

THE ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH OF
St. Matthew & Our Lady of Perpetual Help



Church of St. Matthew
 616 Warburton Avenue
 Hastings on Hudson, NY 10706
 Rectory.....914-478-2822



Our Lady of Perpetual Help
 535 Ashford Avenue
 Ardsley, NY 10502
 www.stmolph.com

February 12, 2023 • Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Clergy

Rev. Douglas Crawford.....*Pastor*
 Rev. Nicholas Nwagwu.....*Chaplain, St. John Riverside Hospital*
 Rev. Thomas Kelly.....*Weekend Associate*

Sacrament of Baptism

Catechetical Instruction for the parents is required. The date for baptism should be scheduled in advance. Please contact the Rectory.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Arranged 6 months in advance. Please contact the rectory and speak with a Priest before any deposit is made for the wedding reception.

Anointing & Last Rites

Call the rectory at any time.

Religious Education Program

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Mass Schedule

Daily Mass: Monday - Saturday

St. Matthew.....9:00 am
 OLPH.....8:00 am

Saturday Vigil Mass for Sunday

St. Matthew 4:00 pm
 OLPH5:30 pm

Sunday

St. Matthew.....8:30 am & 11:30 am
 OLPH.....10:00 am

Holy Day Mass

Check the Parish Bulletin for schedule.

Sacrament of Penance: Saturday

OLPH4:30 - 5:15pm
 St. Matthew.....3:00 - 3:45 pm

Prayers & Novena

Miraculous Medal Novena

(St. Matthew) Monday after the 9:00 am Mass

Rosary (OLPH): First Saturday of the month immediately following the Mass

Holy Hour & Exposition

(St. Matthew) Friday between 9:30 am - 10:30 am

Mass Intentions

ST. MATTHEW'S CHURCH

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

4:00 pm James Hicks †

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

8:30 am Msgr. Edward McCorry †

11:30 am Richard Quane †

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13

9:00 am Margaret Keaney †

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

9:00 am Charles Corbett †

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

9:00 am Mona Lessner †

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16

9:00 am Raymond Juca †

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17

9:00 am Ian Christie †

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18

9:00 am Wendy Kashuba †

4:00 pm Genevieve & Frank Tarant †

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19

8:30 am Margaret Keaney †

11:30 am Joseph Pennini †

REQUESTED BY:

Powers Family

Parish

George Febles & Family

Her Brother

Paulette Damiano

Virginia

Rosa

Maureen Ribeiro

Rosario Macri

Daughter Gene

Anthony & Nancy Gagliardi

Chas. & Elizabeth Pollard

OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP CHURCH

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11

5:30 pm Special Intention for Rivera Boys (L)

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12

10:00 am Joseph Vellone †

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 13

8:00 am Misa Pro Populo

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 14

8:00 am Maureen Tierney †

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 15

8:00 am Mike Murphy †

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16

8:00 am Living & Deceased Members
of the Morisseau Family

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17

8:00 am Antonio Ybay †

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18

8:00 am Mary Drumm †

5:30 pm Arthur Beckett †

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19

10:00 am Josie & Tony Gagliano †

REQUESTED BY:

Bernadette Machowski

Linda Vellone & Ann Torrieri

McCarthy Family

His Sister

Linda Spagnuolo

Ybay Family

Family

Wife Annette

Camille Gutierrez



**Don't Forget a
Loved One:**

**The Mass Book
and Mass
Intentions Online
is open for 2023.**

If you are interested
in having a Mass or
the Tabernacle
Candle burn in
memory of a special
someone, please call
the rectory.

February 12, 2023 - 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I: Sirach 15: 15-20

Here we have a forthright affirmation of man's free will. Yet God is still the First Cause of all activity in the world.

Reading II: I Corinthians 2: 6-10

Christ crucified and risen is the wisdom of God. The Holy Spirit gifts us with the wisdom to see what "eye has not seen, which is what God has prepared for those who love Him."

The Gospel: Matthew 5: 17-37

The Law was thought to be the summary of all wisdom, human and divine. But Our Lord Jesus could not accept that conclusion as the last word. But Jesus could not accept that conclusion because He knew that He was the Law's fulfillment.

READING FOR THE WEEK



Monday: Gn 4:1-15, 25; Ps 50:1, 8, 16bc-17, 20-21; Mk 8:11-13

Tuesday: Gn 6:5-8; 7:1-5, 10; Ps 29:1a, 2, 3ac-4, 3b, 9c-10; Mk 8:14-21

Wednesday: Gn 8:6-13, 20-22; Ps 116:12-13, 14-15, 18-19; Mk 8:22-26

Thursday: Gn 9:1-13; Ps 102:16-18, 19-21, 29, 22-23; Mk 8:27-33

Friday: Gn 11:1-9; Ps 33:10-11, 12-13, 14-15; Mk 8:34 — 9:1

Saturday: Heb 11:1-7; Ps 145:2-3, 4-5, 10-11; Mk 9:2-13

Sunday: Lv 19:1-2, 17-18; Ps 103:1-2, 3-4, 8, 10, 12-13; 1 Cor 3:16-23; Mt 5:38-48



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ANNUAL STEWARDSHIP APPEAL

Sharing God's Gifts Throughout
the Archdiocese of New York



St. Matthew &

Our Lady of Perpetual Help 2023

Scan the QR Code above to make your donation online, or you can send a check via: mail/collection basket/or bring it to the rectory.



COLLECTION REPORT:

February 5th Weekend Summary:

Mailed: \$1,775

Sunday 2/5 \$2,859

Parish Giving 2/5: \$2,435

Total for Weekend: \$7,069

Upcoming 2nd Collections:

2/12 - Peter's Pence

2/19 - Fuel Offering

2/26 - Maintenance & Repairs

Thank you to **116** parishioners who regularly give monthly via Parish Giving!
Won't you join too?

You can click on the Parish Giving Link or scan the QR code to take you directly to our Parish Giving page.



MONTHLY SUMMARY - DECEMBER 2022

Income:

Collections and Candles: \$37,343

Rental \$30,230

Fundraising \$5,198

Total: \$70,771

Expenses: \$108,567

December Net Loss: (\$35,796)



Thank you to those make up their missed collections.

Your dedication to the parish is greatly appreciated.

Support Our Parish

We rely on the generosity of parishioners and visitors in order for our Parish to thrive. We would not be able to fulfill our mission without your financial support.

Also, please remember St. Matthew-Our Lady of Perpetual Help in your Will or Living Trust. Kindly contact the rectory office with your inquiries.



Please keep in your prayers the ill of our parish especially: Kristin Harkin, Rev. Alexander Agyepong, Ava DiBenedetto, Catherine Paretti, Antoinette Beckett

And for those who have died marked by the sign of faith, especially:

If you know of any parishioner who are ill and would like to be visited by a priest, please contact the rectory at 914-478-2822. Please feel free to call the rectory to add names of immediate family members at any time.



Brian Dunne-USN,
Christopher Gaulin-USA,
George Moore-USN,
Michael Germain-USN,
Michael Parton-USN,
Peter Dillon-USCG, Chris Minozzi-USMC,
Sean Roth-USA, Mike Gibbons-USMC
Nick Lumalcuri - USN

CANDLE DEDICATIONS

St. Matthew Blessed Mother

In Memory of Janet Dean

req. by Family

OLPH Tabernacle Candle

In Memory of Margaret Wilmoth

req. by Family



Religious Education Class
will be held on:
Wednesday, February 15th

**Classes will be on Winter Break on
February 19th & 22nd**

Ash Wednesday February 22nd



Ashes will be distributed **during** the Masses & Services on Wednesday, February 22nd.

The schedule will be as follows:

Our Lady of Perpetual Help:

8 am Mass - 6:30pm Service

St. Matthew:

9:00am Mass - 3:00pm Service - 6:30pm Mass

LENTEN FASTING & ABSTINENCE: Ash Wednesday begins the 40 day preparation for Easter. Ash Wednesday & Good Friday are obligatory days of **Fasting and Abstinence** for Catholics. In addition, Fridays during Lent are obligatory days of abstinence from meat. For members of the Catholic Church, the norms on fasting are obligatory from age 18 - 59.



Fridays During Lent

St. Matthew: 7:00 pm

St. Patrick's Party – March 19th

We will be having our St. Patrick's Party and look forward to celebrating with everyone.
Join us and celebrate the Patron Saint of the Archdiocese.

When: Sunday, March 19th from 2:00 - 6:00pm
Where: Our Lady of Perpetual Help School Gym
1 Cross Road • Ardsley

Reservations and Payment are Required in Advance

RESERVATION DEADLINE: MARCH 14th

\$25 per Adult • \$60 per Family (up to 4)
\$20 each additional Family Member

Sign Up with Flocknote: (click link below):
<https://stmolph.flocknote.com/signup/113299>

Reservation Options:

Sign up via Flocknote (link above),
fill out the form below and return it to the rectory,
email: office@stmolph.com
or call the rectory: 914-478-2822

RESERVATION FORM for ST. PATRICK'S PARTY

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Total Number Attending: _____

\$25 per adult

\$60 for a Family up to 4 people

\$20 each additional family member

Adults: _____ # Family Members: _____

Payments should be sent to the rectory by March 14th

Names of those attending:

Welcome New Parishioners

We want to take a moment and welcome the following new parishioners and those parishioners who have officially registered:

Abraham & Barbara Gonzalez-Alarcon

Michelle & Sean Campbell

Jennifer & Michael DeSimone

Emily & Paul Lewis

Susan & Anthony Stragio

Jason Badrinarain & Rosie Puthiyamadam

Andrea Andrade-Phirmis

Therese & Dennis Dempsey

Alvin Joseph

Poojan Prabhu

Valbona & James Tolve

Patricia Ormerod

Emily Barcliffe

Janine & Scott Jacobs

Victoria & David Kozlow

Marie Sanzone

Jamie & Paul Vicari

Carol Ann Woods

Just because you have been attending Mass for years, or that your children attend Religious Education, this does not mean that you are registered with the parish. What are the benefits of registration? Glad you asked!

Benefits of Parish Registration:

1. Registered parishioners can receive important communications from the parish throughout the year, including Christmas and Easter schedules.
2. Registered parishioners are able to participate in the parish's CYO Basketball and Religious Education programs.
3. Registered parishioners are able to receive a verification certificate to be a Confirmation sponsor or Godparent.
4. Registered parishioners have the option to receive offertory envelopes and track contributions for tax purposes.
5. The parish has your information for Communion calls, if you are ill or immobile, or for making hospital visits when requested.
6. The parish census numbers are a tool used by the Archdiocese to determine how many priests are assigned to the parish, what benefits accrue for the parish and what obligations are owed by the parish.

Registration forms can be found on the parish website: www.stmolph.com or contact the rectory.



Being prepared / Klondike Derby tests Scouts' Knowledge, Survival Skills.

A Klondike derby is an annual event held by the Boy Scouts of America during the winter months and is based on the heritage of the Klondike Gold Rush. Ever since 1949... the typical Klondike derby consists of several stations where patrols/units must test their Scoutcraft skills and their leadership abilities, earning points towards a total score.



Boy Scout Troops 3 & 5303



Boy Scouts Troops 3 & 5303 and Girl Scout Troop 2579 attended a Mock Trial with the Mayor of Ardsley, Nancy Kaboolian, and Judge David Rifas and Judge John Morehouse. The Boy Scouts were working toward earning the Citizenship in the Community Eagle Merit Badge. The Girl Scouts were working toward earning the Democracy Badge.