

Sunday, June 3rd, 2018

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Masses WEEKEND Saturday 8:30 AM and 5PM

Sunday 7:45AM, 9:15AM, 10:45AM, 12:15 PM (Children's Mass) 5 PM

WEEKDAY

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NEW PARISHIONERS Welcome to our Parish. Please contact the Rectory Office to register, or you may register online at www.holyfamilystatenisland.com

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY Arrangements should be made at least 12 months prior to wedding date. Couples must attend designated Marriage Preparation Conferences. Couples must meet with the parish priest before a wedding date can be scheduled.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION We have well developed courses for our children. Families are required to participate at Mass weekly. Please contact our Religious Education Office for information.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM First and Third Sundays of each month. Arrangements must be made by contacting the Rectory. Godparents are required to be practicing Catholics attending Mass regularly. 1st time parents must meet with a priest for instruction. <u>All paperwork and payment (including sponsor certificates) are due at least 1 full week before the baptism</u>.

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The bread and wine offered for all the Masses this week are in loving memory of Salvatore Micciulla, requested by: Christ the King Columbiettes.

CANDLES

Church: Kornish Family (living)



CHANGES TO OUR SICKLIST

Please pray for our sick each day. Our recurring sick list is located at Our Lady's Shrine adjacent to the

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If you want to deepen your spiritual life and help grow our parish community then you should come and join the Legion of Mary. We pray and talk with one another in a family setting under the guidance of Fr. Takyi. The Legion of Mary is an association of men and women who are dedicated to religious works in honor of the Blessed Mother. Please give a call to Flor Maqueda for more information at 718-698-1310.

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We are glad to give credit where credit is due and the recent support of our bulletin advertisers by our parishioners deserve credit/praise. The more support they receive, the more ad space they buy, which allows us to improve our bulletin. In the previous 6 months we have been able to obtain the option of full color covers and in the near future we will also have a full color interior as well. We thank all of the parishioners who have helped support our advertisers and encourage everyone to take a look at the advertisement page and patronize the businesses that support our parish.

MASS INTENTION BOOK 2019

The 2019 Mass Intention book has been opened and given the high demand for Mass Intentions we ask that you consider giving a Purgatorial Society Intention in place of a Mass Intention for the soul of a loved one. The Purgatorial Society offers a dozen monthly reminders of your loved one instead of the singular intention and is a beautiful Mass every month as we gather to remember those who we love and will never forget.

ROSARY ALTAR SOCIETY NEWS

This Wednesday June 6th, the Rosary Altar Society will celebrate the mass together at noon and afterwards they will break bread with a covered luncheon in the gym.

Mass Intentions

Saturday, June 02

8:30 AM †The Purgatorial Society

† Paula Samartano 5:00 PM

Sunday, June 03

7:45 AM † Mary Amodeo 9:15 AM † Joseph Celardo

10:45 AM † Mr. Joseph Zarrilli

12:15 PM Charamel & Lisa Jose (living) 5:00 PM † The Feast of Corpus Christi

Monday, June 04

7:00 AM † Soon Yul Lee 9:00 AM † James Barry

Tuesday, June 05

9:00 AM † Salvatore Portanova

Wednesday, June 06

7:00 AM † Grace Mosca 9:00 AM † Loretta Barr

Thursday, June 07

9:00 AM † Mark C. Maqueda

Friday, June 08

7:00 AM In Honor of The Scared Heart of

Jesus

9:00 AM † William & Lillian Doran

Saturday, June 09

† Mary Bailey Crocker 8:30 AM 5:00 PM † Ann & Tom Kiley

Sunday, June 10

7:45 AM † Dorothy Castellucci 9:15 AM † Gemma Caccese

10:45 AM † Dec. Mem. of the Sexton Family

12:15 PM † Pia & Jim Dente 5:00 PM † Ann & Patsy Lumini

Biblical Quote

Powerful Grace Romans 5:1-2

Therefore, since we have been justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ. Through him we have also obtained access by faith into this grace in which we stand, and we rejoice in hope of the glory of God.



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

Michael Douglas McCarthy and Nicole Marie Ciavola

SOUTHERN ITALY TRIP SORRENTO AND THE BEST OF SICILY

-Take advantage of this great opportunity to engage in a fulfilling pilgrimage to Italy. This trip will be celebrating the 105th Anniversary of St. Athanasius during this Summer from July 31st through August 10th, 2018. This trip includes 3 nights in: Sorrento (a tour of the Amalfi Coast), 3 nights in Palermo (The Cappella Palatina, Monreale Cathedral and Cloister) ~ 3 nights Taormina (Mount Etna, Palatine Chapel, Segesta doric Temple and the Taormina Greek Theatre).

-This trip includes: daily buffet breakfast and dinners with wine, non-stop roundtrip flights from JFK via Al'italia, four star hotels and escorted guides for only 3,999 pp based on double occupancy. For more information or to book a reservation call 917-859-9995/718-680-333 or pick up a flyer in the vestibule.

<u>5K RUN/WALK FOR CHASTE</u> On Saturday, **August 11**th from 10 to 11 AM the Goretti Group will be hosting a fundraising event at Midland Beach – at the intersection of Father Capodanno Boulevard and Lincoln Avenue. This fundraiser event will be promoting a culture of marriage, family and the dignity of the human person while having a fun time doing so. At the 5K you can walk, run, pray or cheer with friends and family. In order to register please go online to www.thegara gethegroup.work the cost for an individual to register is \$25 and the group rate for four or more people is \$100. Also, children under 12 are free for this event. Please go out and support this group's mission to glorify God and promote essential Catholic beliefs regarding family and life. Groups and organizations can also fundraise with a 50-50 split at this event, to do so please contact Deborah Sucich at 917-636 -2134.

BLOOD DRIVE

On Sunday, June 24 Holy family Parish will host our annual blood drive. We will be able to welcome blood donors in the Lower Church from 9:00 AM am until 3:00 PM. Please stop by a table in the vestibule to sign up for our blood drive. In order to be a donor you must be between the ages of 16-75, in general good health, and weigh at least 110 pounds. 16 year olds require parental permission on a form provided by the Blood Center, and donors age 76 and above may donate with a note from their doctor. Please make sure to eat and drink before you come in to donate and bring photo ID. If you are not sure if you are eligible to donate, please ask one of the staff at the blood drive. Our community blood supply typically worsens during the summer months because people are on vacation. It is a simple procedure and afterwards, we will thank you and give you juice and cookies! YOU CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE THAT WILL SAVE A LIFE! Please donate!

CROSS ROAD FOUNDATION

The Cross Road Foundation which supports the Culture of Life is hosting a Garden of Life Brunch on **June 10**th at the Excelsior Grand (2380 Hylan Blvd, Staten Island, NY 10306) at 11:00 AM. Tickets are only \$30 and for more information and family rates please call 718-556-3474.

SOCCER REGISTRATION

St. Teresa's Soccer Club Registration is now open for the Fall 2018/Spring 2019 Season (Boys and Girls ages 4 to 14).

Early Registration Rates: (due by June 15th): 1 Child \$155, 2 Siblings' \$250, 3 Siblings' \$300 Regular Registration Rates: (payment rec. after June 15th): 1 Child \$180, 2 Siblings' \$280, 3 Siblings' \$340 Registration Dates:

May 8, May 22 and June 13 from 7:30-8:30 PM Registration will be held at St. Teresa's Gym (on the corner of Victory Blvd & Slosson Avenue) or you can register online at: www.stsoccerclub.com For additional information please email lyonsb17@yahoo.com.

ST. JOSEPH'S RETREAT CENTER **CALENDAR**

Meditation Monday

-June 11th (First Monday of the Month) ~ \$20 per person ~ 7:30 - 9:00 PM

-The evening consists of faith sharing, reflection and prayer. The evening wouldn't be complete without coffee and dessert. Come journey with others and experience a deeper, exciting personal relationship with God.

 $\frac{\text{Centering Prayer Group}}{\text{-June 13}^{\text{th}} \& 27^{\text{th}} \sim (\text{Second \& Fourth Wednesdays of the}}$ Month) \sim \$10 per person \sim 7:30 - 9:00 PM

-Come pray, be still and rest in God's presence. Each session stands alone. All are welcome to join at any point during the series.

-June 5th \sim \$20 per session \sim 7:00 to 9:00 PM

- One does not have to have a substance addiction to join. One may be struggling with another addiction or may be part of a dependency relationship. Each month's session stands alone.

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NEW MUSIC DIRECTOR

Please welcome into our Parish Family our new Music Director William Richert. We are glad to have him and can't wait to see how he can help our congregation grow closer to God through praising him with our God-given musical talents.

THE PURGATORIAL SOCIETY

The "Holy Family Purgatorial Society" is an opportunity for you to have your loved one(s) remembered at the monthly First Saturday 8:30am Mass throughout the year. Names enrolled for the year are remembered at Mass each month for 12 consecutive months (one full year).

Joseph & Norma F. Puleo, Angelo & Antoinette Micciulla, Evelyn & John Muzzy. Sandra Gargaloni, Arlene Brice, John Sammut, Susan & Ellwood Donaghy, Josephine & Ralph Sarcone, Ann & Tom Kiley, Victoria & John Grabowski, Jean & Tom Butler, Joel Calvarido, Peter Miluk III, Elba Jimenez, Tony & Tess Geanette, Justine Marie Aliotta, Joseph Gloznek, Vincent Gattullo, Deceased Members of Pedalino Family, Deceased Members of Cunniff Family, Deceased Members of the Connolly Family, Doris N. Montella, Doris A. Montella, Peter T. Montella, Lenore & Frank S. Piazza, Frank W. Piazza, Vincent Cavalieri, Teresa & John Picciallo, Gloria T. Cabacab, Vera & Lou Francis, James P. White, Thomas Saccone, Vicente de Leon, James McGrath, Laura DiFilippo, Veronica & William Sheridan, Mary & John Fitzsimmons, Thomas Breen Sr., Edward J. Breen Sr., Brian Schiels, Ann Schiels, Josephine & John Modzelewski, Carlo & Immaculate Artemisio, Thomas, Angela & Christine DiGiulio, Rosemary Rizzo, Deceased of Carabetta & Haskovec, Gloria Surat, Joseph Surat, Esteban & Virginia Garcia, Richard Young, John & Winifred Young, Luz, Arteche, Dominick Cantasano, Salvatore Micciulla, Patrick Thomas Kerwin, Assunta Casciano, Clara & John Sexton, Josephine & Joseph Bruno, John Principe and William

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BEGINNING APOLOGETICS 1

THE TRUE CHURCH CONTINUED

The Catholic Church is both human and divine. Because it is human, it will have scandals. Because it is divine, it will last forever. Scandals are found in all denominations; they have nothing to do with the Catholic Church being the true Church.

What St. Paul wrote concerning the Jews applies also to Christians: "What if some were unfaithful? Will their infidelity nullify the fidelity of God? Of course not!" (Rom 3:3-4). Christ's faithfulness to His Church remains even when some of its members are unfaithful (see 2 Tim 2:13).

Scandals do not prove that the Catholic Church is false. They only prove what is obvious: that the Church contains sinners as well as saints, weeds along with the wheat. In the parable of the wheat and the weeds (Mt 13:24-30), Our Lord makes clear that good and evil will exist side by side until the end of time. Mt 13:47-48 also confirms that the Church contains good and bad members alike.

PRAYER TO THE SAINTS

Is it biblical to ask the saints in heaven to pray for us? Catholics say yes, since we are all part of the communion of saints. Most Protestants say no, even though many of them recite the Apostles' Creed. Thus, they profess to believe in the "communion of saints," but usually they cannot explain what this means. What does it mean to believe in the communion of saints? Does this belief give us the biblical foundations for the doctrine of intercessory prayer?

COMMUNION OF SAINTS

As the word suggests, the communion of saints refers to the bond of unity among all believers, both living and dead, who are committed followers of Christ. In Christ, we are made part of God's family (1 Tim 3:15), children of God (1 John 3:1), joint heirs with Christ (Rom 8:17), and partakers of the divine nature (2 Pet 1:4). This family communion of saints is known to Catholics as the Mystical Body of Christ. We are joined in a supernatural union as members of Christ's own body, and thus as members of one another. Each of us participates in the divine life of Christ Himself.

Remind non-Catholics that because we as branches are connected to Christ the vine, we are also connected to each other. It is the life and grace of Jesus that gives us life and unites us in our common pilgrimage to heaven.

St. Paul emphasizes this unity in Christ's body in 1 Cor 12:12-27 (especially v. 25-27) and in Rom 12:4-16. Know these passages.

INTERCESSORY PRAYER

What we have said about the communion of saints gives us the biblical reasons why Catholics ask the saints to intercede for them:

- (1) All Christians are members of Christ's body and one another (Rom 12:5 and many others).
- (2) Jesus has only one body (Eph 4:4; Col 3:15).
- (3) Death cannot separate Christians from Christ or from one another (Rom 8:35-39).
- (4) Christians are bound in mutual love (Rom 12:10; 1 Thess 5:1; Gal 6:2).



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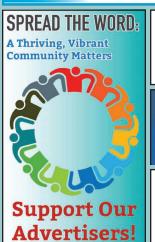
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