

JULY 22, 2012
SIXTEENTH SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME
OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA

"MAY THE LORD BLESS THE GOOD PEOPLE OF OUR LADY
 STAR OF THE SEA."

Msgr. Jeffrey P. Conway

ANNOUNCED MASSES

July 21, 2012

- 9:00AM** Luke Harris
- 4:00PM** Berta Matzele
- 5:30PM** Deceased Members of the Smith Family

Sunday, July 22, 2012

- 8:00AM** Vincent Pizzuto
- 9:15AM** Joseph Fallacaro
- 10:30AM** Rosa and Antonio Circolone
- 12 Noon** Florence Santimauro
- 1:15PM** Carmel Messina and Lucia Deliso
- 7:00PM** Felice and Joseph Limeri

Monday

- 9:00AM** Deceased Members of Bennetti, Luciano and Favorito Families

Tuesday

- 9:00AM** Rosa Como

Wednesday

- 9:00AM** Margaret and Samuel Faulds

Thursday

- 9:00AM** Gloria Langelotti-Corso

Friday

- 9:00AM** Carl Capobianco

Saturday, July 28, 2012

- 9:00AM** Jenny Lopez
- 4:00PM** Salvatore Imperiale
- 5:30PM** Sophia and Joseph Iorio and Jane and John Graziano

Sunday, July 29, 2012

- 8:00AM** Edward and Maryann Brennan
- 9:15AM** Sadie and Ross DiMartino
- 10:30AM** Peter Borzuku
- 12 Noon** Adeline and Francesco Cafiero
- 1:15PM** Mary Lomondo
- 7:00PM** John J. Tenant, Sr.

HERO/SAINT OF THE WEEK

St. Sharbel Makhlof – July 24 - Joseph Makhlof was born in 1828 at Beqa Kafra Lebanon. His peasant family had a strong faith and a great devotion to the Blessed Mother. At age 23, Sharbel entered the Lebanese Maronite Monastery and was ordained a priest in 1859. He lived seven years in the Community of d'Anaya after which he spent 23 years in complete solitude at Sts. Peter and Paul Monastery. Sharbel had a reputation for his austerity, penance, obedience and chastity. He had great devotion to the Most Blessed Sacrament and at times, levitated during prayer. In all things, St. Sharbel maintained perfect serenity. He was canonized a saint in 1979. (JM)

THE SANCTUARY LAMP – WEEK OF JULY 22ND
IN LOVING MEMORY OF
MARY AND ARTHUR BARLOTTA
FROM ANNETTE CHEECH

Lectors – July 28, 2012

- 4:00PM** G. Vitiello, G. LaGrua
- 5:30PM** C. Losi, M. Andreola

Eucharistic Ministers – July 28, 2012

- 4:00PM** L. Barbato, J. Coscia, F. Barone, P. Basirico, C. Biondolillo, J. Uhlman, A. McCoy
- 5:30PM** J. Prato, M. Sicari, F. Barone, R. Taranto, A. Spoto, A. Maffeo, S. Roberto

Lectors – Sunday July 29, 2012

- 8:00AM** L. Bauer
- 9:15AM** T. O'Connell, J. Zinsley
- 10:30AM** MA Higgins
- 12 Noon** A. Pompei
- 1:15PM** B. Weir
- 7:00PM** J. Limeri, T. Palmieri

Eucharistic Ministers – Sunday, July 29, 2012

- 8:00AM** T. Daluise, M. Molinini, K. Bradley, R. Bauer, J. Perdichizzi, J. Stanzione, MJ Truckenbrodt
- 9:15AM** T. Strange, M.E. Carey, R. Scarpati, M. Vierno, J. Gatto, A. Guber, R. Corbett
- 10:30AM** C. Ordy, S. & B. Hitchcock, G. & E. Riozzi, G. Balestrino, B. Higgins
- 12 Noon** ME Carey, N. Fallacaro, J. Tolento, MA Russo, J. Prato, S. Catalano
- 1:15PM** H. Angelina, A. McCoy, C. Bottiglia, B. Peters, M. Sprague, G. Serio, E. Viola
- 7:00PM** G. LaGrua, C. DiDomenico, D. McCumisky, R. Scarpati, M. Recanatini, C. Pontecorvo, G. Donohue

Altar Server Schedule

Saturday, July 28, 2012:

- 4:00 P.M.** E. Buccini, A. Mutkoski, A. Napolitano, K. Tobin
- 5:30 P.M.** J. Albanese, T. Banks, M. Losi, M. McDonough

Sunday, July 29, 2012

- 8:00 A.M.** N. D'Angelo, C. Luisi, C. Marashaj, G. Tucci
- 9:15 A.M.** E. & R. Carey, M. Gambino, N. Giaquinto
- 10:30 A.M.** M. Higgins, K. Lee, A. & R. Ruskowski
- 12:00 Noon** F. Auriti, D. Battaglia, C. Carr, V. Palazzo
- 1:15 P.M.** N. Campanella, F. & T. Nieves, C. Trang
- 7:00 P.M.** M. Brophy, F. Galante, V. Sicari, N. Turturro



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

- FIRST TIME:** Joseph Guzzi and Joseph Franzese
Joseph Basile and Gaetana DiCiolla
Fred Avitto and Amy Ringel
- SECOND TIME:** Joseph Franzese and Jenna Guzzi
- THIRD TIME:** Brian Szeluga and Sandy Borie
Christopher Red and Baisee Vitor
Matthew Ottomanelli and Roseann Idone
Raymond Kane and Melissa Sekzer
Jared Jax and Jacqueline Donza
Christopher Mulea and Meaghan Gorman

MASS CELEBRANTS

FR. BOB POVEROMO IS ON VACATION FOR JULY

Saturday – July 21

4:00PM Fr. Gabe Mendy

5:30PM Fr. Panimayakumar

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8:00AM Fr. Gabe Mendy

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PRAYER GROUP – HEALING MASS

Remember, no Healing Service or Mass during the month of August. No Prayer Group meeting in August. The Prayer Group usually meets on Tuesdays at 8PM in the Damato Meeting Room in our Athletic Center for prayers of praise, singing, centering and intercessory prayer. New members are welcome. Everyone has the opportunity to be prayed over.

Next Healing Service, Tuesday, September 4th at 3:30PM;
Next Healing Mass, Tuesday, Sept. 18th, at 8PM.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Unfortunately, during the months of July and August, due to the fact that we do not have enough Adorers to adequately cover the hours of 12 noon to 5PM, we will not have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. We will resume in September. If you can find some time in your day to stop by to do Adoration, please call Carol at (917) 536-8576. *The Chapel of Our Lady Star of the Sea will be open each day until 12 Noon, if you would like to stop by.*

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Paul Alaimo, Denise Amore, Helen Angelina, Maggie Anglemeyer, Jeanne Ardine, Betty Barrasso, Christine Bessi, Barbara Boscia, Dustin Cabeza, Marion Concaduna, David, Lanette, Ethel and Nanette Colon, Connie Bonanno, Dustin Cabereza, Frances Carbone, Serafina Carlone, Stephanie Cerchio, Philip Civello, Sal Civello, Frances Codispodo, David and Ethel Cohen, Marion Condadora, Edith G. Corredor, Vincent Crispino, Jaime Cucuzza, Virginia Cutrone, Tony Daluise, Vincent DeMarco, Nancy DeMartino, Debra DiDomenico, Joan DiFiore, Joseph Ennis, Carol Federic, John Foder, Anthony Galante, Nancy and Antoinette Gallo, Carol Gawron, Dolly Gerardi, Joan Gordon, Fred Grasso, Andrew Hardin, Stanley Kielbasa, Tarek Kamal, Victor Lamberti, M. Lawler, Marcella Lawless, James Ledger, Elaine Lewis, Alice Lombardo, William Magrino, Jr., Vincent Malchiodi, Michael Maniscalco, Laureen Mauro, Robert McGibney, Tiffany Mezzatesta, Eileen Narbut, Dave O'Hanlon, Joseph Pagano, Joseph and Barbara Pasquarello, Lucy Peters, John Petruzzo, Josephine Petrosino, Steven Pica, Joseph Pineiro, Camille Polly, Rachelle Puglisi, Carmen Rangon, Mary Rizzuti, Denise Santanella, Carlos Santiago, Celeste Setty, Lorraine Skelly, Frances Slattery, Steve Speranzo, Larry Sullivan, Maryann Taranuk, Susan Tawes, Cynthia and Stephanie Tonback, Lisa Vasquez, Olga Walchok, Betty Walsh, Robert Wideman, Carol Wright, Mary Yacovacci.



SINCERE CONDOLENCES

The Parish Family of Our Lady Star of the Sea wishes to express our sincere condolences to those who have lost a loved one. Condolences to the family of:

Anthony Ragazzo

MOM AND TOTS GROUP

The Group which meets every Wednesday morning at 10:30AM in the Lower Rectory Hall will resume in September (date to be announced).

BAPTISM PREPARATION POLICY

All Parish Families preparing for the Baptism of their child must attend the Parish Baptismal Preparation Program. The program is held on the 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at 12 Noon in the Athletic Center (Damato Meeting Room). We invite you to bring along your baby's Godparents to hear this special presentation. Please call the rectory for a Registration Packet before attending the Sunday Meeting. A copy of the child's birth certificate, proof of Confirmation for sponsors (the sponsor must be at least 14 years of age), the Baptismal donation of \$100 and the yellow registration form must be brought to the Parish Office (Mon.- Fri. 9 to 4PM), prior to the Baptism Meeting. You may then bring the completed registration form to the meeting of your choice.

BAPTISMAL CLASS

12 Noon – 2nd and 4th Sundays
OLSS ATHLETIC CENTER

Aug. 12th and Aug. 26th

Sept. 9th and Sept. 23rd

Oct. 14th and Oct. 28th

Nov. 11th and Nov. 25th

Dec. 9th and Dec. 23rd

BAPTISMAL CEREMONIES IN THE CHURCH

2:15 PM – 2nd and 4th Sundays

Aug. 12th and Aug. 26th

Sept. 9th and Sept. 23rd

Oct. 14th and Oct. 28th

Nov. 11th and Nov. 25th

Dec. 9th and Dec. 23rd

SPONSOR CERTIFICATES

Certificates attesting to the fact that a parishioner is a practicing Catholic are often required when they are asked to sponsor someone at the time of Baptism or Confirmation. These certificates may be obtained only **AFTER** the Masses on Saturday evening or **AFTER** any of the other Sunday Masses. The **PERSON REQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE MUST** see the priest **AFTER ATTENDING THE MASS** and request one.

MUSIC WORKSHOP FOR BRIDES AND GROOMS

On Sunday, August 26th at 8:15PM we will have our Music Workshop, at which time you will be able to select the liturgical music for your wedding and ask any questions.

ATTENTION EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND LECTORS

The Schedule, which covers July 7th through Nov. 4th, has either been mailed or e-mailed. If you did not receive one through either method, please call Madalena at the rectory and it will be sent to you. The Sacristan has a few copies which are kept in the Sacristy where you can get one as well. Thank you again for your faithful service to Our Lady Star of the Sea.



BIBLE STUDY IN THE FALL

If you are interested in participating in Bible Study, please call the Rectory and leave your name and number. We plan to resume Bible Study in the fall and we encourage new participants. If you have been a part of the program in the past, please call again just to confirm your interest.

CHRISTIAN INITIATION

INQUIRY: Did you ever think of becoming a Catholic? Have you been coming to church with a family member or a friend for a number of years and maybe considered Baptism and full Initiation into the Catholic Church? Are you baptized in another faith, but now desire to become Catholic? If interested or would like more information call the rectory: (718) 984-0593.

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Reading I Jeremiah 23:1-6 (messianic reign)

Reading II Ephesians 2:13-18 (all united in Christ)

Gospel Mark 6:30-32 (return of the disciples)

Key Passage: The apostles gathered around Jesus, and told him all that they had done and taught. He said to them, "Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while." (Mark 6:30-31a)

Adult: *What do you do to rest so that you can return to work refreshed?*

Child: *When will you take time to stop and pray this week?*

Questions taken from *Heritage of Faith*, (Jo McClure Rotunno, and CTL)

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY: Our support group for those who have experienced the loss of a loved one meets on the 2nd and 4th Thursday of the month, 7:30 to 9PM in the Rectory. We will resume in September (date to follow). For more information, please the Rectory (718) 984-0593.

SEPARATED AND DIVORCED MINISTRY: Meets on the 1st and 3rd Monday of each month, 7:30 to 9PM in the Rectory. We will resume in September (date to follow). For information, please the Rectory (718) 984-0593.

BOOK GROUP MEETING: The group will resume in September. Book to be announced.

Adult Faith Formation Core Team Meeting: The Adult Faith Formation Core Team will meet on **Tuesday, July 24th at 7:45 pm.** Kindly call Joe Limeri at 347-541-9757 if you are unable to attend.

YOUTH MINISTRY NEWS

YOUTH MINISTRY: All teens are also welcome to join our Bible Breakdown - Sundays at 3pm in the Rectory Living Room.

Follow our Facebook page: www.facebook.com/OLSSYMReality
Seeking young adult volunteers for Youth Leadership. Call the Rectory if interested: 984-0593.

Summer Schedule – Now through Aug 23rd -We will be doing Bible Breakdowns on Thursdays at Wolfe's Pond park at 6:30pm.

ORGANIZATIONAL CALENDARS

All parish organizations must submit (and should have already submitted) a schedule for the year 2012-2013 of their dates, times and places for all activities in the School, Athletic Center, O'Mara Hall and the Rectory. Everything that your organization intends to sponsor for the coming year (including set up time) needs to be included. If another organization takes your time and place – your organization will "miss-out". If you have not already done so, please send your proposed calendar to the Rectory (attention Eileen) **ASAP**. Thank you.

FLEA MARKET AT ST. JOHN NEUMANN

WANTED: Vendors for St. John Neumann Fall Flea Market -- Sat., Sept. 8th, 9:00 am - 3:00 pm. Vendor space - \$35 each. Please call (718) 984-8535 to register.

SCHOOL NEWS

SCHOLARSHIP WINNERS

Congratulations to the Class of 2012 students who won over \$462,000 in scholarships!

Jared Caffero	Full scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS
John DaSilva	Full scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS
Victoria Gallo	Partial scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the-Sea HS
Christopher Harris	Full scholarship to Monsignor Farrell HS Full scholarship to St. Peter's HS
Kaitlyn McGuire	Partial scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS
Nicole Pansini	Full scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS
Ava St. Laurent	Partial scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS Partial scholarship to Notre Dame Academy
Nicole Supino	Full scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS
Gianna Gasparino	Full scholarship to St. Joseph Hill Academy Full scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS
Dominic LaFerlita	Partial scholarship to Xavier HS
Michael Matarazzo	Full scholarship to Monsignor Farrell HS Partial scholarship to Xavier HS
Daniel Pucciarelli	Full scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS
Robert Regeiro	Full scholarship to Monsignor Farrell HS Partial scholarship to Xavier HS
Robert Ruskowski	Full scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS Full scholarship to Monsignor Farrell HS
Gia Santigate	Full scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS
Dante Volpe	Full scholarship to St. Joseph-by-the Sea HS Full scholarship to Monsignor Farrell HS

TEST FOR ADMISSION INTO CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOLS

Students in the eighth grade during the 2012-2013 school year wishing to apply for fall 2013 admission into Catholic high schools in the Archdiocese of New York are eligible. To take the TACHS test, beginning Sept. 1st, you may register via the internet at www.tachsinfo.com or by telephone from 8AM to 7PM Monday-Friday and 10AM to 2PM Saturday-Sunday at 1-866-61TACHS (1-800-618-2247). Student handbooks are available at www.tachsinfo.com. Fee: \$52.

ANTI BULLY MONTHLY SUPPORT GROUP

What: Support Group for Children and Teens – "Playing it Forward"

When: Mon., July 23, 4:30 to 6:30PM

Where: Rossville AME Zion Church (Basement)
584 Bloomingdale Road, SI, NY

Come hear from other young adults and individuals who have lived through the experience and created a positive life. Share your story and meet other peers in similar circumstances. Parents will have the opportunity to speak with other parents. Free refreshments.

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA RELIGIOUS EDUCATION OFFICE

The Religious Education Office is closed for the summer and will reopen on August 27th. Check the bulletin for a registration date. You must be a registered parishioner in order to register your child for Religious Education.

USHERS NEEDED

We are in need of ushers for certain weekend Masses, especially the 5:30PM on Saturday and the 12 Noon, 1:15PM and 7PM on Sundays. If you would like to help in this important ministry, please call the Rectory and leave your name and number for Sacristan, John Manetta (718) 984-0593.



OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA BLOOD DRIVE

Please give blood at the Our Lady Star of the Sea Blood Drive on Sunday, August 5, 2012. Donors will be taken from 9AM to 3PM in O'Mara Hall. Donors must be between the ages of 16 and 75, weigh at least 110 lbs. and be in good general health. Most medications, including those that treat high blood pressure, high cholesterol, and diabetes, will not stop you from donating blood. For any other questions regarding medical eligibility, please call (800) 688-0900. Please eat a healthy meal before donating and bring a form of ID.

This blood drive is taking place during the NY Blood Center's Summer Olympic Blood Games, which means OLSS can win an award if we have the highest-collecting blood drive that week. Please donate blood AND bring a friend to donate as well so we can go for the gold! THANK YOU!

BE REVERENT

The hot days of summer are here and we would like to remind you that proper attire is still appropriate when attending Mass. Revealing clothes are a distraction when all our attention, worship and praise should be for Jesus. Shorts shorts, shirts that don't cover the waist, tank tops, etc. are inappropriate. So please, cover up and worship and praise with us. Thank you.

SEXUAL ABUSE OF A MINOR

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of abuse of a minor by priest, deacon, religious or lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P. at (212) 371-1000 x2949 or Deacon George J. Coppola at (917) 861-1762. Both may also be reached via e-mail at victimassistance@archny.org. Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, www.archny.org. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

SUNDAY DONATION ENVELOPES

If you lost your envelopes or if you are not receiving OLSS envelopes and using plain envelopes to make donations, please call the rectory and we will be happy to send you some. If you find that you have to use a plain envelope, please put complete information on them; include your envelope number, name, address, phone number, amount enclosed, and the date. If you are not a registered parishioner and would like to become one, please call the rectory. Thank you.

VENDORS WANTED

Saturday, August 11th, 2012 – 11AM to 5:PM

Come join us at St Clare's for a fun filled family day at the Second Annual Feast of St Clare Family Festival at the Cardinal Cooke Center, 110 Nelson Ave., SI, NY. Fun for the entire family: bouncy house, giant slide, vendor tables, arts & crafts, face painting, food stand, home baked goods, magic show, raffle baskets and much, much more for everyone in the family. **Vendors please contact Alicia or Louis Maresca @ (718) 984-7873.**

BIBLE STUDY EVENT AT MT. MANRESA

"A Bible Study Guide for the Year of Faith" will be presented by Fr. Mitch Pacwa, S.J., on August 10th-11th-12th, at Mount Manresa Jesuit Retreat House in Fort Wadsworth. The Founder and President of Ignatius Productions, Fr. Pacwa is a scripture scholar, fluent in 12 languages, host of EWTN, and a world-renowned lecturer. Please call 718-727-3844, ext. 200 or visit www.mountmanresa.org.

OLSS SPORTS NEWS

INTRAMURAL BASKETBALL REGISTRATION: Intramural basketball is open to girls and boys in grades K-8. Please register early. Registration for the fall and winter sessions of the OLSS Intramural basketball League will be held on Wednesday July 25, Thursday July 26, Wednesday Aug 1st, Thursday August 2nd from 7-9 pm in the front lobby of the Athletic Center. For a form and price list, please visit olssbasketball.com. or stop in the gym for more info.

PRE-K 3 and PRE-K 4 BASKETBALL CLINIC: OLSS Sports will open a new Clinic for boys and girls in Pre-k 3 or 4. ALL PLAYERS MUST BE 3 by July 1st to participate. The clinic will run Saturday mornings from 8:30-9:15AM. Space is limited and will close out when full. Registration for this clinic will be held on August 9th and 16th from 7-9. For more info, please see the sports web site.

CYO BASKETBALL REGISTRATION: Will take place on Wednesday: July 25, Aug 1 and Aug 8 from 7-9 in the Athletic Center. For forms and pricing please visit the web site at olssbasketball.com or stop in the gym for more info. Basketball is open to boys and girls in Grades 1-8. High School division will register in October.

CROSS COUNTRY TRACK TEAM: We are getting an early start on the Cross Country Track team. Cross Country is open to boys and girls in grades K-8. The season runs in the fall (usually Saturdays in October). For more information, please contact Erin Ryan at tmm4e@verizon.net. We are always looking for coaches too, so if you have a passion for running, come down and join the team.

FALL SOCCER REGISTRATION: Fall Soccer registration is now in progress for Pee Wees, 3 year olds, and SIYSL players. Early registration fees are \$150 for SIYSL players and \$100 for Pee Wee, 3 year olds and siblings. See our website www.olsssoccer.com for registration forms and more details. Fill out form after downloading and you may drop it off at the Rectory.

DINE OUT AGAINST BULLIES

On July 25th, the NYC Arts Cypher is sponsoring "Dine Out Against Bullies." They are a non-profit organization with a mission to promote positive values through arts and entertainment. Proceeds to help continue their anti-bully campaign. Participating restaurants: *Angelinas, Cucumber Sushi, Il Divo, Daddy O's BBQ & Sports Bar, Duggout South, Espana Royal, Goodfellas, Italianissimo, Lorenzo's, Marina Café, Nove, Nucci's South, Play Sports Bar, Portobello Café and Puglia By the Sea.*

ESTATE PLANNING

Remember Our Lady Star of the Sea in your estate planning. If you would like to speak to a gift planning specialist about including OLSS in your will or living trust, please call the Archdiocese of New York at (212) 371-1000 Ext. 3317 or email gift.planning@archny.org for more information.

12 STEP MEETINGS – RECTORY BASEMENT

ACOA	Sun., 5:30PM
AA	Sun., 8:15PM
	Mon., 10AM
	Thurs., 4PM
	Sat., 7:30PM and 9PM
PILLS ANON.	Tues., 6:30PM and
	Fri., 7:30PM
GAMBLERS ANON.	Tues., 8:00PM
AL ANON	Thurs., 7:15PM
For INTERVENTIONS call Joe Bratt (718) 290-7012	