

St. Theresa Parish News



THE PARISH PRAYS FOR THE SICK

Matthew Callahan, Eve Creary, Baby Ellie Grace Dennis, Marie DiNardo, Marie Guarino, David Hill, Janet Jeselson, Baby Andrew Jesso, Jr., Geenamade John, Andrée Lalak, Louis Leonardi, James McCaffery, Michael Montalto, Joann Moroz, Edward O'Brien, Mary O'Malley, Rose Sharp, and for the residents of the Briarcliff Center and Atria Senior Living, Briarcliff Manor.

REST IN PEACE

Victims of Terrorism and War. Our prayers are with their families and friends.



The Sanctuary Lamp will be burning this week in memory of **Alice Kelleher**.

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

First Reading: Isaiah 22:19-23

This passage refers to the use of authority and indicates the Key as the symbol of authority. The words "open" and "shut" refer to the power that will eventually be given to Peter.

Second Reading: Romans 11:33-36

Paul writes ecstatic and praise-filled words about God's plan for his people. In him, he writes, "all things are."

Gospel: Matthew 16:13-20

When Jesus asks his disciples, "Who do you say that I am?" Peter exclaims, "You are the Messiah!" Christ then declares that Peter is the "Rock" upon which he will build his Church, promising him the power "to bind" and "to loose."

RECTORY SUMMER HOURS

Please remember the office is now on summer hours, 9:00 to 3:00 weekdays. **Regular hours will resume on Tuesday, September 5th.** Thank you.

BEEF STEW WEEKEND COLLECTION

Next weekend is Beef Stew Weekend. Please be generous with your donation of food or money. The poor in our area depend on our continued assistance.



THE POPE'S CHOIR IS COMING TO NYC

The oldest, and most famous choir in the world is coming to St. Patrick's Cathedral in NYC. It's the first time in over 30 years!!

Date: Saturday, September 16, 2017

Time: 7:00 pm

Location: St. Patrick's Cathedral

Cost: Suggested Donation - \$50

Don't miss out on this heavenly experience. Get your tickets today at www.sistinechapelustour.com

GOODBYE AND GOD BLESS

Some of our college student/parishioners have already returned to their campuses. School will soon resume for our High School and Grade school parishioners, as well as our Religious Education students. We pray that all will have a safe and Blessed School Year and look forward to seeing you in Church again.



OSSINING FOOD PANTRY

29th Annual Celebration

The Briarcliff Manor

25 Studio Hill Road, Briarcliff Manor, NY

Sunday, September 17, 2017

5:00 to 8:00 p.m.

Please mark your calendar and plan to attend the Ossining's Food Pantry's annual fundraising event celebrating donors and volunteers. There will be music, wine, hors d'oeuvres, raffle baskets, silent auction, and desserts.

Info and reservations: www.OssiningFoodPantry.org., \$60 per person, cash or check at the door. Complimentary Valet Parking. For more information about the Ossining Food Pantry, please follow the link to www.ossiningfoodpantry.org.



Religious Education News

REGISTRATION

Registration paperwork is due for families. Classes begin on Sunday, September 10. To request registration paperwork, contact the Office of Religious Education at (914) 923-3286 or sttheresareled@optonline.net. Classes are offered for children ages 3 to 8th Grade.

HELPERS NEEDED

We are in need of Catechists (teachers) for the following grade levels/times:

Grade 2 (First Reconciliation/Holy Communion, Sunday);

Grade 3 (Sunday/Monday), **Grade 4** (Monday);

Grade 5 (Monday/Tuesday); **Grade 6** (Monday);

Grade 7 (Monday/Tuesday).

We are also in need of high school students to help as teacher aides on Sunday and Monday.

All lesson plans and materials are provided. Contact Kevin, (914) 923-3286 or sttheresareled@optonline.net for more information.

ST. THERESA FEAST DAY CELEBRATION

We are hosting a **St. Theresa Feast Day Celebration** in honor of our patron St. Theresa on **Sunday, Oct. 1 from 10 a.m.-1:30 p.m. at Ryder Park in Ossining**. This event is open to both Religious Education families as well as parishioners. We will have Mass, family activities, picnic/BBQ and games. **Please join us! RSVP** your name and how many attending with you to sttheresareled@optonline.net or (914) 923-3286. Volunteers to help with the event are also needed and welcome. Please contact us for more information.

RCIA News

VOLUNTEER NEEDED

We are in need of a volunteer to help work with a young mother who wants to come into the Catholic Church here at St. Theresa's. Meet 1x per week on Mondays from 7-8 p.m. Pamphlets with topics to work on in lessons provided. Contact Kevin at (914) 923-3286 for more information.

FINANCE CORNER

August 2017

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| August 6 | \$6,764 | |
| August 13 | \$8,507 | \$1,664 |
| August 15 | \$1,657 | |
| August 20 | \$6,974 | \$1,176 |

We thank you for your continued generosity.
St. Theresa Parish encourages use of Parish Pay.

BANNS OF MARRIAGE

II. Suzanne Conway/Orlando Rivas

MINISTRY ASSIGNMENTS

Altar and Rosary Society

St. Theresa

Friday, September 1, 2017

Susan McLaughlin & Sue Lyons

St Theresa Altar Linens

Month of September

Rozanne Prisament

Our Lady of the Wayside

Month of September

Joanne Singer

September 3, 2017

Eucharistic Ministers

Ministers of the Word

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| Sat. 5:15 | E. Muller | xxxxxxxxxxx |
| Sun. 7:45 | T. Foss | A. Saunders |
| Sun. 9:00 | E. Mahaney | J. Garcia |
| Sun. 10:45 | R. Berta | L. Naughton |
| Sun. 12:15 | M. Pohar | R. Sieminski |

Our Lady of the Wayside

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| Sat. 5:00 | C. McAfee | R. Breen |
| Sun. 9:00 | D. Lehning | B. Edelson |
| Sun. 10:30 | xxxxxxxxxx | xxxxxxxxxxx |

BRIARCLIFF CENTER: P. Maddalo

If you are not assigned, please check in the Sacristy before Mass to see if your help is needed.