

## SUNDAY, March 4, 2018

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7:15 *(Italian)* Di Paolo & Petruzzo Families  
8:30 Ralph J. Garcia  
10:00 In Honor of the Holy Spirit  
11:30 Jorge Tejada  
1PM Altigracia Ramirez

### MONDAY, March 5

7:00 Edward Cardinal Egan  
9:00 In Thanksgiving to St. Anthony

### TUESDAY, March 6

7:00 John Matthew Bele  
9:00 Prudence Sarcone

### WEDNESDAY, March 7 – Sts. Perpetua & Felicity

7:00 Pro Populo  
9:00

### THURSDAY, March 8 - St. John of God

7:00 Dorothy Anyanwu (living)  
9:00 Elizabeth Martinez

### FRIDAY, March 9 – St. Frances of Rome

7:00 Arthur Anyanwu (living)  
9:00

### SATURDAY, March 10

9:00 Aidan Linton & Mark Ahaneku (both living)  
5:00 In Honor of the Holy Spirit

### SUNDAY, March 11

7:15 *(English)* Pro populo  
8:30 Fr. Robert Auffieri  
10:00 Peter Bertolini  
11:30 Juan German Santana  
1PM Katie Williams

### LECTORS FOR MARCH 10/11

5:00PM T. Andres	10:00 I. Negron
7:15 D. Anyanwu	11:30 M. Burke
8:30 A. Loscalzo	1PM N. Alejandro

### STATIONS OF THE CROSS + THIS FRIDAY

7:30 PM ENGLISH  
8:15 PM VIETNAMESE

Confessions are on Saturday from 3:45 to 4:45PM and on Sunday from 9 to 9:45AM

### BAPTISM INSTRUCTION

Tuesday, March 6th at 7:30 PM  
in Church. Parents of children to be baptized are required to attend.

**MASS ATTENDANCE CARDS** – The pink Mass attendance cards for students will be stamped after Mass in the vestibule. **Only After the 10 AM Mass**, cards will be stamped in Father Winters Hall.

## THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

### First Reading: Exodus 20:1-17

Through Moses, God passed on the commandments he wished all people to follow. He tells us not to worship idols or take the name of the Lord in vain. All the laws God gave to us, if followed, would ensure that we could live in peace and harmony with one another as he had planned.

### Second Reading: 1 Corinthians 1:22-25

Paul tells the Corinthians that Christ is the power and the wisdom of God. Although they claimed to possess wisdom, “God’s folly is wiser than men, and his weakness is more powerful than men.”

### Gospel: John 2:13-25

Jesus went to the temple of Jerusalem to find merchants there selling sheep and doves. He knocked over their tables and drove the animals away. The merchants asked him for a sign that he was authorized to do this. He told them to “destroy this temple (referring to his body) and in three days I will raise it up.” The merchants misunderstood, and did not believe he could rebuild in three days what had taken nearly 50 years to build. Still many believed in him, after seeing the miracles he had performed.

### Monday

2 Kgs 5:1-15b; Lk 4:24-30

### Tuesday

Dn 3:25, 34-43; Mt 18:21-35

### Wednesday

Dt 4:1, 5-9; Mt 5:17-19

### Thursday

Jer 7:23-28; Lk 11:14-23

### Friday

Hos 14:2-10; Mk 12:28-34

### Saturday

Hos 6:1-6; Lk 18:9-14

### Please Note: Rectory Office Hours

#### MONDAY – WEDNESDAY:

9:00AM to 12:30PM - & - 1:30PM to 7:30PM

\* THURSDAY Rectory closes at 4:30

#### FRIDAY: Closed

#### SATURDAY: NOON – 5:00PM

The Rectory will be Closed for Lunch  
between 12:30 and 1:30PM

SUNDAY: SEE YOU IN CHURCH

### Daylight Savings Time

The clock changes next weekend,  
March 10/11 Spring ahead one hour.

### **Annual Easter Buns Fund Raising**

Support your church  
\$ 20 per Bun (56oz)

Cash, check or money order made out to COBM  
Please fill out the form and return to the office by  
Monday, **March 19** or drop in the collection basket  
today. Buns distributed on Palm Sunday weekend,  
March 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup>

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Number of Buns \_\_\_\_\_

Payment total \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Please select the Mass you normally attend:

\_\_\_\_\_ 5PM Sat. \_\_\_\_\_ 7:15AM \_\_\_\_\_ 8:30AM

\_\_\_\_\_ 10AM \_\_\_\_\_ 11:30AM \_\_\_\_\_ 1PM

### **THE PILGRIM STATUE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA**

WILL BE WITH:

MARIE FILARDI — MARCH 4 — MARCH 10  
CHRISTINE SETTE — MARCH 11 — MARCH 17  
AL SULLIVAN - MARCH 18 — MARCH 24  
LYNETTE KARIM - MARCH 25 --MARCH 31

### **THE TRAVELING DIVINE MERCY IMAGE**

WILL BE WITH:

CHARLOTTE FAZIO - MARCH 4 — 10  
ANGELA CRUZ — MARCH 11 — MARCH 24  
LYNETTE KARIM — MARCH 25 — APRIL 7

### **Parish Meetings**

Wednesday - Adult Choir 7:15-9PM Church  
Parish Council 7:30 FWH  
Thursday Holy Name 7:30 FWH  
Saturday - Children's Choir 12:30-1:30PM  
Church

All men of the parish are invited to join the  
Holy Name Society.

Our next meeting is in Fr. Winters Hall on:  
Thursday, March. 8 at 7:30 PM

Also join us for our Communion Mass on:  
Sunday, March 11 at 8:30AM  
(Followed by breakfast in FWH)

**Next week is P.O.T.S. Sunday. Please bring your food donations in disposable pans with lids if possible to the rear lobby of the church between 9:30 and 10:00 AM. This week: Chicken: with rice or potatoes**

### **LENTEN LECTURES**

**MARCH 15**

**JOIN FR. SEBASTIAN'S  
CONGREGATION FOR AN EVENING OF  
PRAISE & WORSHIP**

### **LENT 2018**

Lent is a holy season in our church's year. It is holy because it calls us in a special way to holiness and encourages us to adopt holy habits of prayer, fasting, and almsgiving. We should try to attend Mass as often as we can during Lent and pray the rosary and make the Stations of the Cross. We should try to make special sacrifices during Lent. We should try to practice some form of self-denial or self-discipline during Lent - so that we might in some small way identify ourselves with Christ who was crucified for us. **All the Fridays of Lent are days of Abstinence** - **All Catholics above the age of 14 are obliged to abstain from meat on the days of abstinence (unless poor health excuses). Additionally, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of both fast and abstinence. Not only is meat prohibited, but on these two fast days, only one full meal is permitted. Two smaller meals may be taken to maintain strength, but these taken together should not equal another full meal.** Fasting obliges from age 18 to 59 (unless poor health excuses).

### **St. Patrick - St. Joseph Day Celebration**

The Holy Rosary Senior club is sponsoring a St. Patrick - St. Joseph Day party on Monday, March 19<sup>th</sup> at 12:30 PM in Father Winters Hall. The menu will consist of a choice of Corned Beef, Pastrami or Turkey on a Kaiser roll with potato salad, pickles & potato chips. The choice of desserts will be either Zepole (custard) or Sfingi (Canoli). Coffee and soda will also be served. The cost is \$15 and must be paid in advance. The deadline for your reservation is Monday, March 12<sup>th</sup>. No order will be accepted on the day of the party. Contact Rosemarie Rubino at 718-881-1537 to place your order.

**Revive Mission for the North East Bronx**

**March 12 to 14**

at

Sts. Phillip & James  
1160 East 213 Street

Take your Faith to the next level!

Build a real relationship with Christ

Evenings of Song, Reflection & Sacraments

**Adoration at 6PM; preaching at 7PM**

Fr. Lucian Clark, CP will preach.

***Serra Club Annual Day of  
Recollection***

Will be on Saturday April 7, 2018 at St. Joseph Seminary and will be conducted by Fr. Robert Quarato. All are invited. The deadline for registration is March 17th. Forms are on the tables at the entrance to the Church. Cost: \$30.00 per person. Fee includes continental breakfast and lunch. Please see the flyers in the back of the church to register.

**Nursing Home Ministry**

is looking for extra volunteers for Holy Thursday & Good Friday. Please call the Nursing Home Ministry at 718-379-4432 ext 22 if you can help.

**Save the Dates**

**Saturday, June 2 – Hawaiian Luau**

**Saturday, June 16 – Tag Sale**

**Sunday, July 1 - WBT matinee  
“Sister Act”**

**The Annual Golden Wedding Mass Celebration**

will be on **Sunday, June 3rd at 2:15 PM** at the Cathedral of Saint Patrick. Couples celebrating their 50th Wedding Anniversary during 2018 are invited to attend. His Eminence Timothy Cardinal Dolan will be the principal celebrant. Pre-registration is required. Please contact the rectory for registration. The closing date to register for the Mass is Monday, May 14<sup>th</sup>, 2018. This event is sponsored by the Family Life / Respect Life Office of the Archdiocese of New York.

*In - Formed for March*

Read: Meditations for Lent or Listen to: Freedom Through Forgiveness, The Healing Power of Confession, Keep Holy the Sabbath, My Beloved Son or Passion of Christ in Light of the Holy Shroud of Turin. Or Watch: The Passion of St. Perpetua or The Story of St. Perpetua. On the 17th Watch: Patrick: Brave Shepherd of the Emerald Isle or Read: St. Patrick's Summer. Also enjoy the new Audio Drama: The Trials of St. Patrick.

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**Important: Do not sign up as an individual.**

**PLEASE PRAY FOR** Estella & Myrna Alvarez, Shawaun Ali Aviles, Salvatore Amedio, Rachel Acre, Francis Bele, Kim Benack, Joseph Bonocore, Sidney Brown, Mary Alice Burgan, Phillip & Anthony Capano, Ana Caturano, Christina Celantano, Lorna Courtney, Theresa Coutain, Anna Cristina, Fitzroy Daniel, Michael Dannucci, Audia DeJesus, Helen De Alto, Rosemarie DeNegris, Gina DiLorenzo, Bob & Cynthia Dukes, Rosa Echevarria, Laticia Elliot, Irene Farenga, Marie Ferrari, Albert Ferri, Beatrice Galeano de Maduro, Grant Haile, James Heame, Donna Hellgrone, Erik Hernandez, Marilyn Iarossi, Kay Johnson, Genevieve Jolivet, John Joseph, Camille Knight, Singh Latchman, James Leung, Theresa Lewis, Maurice Lisby, Fey LoPresti, Connie Lorelli, Debbie Lorelli, Veronica McCartney; Bonita McSchane, Brunilda Mandozza, Frank Matice, Richard Meehan, Jim Messenger, Anthony Militello, Demarco, Donyae, Damika & Donya Murray, Alisa Nicovic, Carmen Ortiz, Jose Ortiz, Jennifer Padro, Beth Pagan, Carol Ann Pascucci, Elena Pascucci, Mary Pirro, Angelina Rader, Lucille Rahman; Michael Ramirez, Julian Reed, Giuseppe Regina, Iris Rivera, Pablo Rodriguez, Amelia Ascenio Ruiz, Dorothy Santomauro, Arthur Simmons, Ada Snyder, Jean Williams, Hopeton Williams, Karen Williamson & our home bound and residents of our local Nursing Homes.

**Contemplative Prayer Retreat April 6-8**

**Marianist Family Retreat Center Cape May  
Point NJ 08212—609 884-3829**

This retreat is intended for those interested in a contemplative prayer experience. First timers as well as those experienced with this type of retreat are welcome. Our time will be filled with prayer, quiet personal time, special liturgies and daily Eucharist. Cost is \$135 pp.

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**PARISHIONERS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS**

In order to make attendance at Mass easier and more pleasurable for you we encourage you to consider two things:

1) Those with **walkers, canes, or who cannot get up for communion:** - Please sit in the **front pews.** We will bring Holy Communion to you.

2) Those with **wheelchairs:** – Please place your chairs in the **Baptismal area** to the right of the sanctuary. We will bring Holy Communion to you.

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ALL ARE WELCOME!**



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**SECURITY NOTICE** – Parishioners are reminded to always keep an eye on their belongings when attending Holy Rosary Church or events in Father Winters Hall. ....Please turn off all free WiFi applications from your mobile devices in order to prevent criminals from gaining access to your personal information.