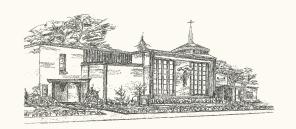


NOVEMBER 3, 2024
THE THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY
IN ORDINARY TIME



#### Served by

Rev. Michael Moon Pastor

Rev. Anthony Uwandu Parochial Vicar Rev. Christian Goebel German Cath. Cong. NY Rev. Ralph Barile Retired Rev. Robert O'Neil Mill Hill Fathers

#### **Weekend Masses**

Saturday Vigil
5:00 pm, 7:00 pm Spanish
Sunday
8:00 am, 10:00 am,
12:00 pm and 7:00 pm
2:00 pm Korean

10:00 am *German* (Archbishop Stepinac HS Chapel, White Plains, NY)

#### Adoration Friday 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

#### **Daily Masses**

Monday - Friday 7:00 am, 12:10 pm Saturday 8:30 am

#### **Holy Day Masses**

When on a weekday Vigil: 7:00 pm, Day: 7:00 am, 12:10 pm

#### Reconciliation

Saturday in Sacristy 3:45 pm - 4:30 pm

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#### Hours

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HARTSDALE, NEW YORK 10530

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October 6, 2024 - \$8,998 October 13, 2024 - \$7,150 October 20, 2024 - \$6,119 October Parish Reserve Fund - \$2,738 World Mission Sunday - \$2,724



# Proposal 1: A Wolf in Sheep's Clothing A statement of the Catholic Bishops of New York State

On November 5, faithful citizens throughout the nation will have the opportunity once again to exercise their sacred right to vote. Pope Francis has reminded us that as thoughtful Catholics, we must participate in the public square for the sake of the common good. Every Catholic is called to do the work of properly informing his or her conscience and voting for candidates and policies that will best advance the natural law, the protection of human rights, the dignity of the human person, the sacredness of all life, and the teachings of Christ and His Church. It is a presidential election year, and there are important votes to be cast for Congress and the state Legislature as well. Importantly, in New York, like several other states, there is also a critical referendum on the ballot.

Educating oneself will be especially important in the case of Proposal 1, sometimes referred to as the "Equal Rights Amendment." The title suggests a noble cause, as all children of God should be treated equally under the law. However, this proposed amendment to the state Constitution is broadly written and could have dangerous consequences if enacted, which is why we oppose it and urge you to vote no. The measure would, effectively, permanently legalize abortion without restriction and up until the moment of birth in New York. Aside from being redundant in a state that already has stripped away all abortion limitations, the amendment would render impossible any change to the law if the hearts and minds of New Yorkers were ever to shift toward protecting the child in the womb.

The amendment's sweeping language and inclusion of "age" as a protected class could also lead to parents' rights being stripped away. Courts could decide that parents have no authority over their minor children on important matters and permit children to make destructive and permanent decisions on their own which they could well live to regret, including but not limited to so called "gender affirming" treatments and surgeries. The relationship between parents and their children is

sacred. Parents must be able to support and guide their children in accord with the natural law, without interference from the government or courts, which would be reaching beyond their competency.

Proposal 1 is a wolf in sheep's clothing that could lead to darkness for many New York families. This amendment disregards the lives of unborn and struggling children in the name of political agendas. It could have dangerous consequences for these children and their parents. As they look to make their voices heard in the public square, faithful Catholics should consider these consequences and vote no. Likewise, they should thoughtfully vote their informed conscience up and down the ballot so that we might usher in change for good.

### All Souls' Day Remembrance Envelopes & Novena

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All Souls' Day Remembrance Envelopes can be found in your tithing packets. Additional envelopes can be found in the vestibule at the back of the church. Please write the names of your deceased loved ones on the lines provided at the back of the envelope. You may place your envelope in the weekly collection basket. They will be placed on the altar and your intentions will be prayed for during the month of November.

The following masses have been reserved for the All Souls' Novena.

November 2, Saturday—8:30am November 5, Tuesday—7am November 8, Friday—12:10pm November 12, Tuesday—7am November 16, Saturday—8:30am November 17, Sunday—10am November 20, Wednesday—7am November 25, Monday—7am November 29, Friday—12:10pm



#### Week of November 3, 2024 The Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### Saturday, November 2: All Souls

5:00 Peter Fiorina Jr & Elaine Fiorina (+)

7:00 Special Intentions

#### Sunday, November 3:

8:00 Joanne Potenza (+)

10:00 Gaetano, Felicia, Maria & Giuseppina Castrovinci (+)

12:00 Louis Lombardi Sr. (+)(4<sup>th</sup> A)

2:00 Korean Mass

7:00 Edward John McGovern (+)

#### Monday, November 4: St. Charles Borromeo

7:00 Thomas J. Gallagher, Jr. (+)

12:10 The Deceased Members of the Linao & Guerrero Families

#### **Tuesday, November 5:**

7:00 All Souls Novena

12:10 Special Intentions of the Alencherril Family

#### Wednesday, November 6:

7:00 Bertita Rojas (+)

12:10 Serafina & Antonio Notaro (+)

#### Thursday, November 7:

7:00 Alphy Valiaparambil (+)

12:10 Tracy Iovine (+)

#### Friday, November 8:

7:00 The Deceased Members of the Coviello, Seppetelli, & LaPenna Families

12:10 All Souls Novena

#### Saturday, November 9:

8:30 Isaac Thomas (+)(1<sup>st</sup> A)

5:00 Elaine Fiorina (+)

7:00 Las Almas de Purgatorio

#### **Sunday, November 10:**

8:00 Paolo Errigo (+)(B)

10:00 Maria & Peter Persico & Evelyn Cronin (+)

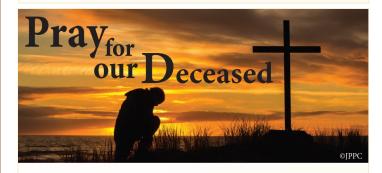
12:00 Angelina, Mary & Davide Villani (+)

2:00 Korean Mass

7:00 Mary, Carmela & Carl Raso (+)



Peter Tomasini, Joan Voight, Caroline Alongi, Andrea Kallaras, Julie Diaz, Jose Rivera, Ralph Quiñones, Leonardo Peñalosa, Robert Muller, Geshika Chirinos, Marie Ruvo, Robert DeJour, Aidan F., Maddy Cohen, Geraldine Towey, Dawn Ann Donnathan, Javier Zapata, Katherine Mary Rya, Rita Duque, Anna Fucci, Robert Cohen, Roseanne Lucid, Bette Schillberg, Andrea Cuevas, Jeff Haydon, Louise Fursich, Barbara Cautero, Maria P. Terracciano, Tina Tan Soliven, George Mazzei, Magdalena Flores, Humberto Severino, Xavier Francis, Kevin Magee, Joseph Cina Figueroa, Julissa Vargas



Let us pray for our deceased parishioners, benefactors, relatives, for those who are most forgotten and for those who recently died, especially:

Gage Callahan, Thomas J. Russo, Alex Perlov, Jane McDonagh, and Jose Lucas Ledesma Portillo

We extend our deepest condolences to everyone who has lost a loved one.

May God grant you peace and comfort!

If you would like the name of a loved one to be placed on the Pray For the Sick list, please contact the rectory or leave a note in the collection basket.

We no longer have announced masses available for 2024. **The 2025 mass book is now open**. Please contact the rectory to reserve masses.



Dear Fellow Catholics,

As Catholics, we are called to bring the Gospel into every aspect of our lives, including our civic duties. Pope Francis reminds us that "politics, though often denigrated, remains a lofty vocation and one of the highest forms of charity, inasmuch as it seeks the common good" (Evangelii Gaudium). In this light, I encourage you to consider what it means to vote in a Catholic way, grounded in the rich tradition of Catholic Social Teaching.

#### What Should We Look for in Candidates?

The Magisterium teaches that we must look for candidates who uphold the dignity of human life, protect the family, and ensure the well-being of society's most vulnerable. The Catechism of the Catholic Church urges us to build a society that promotes justice, solidarity, and the common good. As we approach this election, these teachings can help guide our discernment.

- The Sanctity of Life: Our faith teaches us that life is sacred from conception to natural death, and we must protect it at all stages.
- Proposition One: We should stand with His Eminence Cardinal Dolan in opposition to Proposition One on this year's ballot. This poorly written proposal opens the door to many dangerous policies, including biological males participating in female sports and entering female-only spaces. It also threatens the future of our beloved Catholic schools by introducing mandates that could undermine their mission and values.
- Family and Social Welfare: We should believe in empowering parents to make the best decisions for their children, ensuring that small businesses can thrive, and maintaining a social safety net for those who need it, reflecting the call of Jesus to care for the least among us (Matthew 25:40).

The role of government, as outlined in Catholic Social Teaching, is to serve the common good by promoting justice, peace, and the protection of life. As informed Catholic voters, our aim is to work towards a society that reflects these values.

#### A Call to Discernment

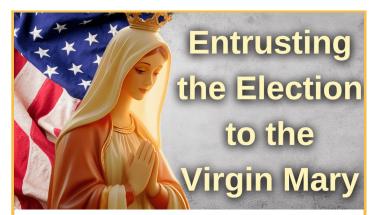
In this election, I encourage you to prayerfully discern your vote. Seek guidance from the Holy Spirit as you reflect on which candidates will uphold the values of our Catholic faith—defending life, promoting the dignity of the human person, and working for the common good. As Pope Benedict XVI once said, "The Church cannot and must not remain on the sidelines in the fight

for justice."

Early voting is already underway, and Election Day is Tuesday, November 5th. I hope you will take time to educate yourself on the issues and candidates before you cast your ballot.

May God bless you and your family as we each strive to fulfill our call to faithful citizenship.

In Christ. Alessandro Crocco



## Consecration of the Election to the Blessed Virgin Mary

Composed by Fr. Chad Ripperger

Mary Immaculate, living tabernacle of the Divinity, where the eternal Wisdom lies hidden to be adored and served by angels and men; Queen of heaven and of earth, beneath whose sway are subject all things that are lower than God; Patroness of the United States of America, sorrowful and mindful of our own sinfulness and the sins of our nation, we come to thee, our refuge and hope.

Knowing that our country cannot be saved by our own works, and mindful of how much our nation has departed from the ways of thy Son, we humbly ask that thou wouldst turn thine eyes upon our country to bring about its conversion.

We consecrate to thee the integrity of the upcoming election and its outcome, so that what is spiritually and morally best for the citizens of our country may be accomplished, and that all of those who are elected would govern according to the spiritual and moral principles which will bring our nation into conformity with the teachings of thy Son.

Give grace to the citizens of this land so that they will choose leaders according to the Sacred Heart of thy Son, that His glory may be made manifest, lest we be given the leaders we deserve.

Trusting in the providential care of God the Father and thy maternal care, we have perfect confidence that thou wilt take care of us and will not leave us forsaken. O Mary Immaculate, pray for us. Amen.



#### **Marian Memorial Garden Dedication**

Our Marian Memorial Garden is almost complete! Thank you for your donations, prayers, and patience. We will be having a dedication as well as a party to celebrate its completion. Please see next week's bulletin for more details.





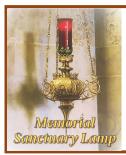
The Altar Bread is dedicated during the month of November in Loving Memory of

Basilio & Josefina DeJesus



The Altar Wine is dedicated during the month of November in Loving Memory of

Jane McDonagh



The Sanctuary Lamp is dedicated during the month of November for

The Vera Soriano Family

## November DEVOTION

#### The Holy Souls in Purgatory

The Catechism teaches that those who die in a state of grace but who are still imperfectly purified go to Purgatory. This is where they are purified to achieve the holiness necessary to enter heaven. The souls in purgatory cannot pray for themselves and need our prayers and sacrifices to enter fully into the Beatific Vision. November is a set aside for the faithful to remember and pray for these brothers and sisters of ours.



#### For anyone who has lost a child.

We pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and receive peace and consolation from the Holy Spirit.



like a tour and to speak to someone about the school, please email the principal, Dr. Fruner, at **jfruner@shshartsdale.org**. or Mr. Rivera at **crivera@shshartsdale.org** Stop in to see the students, teachers, and staff working with its students!

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