

Church of Our Lady Help of Christians



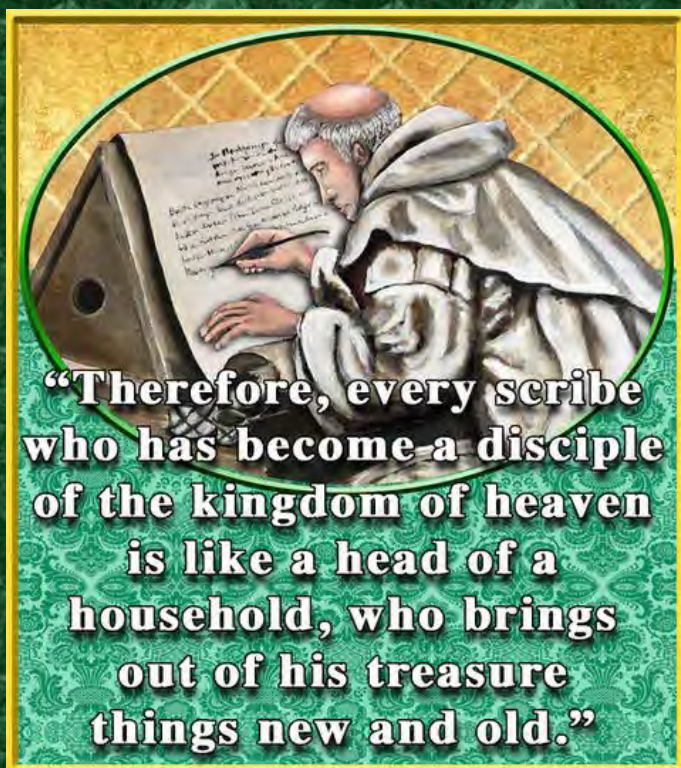
The Catholic Church
in Tottenville since 1898



7396 Amboy Road Staten Island New York 10307

Parish Office: 718-317-9772 www.olheparish.org * Religious Education: 347-838-6726 www.olhcreligiouseducation.weebly.com

Seventeenth Sunday In Ordinary Time July 30, 2023



RECTORY

Office Hours: Monday-Friday: 8:00am - 3:00pm

Pastor: Fr. James H. Ferreira

Deacon: Deacon John Singler

Weekend Assistants: Fr. Frank Naccarato

Fr. Michael Reilly

Secretaries: Maria Byrnes

Ninfa Chiarello

Director of Music: Matthew Hosmer

Email: matthew.hosmer@olheparish.org

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Summer Office Hours: Monday-Thursday: 10:00am-2:00pm

Director of Religious Education: Mrs. Joan Baggs

Secretary: Patricia Dresch

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Saturday: 9:00am

Saturday: 4:30pm

Sunday: 8:00am, 10:00am and 12:00pm

SACRAMENTS

Baptisms: Scheduled on Saturday or Sundays at 1:00pm. Please call the rectory to schedule.

Reconciliation: Confessions will be every Saturday from 4:00pm-4:25pm (before the 4:30 Mass) and every Monday - Saturday after the 9:00am Mass. (approx. 9:20am). Please line up by the Confessional.

Communion to the Homebound: Please call the rectory to make arrangements for those homebound or hospitalized.

Marriage : Couples should call the rectory to arrange a meeting with a priest or deacon at least six months in advance of their wedding.

Anointing of the Sick: Call the rectory at any time.

RCIA: A series of classes presenting a deeper exploration of the Catholic faith for adults which prepares them to make a conscious choice to receive the Sacrament of Baptism, First Holy Communion and Confirmation. Please call the rectory.

Sick List: Please update us monthly.

Private Prayer: The church is open weekdays from 9:30am-4:00pm.

Sponsor Certificate: Registered parishioners must fill out paperwork to be signed by the priest.

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, JULY 29, 2023

- 9:00am **Jospeh Fallacaro**
Requested by Madeline Taormina
- 4:30pm **Gary Peterson (69th Birthday)**
Your Loving Wife Nilda and Son

SUNDAY, JULY 30, 2023

- 8:00am: **Vincent and Rita Guadagno**
Requested by Barbara and Vincent Guadagno
- 10:00am: **The People of our Parish**
- 12:00pm: **Gerlando Catania**
Requested by Leonard and Sophia Caputo and Family

MONDAY, JULY 31, 2023

- 9:00am: **Anthony Parisi**
Requested by The Cipriano and Parisi Families

TUESDAY, AUGUST 1, 2023

- 9:00am: **George Dresch (Happy Birthday)**
Requested by His Loving Wife

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 2, 2023

- 9:00am: **Vincent and Frances Pizzuto**
Requested by Their Loving Family

THURSDAY, AUGUST 3, 2023

- 9:00am: **Christina Pietrofesa**
Requested by Anna and Lino Randazzo

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 2023

- 9:00am: **Antonio Valenti**
Requested by Gary App
- 9:30am: *Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament*

SATURDAY, AUGUST 5, 2023

- 9:00am: **Antonio and Fortunata LoGelfo**
Requested by Madeline Taormina
- 4:30pm: **Dennis Sr. and Priscilla Carollo**
Requested by The Mangini and Carollo Families

MEMORIAL OFFERINGS WEEK OF JULY 28, 2023



Bread and Wine

Marie Dunigan

Req. by Maria Byrnes and Family



Sanctuary Lamp

The People of our Parish



Altar Candles

Anthony Parisi

Req. by The Cipriano and Parisi Families

**SACRIFICIAL OFFERING WHICH
INCLUDES PARISH PAY:
JULY 22, 2023 AND JULY 23, 2023: \$5,832.**

THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT

PLEASE NOTE: YOU CAN SUBMIT YOUR
WEEKLY CONTRIBUTIONS BY CONNECTING TO
WESHARE AT: olheparsh.churchgiving.com
or call 1-877-316-0260
YOU MAY ALSO DROP OFF YOUR ENVELOPES IN THE
RECTORY MAILBOX.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS

Crossroad Collection

Every 4th Sunday after all
Masses (monetary donations only)

50/50 Club \$5.00 Donation

You can't win it if you're not in it!

St. Edward's Food Pantry

6581 Hylan Boulevard SINY
1st Weekend of the Month

First Friday of the Month

Mass at 9:00 am
followed by Adoration/Benediction

Recitation of the Rosary

Daily after the 9am Mass

Rosary to Our Lady of Fatima

The 13th of every month at 6:00 pm



A reflection from today's Gospel

Jesus said to his disciples "The kingdom of heaven is like a net thrown into the sea, which collects fish of every kind. When it is full they haul it ashore and sit down to put what is good into buckets. What is bad they throw away. Thus it will be at the end of the age. The angels will go out and separate the wicked from the righteous and throw them into the fiery furnace, where they will be wailing and grinding of teeth."

Picture a shore line and Jesus is in a boat speaking to us. Telling us an earthly story and describing the heavenly truth. Many of us understand Jesus however some of us do not.

It is easy to categorize ourselves as either the righteous or the wicked, but we may exhibit a bit of each quality. But, it is when we are aware that we are in a "wicked" or unproductive space, we have an opportunity to move toward a "righteous" or peaceful space.

May we focus on the path to the kingdom of heaven through our quiet acts of love, kindness and faithfulness.



*Our Lady Help of Christians welcomes all
newly baptized especially*

*Let us pray for all the deceased of the Parish
especially, Marie T. Dunigan.*

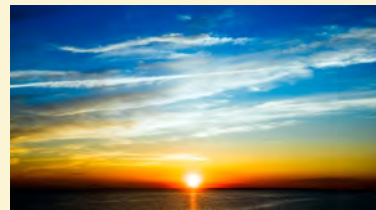


**PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR SERVICE
MEN AND WOMEN**



ANDREW S. ASWARD SC	STEVEN DENOBLE AFGHANISTAN
PAUL ALBANESE ROMANIA	BRIAN P. FLEMING KUWAIT
DIANA ALBANESE WASH. STATE	MASON MORGANTE NC
DAVID BAGGS NY	CODY ROBINSON NC
THOMAS BROWN AFGHANISTAN	SHAWN ROBINSON, WA
CHRISTOPHER DEDDO, JAPAN	THOMAS TELLEFSEN, JR. ALASKA
MICHAEL DEDDO, III ALASKA	

A Prayer of Thanks



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE PEOPLE OF OUR PARISH

**PLEASE LET THE
RECTORY KNOW IF
YOU WOULD LIKE TO
REMOVE ANYONE
FROM THIS SICK LIST.
THANK YOU**

Alexander
Angelo Alberga
Robert Alongi
Anna Ambrosiole
Jake Aspinall
Aubrey
Gaetano Babbo
Roseann Brock
Joseph Burzo
Theresa Cardinale
Salvatore Cortes
Carmela
Luca Carsen
Dennis Castelli
Mike Chadwick
Steven Cina
Stacey Cohen
Sylvia Cohen
Sharonlee D.
Daniel
Elvira DeLuzio
Ellen Derowki
Andrew DiLorenzo
John Dilgen
Chris Dreizen
Barbara Doty
Marie Dunigan
Dennis Emperor
Nicolette Falzone
Ramona Fogelstrom
Nancy Flynn
Joshua Gabay
Emilyrose Gagliardi
George
Gina

Kian Griffiths
Frank Gennuso
Debra Houshmonrad
Felipe Higgenson
Thomas Jacob
John, Jr.
Jeremy
Kathy
Robert Kilsby
Nancy King
Gianna Kovacs
Rafael Laskowski
Maria LaSorsa
Ginnie Ledwon
Flora Lucchese
Ralph Lucchese
Jospeh Liotine
Anthony Lodareo
Santa Luca
Scuoto Maisco
JoAnn Magee
Ed Malley
Matthew
Ken McCall
Joseph Mariconda
Peter Marsh
Thomas Meehan
Patty McNichol
Vincent Merola
Franco Migliorini
Roberta Miro
Peter Monfasani
Joan Orena
Linda Palermo
SPC Sean Pesce
Raymond Perry, Jr.
Lynn Phimister
Kevin Rybolt
Robert
Robin Rodolfo
Frances Rotunno
Philip Russo
Edward Svennigsen
Jordan S.
Patricia Savino
Stephanie

Christopher Seiler
Judy Singler
Stacey Strongarone
Gladys Tanecredit
Tara
Justin Too
Carl Termine, Jr.
Aiden Truscelli
Cathy Westcott
Annette Van Tine
Joseph Yasso

*Thank you, God, for the pleasures of
summer, the bright sunny days and
perfect moonlit evenings.*

*Thank you for the smells of mowed
grass and air thick with rain.*

*Thank you for days at the lake
and evenings chasing fireflies.*

*Thank you for vacations and festivals,
picnics and cookouts, baseball and
concerts and swimsuits and popsicles.*

*Thank you for the fireworks of
thunderstorms, for watermelon
sweetness, for summer's pace and
summer's grace.*

*Thank you for all your beauty and
power and faithfulness displayed
in the summer.*

Amen

PARISH / CHURCH/ CATHOLIC
INFORMATION AND EVENTS

**ANNUAL SOUTH BEACH
RACE FOR THE CHASTE
THE GORETTI GROUP
NEW YORK CHAPTER FUNDRAISER**



**When : Saturday August 19
10am**

5K Run & Walk

The annual Staten Island 5K Run and Walk, sponsored by the Goretti Group for the enjoyment of people of all ages, will be held on Saturday August 19. Starting time is 10am. The meeting place is Midland Beach Promenade Lot #9 (Fr. Capodanno Blvd. at Lincoln Av.) Children 12 and under are free. Teens: \$10. Adults: \$25. Unlimited group: \$100. There will be cash prizes, and refreshments for all.

The Goretti Group, named for Saint Maria Goretti, aims to share the story of this brave young saint. Maria was stabbed to death in her home in Italy in 1902 while resisting the advances of a man who tried to take her virginity. She was declared a saint in 1950. Both her mother and her assailant were together at the Vatican that day, which was the largest crowd of people ever assembled for a canonization.

Saint Maria Goretti's feast day is July 6. The Goretti Group is a non-profit organization that works to spread the joy of authentic love and chastity. For more information and application forms: <http://www.thegorettigroup.org/new-york.html>. See posters in lobbies.

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

Summer Office Hours
Monday through Thursday
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM
Office: 347-838-6726



Registration

PLEASE REGISTER YOUR CHILD AS SOON AS POSSIBLE, AS OUR CLASSES ARE FILLING UP QUICKLY. REGISTRATIONS FORMS CAN BE FOUND ONLINE AND PRINTED.

Registration forms can be found on our website at:
Olhcreligiouseducation.weebly.com
or olhccparish.org

*Enjoy the summer,
See you at Mass!
Mrs. Joan Baggs, DRE*

RESPECT LIFE NEWS

Staten Island is blessed to have both the Crossroad Foundation and Good Counsel Homes .

Crossroad Foundation, which we support every 4th Sunday with a canister collection has a 35 year history of helping mothers. Please pray for these ministries.

If you would like to get involved to help contact
Crossroad: at 1 718 556 3474
or email: crossroad15@verizon.net
Contact information for Good Counsel homes is:
1 718 650 6994 or email:

goodcounselhomes.org or postabortionhelp.org.

Good Counsel and Crossroad Foundation are so thankful to our Parish for all that we do in helping to save babies lives.



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**Our Lady Help of Christians
125th Anniversary**

SAVE THE DATE : Saturday, October 21, 2023

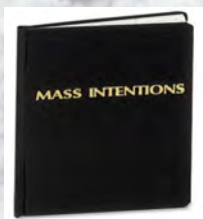
@6:30pm

@ The Hilton Garden Inn

*We are also looking for old photos of the Church /Parish/School.
If you have any of the above photos, please submit them to the rectory.*

Thankyou.

THE 2024 MASS BOOK IS OPEN!



PLEASE CALL THE RECTORY FOR YOUR INTENTIONS.

(No more than 5 Masses at a time)

PLEASE NOTE :

MASSES WILL NOT BE HELD IF PAYMENT IS NOT MADE AFTER ONE WEEK.

THANK YOU.