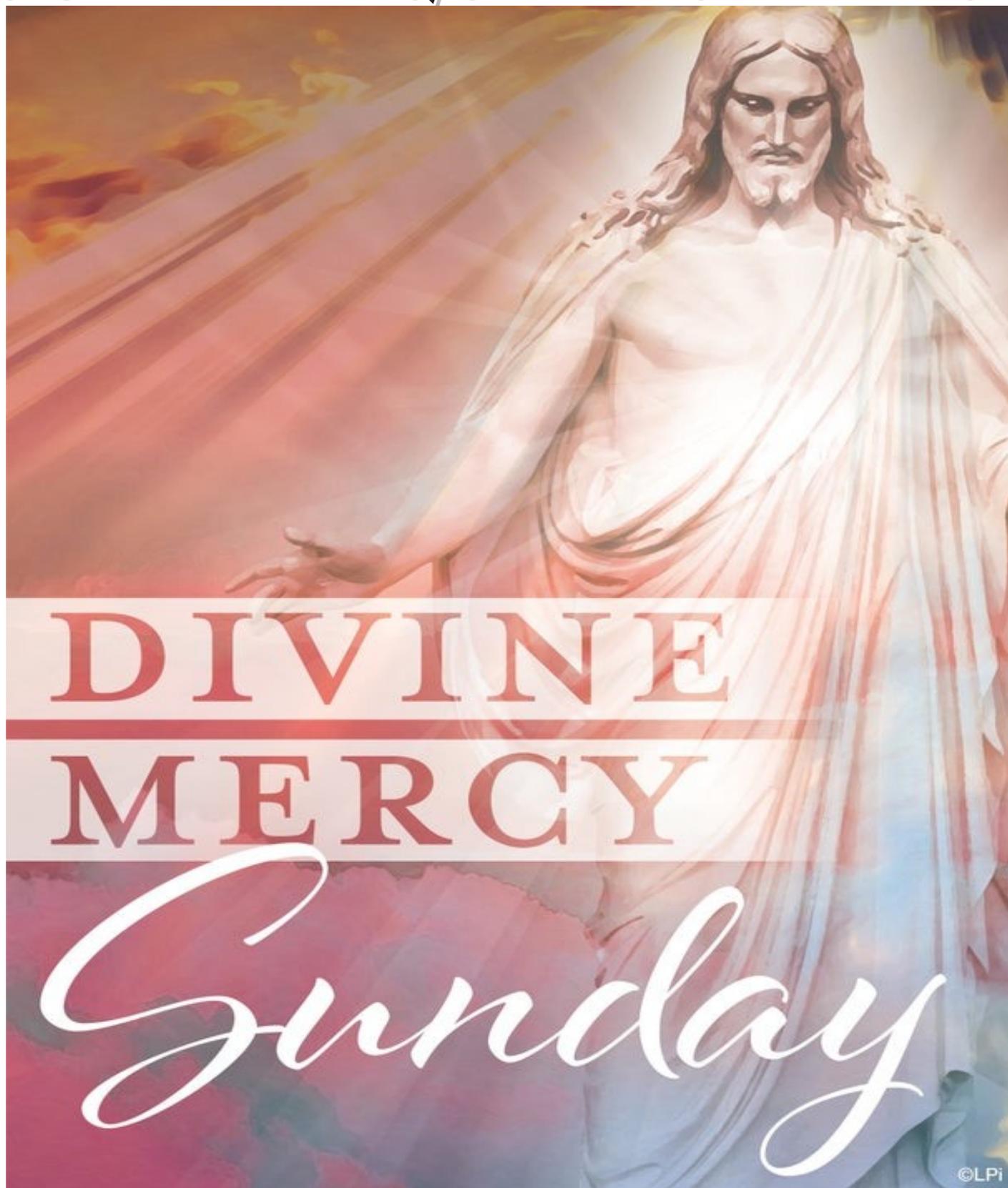


OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE



We come together as a community of faith to celebrate with praise and joy!

90 Third Street, New Dorp, Staten Island, N.Y. 10306

ABOUT OUR PARISH

WORSHIP

Mass Schedule

Saturday Evening4:00 pm
Sunday7:00, 9:00, 11:00 am,
10:00 am at Our Lady of Lourdes

Weekdays

Monday through Friday8:00 am

Holy Days of Obligation

Eve of Holy Day 7:00 pm
Holy Day..... 8:00, 12:00 noon
At Our Lady of Lourdes 7:00 pm
Cedar Grove Avenue

SERVED BY

Rev. Dominic Thomas.....*Pastor*
Rev. Sujan Joseph.....*Parochial Vicar*
Deacon Thomas Finnerty.....*Administrative Assistant*
Dee Caraballo.....*Director of Music Ministry*
Mrs. Denise Hall-Clarke.....*Secretary*
Terence Hurson.....*Trustee*
Richard F. McCahey.....*Trustee*

CHURCH & RECTORY

90 Third Street, New Dorp, Staten Island, N.Y.
Office hours: Monday to Friday 8:30 am to 2:00 pm
718-351-1093 | Fax 718-351-1784 | olqpchurch.org
Email: olqpchurch@verizon.net

SCHOOL-Our Lady Queen of Peace
22 Steele Avenue | 718-351-0370 | olqpsi.com
Mrs. Margaret O'Connor, Principal
RELIGIOUS EDUCATION
Mrs. Barbara Orleman | 718-979-0989

Create a Gift That Pays You and Leave a Legacy for Your Parish

Create an additional source of secure retirement income, while providing for Our Lady Queen of Peace and Our Lady of Lourdes. To learn more, please call a gift planning specialist at (646)794-3317 or email: plannedgiving@archny.org.

PARISH ASSOCIATIONS

Holy Name Society/Father's Club - 8:00pm, First Monday after Second Sunday (Fr. Hopkins Hall)
Rosary & Altar Society (OLQP) - First Sunday following 9:00am Mass
Rosary & Altar Society (OLL) - 7:30pm Eve of First Friday (KofC Hall)
Sports Program - Olympic League, CYO, 8:00pm third Monday



VISITS TO THE SICK AND HOMEBOUND

Please contact the rectory if you know of anyone who is sick at home or in the hospital and or homebound who would like a visit from one of the priests or deacons at Our Lady Queen of Peace Church. Please call 718-351-1093 or email: olqpchurch@verizon.net

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM

Sundays during Mass. Scheduling should be made as early as possible, to allow the parents to attend the preparation meetings

RECONCILIATION

Monday - Friday | 7:30am-8:00am
Saturday | 3:00pm-3:30pm
(Our Lady of Lourdes) Sunday | Before 10:00am Mass (Our Lady of Lourdes)

MATRIMONY

The Catholic Church takes preparation for the Sacrament of Matrimony very seriously. Please contact the rectory at least one year in advance of the wedding to schedule an appointment with one of the Parish priests. Participation in the Marriage Preparation Program offered.

ANOIDNTING OF THE SICK

The fourth Saturday of each month after the 4:00pm mass and on **First Fridays at 7pm Mass.**

DEVOTIONS

Miraculous Medal | After morning Mass
Novena to St. Joseph | Wednesday after morning Mass
Novena to St. Peregrine | Thursday after morning Mass
Novena to the Sacred Heart | Friday after morning Mass
Divine Mercy | 7:30am on week Days
Our Lady of Fatima Rosary | After morning Mass
Legion of Mary | Thursday 7:00pm
Cenacle of Life Prayer Group | Friday 4:00pm
Charismatic Prayer Group | Second Friday of the month, 7:30pm
Eucharist Adoration | Monday through Friday 7:00am-8:00am
First Fridays | 8:00am-6:00pm Common Holy Hour and Confession | 6:00pm-7:00pm Healing Mass | First Friday of the month, 7:00pm Confessions are being heard on week Days from 7am to 7:45am.



HAPPENING THIS WEEK



The Octave, or eighth day, of Easter has always been considered special by Christians. Christ, after His Resurrection, revealed Himself to His disciples, but Saint Thomas wasn't with them. He declared that he would never believe that Christ had risen from the dead until he could see Him in the flesh and probe Christ's wounds with his own hands.

This earned him the name "Doubting Thomas."

A week after Christ rose from the dead, He appeared once again to His disciples, and this time Thomas was there. His doubt was vanquished, and he professed His belief in Christ.

Nineteen centuries later, Christ appeared to a Polish nun, Sr. Maria Faustina Kowalska, in a series of visions that took place over almost eight years.

Among those visions, Christ revealed the Divine Mercy Novena, which He asked Sister Faustina to pray for nine days, beginning on Good Friday. That meant that the novena ended on the Saturday after Easter—the eve of the Octave of Easter. Thus, since novenas are commonly prayed in advance of a feast, the Feast of Divine Mercy—Divine Mercy Sunday—was born.

Indulgences for Divine Mercy Sunday

A plenary indulgence (the forgiveness of all temporal punishment resulting from sins that have already been confessed) is granted on the Feast of Divine Mercy if to all the faithful who go to Confession, receive Holy Communion, pray for the intentions of the Holy Father, and "in any church or chapel, in a spirit that is completely detached from the affection for a sin, even a venial sin, take part in the prayers and devotions held in honor of Divine Mercy, or who, in the presence of the Blessed Sacrament exposed or reserved in the tabernacle, recite the Our Father and the Creed, adding a devout prayer to the merciful Lord Jesus (e.g. 'Merciful Jesus, I trust in you!')."

A partial indulgence (the remission of some temporal punishment from sin) is granted to the faithful "who, at least with a contrite heart, pray to the merciful Lord Jesus a legitimately approved invocation."

O greatly merciful God, Infinite Goodness, today all mankind calls out from the abyss of its misery to your mercy, to your compassion, O God; and it is with a mighty voice of misery that it cries out. Gracious God, do not reject the prayer of this earth's exiles! O Lord, goodness beyond our understanding, who are acquainted with our misery through and through and know that by our own power we cannot ascend to you, we implore you: fill us with your grace and keep on increasing your mercy in us, that we may faithfully do your holy will all through our lives and at the hour of death. Let the omnipotence of your mercy shield us from the darts of our salvation's enemies, that we may with confidence, as your children, await your final coming....

O Jesus, I want to live in the present moment, to live as if this were the last day of my life. I want to use every moment scrupulously for the greater glory of God, to use every circumstance for the benefit of my soul. I want to look upon everything from the point of view that nothing happens without the will of God. God of unfathomable mercy, embrace the whole world and pour yourself out upon us through the merciful Heart of Jesus.

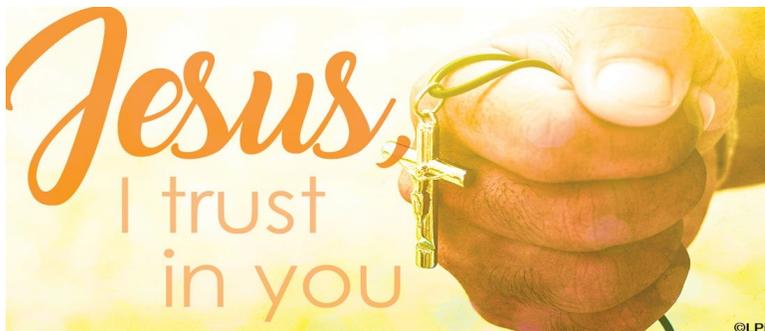
Saint Faustina Kowalska

How to pray the Chaplet of Divine Mercy

Begin the chaplet of Divine Mercy with the **Sign of the Cross**, pray once **The Our Father**, **The Hail Mary** and **Say the Apostles' Creed**.

Then pray once before each decade (five decades in total) the following prayer: **Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world. Amen.** Followed by ten times, "For the sake of His Sorrowful Passion, have mercy on us and on the whole world."

Say the following concluding prayer three times after the fifth decade: **Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Immortal One, have mercy on us and on the whole world.** End with the **Sign of the Cross**



We'd like to Connect with you!

Get important updates from the parish in a timely and convenient way. This new tool we're using lets you choose what info you'd like to receive – via email or text message – from the various ministries and groups in the parish. You can unsubscribe any time.

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WORSHIP TOGETHER

TODAY'S READING FIRST READING

Luke tells us of the success and healing power of the apostles in the Jerusalem church in the early days, weeks, and months following Jesus' resurrection. Where do you see this level of enthusiasm for the faith today?

SECOND READING

The resurrected Jesus appears to John on the island of Patmos during his exile for bearing witness to the faith. In this encounter, John is initially fearful but then reassured by Jesus. When have you turned to Jesus in moments of fear in your life?

GOSPEL

The apostle Thomas challenges his fellow apostles about the reality of Jesus' resurrection, seeking direct evidenced from Jesus himself. How often do you encounter fellow believers who are skeptical in their faith? ©LPI



Mass INTENTIONS

Monday, April 25—St. Mark, Evangelist

8:00AM † Dr. Alvaro Rodriguez

Tuesday, April 26

8:00AM † Peter Petosa

Wednesday, April 27

**8:00AM † Johanna Brodick,
John & Carmela Bosso**

Thursday, April 28—St. Peter Chanel, Priest & Martyr; St. Louis Grignion de Montfort, Priest

8:00AM † Anna Assa, Marie Nobile

Friday, April 29—St. Catherine of Siena, Virgin and Doctor of the Church

8:00AM † Desiree Norton

Saturday, April 30—St. Pius V, Pope

8:00PM † Ann Murray, Marie & Sam Camporle

Sunday, May 1—3rd Sunday of Easter

7:00AM † People of the Parish

9:00AM † Peter P. Romano, Marybeth McCue

10:00AM OLL † People of the Parish

11:00AM † Maria Riggio, Paul Mancini



PRAY FOR OUR SICK

Tara LaBarca, Baby Gabriel, Gallagher, Riyan Richard, Blythe Finn, Rose

Bierbaum, DMM, Charles Pomeroy, Peter Orleman, Anthony Pelle, Jr., Danielle Quattrocchi, Sharonlee Davino, Helena Elsa Allen, Alyssa K, Baby Riley, Peter Bellina, Jr., Christina Grigoli, JoAnn Behrens, Melanie Chang., Shalini D'Souza, Jim Casper.

2022 Cardinal's Appeal

The 2022 Annual Cardinal's Appeal is up and running. All our Parishioners are sent Cardinal's Appeal request envelopes from the Archdiocese. Please prayerfully consider your gift. Please make checks payable to The Cardinal's Appeal and remember to include the Parish #307.

Our Goal: \$84,000.00

Pledge to date: \$71,133.00

Paid to date: \$60,208.00 # of Gifts: 204

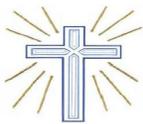
PARISH STEWARDSHIP

We are grateful to all who contribute so generously each week, thank you for your support! We do recommend that you use parish envelopes or Weshare. Please call the rectory to register.

April 10th

Sunday Collection	\$9,438.00
Shrine Candles	\$147.00

Thank you for your generosity.



Rest In Peace

Eternal rest grant unto their souls, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May the souls of the faithful departed rest in peace. Amen.

Julio Enrique Alicea

FATHER GANNON SCHOLARSHI FUND

This Fund helps students who attend OLQP School to remain in school when their family suffers a long term set back. Please make checks payable to: **OLQP/ Father Gannon Scholarship Fund.**



First Friday's Healing Mass

All are invited. Adoration after the 8AM Mass, Common Holy Hour at 6pm, priests are available for confessions. Healing Mass at 7:00PM—Here at Our Lady Queen of Peace.

SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (DIVINE MERCY)



Easter Flower Offering

Easter flower donations have been made in memory of their loved ones by the following:

Mr. & Mrs. Henry Majewski, Carol Ann Cangro, Mrs. Dolores Higgins, Mr. & Mrs. Michael Ansbro, The Drazek & Morawski Family, Mr. & Mrs. Ray Cabrera, Mr. & Mrs. Danny Vasconi, Maureen Spencer, Mr. & Mrs. Pollio, Mr. & Mrs. Angelo DeVito, The Gargano Family, Mr. Peter Capasso, Patricia Strongreen, Mr. & Mrs. Ron Cogna, Mr. & Mrs. Patrick Byrnes, Mr. & Mrs. James Rinaldo, Mr. & Mrs. Michael Fago, Mr. & Mrs. Michael Catricola, Mr. & Mrs. James Gasparino, Susan Rapillo, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Ollis, Mr. & Mrs. John Ciacio, Mr. & Mrs. James Hartnett, Marcia DiMauro, Ms. Gina Ferreri, Mr. & Mrs. Michael Colantuono, Mr. & Mrs. Richard McGill, Mr. & Mrs. Mark Noto, Mr. & Mrs. John Fusco, Jacqueline Maseo, Catherine Smith, Romano Family, Ms. Preciosa Rosales.....

To be continued



Our Sanctuary Lamp

The Sanctuary Lamp, which is next to our Tabernacle, is a sign of the Real Presence of Jesus, the Light of the World, in our Parish Church. In accordance with tradition, this candle may be dedicated in honor or in memory of a particular person or persons, or for a special intention. The customary offering for this weekly dedication is \$20. There are several dates still open for dedication in the 2022 Book. Anyone who would like to plan for dedicating the Sanctuary Lamp should contact the Parish Office.

The Sanctuary Light for this week is donated in memory of Maria Camporle requested by Lina Pellegrino.

BREAD AND WINE

We are accepting offerings for the Bread and Wine for the week in memory of your loved ones. The customary offering for this weekly dedication is \$20. Any questions, please call the Parish office 718-351-1093.

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Formed.org offers rich catholic content: video programs, movies, audio talks, electronic books, and down loadable materials. These resources can help us with Bible Study, Sacramental Preparation, marriage issues and educational programs for all age groups. Formed.Org is available for free for all parishioners on your computer, your tablet, your smartphone etc. Everyone in our parish boundary can use **Our Parish Code: XNDPWW** for this website and register for this year. Kindly use this resource and don't miss this golden chance to learn and grow in faith and spirituality.



Prayer for Our Jubilee Year

Heavenly Father, bless and strengthen our parish family as we prepare ourselves spiritually for our Jubilee Year. Fill us with an ardent desire for Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament which nourishes and heals our souls. Inspire us, through the gifts of the Holy Spirit, to bring the Gospel message of love and hope to all people and help us to be good stewards of your wondrous creation, our world. Through the intercession of Mary, our beloved Mother, may our families stay united in love, our children grow in faith, our elderly and homebound be cherished and cared for and our sick be healed. May our grieving parishioners be consoled and our prayers for all the souls of our faithful departed find a place in Your Heart. Bless all Priests, Deacons and Religious who have served and are now serving the people of our parish. May their lives of prayer and service foster vocations to the Priesthood and Religious life.

Our Lady Queen of Peace, Pray for us.

Our Lady of Lourdes, Pray for us.



50/50 Monthly Drawing

The 50/50 drawing will be held on the last week of every month. Yellow 50/50 envelopes are provided in your envelope package and also at the back of the Church. The cost is \$5.00. To be eligible to win, please be sure to get your entry in soon! Good Luck to all.

LIVE THE LITURGY - INSPIRATION FOR THE WEEK

Life is about to get very interesting for the disciples. Finding themselves questioning what happened to Jesus and whether he actually was raised from the dead, they are afraid and uncertain. In the midst of this fear, questioning, and uncertainty, Jesus decides to surprise them with a visit! This visit, complete with the gift of peace, fills the disciples with great excitement and joy. But their detailed testimony is not enough to convince their absent friend Thomas. He wants to see for himself. We struggle with belief as well. It is hard for some to give themselves over to the testimony of another. We want to see the resurrected Christ in person. God, through the gift of eyes of faith, gives us the ability to do precisely that: when we witness the healing that comes from forgiveness, the beauty that flows from love, the wonder of creation, the new life that comes after we fall, and the unique soul that lives behind each person's life. Christ is risen. Life will get very interesting for us too, when we stop unbelieving and believe!

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NEWS AND EVENTS

*We Welcomed the Newly
Baptized to our parish*



Mason James Walsh



Exciting News

Please like and follow us on Facebook
@ Our Lady Queen of Peace Staten
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THE 2022 & 2023 MASS BOOK IS OPEN

Mass offering is to be made when the Mass is arranged in the Rectory during office hours. Weekend Masses and Holy Days of Obligation Masses are still \$25 and Monday through Friday morning Masses are \$15.



50th Wedding Anniversaries

June 5th, 2022 at 2:30pm
St. Patrick's Cathedral

Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary anytime during 2022 are invited to attend the Golden Wedding Jubilee Mass with Cardinal Dolan at Saint Patrick's Cathedral on Sunday, June 5 at 2:30 PM Pre-registration is required. Please contact your parish to register. The closing date to register for the Mass is Wednesday, May 4.

*Registration for this event is handled through the parish. If you are parishioners of Our Lady Queen of Peace or Our Lady of Lourdes, please call Denise at the Rectory during office hours at 718-351-1093 to register before April 29th since tickets are very limited.

Guardians needed for First Fridays Eucharistic Adoration

We are in need of guardians here at Our Lady Queen of Peace on First Fridays. If you would like to volunteer an hour to spend with Jesus each month, please call the rectory at 718-351-1093.

Our Lady Queen of Peace Parish Centennial Celebration Super Raffle

Grand Prize \$10,000

2nd prize: \$5,000

3rd prize: \$2,500

4th prize: \$1,500

5th prize: \$1,000

TICKETS NOW ON SALE - ONLY 500 TICKETS
WILL BE SOLD

Drawing on October 1st, 2022, at Centennial
Gala at The Staaten

Tickets are \$100 each

To purchase tickets or if you have any questions,
please call the Rectory at 718-351-1093

Winner need not be present to claim prize.

Please return the tear-off with payment to:
OLQP Centennial Celebration



Congratulations

To Our Newlyweds
Mr. & Mrs. Louis Guarneri



1. Alexandra Joan Daluise & Vito Randazzo

Wedding Anniversary Blessings!

We will offer special prayers and blessings for married couples on the 2nd Saturday of every month at the 4pm Mass. Our parish family would like to honor and thank them and wish them continued love of Jesus in their heart, life and family. Invite all your beloved to join you at the blessing and renewal of your commitment.

Number of Tickets: ___ Amount Enclosed: _____

For better record keeping we will not be sending tickets home for you to fill out and return. Please fill out the "mock" stub below as you would like the ticket to read and return with payment. We will return your receipt portion of the ticket to you.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State & Zip Code: _____

Phone Number: _____

