

JUNE 16, 2013
ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
OUR LADY STAR OF THE SEA
HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

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

Msgr. Jeffrey P. Conway

ANNOUNCED MASSES

Saturday, June 15, 2013

9:00AM Anna Scarpa
4:00PM Natale Mannino
5:30PM Mario Mattera and Deceased Members of Grezzo Fm.

Sunday, June 16, 2013

8:00AM Lyle Dean Hamilton
9:15AM Lenny Galati
10:30AM Bill Ordy and Ed Bosek
12 Noon Richard Rauch and Joseph Levantino
1:15PM Michael Claps and John Milo
7:00PM Paul Montanaro

Monday

9:00AM Vincent A. DiDomenico

Tuesday

9:00AM Ida Femiano

Wednesday

9:00AM Giuseppe and MaryAnn Randazzo

Thursday

9:00AM Lyle Dean Hamilton

Friday

9:00AM Sal DiGrande

Saturday, June 22, 2013

9:00AM Laura Giovane
4:00PM Michael Claps
5:30PM Michael Ferrara

Sunday, June 22, 2013

8:00AM Andrea DeLuca and Felicity and Salvatore Salamone
9:15AM Benedetta and Domenick Visceglia
10:30AM Anthony Visconti
12 Noon Philip Albanese
1:15PM Michael and Margaret Iacono
7:00PM Frank Palmieri



BANNS OF MARRIAGE

SECOND BANNS: Salvatore Saccheri and Kristen Gundersen
 Nicholas Castellano and Bobbi Maimone
THIRD BANNS: Domenico Caputo and Alyssa Volpe
 Romel Gobunsuy and Emily Slavin

MUSIC WORKSHOP FOR BRIDES AND GROOMS

On Sunday, June 30th, 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 any questions you may have.

THE SANCTUARY LAMP
WEEK OF JUNE 16, 2013
IN MEMORY OF SAL MESSINA
FROM THE MESSINA FAMILY

Lectors – Saturday, June 22, 2013

4:00PM A. Pompei, E. Vitiello
5:30PM F. Monte

Eucharistic Ministers, Saturday, June 22, 2013

4:00PM V. Caruso, R. Podvesker, A. Maffeo, R. Gamba, A. McCoy, J. Uhlman, A. Lazzara
5:30PM JM Graziano, A. Dazio, M. Graziano, J. Cimino, M. Lappin, M. Sicari, A. Spoto

Lectors – Sunday, June 23, 2013

8:00AM MJ Truckenbrodt, J. Perdichizzi
9:15AM T. O'Connell, V. Gilsenan
10:30AM J. Ladley, M. Coppola
12 Noon C. McNally, M. Higgins
1:15PM MA Higgins
7:00PM T. Palmieri

Eucharistic Ministers – June 23, 2013

8:00AM A. Sparandera, J. Stanzione, P. Zoltowski, M. Andreola, R. & L. Bauer, T. Daluise
9:15AM C. Scalzo, L. Capobianco, J. Gatto, R. Scarpati, M. Vierno, M. & B. Higgins
10:30AM B. Barone, C. Argano, C. Messina, K. Ladley, M. & S. Hitchcock, G. Balestrino
12 Noon M. Russo, R. Gamba, N. Fallacaro, ME Carey, A. Guber, C. Houle, MJ Russo
1:15PM R. & F. Marino, B. Higgins, T. Scaramuzzo, V. Acri, S. Catalano, M. Randazzo
7:00PM J. Prato, C. Pontecorvo, A. Maffeo, A. Zuffante, M. Sprague, K. Melka

Altar Server Schedule

Saturday, June 22, 2013

4:00 P.M. L. Cavicchio, J. & K. Martino, M. Rivera
8:30 P.M. M. Losi, C. & R. Nicholaou, A. Romani

Sunday, June 23, 2013

8:00 A.M. N. & G. Mele, G. & N. Tucci
9:15 A.M. E. Carey, F. & G. Scarmato, D. Smerina
10:30 A.M. E. Buccini, J. Petillo, R. Ruszkowski, G. Tulino
12 Noon N. D'Angelo, G. & V. Sicari, C. Sikorjak
1:15 P.M. H. Caruso, F. & T. Nieves, K. Tobin
7:00 P.M. C. & J. Rubin, D. Russo, N. Turturro



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: **Daniel Catalano, Vincent Sarullo, Dorothy Delaney and Frank Tavoraro**

St. Aloysius Gonzaga-June 21

Aloysius was born in Brescia, Italy in 1568. From early youth, he donated himself to his creator. He exhibited an innocence perfectly angelic with a penance truly heroic. At age 14, he was made a page to Prince James and remained uncontaminated by the vanities of the court. In 1585, he entered the Jesuits in Rome. From the beginning of his religious life, he was a model of perfection. During an epidemic, he showed extreme charity toward the sick in the hospital. These labors brought him the illness that ended his life. He died at age 24. (JM)

MASS CELEBRANTS

Sat. – June 15

4:00PM Msgr. Jeff Conway
5:30PM Msgr. Jeff Conway

Sat. – June 22

4:00PM Fr. Frank Mulvaney
5:30PM Fr. Frank Mulvaney

Sunday – June 16

8:00AM Msgr. Jeff Conway
9:15AM Msgr. Jeff Conway
10:30AM Msgr. Peter Smith
12 Noon Msgr. Peter Smith
1:15PM Msgr. Jeff Conway
7:00PM Msgr. Jeff Conway

Sun. – June 23

8:00AM Msgr. Peter Smith
9:15AM Msgr. Peter Smith
10:30AM Msgr. Jeff Conway
12 Noon Msgr. Jeff Conway
1:15PM Msgr. Jeff Conway
7:00PM Msgr. Jeff Conway

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 Mass will be on Tues., June 18th at 8:00PM.

The next Healing Service will be on Tues., July 2nd, at 3:30PM.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Mary Ellen Aluotto, Denise Amore, Joseph Arena, Marie Aufiero, Marie C. Basile, Barbara Boscia, Roseann and Mike Canavan, Nicoletta Caputo, Serafina Carlone, Dorothy Cespino, Gina Corio, Edith Corredor, Tom Cottingham, Jaime Cucuzza, Gen Decio, Gemma Deliso, Marion DiPerma, Joan DiFiore, John Emigholz, Sr., Joe Ennis, Juliette Gerbino, Patty G., Marjorie Gogarty, Edna Gorman, Gae Grande, Joseph E. Graziano, Lorraine Hamer, Ernest Kaufmann, Richard Kempton, James Ledger, William Magrino, Jr., Domenico Mallozzi, Lucy Peters, Thomas and Maria Mayas, Tiffany Mezzatesta, Anna Milham, Howard Mullen, John Petrizzo, Josephine Petrosino, Sally Pizzarello, Camille Polly, Denise Santanella, Carlos Santiago, Sr. Maureen, Lorraine Skelly, Dan Speranzo, Jr., Stevie Speranzo, Susan Tawes, Antoinette Forte, Larry Wilson, Carol Wright, Dominick Zizzamia.

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.

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

(David's punishment and repentance)

Reading 1 2 Samuel 12:7-10, 13

Reading II Galatians 2:16, 19-21 (Paul's basic teaching)

Gospel Luke 7:36-8:3 (the penitent woman)

Key Passage: Then Jesus said to her, "Your sins are forgiven." But those who were at the table with him began to say among themselves, "Who is this who even forgives sins?" (Luke 7:48-49)

Adult: Which crosses in your life do you find especially heavy? What or who helps you bear them?

Child: When you have something hard to do, what or who helps you get through it?



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

June 23rd

July 14th and July 28th
 Aug. 11th and Aug. 25th
 Sept. 8th and Sept. 22nd
 Oct. 13th and Oct. 27th
 Nov. 10th and Nov. 24th
 Dec. 8th and Dec. 22nd

BAPTISMAL CEREMONIES IN THE CHURCH

2:15 PM – 2nd and 4th Sundays

June 23rd

July 14th and July 28th
 Aug. 11th and Aug. 25th
 Sept. 8th and Sept. 22nd
 Oct. 13th and Oct. 27th
 Nov. 10th and Nov. 24th
 Dec. 8th and Dec. 22nd

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.

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>.



SCHOOL NEWS

OLSS Field Days of Dreams

Spending recreational time with your classmates, taking part in fun and competitive events, and rooting for your class was a dream come true last week for our students. Teamwork and camaraderie were the emphasis in our field day activities. Under the direction of our very well organized Physical Education teacher Jill Coleman, with the assistance and dedication of many parents, the program was a huge success. For some of our parents it was even a step back in time as they, too, many years ago, were OLSS students taking part in an OLSS Field day.



CONGRATULATIONS GRADUATES!

We wish to congratulate the boys and girls of our Parish School on the cover of the bulletin this week, who graduated on Friday, June 14th. We also congratulate all of our parishioners who attend public school and have graduated this year. We pray for their success in future endeavors and ask that God bless them and keep them always close to Him.

GROUP MEETINGS

Adult Faith Formation Core Team Meeting: The Adult Faith Formation Team will meet on Wednesday, June 19th at 8:00PM in the Parish House. We will continue discussions on Year of Faith events. Please call Joe Limeri if you are unable to attend

SEPARATED AND DIVORCED MINISTRY: The group usually meets on Mondays at 7:30PM. If you are interested in attending, you must call the rectory and leave your name and number.

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY: 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. Next session: **Wed., June 19th, at 7:30PM in the Rectory.**

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 718-984-0593 and leave your name and telephone number.

50 PLUS CLUB: The last meeting of the season will be on **June 28th** in the Damato Meeting Room at 1PM. The first meeting of the new season will be on September 6th at 1PM. For information, call Terry at (718) 317-1801.

MOM & TOTS GROUP: Our Mom & Tots Group, which meets on Wednesdays, from 10:30 to 12:30PM is done for the Season. The group will resume in September (date to be announced).

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.



"A PRAYER FOR FATHER'S DAY"

Dear Father in heaven, May we remember
That children need time and attention,
Love and patience,
Discipline and guidance,
Caring and affection,
Trusting and security,
Laughter and play.
Like Joseph, Father of Jesus,
May we also be a good role model
And set the best example for our children.
AMEN

SPORTS NEWS

ANNOUNCING OLSS DOLPHINS SUMMER CAMP

Our Lady Star of the Sea will be holding a Summer Day Camp, beginning July 8th through August 17th for boys and girls entering PreK 4 through the 8th grade this year. It will include outdoor and indoor activities such as kickball, flag football, playground activities, arts and crafts, musical theater, computers and more activities too numerous to mention. The cost is \$250 per week. The hours are 9AM to 4PM (extended hours available before and after Camp for an addition cost). If you would like to register and/or would like more information, you can e-mail **Linda Fusillo, Camp Director** at linsoap@aol.com.

OLSS Soccer Camp – June 24th to July 3th – weekly (June 24 – 29 or June 27 – July 3) or eight days (June 24 – July 3). Our camp this year is run by St. Joseph by the Sea Varsity coach and professional trainer Erin Kennedy. Options include full days 9am - 3pm or half days 9am to noon. 5 full days - \$250, or ½ days \$175. 8 full days \$400, or half days \$280. For Pee Wee half day options only and U6 – U14 players choose full or half days.

To register go to www.olsssoccer.com.

FALL SOCCER REGISTRATION

Fall Soccer Registration will be held in O'Mara Hall on **Monday, June 17th**, from 5 to 6:30PM for all players, which include Pee Wee, 3-year olds, and SIYSL players. Early registration fees are \$150 for SIYSL players and \$125 for Pee Wee, 3-year olds and \$100 for siblings. See our website www.olsssoccer.com for registration forms and more details. Also, this will be the final open registration for soccer camp.



CHEERLEADING REGISTRATION

Attention all girls entering 1st, 2nd, and 3rd grade in September - we will be holding registration for cheerleading on Wednesday, June 19, 2013 from 7:00 pm to 8:00 pm in the Damato Meeting Room. Registration will be on a first come, first serve basis. The cost will be \$150.00 for one child, \$250.00 for two children and \$75.00 per additional child after that. **Please text Lisa Narduzzi if you have any questions at 917-902-4050.**



CONFIRMATION CLASSES FOR ADULTS

If you are 21 years or older, a baptized Catholic who has received Holy Communion and would like to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation, St. Francis Friary at 500 Todt Hill Road offer eight week evening classes from 7:30PM to 9:30PM during the year. For information and registration call Ms. Ronnie DiGiacomo after 7PM or on weekends at (718) 556-7690.



VOLUNTEER CATECHISTS NEEDED

The Religious Education Program is looking for volunteers, who are willing to share their faith and talents with the next generation. The program has classes Monday through Thursday and Wednesday evening. If you are interested, please contact Mrs. Quaglia at (718) 984-1885. Together we can take our children forward in Faith.

PARKING IN TD BANK PARKING LOT

It has come to our attention that parishioners have been parking in the TD Bank Parking Lot across the street from our Church during Masses on the weekend. TD Bank has made numerous complaints regarding this problem and they have informed us that they will begin to have unauthorized vehicles towed. TD Bank is open for business on Sundays. Please do not park in their lot during Mass. Thank you for your cooperation.



THANK YOU TO THE DI SANTO FAMILY

On behalf of the Parish of Our Lady Star of the Sea, we would like to thank Mario DiSanto and family for once again supplying us with the generous donation of bread on St. Anthony's Feast Day, June 13th, which was distributed to those who attended Mass. We would also like to thank them for their generous donation of cookies. Thank you!

CARIBBEAN NIGHT AT STOLZENTHALER COUNCIL KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS

100 KREISCHER STREET – BANQUET HALL

Come and enjoy a taste of the Caribbean with your family and friends. Indoor party – July 20th, 7 to 11PM, \$35 per person, great hot-buffet menu, music by the Cabaret Trio, dress for fun, open bar – frozen drinks. Reservations: Jerry Scotti – (718) 415-1519.

ORGANIZATIONAL CALENDARS

At this time, we ask that all parish organizations submit a schedule for the year 2013-2014 of their dates, times and places for all activities in the School, Athletic Center, O'Mara Hall and the Parish House. If any organization fails to submit a calendar, they cannot be scheduled for the next year. Everything that the organization intends to sponsor for the coming year must be included (including set-up time). Please submit your proposed calendar at the Rectory (attention: Eileen) as soon as possible. Thank you.

A FRESH PERSPECTIVE ON THE SUNDAY READINGS HIS WORD TODAY by Rev. William J. Reilly

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time June 16, 2013

"When his host, the Pharisee, saw this, he said to himself, 'If this man were a prophet, he would know who and what sort of woman this is that touches him – that she is a sinner.' In answer to his thoughts, Jesus said to him, 'Simon, I have something to propose to you.'... 'Teacher' he said, 'Speak.'... 'you gave me no kiss... you did not anoint my head...' 'I tell you that is why her many sins are forgiven – because of her great love. Little is forgiven the one whose love is small."

I begin my reflection asking 'how great is my love?' Do I think it is equal to God's love for me? Do I want to let it overflow in my love for others? How can I apply this teaching to myself? At times I am the host Pharisee, making judgments. At times I am the woman, aware of my need for forgiveness and not fearing to express it reaching out for forgiveness.

How interesting that Jesus addressed His host by reacting to his thoughts. It was not a word which provoked Jesus' response, but it provided the framework for His teaching.

Remember the game played with children when you asked 'How big is the baby?' And with arms extended the answer was given 'this big.' The love of Jesus for us has no limits, and there is more to come when I too extend my arms and allow Him to touch me. How do I extend my arms?

When I express my love for the Lord in my service to others, the hungry, the poor, the incarcerated, the immigrant, then I am extending my arms to the Lord. I greet Jesus in them, I anoint them and make them special in my life, I discover the face and heart of Jesus in them. Others admired another woman for doing this. A native of Albania she is better known as Blessed Teresa of Calcutta.



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
For INTERVENTIONS call Joe Bratt (718) 290-7012	

PLEASE NOTE: Every first Thursday, at 6PM, 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 7/11/13.