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temple and
in three days
I will raise it up.

JOHN 2:19

THIRD SUNDAY OF

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prayer fasting almsgiving

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 in German
(Archbishop Stepinac HS
Chapel, White Plains, NY)

Adoration

Fridays 11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Daily Masses

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

Holy Day Masses

When on a work day
Vigil: 7:00 pm,
Day: 7:00 am and 12:10 pm

Reconciliation

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

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LAST WEEK

Collections

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February 4, 2024 - \$9,209
February 11, 2024 - \$10,099
February 18, 2024 - \$7,922
February Parish Reserve Fund - \$3,248
Peter's Pence - \$2,484
Ash Wednesday - \$3,258
Network of Care - \$4,373

Join Us for Stations of the Cross



This Lent, let us reflect on Jesus' journey to Calvary and the price he bore for our sins. Please join us for the Stations of the

Cross, every Friday of Lent after the 12:10pm mass and at 7pm.

This Friday, **March 8th** at 7pm we will hold our **Family Stations of the Cross**. Each station will be led by one of our fellow parishioners. Please join our parish family for a night of reflection and prayer.



March 10th Second Collection Catholic Relief Services

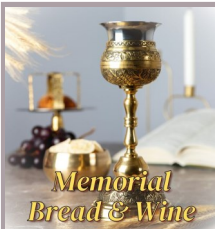
Next week our parish will take up The Catholic Relief Services Collection. Funds from this collection provide food to the hungry, support displaced refugees, and bring Christ's love and mercy to vulnerable people here and abroad. Next week, please give generously to the collection and reveal Christ's love to those most in need. Learn more about the collection at www.usccb.org/catholic-relief



Make sure to set your clocks one hour ahead next Sunday, March 10th.

Sacred Heart School Graduate Class Photos

Attention alumni of Sacred Heart School: SHS is creating an Alumni Hall, but needs graduation class pictures. If you are willing to donate your graduation class picture, please email the principal at jfruner@hartsdale.org or just stop in. We'd love to show you the school too!



The Sanctuary Lamp, Altar Bread & Altar Wine are available to offer in honor of a loved one for several months of 2024. If you wish to reserve one of them, please call or email the rectory.

Tenebrae



We will celebrate the Tenebrae at **9am** on **Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and Holy Saturday.**

The Tenebrae is a unique, centuries old liturgy celebrated during the three days leading up to Easter, known as the Sacred Triduum.

The word "Tenebrae" means darkness or shadows. The service is performed in near darkness, with the only light coming from the Tenebrae hearse, or large candle holder. It holds fifteen large candles, the centermost one symbolizing Our Lord Jesus Christ.

After each psalm, a candle is extinguished, beginning with the bottom-most candle and alternating sides until only the central candle is left. After the last lesson, the central candle is removed and placed behind a curtain, signifying the burial of our Lord in the tomb. A loud noise is made, representing the convulsion of nature at the time of Christ's death and the chaos of the world without a savior. Finally, the Office comes to an abrupt end, without the usual blessing. The clergy and the faithful leave the Church in silence, without hymn.

While the majority of the ceremonies of the Catholic Church are joyous and celebratory, Tenebrae stands in stark contrast. It is treated as a sort of funeral service, commemorating the three days Jesus laid in the tomb. It provides the faithful with a spiritual picture of the darkness after the death of Christ before the Resurrection.

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Saturday, March 2:

5:00 Marie Brody (+)
7:00 Special Intentions

Sunday, March 3:

8:00 Lois Cavaliere (+)
10:00 Hector Negron (+)(10th A)
12:00 Josephine Farina (+)(A)
2:00 **Korean Mass**
7:00 William Smith (+)

Monday, March 4: Saint Casimir

7:00 Stephen & Margaret Blaha (L)
12:10 Beth Martin (+)

Tuesday, March 5:

7:00 Oliva & Juanito Zarsuelo (+)
12:10 Catherine Bryceland (+)

Wednesday, March 6:

7:00 Bertita Rojas (+)
12:10 Jimmy Ortiz Escobedo (+)

Thursday, March 7: Saints Perpetua & Felicity

7:00 The Deceased Members of the Tan Family
12:10 Epifania Conde (+)

Friday, March 8: Saint John of God

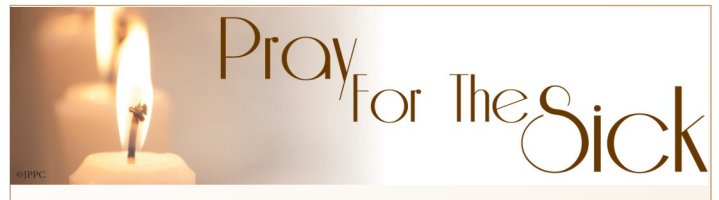
7:00 Rufino & Cerelina Luistro (+)
12:10 Theodore Serafin (+)(B)

Saturday, March 9: Saint Frances of Rome

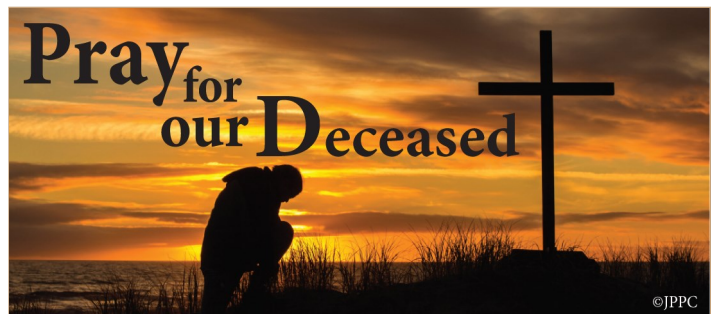
8:30 Ann Marie Furnari (+)
5:00 Emilie Catherine Hau (L)
7:00 Edwin Romero (+)(A)

Sunday, March 10:

8:00 Gayle Bragaglia (+)
10:00 The Merritt & Fitzgerald Families
12:00 Ezio DePace, Jr. (+)(B)
2:00 **Korean Mass**
7:00 Thomas Joseph Russo, Jr. (+)



Peter Tomasini, Tessie Tan,
Joan Voight, Caroline Alongi,
Andrea Kallaras, Julie Diaz,
Jose Rivera, Robert Muller,
Geshika Chirinos, Marie Ruvo,
Geraldine Towey, Dawn Ann Donnathan,
Robert DeJour, Anna Fucci,
Ann Byrne, Genevieve "Gigi" Harold,
Michael Keehan, Loretta Dalena,
Javier Zapata, Katherine Mary Rya



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

Virginia Capuano, Andrew V. Pisacreta,
Gyelle Moise, Carlos Jaime de Schapell,
and Hilda Ramos

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.



by Leonard N. Peterson

“Powerhouse” can be defined in a few ways, As a simple plant that produces power. Or as a person who possesses great force of energy, as in “She is an editorial powerhouse.” Today I want to call on the word as an apt description of this weekend’s Readings for Mass.

First comes the Ten Commandments from the Book of Exodus. They are stark, confident, certifiably the divine basics on how to live for a largely illiterate people. Later on in history, the Church will elaborate on their meanings for a more sophisticated audience. So, for example, “Thou shalt not kill” will expand to include more subtle killings, like the reckless use of illicit drugs.

We move on to St. Paul’s Letter, where he contrasts Jewish and Greek religious aspirations with that of the Christian’s. featuring a crucified Jesus as “the wisdom and power of God.” He is blunt and straightforward but impactful.

Then we come to the highly dramatic and demonstrably divine act of Jesus, angrily cleansing His “Father’s House,” the Temple, of the rank commercialism that had become common there. This Jesus follows with His symbolic prediction of His death and resurrection.

This threefold combination of Readings here in the middle of Lent leaves us a little breathless, partly because we moderns have become so used to the subtlety mostly used by Satan and the societal enemies of Christ prevalent in our present culture. Yet I find the whole ensemble refreshing, like a hot shower after work or play in the cold. Or a cold shower after the same in summer’s heat.

Here is our one true God, soon to be a crucified corpse followed by a total resurrection prepared for and praised, yet remaining fully human as was the Babe at Bethlehem. Able to take on all the various forms of negativity we face in life with the positive outlook unique to Himself. He only asks His followers, you and me, to take on what we can and do so with His help.

So it is Lent, this penitential season where we face not only the exterior, but also the interior darkness we often take on because we think it’s light. The true Light will blaze forth on the morning of the Third Day, and we will know whose pledge for redemption is the real one.

What a “powerhouse” Faith we are offered; what a confident Hope we gain; what a contagious Charity we can practice! All because of Jesus Christ our Lord!

May God love you and give you His peace!

March Devotion Saint Joseph



Due to the solemnity of Saint Joseph on March 19, this month is devoted to this great saint, the foster father of Christ.

In his 1889 encyclical *Quamquam Pluries*, Pope Leo XIII composed the *Ad Te, Beate Ioseph* (To You, O Blessed Joseph) prayer. The Holy Father asked that this prayer, enriched with a partial indulgence, be added to the end of the Rosary. He said, "It greatly behooves Christians, while honoring the Virgin Mother of God, constantly to invoke with deep piety and confidence her most chaste spouse, Saint Joseph. We have a well grounded conviction that such is the special desire of the Blessed Virgin herself."

Ad Te, Beate Ioseph

To you, O blessed Joseph, do we come in our afflictions, and having implored the help of your most holy Spouse, we confidently invoke your patronage also.

Through that charity which bound you to the Immaculate Virgin Mother of God and through the paternal love with which you embraced the Child Jesus, we humbly beg you graciously to regard the inheritance which Jesus Christ has purchased by his Blood, and with your power and strength to aid us in our necessities.

O most watchful guardian of the Holy Family, defend the chosen children of Jesus Christ; O most loving father, ward off from us every contagion of error and corrupting influence; O our most mighty protector, be kind to us and from heaven assist us in our struggle with the power of darkness.

As once you rescued the Child Jesus from deadly peril, so now protect God’s Holy Church from the snares of the enemy and from all adversity; shield, too, each one of us by your constant protection, so that, supported by your example and your aid, we may be able to live piously, to die in holiness, and to obtain eternal happiness in heaven. Amen.

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Capuchin Family Ministries 2024 Summer Experiences registrations are open! Join our community of friars, young people & families who proclaim the Gospel and aid those in need.

Summer Outreach Week (SOW)

Rising 9th graders—adults
Mt. Alvernia Retreat Center, Wappingers Falls
June 22—27

Join us in humble service to those in need in the Hudson Valley, followed by recreation, Mass, shared meals, and small group theological reflection.

Capuchin Appalachian Mission (CAM)

Rising 9th graders—adults
Harlan, Kentucky
July 6—14

A powerful experience of Gospel community service. During the week we provide: Vacation Bible School, food and clothing outreach, construction program to improve the living conditions of families, and outreach to the elderly and infirmed.

Catholic Literature & Arts Summer Program

CLASP: Rising 9th graders—12th graders
CLASP Jr: Ages 5+
Mt. Alvernia & St. Martin De Porres, Poughkeepsie
July 27—August 2

Acting, dancing, singing, music, set design, and staging! Peers and pros enlighten, educate, inspire, share enthusiasm, and a desire for everyone to succeed, no matter past theater experience or ability. Clasp Jr. has a half day option available.

See details & register at www.capuchin.org/cfm/summer-programs/ or email myanniteli@capuchin.org for more information.

New this year: **Early Bird and Group discounts**; get in on these fantastic programs now and save! Register today. All programs have limited space and will sell out!

Weekly Readings

HOLY BIBLE

Monday: 2 Kgs 5:1-15ab | Ps 42:2, 3; 43:3, 4 | Lk 4:24-30

Tuesday: Dn 3:25, 34-43 | Ps 25:4-5ab, 6 and 7bc, 8-9 | Mt 18:21-35

Wednesday: Dt 4:1, 5-9 | Ps 147:12-13, 15-16, 19-20 | Mt 5:17-19

Thursday: Jer 7:23-28 | Ps 95:1-2, 6-7, 8-9 | Lk 11:14-23

Friday: Hos 14:2-10 | Ps 81:6c-8a, 8bc-9, 10-11ab, 14 and 17 | Mk 12:28-34

Saturday: Hos 6:1-6 | Ps 51:3-4, 18-19, 20-21ab | Lk 18:9-14

Sunday: 2 Chr 36:14-16, 19-23 | Ps 137:1-2, 3, 4-5, 6 | Eph 2:4-10 | Jn 3:14-21

Announcement on Child Protection

Anyone who needs to report an alleged incident of sexual abuse of a minor by a priest, deacon, religious or a lay person serving in the Archdiocese of New York is asked to contact **Sr. Eileen Clifford, O.P.** at 212-371-1000 Ext 2949 or **Deacon George J. Coppola** at 917-861-1762. Both may also be reached via e-mail at victimassistance@archny.org. Information can also be found on the Archdiocesan website, www.archny.org. In keeping with the Archdiocesan policy of regarding sexual abuse of minors, this information is provided to ensure that our children remain safe and secure.

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