

SACRAMENT OF PENANCE

Saturdays: Msgr. Ryan Hall - 4:00 p.m. to 4:45 p.m.
Also by appointment

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY

The Church provides certain times and preparation for weddings. Please contact the Rectory at least six months in advance to begin the process.

REGISTRATION

Every family and person within the parish is encouraged to register with the Parish.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Celebrated on the 2nd Sunday of the month at 1:30 p.m. In July and August Baptism will be celebrated at 12:30 p.m. A required Baptism preparation meeting for parents meets on the first Monday of the month at 8:00 p.m. Godparents are welcome. Please register in advance for the class and Baptism. Godparent Pre-Requisites: Godparents must be practicing Catholics in good standing, 16 years of age or older, Baptized and Confirmed Catholic.

ON BECOMING A CATHOLIC

Those seeking information about the Catholic Faith are invited to contact Fr. Valentine at the Rectory at 621-2222.

CARE OF THE SICK

Please notify the Rectory and Human Concerns Ministries if there is anyone seriously ill so that we can provide spiritual care.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Bob Boeshore	Anne Krukowski
Lillian Boeshore	Frank Krukowski
Kathleen Capuano	Richard Malon
Barbara Coe	Jonathan Mannina
Rebekah Cole	Stuey Manzione
Kevin Cronin	Tom McCormack
Paul Cronin	Brendan Miles
John Damiano	Freida Navarro
Linda De Stio	Victoria Oxer
John Paul DiNonno	Justin Paradine
James Dougherty	Marion Prendergast
Eric DuBois	Jenna Reggio
Natalie Finamore	Anna Sambucci
Noel Glen	Elizabeth Stein
Kamlesh Gupta	Charles Strecker
Ida Kelly	Clotida Vecchione
Christine Kenney	Jacqueline Verde
Maria Kim	Anne Wright
Douglas Knehr	Mary Wybaillie



THE MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Sunday, November 22: OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

7:30 a.m. People of the Parish
9:00 a.m. Thomas Maniscalco
by His Children
11:00 a.m. Dr. Martin Ban
by The Sharkey Family
Deceased Choir Members
by St. Mary's Choir
Fr. Edward J. Shanahan
by Family
Mark Trantel
by The Magaldi Family
12:15 p.m. Sr. Kathleen Hennessy, RSM
by Dolores & Richard O'Hara

Monday, November 23: Weekday

9:00 a.m. Desiree N. Parente
by Kathleen Friend

Tuesday, November 24: Saint Andrew Dung-Lac, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs

9:00 a.m. Mark Trantel
by The Carbonaro Family

Wednesday, November 25: Weekday

9:00 a.m. Alexander Levchuck & Michael & Gertrude Hochla
by Janet & Family

Thursday, November 26: Weekday

9:00 a.m. Lorraine Buckland
by Dolores & Richard O'Hara

Friday, November 27: Weekday

9:00 a.m. Nora & Nick Delaney
by Norine Zwiebel

Saturday, November 28: Weekday

5:00 p.m. Mary & Carmin Dellavecchia
by Linda & Charles Dellavecchia
Edith Monteserrato
by Marie & Anthony Papiro
Geraldine O'Brien
by Marilyn DelRosso
Pat Simonetti
by His Children

Sunday, November 29: FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

7:30 a.m. Cornelia Massimo- 4th Anniversary
by Her Daughter
9:00 a.m. Francis Califano
by Anne & John Dussel
11:00 a.m. Pasquale Ianniello
by John & Phyllis Mignone
The Shanahan Family
by Family
12:15 p.m. People of the Parish

**READINGS FOR SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 2020
THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST
KING OF THE UNIVERSE**

First Reading: Ezekiel 34:11-12, 15-17
Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 15:20-26, 28
Gospel: Matthew 25:31-46



FOCUS: Jesus is the mighty King who reigns in our hearts.

There are compelling images of Christ on this solemn feast today. One is of the shepherd who lovingly and humbly cares for his sheep. The other is of a mighty king, ruler of the universe, and heaven and earth. In this image, he judges on how well we cared for one another, saying, Whatever you did for one of the least brothers of mine, you did for me.

LITURGY OF THE WORD:

In the first reading, the Lord speaks through Ezekiel, telling the people that he is the shepherd caring for his sheep. He provides for all their needs, and will judge between sheep, and between rams and goats. Paul writes to the Corinthians, telling them that as Christ has been raised from the dead, then so too in Christ shall all be brought to life. In Matthew's Gospel, Jesus tells his disciples of the time when the Son of Man shall come in glory and sit upon his throne, separating the sheep from the goats

Readings for next week, November 29: First Sunday of Advent: Isaiah 63:16b-17, 19b; 64:2-7, 1 Corinthians 1:3-9, Mark 13:33-37

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**✠ Celebrants for the Weekend of ✠
November 28/29:**

	Celebrants*	Lectors
Sat 5:00	Fr. Valentine	J. Dussel
Sun 7:30	Fr. Valentine	M. & J. Castellano
9:00	Fr. Lauder	R. Botensten
11:00	Fr. Valentine	J. Ferreira

* Subject to last minute changes.

**FOSTERING STEWARDSHIP
AS A WAY OF LIFE**

PARISH SACRIFICIAL GIVING

Any act of service, big or small, to someone — is an act of service to God.

Parish Sacrificial Giving Summary

Thank you for your continued sacrificial gifts to St. Mary's.

Sunday Offertory November 14/15	\$5,076.00*
Same Week Last Year	\$7,914.00*

Mass Attendance for November 14/15	304**
Same Week Last Year	866

**Does not include Faith Direct*

***Mass Attendance at 50% capacity under Covid19 guidelines*

Faith Direct ~ August, 2020	\$10,843.00
(5 Sundays at \$2,168.60 per week)	

Faith Direct - same month last year	\$8,218.00
(4 Sundays at \$2,033.00 per week)	

Thank You

A note of thanks to all the parishioners who, despite the present circumstances, continue to send in their contributions for the support of St. Mary's. Your generosity, while not surprising, is greatly appreciated.

Besides the upkeep of the Church we would like to add a note of gratitude to those parishioners who have given so generously to our Human Concerns Ministry. Your goodness has contributed greatly to alleviating the needs of our neighbors.

Thank You!
Fr. Valentine



THE PASTOR'S PAGE

Dear Friends:

"Life is (but) a dream..." So goes the lyric to the sweet, (seemingly) innocent children's song. Actually, this is also the name of two plays entitled *La Vida es Sueno*, written by the 17th-century Spanish playwright, Pedro Calderon de la Barca. One of these plays is an allegory of creation and salvation in Christ. It begins with a comic quarrel among the material and spiritual elements of the world, each claiming dominance over the others; eventually, they recognize the preeminence of human beings ("Man") over creation. The sinister forces of Shadow and Darkness, however, use Man's own spiritual powers against him, convincing him that he is not accountable to anyone. *Wrong*. Drunk on his Freedom, Man recklessly eats a piece of poisoned fruit against the counsel of Understanding, and falls into a deep sleep. When Divine Love (the Holy Spirit) pleads on his behalf, man awakes, but is tortured by the notion that the powers he once enjoyed were simply an illusion, that "Life is a dream..." Divine Wisdom (the Son) appears and gradually neutralizes the forces that keep Man imprisoned. In the end, man freely calls out to Divine Power (the Father), who restores him to his "princely" dignity. In the end, the Trinity speaks directly to Man:

<p>Power: See how much is owed me. Wisdom: See how much it cost me. Love: See how</p>

Calderon's beautiful allegory dramatizes a truth about the human condition, namely, that we are, by our very nature, exalted over creation by the spiritual powers of consciousness, intellect, and free will. These should cooperate with each other, but because of original sin, they are thrown off balance and find themselves at war. It is only the touch of grace from the God-made-Man that restores the harmony among the three spiritual powers.

This week, the Church celebrates the end of the liturgical year and with it, the anticipation of Christ the King, who comes to judge the earth. We can sense the omnipotence of our Lord in Michelangelo's masterpiece, *The Last Judgment*, in the Sistine Chapel. The work blends a sense of awe with that of sublime beauty, and reminds us that holiness is in fact *a matter of life and death*. Whether we are repelled at the sufferings of the damned or drawn by the joys of the redeemed, the purpose is the same: to make us repent of our sins and align ourselves with Christ. Paradoxically, we do so not by taking up arms, but by practicing mercy and compassion to the "least of Christ's brothers and sisters."

Americans, by nature, tend to chafe at the concept of a King, fraught as it is by the risk of tyranny and despotism. Instead, we pride ourselves on the checks and balances among branches of government. Yet as with the three spiritual powers, this lays open the possibility of tension and struggle. We should keep in mind that in Christ, the New Man, those powers exist in complete harmony, and we pray that Christ the King will subdue the spiritual forces that divide us against ourselves. May we see in our beautiful new Cross the Standard of Christian holiness.

Faithfully,
Fr. Valentine

HUMAN CONCERNS MINISTRY

ANNUAL THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

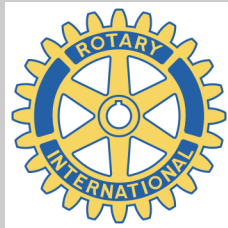


This Thanksgiving we will be giving **FROZEN TURKEYS OR TURKEY BREASTS AND FOOD VOUCHERS** from Stop & Shop or Holiday Farms to those in need. If you are planning to donate a frozen turkey or turkey breast, please call the Human Concerns Office at 626-1097.

We will accept frozen turkeys on **MONDAY, NOVEMBER 23rd AND TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 24th BETWEEN 10:00AM AND 12 NOON**. Food vouchers can be placed in the collection basket or mailed to the Rectory. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please mark your envelope **HUMAN CONCERNS MINISTRIES**.

The rotary club of Roslyn donated \$500 to St. Mary's Human Concerns, at this very special time of the year, for all the good they provide our community.

If anyone wishes to join the Rotary Club of Roslyn, please call Jean Limbach at 484-5488



HUMAN CONCERNS MINISTRY

FOOD PANTRY:

The Human Concerns Food Pantry is in particular need



Soup	Cookies
Peanut Butter	Crackers
Jelly	Cereal
Pasta	Assorted Beans
Pasta Sauce	Corn
Macaroni & Cheese	Vegetables
Tuna Fish	Paper Goods
White Rice	

of the following items:

Gift Cards from Stop and Shop or other food stores will also be helpful. Please bring your donations to Msgr. Ryan Hall at 440 Round Hill Road, Roslyn Heights.

Those in need of food or other supplies may call Elsie Calderone at 626-1097, or send her an e-mail to outreachstmary7@gmail.com in order to sign up with Human Concerns. After registration is complete, they may come to Msgr. Ryan Hall to pick up supplies from 12:00 - 3:00 p.m.

**We thank all of you who have donated,
and who continue to remember our Food Pantry
with your donations.**

Weekend Mass Schedule

The following changes have been made to the Weekend Mass Schedule:

Saturday:

5:00 PM and 7:00 PM(Spanish) Mass will remain in the Hall

Sunday:

7:30 AM and 9:00 AM Mass will be at the Church

11:00 AM Mass will remain at the Hall

The 12:15 PM mass on Sunday will resume pending further guidance from the Diocese.
The mass intention will be offered.

HUMAN CONCERNS MINISTRY

FOOD CERTIFICATES FOR CHRISTMAS

For Christmas we would like to give purchase power to those in need so that they can buy the goodies they'd enjoy for Christmas dinner. You can help by purchasing food certificates from Stop and Shop or other food stores, in the amount of \$10 or \$20 and bring or mail them to the Human Concerns Office. The certificates will be given out with the presents. If you would like to make a monetary donation, please make your check payable to ST. MARY'S CHURCH, with Human Concerns written on the memo line, and place it in the collection basket at Mass.



St. Francis Hospital Raffle

Please continue to support the award winning Medical Staff at St. Francis Hospital as you may have done in prior years by purchasing a Chance Book (\$10). Every Spring there has been a Raffle Drawing, this year the date is Dec. 8th. As you exit today, kindly look for the display table in the vestibule where you may pick up your "lucky" Chance Book. Please take it home, fill in the top stubs with your name and phone number, place both in the envelope provided along with your check made payable to: "The Guild of St. Francis Hospital". REMEMBER to affix appropriate postage stamp and MAIL by November 30th for a chance to be a WINNER !!!



Thank You, Lord

THANKSGIVING DAY

In observance of Thanksgiving Day, the Rectory Office will be closed on Thursday, November 26th and Friday, November 27th. Mass will be celebrated at 9:00 a.m. on both days.

ADVENT GIVING TREE



The Human Concerns Ministry invites all parishioners to help families celebrate Christmas.

Each year we find the need for more gift certificates. Gift certificates can be purchased in the amount of \$5, \$10, \$15, \$20, \$25. etc. and obtained at Target, T.J. Maxx, Toys-R-Us, etc.

The Giving Trees are set up in the Church and Msgr. Ryan Hall. Please attach the gift tag to the wrapped packages and return the gift under the tree **no later than Sunday, December 13th or before.** If anyone would like to take a family please call Elsie at 626-1097

Thank you for your generosity.

2019/20 300 CLUB WINNERS Eighth Drawing

October, 2020

- 1st Prize \$200**
#514 Linda and Tom De Stio
- 2nd Prize \$100**
#528 Maureen Harnarat
- 3rd Prize \$75**
#088 Donna Pattison
- 4th Prize \$50**
#847 Linda and Fred Strobel
- 5th Prize \$25**
#445 Michael Lucarelli

Congratulations to all!



Processional Hymn

Come Thou Almighty



1. Come, now al - might - y King, Help us your
 2. Come, now In - car - nate Son, Your life in
 3. Come, ho - ly Com - fort - er, Your sa - cred



1. Come, now al - might - y King, Help us your
 2. Come, now In - car - nate Son, Your life in



Fa - ther all glo - ri - ous, Ev - er vic - to - ri - ous,
 Come and your peo - ple bless And give your Word suc - cess;
 Your grace to us im - part, Now rule in ev - 'ry heart



Come and reign o - ver us, An - cient of Days.
 Strength-en your right - eous-ness, Sav - ior and Friend!
 Nev - er from us de - part, Spir - it of Pow'r!

Text: Anon. c.1757
 Tune: ITALIAN HYMN, 66 4 666 4; Felice de Giardini, 1716-1796

Responsorial Psalm




My shep- herd is the Lord; no-thing in-deed shall I want.



Offertory Hymn


Whatsoever You Do

Refrain




What-so - ev - er you do to the least of my peo - ple, that you

Verses




do un - to me.

1. When I was hun - gry, you gave me to
 2. When I was home-less, you o - pened your
 3. When I was wea - ry, you helped me find



1. eat; When I was thirst - y, you gave me to drink.
 2. door; When I was na - ked, you gave me your coat.
 3. rest; When I was anx-ious, you calmed all my fears.

to Refrain




1-5. Now en - ter in - to the home of my Fa - ther.


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Communion Hymn


One Bread, One Body



One bread, one bod - y, one Lord of all,




7 one cup of bless-ing which we bless. And we, though




man-y, through-out the earth, we are one bod-y in this

Verses



one Lord. 1. Gen-tile or Jew, ser-vant or
 el Se-ñor. 2. Man-y the gifts, man-y the
 3. Grain for the fields, scat-tered and

to Refrain



1. free, wom-an or man, no more.
 2. works, one in the Lord of all.
 3. grown, gath-ered to one, for all.

English: John Foley, S.J., b. 1939; Spanish translation of refrain and verses 1, 2: Salomón Mussett, alt.;
 verse 3: Pedro Rubalcava, b. 1950. Text and music © 1978, 1996, 2003, John B. Foley, S.J., and
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Recessional Hymn

Crown Him With Many Crowns



1. Crown him with man-y crowns, The Lamb up-on his
 2. Crown him the Lord of life, Who tri-umphed o'er the
 3. Crown him the Lord of love, Be-hold his hands and



1. throne; Hark! how the heav'n-ly an-them drowns All
 2. grave, And rose vic-to-rious in the strife For
 3. side, Rich wounds yet vis-i-ble a-bove In



1. mu-sic but its own. A-wake, my soul, and sing
 2. those he came to save. His glo-ries now we sing,
 3. beau-ty glo-ri-fied. No an-gel in the sky



1. Of him who set us free, And hail him as your
 2. Who died and rose on high, Who died, e-ter-nal
 3. Can ful-ly bear that sight, But down-ward bends his



1. heav'n-ly King Through all e-ter-ni-ty.
 2. life to bring, And lives that death may die.
 3. burn-ing eye At mys-ter-ies so bright.

Message from the NSECC Board of Directors...

Back to school has been a success here at North Shore Early Childhood Center. While we started with apprehension, everyone adjusted back to the new norm very quickly and happily. What has been apparent with our reopen is the children's delight. They are having so much fun with their friends and teachers!

Here are some highlights from our day to day experiences..

Health & Safety first

- Enhanced safety protocols include face masks required for all adults; masks for children over 2 optional; Social distancing for all. All PPE available.
- New sick policy is simple and keeps everyone safe. Sick room available for children who fall ill at the Center waiting for pick up.
- We surface clean throughout the day, while our Custodian deep cleans every day after school hours.
- We established enhanced cleaning protocols which include steam cleaning, and carpet cleaning monthly.

Easy and Safe Drop-off and Pick-up

- Simple drop off and pick up at the classroom exits along with daily COVID-specific questionnaire and temperature checks.
- Convenient new administrative window at front entrance.
- Only staff and children permitted in the building.
- Change of shoes required for all.

Learn and Play

- Increased outdoor time following safety protocols.
- Virtual Spanish program.
- Virtual music and movement program with Mr. Matt.

Parents & Teachers

- Delivered teacher Covid 19 protocol training.
- Frequent communication with parents regarding current health and safety protocols.
- Cater nut-free individual breakfast, lunch and snack from Harry's Hilltop. (Allergy Friendly)
- Photo sharing with class parents who opt-in.

Friendly Reminders

1. North Shore Early Childhood Center is part of the **Bright Horizons Network** which is a service available to parents through work. Check-out your employer's benefits for back-up care options and discounts at our center.
2. **Our Referral Program:** for every referral you make, both you and the new family receive a \$150 credit towards tuition once the new student completes a full month at our Center. For alumni, we are happy to extend the \$150 voucher to the new family as a credit towards tuition after 6 months of enrollment.
3. **Donations:** This year has brought many challenges to all of us, yet we have maintained financial strength by leveraging government funding and were able to open our doors and see the children fill the rooms with laughs and joy. We ask you to help with your generosity by donating to North Shore Early Childhood Center. There are a number of ways that you can assist us in this mission!
 - Once you donate, many employers also provide company match donations that could increase your impact.
 - Shop Amazon using Amazon Smile which donates a portion of the purchases you are already making. [amazon.com/smile](https://www.amazon.com/smile)

We all continue to learn and adjust protocols to continue to maintain a safe and healthy environment for everyone. For further information, please contact Teresa Colamarino at colamarinoteresa@gmail.com.





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