

Church of Our Lady Help of Christians



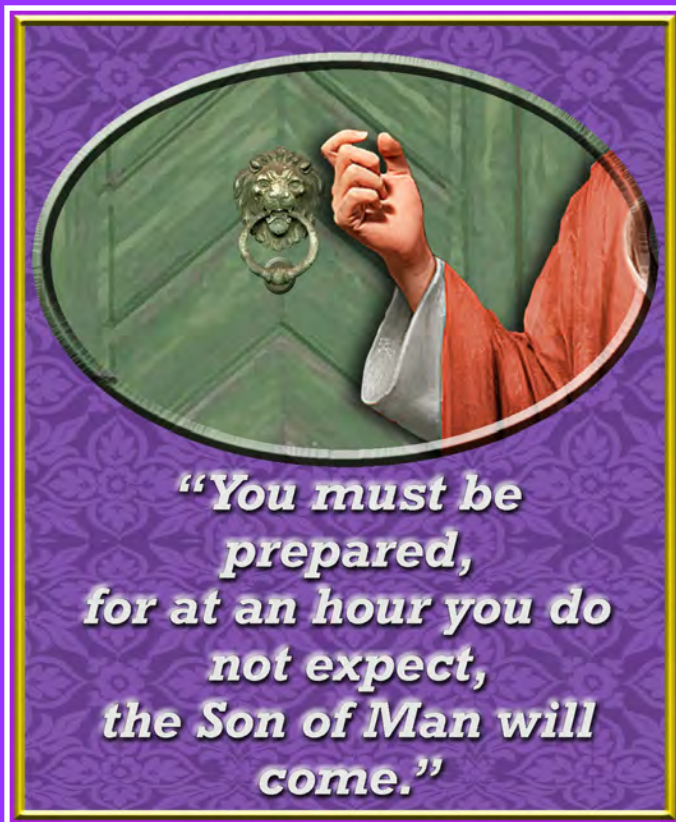
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FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT NOVEMBER 27, 2022



RECTORY

Office hours: Mon-Fri. 8:00am - 3:00pm

Pastor: Fr. James H. Ferreira

Deacon: Deacon John Singler

Weekend Assistants: Fr. Frank Naccarato

Fr. Michael Reilly

Director of Music: Matthew Hosmer

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Secretaries: Maria Byrnes, Ninfa Chiarello

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Office Hours: Mon.-Thurs. 10:00am - 3:00pm

DRE: 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 1:00 pm. Please call the rectory to schedule.

Reconciliation : Confessions will be every Saturday from 4:00-4:25pm (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 Certificates: Registered parishioners must fill out paperwork to be signed by the priest.

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WEEKLY MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 26, 2022

9:00am: Richard D'Andrea
Requested by The D'Andrea Family

4:30pm: James L. Burke
Requested by Margaret Burke

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 2022

8:00am: The People of our Parish

10:00pm: Therese Bromm
Requested by The Lavin Family

12:00pm: Peter Ciaravino (29th Anniversary)
Requested by Your Loving Family

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 2022

9:00am: The People of our Parish

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 2022

9:00am: Anthony Cipaldo (Happy Birthday)
Requested by Donna Schoer and Dawn Morales

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2022

9:00am: Dominick R. Arabia (1st Anniversary)
Requested by Maria and Robert Byrnes

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2022

9:00am: Dominick R. Arabia (1st Anniversary)
Requested by John, Danielle, Christie and Anthony

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 2, 2022

9:00am: Veronica Urus
Requested by Celeste Tarriz
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3, 2022

9:00am: Mildred M. Johnston
Requested by OLHC Rel. Education

4:30pm: Phyllis and Frank and Dennis (Christmas)
Requested by Priscilla and Family

MEMORIAL OFFERINGS

Week of November 26, 2022



Bread and Wine
The People of our Parish



Sanctuary Lamp
The People of our Parish



Altar Candles
The People of our Parish



Advent Wreath
Pat Lavin
Req. by Marilyn and Family

SACRIFICIAL OFFERING

WHICH INCL. ON-LINE GIVING
THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT.

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

Crossroad Collection

Every 4th Sunday after all Masses
Except December
collection will be 12/17 and 12/18

50/50 Club

\$5.00 Donation You can't win it if you're
not in it!

First Friday

Mass at 9:00 am
followed by Adoration/Benediction

Recitation of the Rosary

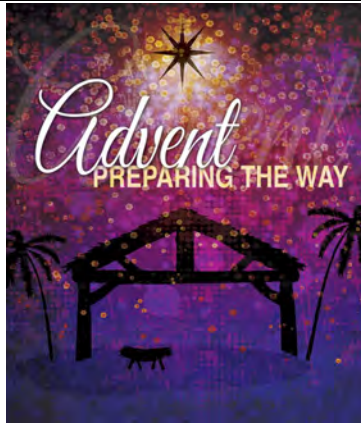
Daily after the 9am Mass

Rosary to Our Lady of Fatima

The 13th of every month 6:00 pm

St. Edward's Food Pantry

6581 Hylan Boulevard SINY
1st Weekend of the Month



As we begin the season of Advent, allow me to thank you for your support of the 40 hours of Adoration and the Servant of God Dorothy Day Thanksgiving Outreach this month. Nothing is more pleasing to God than coupling of prayer and service.

Advent is a time we think about the coming of Christ: The coming of Christ at the end of time; the coming of Christ spiritually in hearts through the prayer and the sacraments especially the Eucharist and Confession; and the coming of Christ in the manger at Bethlehem. God has given us the gift of himself in Christ. His coming calls down judgement upon us. God has made himself known, will we follow him or not? Advent is a time to remember that life is short and the coming of Christ calls for faith, repentance, conversion of life, and spiritual and material good works.

In light of the Eucharistic Revival called for by the bishops, will we change our ways to the Lord who comes to us, or will ignore his invitation and deny our need for renewal and conversion? May we need not miss the spiritual message of Advent as we prepare to celebrate the Lord's Birth. May we remember that Christ's second coming is as real as Christ's coming as man and the way we live in accord with faith now will come to matter in eternity.

*Fr. James Ferreira,
Pastor
Our Lady Help of Christians Church*



*Let us pray for all the
deceased of our Parish especially,
**Ralph Rossi, John Bassano and
Blanco Escobar.***

*Our Lady Help of Christians
welcomes all newly baptized
to your new Parish family especially,
**Raymond Joseph Magnuski and
Benjamin Trupiano***



**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	

EUCCHARISTIC REVIVAL

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT



**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	Skip Fiore	Frances Rotunno
Angelo Alberga	Ramona Fogelstrom	Philip Russo
Robert Alongi	Nancy Flynn	Edward Svennigsen
Anna Ambrosiole	Emilyrose Gagliardi	Jordan S.
Jake Aspinall	George	Patricia Savino
Aubrey	Gina	Stephanie
Gaetano Babbo	Laura Grzeskowiak	Christopher Seiler
Roseann Brock	Kian Griffiths	Judy Singler
Joseph Burzo	Frank Gennuso	Stacey Strongarone
Stephen Cacase	Debra Houshmonrad	Gladys Tanecredi
Theresa Cardinale	Thomas Jacob	Tara
Salvatore Cortes	Jeremy	Justin Too
Carmela	Kathy	Carl Termine, Jr.
Luca Carsen	Robert Kilsby	Aiden Truscelli
Dennis Castelli	Nancy King	Annette VanTine
Mike Chadwick	Gianna Kovacs	Wayne
Stacey Cohen	Rafael Laskowski	Joseph Yasso
Sylvia Cohen	Maria LaSorsa	
Sharonlee D.	Ginnie Ledwon	
Daniel	Flora Lucchese	
Danny	Ralph Lucchese	
Elvira DeLuzio	Joseph Liotine	
Ellen Derowki	Anthony Lodareo	
Andrew DiLorenzo	Scuoto Maisco	
John Dilgen	Ed Malley	
Chris Dreizen	Matthew	
Barbara Doty	Ken McCall	
Marie Dunigan	Joseph Mariconda	
Dennis Emperor	Peter Marsh	
Nicolette Falzone	Patty McNichol	
	Vincent Merola	
	Franco Migliorini	
	Roberta Miro	
	Peter Monfasani	
	Joan Orena	
	Linda Palermo	
	SPC Sean Pesce	
	Raymond Perry, Jr.	
	Lynn Phimister	
	Robert	
	Robin Rodolfo	

Our Lady Help of Christians will be participating in an effort of the Staten Island Deanery -(Deanery is a subdivision of the archdiocese) to participate in the Eucharistic Revival happening throughout the American Church. For seven days, seven parishes throughout the island will hold Adoration of the Blessed

Sacrament from after their morning Mass throughout the day and night to the next day's morning Mass. This will be happening from December 1-7, 2022. Our parish will cover Monday-Tuesday December 5th-6th from after 9am Mass to next 9am Mass. The purpose of this 7 day vigil is to highlight Christ's True Presence in Eucharist and His offer of grace and eternal life through this most Blessed Sacrament. The list dates and sites of this island-wide act of prayer are:

December 1st - St. Charles
December 3rd - St. Clement-St. Michael
December 4th - Blessed Sacrament
December 6th - Holy Family
December 7th - St. Joseph-St. Thomas

There will be sign-ups for those willing to be guardians for this 24 Hour period entrusted to our parish. What a beautiful way to enter into the spirit of Advent. Through God's generosity, may many graces of protection from evil, conversion of heart, healing, and peace flower in our borough and beyond.



RESPECT LIFE NEWS

The 2022 Fall campaign of the 40 Days for Life has ended. The prayer warriors from OLHC had much encouragement from passersby, asking for literature and even a clergyman joining us for a rosary. But the best of all was the baby born because of the spring campaign! His name is Levi and please, say a prayer for him and his brave mother.

331 other babies were saved across the U.S. this fall. Our God is an awesome God!

PARISH, CHURCH NEWS AND EVENTS

Thank you to all who made our Dorothy Day Thanksgiving Outreach a success this year.

A special thanks to Colleen Meehan for all the hard work in coordinating the event!



The Giving Tree will be set up in the church lobby. Tags for those in need will be placed on the tree for anyone who would like to take them. It is a wonderful thing to be a part of this tradition every year.

PLEASE PLACE UNWRAPPED TOYS IN THE BOX IN THE LOBBY.

**THANK YOU FOR
PUTTING A SMILE ON A
CHILD'S FACE.**



RELIGIOUS EDUCATION NEWS

OFFICE HOURS

**MONDAY THROUGH WEDNESDAY
NOVEMBER THROUGH DECEMBER**

10:00 AM-3:00 PM

TEL. NO. 347-838-6726

Announcements

**There will be NO CLASS for
8th Graders ONLY, Tuesday, Nov. 29th and
Wednesday, Nov. 30th
8th Grade Morality Class:
Wednesday, Nov. 30th at 7pm in the
church. Each student MUST have an
adult with them. Preferably their Adult
Sponsor or Parent.**

*******SAVE THE DATES!!*******



**JOIN US ON DEC. 3RD FOR
BREAKFAST WITH SANTA. NOTICES
WERE SENT HOME WITH ALL
STUDENTS.
LAST DAY FOR RESERVATIONS
IS MONDAY, NOV. 28TH.**

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT REHEARSAL



**All students should have
received their parts either by
email or they were handed out in class.
Rehearsals will be on
Friday, December 2nd at 3pm in the
church and Friday December 9th at 5pm.**

*May God bless you,
Mrs. Joan Baggs, DRE*

*Thank you to all who participated in the
Christmas Tree Dedication.*



*Please join us for the special OLHC Parish tree lighting
on Saturday, December 3rd after the
4:30pm Mass.*

*What a beautiful way to remember your loved
ones.*