feb 13	8:30am	Jason Burceuski (living); Noel-Ann D'Ablemont-Smith (living)
Tue, Feb 14	8:30am	Francis and Peter Rachich; Patrick Glennon (4 th Anniv)
Wed, Feb 15	8:30am	Courtney & Nicolette Burceuski (living); Noel-Ann D'Ablemont-Smith (living)
Thu, Feb 16	8:30am	Deceased members of the Johnston Family
Fri, Feb 17	8:30am	Phyllis Surina
Sat, Feb 18	5:00pm	Cathy Bonadies
Sun, Feb 19	9:00am	Our Parishioners
	11:00am	Julio Broa Gonzales



Our Lady of Pompeii Church

Sun, Feb 12	10:15am	Gloria Jean Conn
	5:00pm	Kathleen Ball
Mon, Feb 13	7:30am	Federico Quiroga
Wed, Feb 15	7:30am	Dr. John J. Delfino
Fri, Feb 17	7:30am	Felicita Garcia Coniconde
Sun, Feb 19	10:15am	Gloria Conn
	5:00pm	Serafina Giliberti

OFFICE HOURS

The Parish Office will be closed on Monday,
February 20th for President's Day.



Memorial Altar Gifts Sacred Heart Church: The Sanctuary Lamp, Bread and Wine are a gift of Mary Glennon and Family in memory of Patrick Glennon.

Our Lady of Pompeii Church: The Sanctuary Lamp, Bread and Wine are a gift of Marie Knecht in memory of Gloria Jean Conn.



Memorial Bells On Tuesday, February 14th, the 12pm and 6pm bells at Sacred Heart are ringing in loving memory of Patrick Glennon, a gift of Mary Glennon and Family.

INCLEMENT WEATHER INFORMATION



When there is a dangerous amount of snow or ice on the roads, and the Public Schools are closed or delayed, weekday morning Masses at Our Lady of Pompeii and Sacred Heart will be cancelled for the safety of all who attend as well as that of the priests. Cancellations will be posted as early as possible. The Mass Intentions for any cancelled Mass will be rescheduled.



Joan and Peter Halpin, Walker Farrington, Jacqueline Maloney, Mary Callaghan, Gloria Komer, Jackie Dale, James Dale, Mary Mandry, Rich Marotte, Mary Fay, Anthony Rizzo, Maria Tirico, Alan Oehrig, Patricia Barrett, Mary Smith, Joe Singleton, Peri Maldonado, Judy Klein, Fr. Edmund Tillekeratne, Nicole DiVico, Graziella D' Alessio, Cathy Panella, Clif Thoesen, John Choriatis, Marcia, Edith Vano-Wren, Vincent Garofalo, Tiffani Loughnane, David Taweel, Robert Majoros, Kenneth Henderson, Angela Sinnott, Dominic Lupica, Charles Mason, Joselyn Muñoz, Nadia Gasparic, Aidan Duver, Deborah Becerra, Diana Pearce, Suzanne Troy, Peg Coffey, Kay Dolan, Megan Sporny, Tom Hartmann, Anthony Staiano.

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Collection for weekend of February 5:	\$9,047.88
Catholic Education:	\$1,005.00
Children's Collection:	\$61.00
Total for the weekend:	\$10,113.88

The Peter's Pence Collection this week supports the Universal Church and the work of the Holy See, including helping Pope Francis to carry out his charitable works. For more information, visit www.usccb.org/peters-pence. Thank you for your generosity.



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From the Pastor



Jesus said to his disciples: “I tell you, unless your righteousness surpasses that of the scribes and Pharisees, you will not enter the kingdom of heaven.” Matthew 5:20–22

The scribes and Pharisees were masters of the Old Law. Now that the Messiah had arrived, they were unwilling to go deeper and move beyond the Old Testament teachings that they often misrepresented. They preferred a black-and-white approach to morality that had been with them for centuries and did not want to change when presented with Jesus’ new and higher calling.

Today’s Gospel continues the Sermon on the Mount, which began with the Beatitudes. In today’s portion of Jesus’ sermon, we are taught about anger, adultery, and oaths. In every case, Jesus refers to the Law as it was taught in the Old Testament but then elevates it to an entirely new level. The quote above makes it clear that to accept these new teachings of Jesus, one had to surpass the “righteousness” of the scribes and Pharisees. And the dire consequence of not surpassing their righteousness would be the loss of the Kingdom of Heaven.

Jesus begins by recalling the Old Testament commandment, “You shall not kill,” then He takes that commandment further by saying that “whoever is angry with his brother will be liable to judgment.” Of course, killing remains a grave sin. But now Jesus explains that the interior attitude of anger, if allowed to grow, can lead to sin. He goes on to teach a similar lesson about adultery and swearing oaths.

It is helpful to understand these new teachings in the context of the approach that the scribes and Pharisees took in regard to the Old Testament. About that, Jesus says, “Do not think that I have come to abolish the law or the prophets. I have come not to abolish but to fulfill.” Thus, the primary problem with the scribes and Pharisees is not that they failed to teach the Old Testament Law properly. The primary problem is that now that the Messiah has arrived and has ushered in a new time of fulfillment and righteousness, they would not go deeper and would not embrace the fulfillment of the Law of God. They are not willing to grow in holiness and embrace the fulfillment of all that had been taught before.

We are all called to our Lord’s new and glorious teachings. If you are to truly embrace the Gospel of our Lord and live in His New Law of grace, then you must be willing to become truly radical in your faith, and allow God to transform every part of your life. The New Law is one of the fullness of love, mercy, surrender, zeal, conversion, and transformation. Commit yourself to surpassing the old and limited righteousness of the scribes and Pharisees, and God will do glorious things in your life.

Have a blessed week!

Reverend Christopher Monturo

Farewell

Father Fidelis Oppong will be leaving us on Friday, February 24th to return to his native Ghana to assume a new assignment in his Diocese there. As we say farewell we do so with a great sense of gratitude in our hearts for all Father Fidelis has done for us and the many ways he has used his unique and varied gifts to enrich our lives and our parish with his presence these past 4 years. Sacred Heart and Our Lady of Pompeii will always be his “home away from home”. We certainly pray that in the future Father Fidelis will be able to come back to visit us again. Until then we accompany him with our prayers and our love.

Please join us on **Sunday, February 19th at the 11am Mass**
in Sacred Heart Church with a reception to follow in Oussani Hall to thank Father Fidelis
for his service and dedication to our parish these past four years.
God bless you Father Fidelis and Thank you!



Sacred Heart—Our Lady of Pompeii Parish

LENTEN EVENING OF REFLECTION

Sponsored by the Office of Family Life—Archdiocese of New York



All clergy, religious, and families of the Archdiocese are invited to attend this evening of evening prayer, music, reflection, and fellowship. This is an opportunity to pause and spend time with our Lord.

Thursday, March 2, 2023 | 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Church of the Transfiguration
268 S Broadway, Tarrytown, NY 10591

To register, please go to adnylentenreflection.eventbrite.com

ANNOUNCING WORLD MARRIAGE DAY Sunday, February 12, 2023

**NATIONAL
MARRIAGE WEEK**
February 7–14, 2023



*The Office of Family Life
invites the entire parish
to celebrate!*

This year's theme, "Marriage: One Flesh, Given and Received," highlights the union of husband and wife that is willed by God. It also indicates the personal self-gift of each spouse. These concepts point to Christ, who gives Himself under the appearance of bread and wine – as real flesh and blood – in the Eucharist.

Special celebrations for World Marriage Day will take place throughout the Archdiocese of New York. The parishes listed here will join in a special way the Office of Family Life to highlight the vocation of marriage.

ST. ANN CHURCH
25 Eastern Ave. | Ossining
12:30 PM Mass in Spanish | Fellowship to follow

OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL CHURCH
627 E. 187th St. | Bronx
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ST. VINCENT FERRER CHURCH
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9:30 AM and 12:00 PM Masses in English | Fellowship to follow

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466 Tompkins Ave. | Staten Island
12:00 PM Mass in English | Fellowship to follow

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26 Still Rd. | Monroe
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TRANSFIGURATION PARISH
268 South Broadway | Tarrytown
12:00 PM Mass in English | Fellowship to follow

Please visit our website at archny.org/family-life/archdiocesan-marriage-enrichment-offerings for resources regarding World Marriage Day and National Marriage Week.



February is the Month of the Holy Family. Enjoy free Catholic programming for all ages, highlighting the Holy Family on **FORMED.org**

Click "Sign up as a Parishioner", select our parish by name or by zip code, **Enter your name** and **email** to start watching



Adult Choir: Wednesdays, 7PM
Cherub Choir: Thursdays, 4PM
in Sacred Heart Church

Volunteers are needed to help Father Jude minister to the Incarcerated at the Westchester Department of Correction. The areas include **Liturgy of the Word, Holy Communion, Bible studies** and **Music**. Please contact Fr. Jude at 914-631-5940 if you can assist in this capacity.

Upcoming Events — view full parish calendar at sh-olp.com/calendar-1

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Feb 12 <i>Peter's Pence</i>	Feb 13 1:00pm Sodality Mtg, OH	Feb 14	Feb 15 7:00pm Adult Choir, SH	Feb 16 4pm Cherub Choir SH 7:30pm Rel Ed Staff Mtg	Feb 17	Feb 18
Feb 19 <i>Food for Hungry</i> 11:00am Farewell Mass for Father Fidelis with reception in OH	Feb 20 <i>Office Closed</i> <i>No Religious Ed Classes</i>	Feb 21 <i>No Religious Ed Classes</i>	Feb 22 <i>Ash Wednesday</i> See bulletin for Service Schedule <i>No Religious Ed Classes</i> 7:00pm Adult Choir, SH	Feb 23 4pm Cherub Choir SH 7pm Stations OLP	Feb 24 7:30pm Stations SH	Feb 25
Feb 26 <i>Restoration</i>	Feb 27	Feb 28	Mar 1 7:00pm Adult Choir, SH	Mar 2 4pm Cherub Choir SH 7pm Stations OLP	Mar 3 7:30pm Stations SH	Mar 4

Piano Lessons with our Director of Music



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First

RECONCILIATION

Congratulations to our 2nd graders who received the Sacrament of Reconciliation on Saturday, Feb 11th. Please keep them in your prayers as they continue their preparation for First Holy Communion.



Lenten
preparation

As Ash Wednesday approaches, make a point of sitting down and give some thought to how you want to spend this Lent.

There are three holy practices which Catholics are called to embrace in penitential seasons such as Lent and Advent. These three practices are prayer, fasting, and almsgiving.

When you make your Lenten plan, choose something specific from each category—and you're set for a grace-filled journey to Easter.



February 22, 2023

A day of fasting and abstinence

MASSES (with Distribution of Ashes):

7:30am Our Lady of Pompeii Church

8:30am Sacred Heart Church

LITURGICAL Service with Distribution of Ashes:

12:10pm Sacred Heart Church

3:00pm Sacred Heart Church

7:30pm Sacred Heart Church

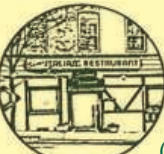


Ladies of Sodality February Meeting

The Ladies of Sodality
will meet on
Monday, February 13th at
1:00pm
in Oussani Hall

Altar Guild *Our Lady of Pompeii Church* **Meeting**

The Altar Guild will meet on
Monday, February 20th at 7:00pm
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