

**NOVEMBER 3, 2013
THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME
OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA**

"May the Lord bless you and grant you and your loved ones His lasting Peace and Joy."

Msgr. Jeffrey P. Conway

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Saturday, November 2, 2013

- 9:00AM** Lorraine Antinoro
4:00PM Deceased Members of Serrantonio and Puglisi Fms.
5:30PM Deceased Members of Gargiulo and Oliva Fms.

Sunday, November 3, 2013

- 8:00AM** Nicola Carlone and Deceased of Carlone Fm.
9:15AM Frank Citera
10:30AM Sydney Stacey Sr.
12 Noon John and Cecelia Smith and Frank Bortle
1:15PM Joseph Surace
7:00PM Dec. Members of Palmieri and Persichille Fms.

Monday

- 9:00AM** Christina Pascone and Christopher Perrotto

Tuesday

- 9:00AM** Eleanor Santoro

Wednesday

- 9:00AM** Florence Santimauro

Thursday

- 9:00AM** Eleanor Arnone

Friday

- 9:00AM** Giovanni Gallina

Saturday, Nov. 9, 2013

- 9:00AM** Lorraine Antinoro and Anthony Pepe
4:00PM Marco Fusillo
5:30PM Natale Mannino

Sunday, Nov. 10, 2013

- 8:00AM** Pietro Ricciardi
9:15AM Tillie and Stephen and Steve Healy
10:30AM Domenico Grieco
12 Noon Joseph O'Connor
1:15PM George, Elaine and Thomas Quinn
7:00PM Nicholas Dellaventura



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

- FIRST TIME:** Michael Rudolph and Lorena Reilly
 Franco Marchetta and Jessica Fazzolari
THIRD BANNS: William McEvoy and Erika Stensland
 Robert Howley and Audra Goodman



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:

*Mary Ruocchio, Patrick Muscaro, Filomena Pagano,
Peter Furie, Concetta Ferrierand Joseph Cavitola*

**THE SANCTUARY LAMP WEEK OF
NOVEMBER 3, 2013
IN MEMORY OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF
MARY AND ARTHUR BARLOTTA
FROM LYNN AND ELAINE BARLOTTA**

Lectors – Saturday, Nov. 9, 2013

- 4:00PM** C. Harris
5:30PM M. Andreola

Eucharistic Ministers, Saturday, Nov. 9, 2013

- 4:00PM** S. Roberto, M. Sicari, V. Caruso, A. Lazzara, A. McCoy, C. Argano, A. Petrocelli
5:30PM A. Maffeo, C. Bottiglia, J. Cimino, J. Amitrano, JM Graziano, M. Graziano, ME Carey

Lectors – Sunday, Nov. 10, 2013

- 8:00AM** L. Bauer, J. Perdichizzi
9:15AM M. Higgins
10:30AM M. Coppolo
12 Noon M. Newell, C. Messina
1:15PM MA Higgins
7:00PM G. LaGrua

Eucharistic Ministers – Nov. 10, 2013

- 8:00AM** A. Sparandera, T. Daluise, MJ Truckenbrodt, J. Stanzione, M. Molinini, R. Bauer, P. Zoltowski
9:15AM R. Corbett, M. Vierno, L. Capobianco, J. Gatto, AP Walsh, A. Brady, C. Scalzo
10:30AM F. Ruggiero, R. DeMaio, C. Messina, J. Tolento, G. Balestrino, C. & G. Riozzi
12 Noon N. Fallacaro, D. Zaiano, E. Talarico, C. & J. Gerace, C. Belvedere, A. McCoy, B. Nicholson, F. Palazzo, C. Houle, V. Aciri, B. Higgins, M. & F. Marino
1:15PM B. Nicholson, F. Palazzo, C. Houle, V. Aciri, B. Higgins, M. & F. Marino
7:00PM D. McCumisky, K. Melka, J. Limeri, C. Barone, B. Weir, S. Caiazza, C. Pontecorvo

Altar Server Schedule

Saturday, Nov. 9, 2013

- 4:00 P.M.** J. & K. Martino, G. & V. Sicari
5:30 P.M. M. Brophy, S. Imbro, S. & N. Nicholaou

Sunday, Nov. 10, 2013

- 8:00 A.M.** C. Luisi, N. & J. Mele, S. Marashaj
9:15 A.M. E. Carey, F. & S. Scarmato, D. Smerina
10:30A.M. J. Nardulli, J. Petillo, R. Ruskowski, B. Walsh
12 Noon C. Carr, N. D'Angelo, D. Russo, C. Sikorjak
1:15 P.M. K. Betsais, L. Cavicchio, F. & T. Nieves
7:00 P.M. H. Caruso, L. Caiazza, C. & J. Rubin



MASS CELEBRANTS

Sat. – Nov. 2, 2013

- 4:00PM** Msgr. Peter Smith
5:30PM Msgr. Peter Smith

Sat. – Nov. 9, 2013

- 4:00PM** Msgr. V. Bartley
5:30PM Msgr. V. Bartley

Sunday – Nov. 3, 2013

- 8:00AM** Fr. Adalbert
9:15AM Fr. Adalbert
10:30AM Msgr. Jeff Conway
12 Noon Msgr. V. Bartley
1:15PM Msgr. V. Bartley
7:00PM Msgr. Jeff Conway

Sun. – Nov. 10, 2013

- 8:00AM** Fr. Adalbert
9:15AM Msgr. Peter Smith
10:30AM Msgr. Peter Smith
12 Noon Msgr. Jeff Conway
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St. Charles Borromeo, Bishop – Nov. 4

St. Charles was born in 1538 and was an outstanding figure in the Church Reformation. He was educated in Milan and was a doctor of civil and canon law. At age 22, he was made Cardinal of Milan by his uncle Pope Pius IV. St. Charles was influential in drafting the Catechism and reform of liturgical books and music. In 1563, he was ordained a priest and two months later, a Bishop. He was ordained after being made administrator of a diocese (Milan). St. Charles gave away much of his revenue to the poor, held councils, synods, made regular parish visits and established seminaries. In 1569, there was an assassination attempt. He was only wounded. Between 1570 and 1576, he helped feed and nurse thousands during a famine and the plague. His work for renewal and reform of the Church eventually wore him down and he died in Milan in 1584 at age 46. During the plague, he organized processions, one of which he had a rope tied around his neck and he was led through the streets in penance. St. Charles Borromeo is the Patron of bishops, catechists and seminarians. (JM)

MUSIC WORKSHOP FOR BRIDES AND GROOMS

On Sunday, Dec. 29, 2013 at 8:15PM, we will have our Music Workshop in the Church after the 7PM Mass. At this time, you will be able to select the liturgical music for your wedding and ask any questions you may have.

PRAYER GROUP – HEALING MASS

The Prayer Group 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.

THE NEXT HEALING SERVICE WILL BE ON NOV. 5TH AT 3:30PM.

THE NEXT HEALING MASS WILL BE ON NOV. 19TH AT 8PM., celebrated by Padre Pio and Msgr. Jeff.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Mary Ellen Aluotto, Denise Amore, Joseph Arena, Manuel Arenas, Marie Aufiero, Marie C. Basile, Pat Basirico, Taylor Bauerlein, Lyn Burkley, Catherine Biondolillo, Barbara Boscia, Roseann and Mike Canavan, Nicoletta Caputo, Serafina Carlone, Mary Ann Casale, Ethel Cohen, Nanette Colon, Theresa Conlon, Marion Concadora, Gina Corio, Edith Corredor, Tom Cottingham, Jaime Cucuzza, Russell Cunningham, Gen Decio, Gemma Deliso, John Emigholz, Sr., Glynnis Enciso, Joe Ennis, Michelle Farrell, Donna Ferrara, Antoinette Forte, Elizabeth Franco, Juliette Gerbino, Edna Gorman, Joseph E. Graziano, Lorraine Hamer, Ernest Kaufmann, James Ledger, William Magrino, Jr., Domenico Mallozzi, Madeline O'Hara, Adelina Pelle, Lucy Peters, Thomas and Maria Mayas, Tiffany Mezzatesta, Anna Milham, Jacqueline Morris, Eric Pineiro, Joanne Paramonte, John Petrizzo, Josephine Petrosino, Camille Polly, Carmen and John Ragona, Ann Marie Rovegno, Denise Santanella, Celeste Setty, Harry Schueschner, Lorraine Skelly, Dan Speranzo, Jr., Susan Tawes, John Tralonga, Larry Wilson, Carol Wright.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration is held from 12 noon to 5pm, Monday to Thursday. We are in need of Adorers to sit with the Blessed Sacrament every hour. If you can find some time in your day to participate in Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, please call Carol Ordy at *82-917-536-8576.

DRESS IN CHURCH

While we would prefer that all our parishioners and visitors dressed in their "Sunday best" for church, it is the policy of this parish to be tolerant in this regard, leaving to individual conscience the judgment and the responsibility to show due respect. We have no desire to single out or embarrass individuals for lack of due diligence in this matter. As the pope would say: Who are we to judge? We will continue to teach "in general" about this in our bulletins and our sermons but leave the implementation of the teaching up to our readers and our listeners.

USHERS NEEDED

If you would like to volunteer to be an usher, please call the rectory at (718) 984-0593 and leave your name and number for John Manetta, our Sacristan. We are especially in need of ushers at the 4 and 5:30PM Mass on Saturday and the 7PM on Sunday. Thank you.

ADULT FAITH FORMATION – CALLING NEW MEMBERS

Are you interested in making a difference? Our Core Team is currently looking for individuals who can work collaboratively with our group to help set direction for upcoming Adult Faith Formation initiatives and events within our parish. If you are interested. Kindly email Joe Limeri – jlimeri@aol.com

ADULT FAITH FORMATION

The Adult Faith Formation and RCIA sites within our parish website have undergone a complete transformation, making it easier to navigate and providing a new virtual experience. While most content has been migrated, new content has been added in order to better serve our community of faith. We are still not done and we welcome any suggestions you might have to make our sites even better. Please take a moment and visit us at our **NEW WEBSITE:** <http://aff.olssparish.org>.

RCIA CATECHISTS NEEDED FOR TEEN PROGRAM

We are actively looking for RCIA catechists preferably young adults who will assist with facilitation of our RCIA program for Teens. Programs are held each Sunday through May. If you are interested in sharing your faith and making a real difference in someone's life, kindly email Joe Limeri at jlimeri@aol.com or call 347-541-9757.

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.

Thirty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time

(Welcoming the sinner)

Reading I Wisdom 11:22-12:1 (digression on God's mercy)

Reading II 2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2 (exhortation to faithfulness)

Gospel Luke 19:1-10 (Zacchaeus the tax collector)

Key Passage: And Jesus said to Zacchaeus, "Today salvation has come to this house, because he too is a son of Abraham, For the Son of Man came to seek out and to save the lost." (Luke 19:9-10)

Adult: *During the next week, what could you do to welcome someone who usually feels excluded?*

Child: *Is there a child in your class or neighborhood who is left out of games and activities? What can you do?*



BAPTISM PREPARATION POLICY

All Parish Families preparing for the Baptism of their child must attend the Parish Baptismal Preparation Program. The program is held mostly on the 2nd and 4th Sunday's 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 is needed. The sponsor must have proof of Confirmation, a sponsor certificate (see sponsor certificate information below) and 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

Nov. 10th and Nov. 24th
Dec. 8th and Dec. 22nd
Jan. 12th and Jan. 26th
Feb. 9th and Feb. 23rd
March 9th and March 23rd

BAPTISMAL CEREMONIES IN THE CHURCH

2:15 PM – 2nd and 4th Sundays
(There are no Baptisms on Oct. 27th)

Nov. 10th and Nov. 27th
Dec. 8th and Dec. 22nd
Jan. 12th and Jan. 26th
Feb. 9th and Feb. 23rd
March 9th and March 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.

Please Take Note

LECTOR WORKBOOKS

The new Lector Workbooks are in. If you would like to pick one up after Mass on the weekend, see the Sacristan. There are also some at the Rectory behind the Reception Desk. Please sign the pick-up sheet when you take your book. Thank you.

CONFIRMATION PARENT'S MEETING

There is a mandatory meeting of parents of all 7th Grade Our Lady Star of the Sea and Religious Education students on Monday, November 4th, in O'Mara Hall at 7:30PM. Thank you for your cooperation.

ST. EDWARD'S FOOD PANTRY

The Food Pantry is low on many items such as pasta, peanut butter, cereal, canned fruits and vegetables, tomato sauce, etc. If you can help, please drop your donations off after mass on Saturday or Sunday in the vestibule of the church.

SCHOOL NEWS

OLSS Student Receives 2013 CYO Shining Star Award



Congratulations to Gabriella DiSalvo, a fourth grade OLSS student, who recently was presented with the 2013 CYO Shining Star Award. This prestigious award is presented to students who have made a positive impact in their community. Gabriella is a bright student who has overcome many obstacles in order to achieve success. She is an inspiration to many!

OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA HOLIDAY FAIR

Get a head start on your holiday shopping. Our **HOLIDAY FAIR** will feature handmade crafts, personalized items, clothing, unique jewelry and so much more. Our Fair will take place on **Saturday, Nov. 30th and Sun., Dec. 1st, in O'Mara Hall from 11 to 6PM.** Space is still available for vendors. Please contact **Debbie at (917) 697-9454** if interested.

GOODFELLA'S OF GREAT KILLS WOULD LIKE TO GIVE BACK!!

We, at Goodfella's, are giving back 15% of all orders made by anyone who mentions **Our Lady Star of the Sea** at the time of purchase. Our goal is to raise as much money as possible to be used on funding student's necessities and activities. Please help spread the word and stop by our Great Kills location at: **4018 Hylan Boulevard. Don't forget to mention Our Lady Star of the Sea so your school receives the 15% benefit.**

SPORTS NEWS

Basketball Coaches Wanted: The CYO and Intramural Programs are looking for qualified, dedicated volunteers. Please contact Mia Marinaccio at 718-966-8860 or through the web at miam133@aol.com

CYO Track and Field/Cross Country Team: If your child is in grades Pre-K 4 through 8th grade and would like to run for the Track Team, please contact Mia Marinaccio at miam133@aol.com or Erin Ryan at tmm4e@verizon.net

OLSS/SIA Swim Team: We are currently having registration for the OLSS Swim Team. The team meets at the JCC during the Winter Season swimming on Sundays: November 10th through March 2nd. In Spring, We move to Friday nights starting March 9-through May 16th at CS. We also will utilize the Wednesday swim session from 7:30-8:30pm starting in late February for about 10 weeks. Registration forms can be downloaded at olssbasketball.com Please returned to: Darlene Crowe/Chris Bruno at 715 Todt Hill Rd SI, NY 10304. Or you could fill the form out on line and email to miam133@aol.com and it will be forwarded to the proper director.

NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAININGS

This Fall, we will have training for all boys and girls from Grades 5-11 who wish to become Altar Servers. Come join our great ministry to serve the Lord and one another! If you wish to sign up for the Fall trainings, contact Anthony Gorgia, Coordinator of the Altar Servers, at 718-966-9886 or Anthony.Gorgia@gmail.com **by Wednesday, November 6th.** You can also speak with him after any of the Sunday Masses for more information. Thank you.



CHOIR NEWS

CHILDREN'S CHOIR: Rehearsals- Mondays at 3:45PM in the Church. Children who are in the 1st through 6th grade are eligible. If you would like to join, please come to rehearsal. The Children's Choir sings at the 9:15AM Mass on Sundays.

TRADITIONAL CHOIR: The Traditional Choir is looking for members 18 years or older. **Rehearsals Mondays at 7PM in the Church.** If you would like to join come to rehearsal. The Choir sings at the 10:30AM Mass on Sundays.

✓ Mark Your Calendar

GROUP MEETINGS

DRUG AWARENESS SUPPORT GROUP: The next meeting will be on **Thurs., Nov. 14th, at 7:30PM, in O'Mara Hall.** If you would like more information, call Alicia Reddy at (646) 404-0637. If you are experiencing a drug problem in your family or if you would like to learn more about drug issues, you are welcome to attend.

BOOK CLUB: The next meeting will be **Thursday, November 14** at 7:30 PM in the rectory. Our next selection is Jesus of Nazareth - The Infancy Narratives by Pope Benedict XVI. New members are always welcome. For more information, please contact Kathy Melka at 917-696-7081.

SEPARATED AND DIVORCED MINISTRY: The group meets **every other Monday at 7:30PM.** The next meeting is on **Nov. 4th**. If you are interested in attending, please call the rectory and leave your name and number.

NEW DAY BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT GROUP: If you have experienced the loss of a loved one and would like to join our group, please call the Rectory at (718) 984-0593 to register. **They meet on Wednesdays at 7:30PM; next meeting Nov. 6th.**

BIBLE FAITH SHARING GROUPS: The OLSS Faith Sharing/Bible Study series will continue with The Acts of the Apostles. New groups are now being formed. If you are interested in joining an existing group, or starting one of your own, please call the rectory at 718-984-0593.

50 PLUS CLUB: The group meets in the Damato Meeting Room at 1PM. **The next meeting on Nov. 8th at 1PM.** Call Terry at (718) 317-1801 for more information.

PARISH COUNCIL MEETING: The next Parish Council Meeting is on **Monday, December 9th, at 6PM in the Rectory Basement.** Please call the Rectory to confirm your attendance (718) 984-0593. If you cannot attend, please send a representative or a report. Thank you.

PARENTS PRAYING TOGETHER

OLSS parents are invited to join together to pray the Rosary in the church chapel during adoration on Thursdays from 2:10 to 2:30PM on school days. Let's join together to pray for the children and families of OLSS. (Please remain quiet and prayerful since we are in the presence of the Holy Eucharist. No food or drink allowed in church. Thank you.)

SOLAR STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM FOR OLSS PARISHIONERS

Share the benefits of solar energy with your congregation AND raise funds for your organization!

- Every member of your organization that takes an appointment with a Trinity Solar consultant to discuss solar for their home will earn \$25 just for sitting down with us.
- For every member of your congregation that meets with us, Trinity Solar will donate \$25 back to your organization.
- For each congregant that has a Trinity Solar system installed on their home, Trinity will donate \$500 toward any fundraising activity you designate. Your organization could raise thousands of dollars just by sharing the benefits of solar energy with your community!

Contact Trinity today at (800-FREE SOLAR) and www.Trinity-Solar.com. to learn more about what the Solar Stewardship Program can do for you. It's a no-cost, no-obligation appointment, so you have nothing to lose and everything to gain.

ANNUAL COMMUNION BREAKFAST HONORING MSGR. DORNEY

On **Sunday, Nov. 10th**, His Eminence, Edward Cardinal Egan, will celebrate the 9AM Mass and be guest speaker at St. Peter's Church, 53 Saint Marks Place, SI, NY. Communion breakfast to follow, all you can eat buffet. Free shuttle bus service from school parking lot. \$15 per adult and children under 7 free. Please call to reserve a ticket by Nov. 7th (718) 727-2672 or drop payment off to St. Peter's Rectory.

MSGR. BARTLEY'S 80TH BIRTHDAY BRUNCH

Please join Msgr. Bartley and his friends to celebrate his 80th birthday. It will be a Brunch/Fundraiser. At Msgr.'s request, funds after expenses will go to the SMA Fathers (Society of African Missions). As you know, Msgr. Bartley was first a Missionary! It will be on Sun., Dec. 8th, at 12 Noon, Feast of the Immaculate Conception, also the Anniversary of the founding of the SMA Order, at the Old Bermuda Inn, 2512 Arthur Kill Rd. Cost: \$50. Please mail to: Msgr. Bartley 80, c/o Dr. Craig J. Campbell, DPM, 827 Forest Ave., SI, NY 10312. If you are unable to join us and would like to email a sentiment which we will give him as part of a memory book, email: rsvpsanam@aol.com. For more information, call Mary McVey at (917) 885-0770.

12 STEP MEETINGS IN RECTORY BASEMENT

ACOA	Sun., 5:30PM
AA	Sun., 8:15PM
	Mon., 10AM
	Tues., 4PM
	Thurs., 4PM
	Fri., 4PM
	Sat., 7:30PM & 9PM
PILLS ANON.	Tues., 6:30PM
	Fri., 6:30PM
GAMBLERS ANON.	Tues., 8:00PM
AL ANON	Thurs., 7:15PM
STOP COLD INTERVENTIONS	1-800-996-4106

PLEASE NOTE: Every first Thursday, there will be a dinner at 6PM, a meeting at 7:15PM and a Healing Mass at 8:30PM in O'Mara Hall/Chapel for members of 12 Step Programs. **Cost: \$20. The next meeting is on Dec. 5th.**