SCRIPTURE READINGS

These readings are found complete on our parish web page (www.olmcsi.org). Click on "USCCB Daily Readings."

TODAY: Holy Trinity

Deuteronomy 4:32-34, 39-20 Romans 8:14-17 Matthew 28:16-20 Next Sun: Most Holy Body and Blood of Jesus

Exodus 24:3-8 Hebrews 9:11-15 Mark 14:12-16, 22-26



EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT – We will have exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Friday, June 5th, after the 12:05 p.m. Mass. Come and spend some time with our Lord!

ALL YOU NEED IS A TICKET AND A DREAM! – Have you bought your ticket for the \$5,000 raffle?? If you buy a \$50 ticket, you have the chance to win \$5,000. We also have \$10 share tickets that you give the chance to win \$1,000 for each \$10 ticket that you buy. The total ticket count is 250. 1-150 are \$50 tickets. Tickets 151 through 250 each have 5 shares at \$10 per share. Only 250 ticket numbers go into the drawing. If number 140 is drawn, the person with that ticket wins \$5,000. If number 165 is drawn, each person who has a share of that number receives \$1,000. Please consider selling tickets to family, friends and colleagues at work. You have to be in it to win it!!

<u>HAP in the SUMMER!</u> – Our annual summer program for youth will be for those entering 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, or 6th grade in September 2015. HAP is a program of education and organized activities for youth. You can register your child in the parish office immediately. The program will be from June 29th through July 31st. There is a fee for cleaning and materials of \$35 for your first child and \$10 for each additional brother or sister. The last day of registration will be June 8th.

HELP US PLAN THE CELEBRATION OF THE FEAST of OUR LADY of MOUNT CARMEL – On Saturday, June 6th, at 10 a.m. in the chapel, there will be a meeting to discuss plans for the celebration of the Feast of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. We have good ideas and good plans in place. We need to continue to refine our efforts. Please join us! (Please note that there will be no Pastor's Advisory Committee meeting this month).

<u>PLEASE DON'T FORGET THE CARDINAL'S CAMPAIGN!</u>- Your pledges to the Cardinal's Campaign have exceeded our goal of \$18,500. Thank you! Last year, you raised almost \$5,000 through your support of the Cardinal's Campaign. Our parish receives a portion of the funds raised beyond our goal. If you have not had the opportunity to make a gift to the Cardinal's Campaign, there are envelopes available in the vestibule. You can send your donation directly to the Archdiocese or place it in the collection on Sunday and we will mail it for you. If you want to make a gift in cash, simply put it in the envelope and bring it to the office, or place it in the collection next week. We will write a check for you. Thank you for your support!

IS SOMEONE YOU KNOW INTERESTED IN BECOMING CATHOLIC? – DOES SOMEONE YOU KNOW NEED THE SACRAMENTS of COMMUNION and/or CONFIRMATION? – We offer a program for adults seeking to become Catholics as well as adults interested in completing their sacraments. If you would like more information please call the parish office (718-442-3411) and leave a message for Colin Vautrinot. Colin is our Director of the Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

<u>CATHOLIC SCHOOL FOR YOUR CHILD</u> – This Tuesday, June 2nd, from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. you can tour our wonderful Catholic school, Our Lady of Mount Carmel + St. Benedicta. Pre-registration is required. Please call 718-667-5350, ext. 1007 and tell them you are interested in visiting Our Lady of Mount Carmel + St. Benedicta School.

GARAGE SALE- Saturday, June 13th, from 9 a.m. – 2 p.m. in the parking lot of Our Lady of Mount Carmel School. 8 foot tables are available to rent for \$25. Sell your treasures! To reserve space, call 718-981-5131.

<u>CROSSROADS FOUNDATION – GARDEN of LIFE BRUNCH</u> – Sunday, June 7th, at the Excelsior Grand (2380 Hylan Blvd.) from 11 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Tickets are \$30 with family pricing available. This year, Msgr. Edmund Whalen, Principal of Msgr. Farrell High School, will receive the Cardinal John O'Connor Guardian of Life Award. For more information and to make reservations, please call: 718-556-3474.

DONATE YOUR CAR, VAN or TRUCK and the PARISH WILL RECEIVE A GIFT – If you donate your car, van or truck to the Society of St. Vincent DePaul (the vehicle doesn't even have to be working!), the parish will receive either \$50 or \$100. Please call: 718-491-2525

WEEKLY OFFERING: May 24: \$2275. Thank you for your generosity!

GOD'S WORD TODAY - In today's first reading Moses reminds the people of all that God had done for them. The Israelites kept falling into patterns of forgetfulness, not remembering the great things that God had accomplished. On this Trinity Sunday, perhaps we need this kind of reminder as well. The Lord has given us the gift of this community of faith in which we celebrate the sacraments and continually taste and see God's abundant goodness. We stand in awe on this day of the liturgical year. We are awed by our God who has done wondrous things for us. And for all that this God—Father, Son, and Holy Spirit—has done, we give thanks and praise. Copyright (c) J. S. Paluch Co.



The Most Holy Trinity ~ May 31, 2015

Go ... and make disciples of all nations baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. ~Matthew 28:19



Weekly Mass Intentions



Saturday May 30

8:00am-† 5:00pm- † Frances Lagotta

Sunday May 31

8:30am- † Thomas Trigo

10:00am- † Mary Siminski

11:30am- † Parish Community Intentions 6:00pm- † Parish Community Intentions

Monday June 1

8:00am- †

12:05pm- † Walter Federowski

Tuesday June 2

8:00am- †

12:05pm-† Elvira & Anthony Ancona

Wednesday June 3

8:00am- -†

12:05pm-† Ivan Delgado ~Anniversary Deceased~

Thursday June 4

8:00am- †

12:05pm- † Christopher Furey

Friday June 5

8:00am - †

12:05pm - † Marie Micillo

Saturday June 6

8:00am- †

5:00pm- † Jack Latanzio

Sunday June 7

8:30am- † Isabel Maria Quiñones 10:00am- † Mrs. Helen Valentine

11:30am- † Parish Community Intentions 6:00pm- † Parish Community Intentions

Bread & Wine Tabernacle Candle

Memorial Candle Memorial Candle

Offered By:

Offered By: Rosalia Patterson

Offered By: Family

Offered By: Dianne Murphy

Offered By:

Offered By: Joann Scamardella

Offered By:

Offered By: daughter, Theresa

Offered By: Annette Esposito

By: mom, Mayra Calderon

Offered By:

By: Gloria, Ruben & Joe Lopez

Offered By:

Offered By: daughter, Theresa

Offered By:

By: Peg & Tom Ventrudo

Offered By: daughter, Martha

By: son, Thomas Valentine

Weekly Memorials



Liturgical Minster's Schedule for JUNE 2015~

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Lectors: Linda Graves & Angelo Sabella (carry Gospel Book) E. M.: Nancy Velez, Angelo Sabella & Linford Smith

Sunday 8:30 a.m. Lector: Joan Fortunato (carry Gospel Book)

Eucharistic Ministers: Diane Carbonaro, Theresa Contardo & Joseph Fortunato

Sunday 10:00 a.m

Lector: Victoria Garay (carry Gospel Book) E. M.: Valarie Cappucci, Lydia Mora & Dianne Murphy

Substitute: Bill Hinton Substitute: Bill Hinton

Substitute: Linda Torres

Substitute: Samuel Torres

Substitute.: Alexis Crowdell Substitute: Thelma Washington



"[Each of us]

received a Spirit of adoption, through whom we cry, 'Abba, Father'." What St. Paul proclaims is both a great wonder and a great blessing – if we accept and embrace it.

In baptism, each of us received the gift of the Holy Spirit. Those who receive the sacrament of confirmation are invited into a deeper relationship with the Spirit so as to strengthen their fidelity to God and to the ways of God. It is through the Spirit of God that we receive in baptism that we are brought into relationship with Jesus Christ through whom we become the adopted sons and daughters of God, our Father. How wonderful it is that God wants each of us to be God's son or God's daughter! God is the ideal parent whose love is unconditional, whose love is forever faithful, and whose love is without limits. When we truly appreciate that our God has a personal, individual love for each one of us that reflects the love that an ideal parent has for his or her child, then with confidence, with joy, and with need, we cry out, "Abba, daddy, Father." We cry out, "Mama, Mother." God is the ideal parent to whom we can turn with absolute confidence in God's love for us and God's abiding presence with us. Do we want a father? Do we want a mother? As adult Christians, we can chafe at the idea that we are in relationship to God as a child is in relationship to the ideal parent. To accept such a relationship is to accept that the wisdom of God is greater than our own and therefore we must shape our lives by that wisdom in order to achieve the spiritual maturity that our parent desires for us. To accept such a relationship is to admit that we have the need for the love, reassurance, and acceptance that only a loving parent can offer us. To accept such a relationship is to admit that we will always be a child in the eyes of God and to understand that this does not demean us but rather ennobles us as we are children of a God whose love can guide us into eternal life.

Pray today that we might all accept and revel in the truth that we are children of God sons and daughters of an ideal parent whose love for us can never fail

Fr. Mark Hallinan, S.J.