

# SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS – 11/01/2015

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## SUNDAY MASSES

9:00 A.M. & 11:00 A.M.

**WEEKDAY MASSES 8:30 am (check bulletin) / Thursday – 7:15 pm**

*"Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted." Matthew 5:3*



## Introduction

My friends, what does it take to be a saint? The great symbolic multitude in today's reading from the Book of Revelation is not the description of a perfect people, but of those who followed Christ. He does not ask for perfection, but for attitudes and behavior that reflect his life and teaching. These are summarized in the familiar Beatitudes in Matthew's Gospel. He gave them to all of us so that we know what it takes to be saints.

## Today's Scriptures

Rev 7:2-4, 9-14 A vision of the whole community of God's faithful people

Psalm 24 Lord, we are the people who long for you.

1 John 3:1-3 What we shall be has not yet been revealed.

Matt 5:1-12a Jesus teaches the Beatitudes.

## LECTORS SERVING TODAY

9:00 AM – Jason Cabrejos

11:00 AM – Deacon Bill Gaydos

**SHOPPING CERTIFICATES. WE RECEIVED \$1,000 from Shopping Certificates for a TOTAL of \$61,000! We thank Lucy Daum and**

**Merry Sleece for organizing and running this project.** The easiest way to support our Building Fund is by purchasing weekly shopping gift cards. The Building Fund is needed to finance any future repairs and maintenance of our facility. **We thank all those who participate and who run this wonderful project.** Gift cards are available for **STOP & SHOP, A&P, PATHMARK, FOODTOWN, SHOPRITE and FAIRWAY.** Please encourage other members of the parish and friends to join in this wonderful project. If you have any questions contact Lucy Daum (973) 694-9457, or Merry Sleece 973-731-3611. **WE THANK YOU IN ADVANCE FOR YOUR SUPPORT.**



**I remember you in my prayers each day. Please keep me and my family in your daily prayers. Fr. Joseph**

The following members of our parish community are in need of our prayers, cards and other signs of Christian support: **Mary Margo, Monica Lukowiak, Emila Bargiel, Jean Tierney, Sophie Barnes, Gene Kapchonick; Liz Wozney, Rose Gentile, Mary Plucinski; Roy Zebrowski, Jo Ann Murphy, Judy Bozza, Stanley Mikolajczyk, Zachary Decker, Declan, Urbano, Helen Blum, Dominick, Char O'Neill, Gloria Counsellor, Annie Lee, Joseph and Theresa Petrusky. We pray also for all those who asked us to pray and for those**

**whom we promised to pray: Hail Mary, Glory...**

**HOSPITAL VISIT.** "Is anyone among you sick? He should summon the presbyters of the church, and they should pray over him and anoint him with oil in the name of the Lord..." (James 5:14). If you or a member of your family are ill and would like to receive the Holy Communion at home or at the hospital, please notify the rectory.

**HEALING MASS** – The next Mass will be celebrated on **Thursdays** at 7:15 p.m. You are invited to attend this special Mass if you have any health problems or you wish to present prayers for other people. The Lord always listens to our prayer and has the power of healing.

## ANNIVERSARIES OF MARRIAGE

Dear Parishioners, we wish to extend our congratulations and best wishes on your anniversaries of marriage.

**Mateo Granada and Delia Velez – Oct. 29<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> Ann.**

**Russell Paulison and Karen Pettegrew – Nov. 22 – 23rd Ann.**

**Stephen Morgan and Karen Jarmarkowicz. – November 1st – 7th Ann.**

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY wishes are expressed to the following parishioners in November

Lina Abdelfattah; Gabriela Tundo; Declan Maher; Stanley Suszynski; Lisa Wiebe; Christian Fultz; Karol Sung; Emily Gaydos; Marcella Galindo; Joshua Rivera; Michael Lazor; Adele Merson; Jasmine Negrini; Paola Perez; Renata Cyman; Michael Cyman; Alyson Matute Pauta; Nicholas Galese; Christine Gaydos; Chaz Wozney; Henry Fernandez; Gabriel Iudici Flax; Jessie Santos; Michele Peano; Christian Reyes




*(If you would like to include the date of your birthday or the member of your family in the bulletin, please call the parish office at (973)-256-4888).*

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Visiting our website [Blog holycrosssite.org](http://Blog.holycrosssite.org) you can go directly to our church face book. **166 people like our church face book! We thank Lynn Imperiale for her dedication in updating our face book.**

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**SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS – NOVEMBER 1, 2015**

*"Blessed are they who mourn, for they will be comforted." Matthew 5:3*

**9:00 am** – Holy Mass +Eleanor, Bruno, Leonard, Eugene, Edmund, Henry, Waclaw, Martha, Zygmund and Helen Niedzwiecki, James, Lawrence and Mary Hitchcock, William, Carol, Michael Mallanda, Jackie Ziobro; Offered by Diane Hitchcock (All Souls); Offered by (All Souls) /+Stanley Skawinski, Julia, Emilia, John Patynski, Richard Perry, Ann Chadwick; Offered by Stella Skawinski (All Souls)

*After Mass – Reading All Souls Remembrances - 2015*

**10:00 am** – Coffee Time Fellowship / **10:10 am** – School of Christian Living Halloween Party

**11:00 am** – Holy Mass +Mikhail Awad, Najeba Abboudi, Sabeh Kako, Salma Abboudi, Maysoon Awad; Offered by Hilal & Zina and Family (All Souls)

Holy Mass + Louis & Wanda Gec; Offered by Lois & Johnny Antonucci

**2:00 pm** – All Souls Procession East Ridgelawn Cemetery, 255 Main Ave., Clifton, NJ

*After Mass – Reading of All Souls Remembrances- 2015*

**Preparation for Sacrament of Confirmation**

**Monday November 2, 2015 – All Soul's Day**

**7:15 am - Holy Mass**

**Tuesday November 3, 2015 – St. Martin, M. - Election Day**

**8:30 am - Holy Mass for peace in the world**

**Wednesday, November 4, 2015 – St Vitalis and Agricola, M.**

**8:30 am - Holy Mass for All Parishioners**

**Thursday, November 5, 2015 – Saints Zachary and Elizabeth**

**7:15 pm - Holy Mass for the sick and homebound (Healing Mass)**

**8:00 pm - Preparation for Baptism**

**Friday, November 6, 2015 – St. Leonard, Mo.**

**8:30 am - Holy Mass +Nancy Ysla 11<sup>th</sup> Anniversary; Offered by Claire Centrella**





## 32<sup>ND</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - NOVEMBER 8, 2015

"A poor widow also came and put in two small coins worth a few cents". Mark 12:42



**9:00 am** Holy Mass

**10:00 am** – Coffee Time Fellowship

**10:10 am** – School of Christian Living Classes

**11:00 am** – Holy Mass

**Baptism of Jhyanna Emma Beato, daughter of Jose and Majorie Beato**

**Baptism of Camryn Giavonna Colon, daughter of Cesar and Christina Colon**

**Preparation for Sacrament of Confirmation**



**SUNDAY SCHOOL**

### School of Christian Living Classes

Please join us by enrolling your child in this free of charge program.

Level I - Pre-school – Kindergarten – 2nd grade – Ms. Rosa Llanos

Level II – 3rd and 4th grades – Mrs. Andrea Lerggios – Smith /Level III - 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grades –

Mrs. Donna Maher.



### THANKSGIVING BASKETS

We are preparing the Thanksgiving baskets for those in need from Woodland Park. Many items from the last food drive have been used but we still need cranberry sauce, stuffing, cans of sweet potato, turkey gravy and \$25 gift cards from Shop-rite. Please consider donating the items so we can help the less fortunate have a wonderful Thanksgiving too.



Please bring items to the church by November 18<sup>th</sup>. Thank you.

### Sanctuary Candle

Adoration Society is sponsoring sanctuary candles that are lit for a week in memory/honor of your special intentions for \$10. Please sign up on the list in the church vestibule, use special envelopes and make your check out to Adoration Society. You can send donation by mail. Thank you for your donations.



Nov. 1 – **In memory of Nancy Ysla** (by Claire Centrella)

Nov. 8 – **In memory of Melissa & August Centrella** (by Claire Centrella)

Nov.15 – **In memory of Emanuele Triggiano** (by Claire Centrella)

Nov.22 – **Todd and Helen Jaxon** (by Penni Lazor)

Nov.29 – **in memory of Sabeh, Selma, Mikhail, Najeeba, Balkees, Mayssoon** (by Hilal Hanna & Fam.)

ALTAR FLOWERS – Flowers at the altar are the wonderful sign of praise and thanksgiving to God. If you would like to donate flowers to remember an Anniversary, Birthday, departed loved one, etc. please call the rectory for further information (973-256-4888).



**90<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of Holy Cross Church - June 26, 2016.**

**Solemn Mass at 11:00 am presided by Bp. Bernard Nowicki**

**Reception at The Brownstone, Paterson NJ at 1:00 pm - Please mark your calendars.**

HOLY CROSS PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY - Do you crochet or knit? Then join us in this new ministry by helping make



shawls for home bound, persons in need of our prayers, people dealing with illnesses. We can make a difference by comforting them in their time of need by presenting them with a handmade shawl and special prayers for our blessed shawl. May God's grace be upon this shawl...Warming, comforting, enfolding and embracing. May this mantle be a safe haven...a sacred place of security and well being... May the one who receives this shawl be cradled in hope, kept in joy, graced with peace. And wrapped in love! Blessed Be!!! Great gift for the Caregiver as well! And if you know of anyone in need please contact Claire Centrella. We have patterns for your crocheting and/or knitting. **There is yarn available in the parish hall for those**

**who would like to make a shawl.**

PRAYER SHAWL MINISTRY - a beautiful handmade shawl from **Adele Merson** was presented to **Rose Gentile** who recently had undergone surgery. It was personally given to her daughter by Father Joseph after the shawl was blessed and a beautiful prayer was said to comfort her.

Also 2 additional shawls will be delivered by Father Joseph to **Marie Sabatino** and **June Russell** at Care One in Teaneck made by **Dottie O'Brien**. Don't forget these shawls are available for those who need comforting due to illness, loss of a loved one or in need of our prayers. The ministry includes Claire Centrella, Adele Merson, Lorena Sanita, Dorothy O'Brien and Fran Cuccinello. Please join us by helping make these shawls.

### CONFIRMATION CLASSES



Confirmation Class Upcoming classes: **Nov. 1, 15, 29, 2015.** Students who are 13 years old and older as well as adults are eligible to take confirmation lessons. Sacrament of Confirmation is a completion of the sacrament of Baptism and important step in your youth's religious education. The date of Confirmation – fall 2016.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES:

The preparation for first Holy Communion will begin on Sunday, **Nov. 8, 22, 2015.** It is held on Sundays, after the 11



AM Mass. Children who are enrolled at second grade and older are eligible to take classes. The Holy Eucharist is Jesus Christ who is really present under the forms of bread and wine. In the Eucharist, Jesus Christ gives us Himself as a food for our souls. The bread and wine becomes the Body and Blood of our Lord during the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass when the priest says words of consecration which Jesus used during the Last Supper: This is My Body... This is My Blood. (Catechism)



### GIFT SHOP OF RELIGIOUS ARTICLES

There are new religious articles (donated) available in the parish hall for purchase at the much discounted price. They are perfect for weddings, baptisms, communions, confirmations, and other special days. **NEW ITEMS HAVE BEEN ADDED. Come and Browse**

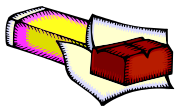
BEAUTIFUL CROSSES – (They are donated by our parishioner). **Don't forget yours for gifts.** **Father Joseph blessed all of these items in advance.**

GOD'S FIELD – (Rola Boza) ONLINE - The latest issue of *God's Field* is now available online at <http://www.pncc.org>.



Click on the God's Field link at the top of the home page and follow the directions to access the recent issue. We hope you enjoy reading about the life and work of our parishes.

**4th ANNUAL FUNDRAISER – World's Finest Chocolate. TO DATE: \$1,124.00**



We are selling World's Finest Chocolate candy bars and hope you will help. Bring a box to work, sell to family and friends or just keep a box for your own snacking. At \$1.00 per bar and a coupon for Quiznos on the back of the wrapper, it is a wonderful deal. Pick up your boxes at the Church Hall and return money when you will sell as soon as you can. **Such an easy way to help your parish raise funds!**

**Thank you** We thank anyone who in any way, shape or form serves for the betterment of our parish. May the Lord reward you for sharing your time, talent and treasure.



**LET US IMITATE THE WAYS OF GOD BY BEING MORE GENEROUS AND LOVING IN OUR SERVICE TO HIS MYSTICAL BODY, "THE CHURCH."**

**Tricky Tray Net Income will be calculated soon**  
**ALMS BOX - recent count - \$120**

**Thank you for your anticipated support toward our parish.**



We appreciate any donations toward the Building Fund for our future necessary repairs. Also, we ask more parishioners to participate in the purchase of shopping certificates since the profit goes toward the Building Fund. We appreciate any donations toward the Building Fund for our future necessary repairs. Also, we ask more parishioners to participate in the purchase of shopping certificates since the profit goes toward the Building Fund.

Help Holy Cross to raise more \$. There are 166 Supporters registered so far. So please join us and you can imagine how much we can earn for our church!



When you do your Shopping online please take advantage of GoodShop, GoodSurvey, Goodtvads, GoodOffers or GoodDining and the church will get a percentage of your purchase. We will get 1 cent for every search and it adds up quickly. To date we raised \$90.25. The link is:

<http://www.goodsearch.com/nonprofit/holy-cross-church-woodland-park.aspx>. You can copy this link or mark it and open it as a Hyperlink. **YOU CAN EVEN EARN \$ PLAYING GAMES, DOING SURVEYS, AND DINING OUT.**

**Stewardship Committee Next Project**



The next project will be October 18 – November 8, 2015. We will bring items for the veterans living at Veterans Home in Paramus, NJ. Items such as: Personal care, (soap, shampoo, tooth paste, toothbrush, bath towels, pillowcase, socks, tissues, napkins, postage stamps, new men's and women clothing, (see more on the Facebook: [www.holycrosswoodlandpark.com](http://www.holycrosswoodlandpark.com)

**Holy Cross Parish is having a 50 /50 raffle- Total sold was \$3,000 and 50% was given out in prizes..**



- 1<sup>st</sup> Prize - \$750 – Megan Goodwin**
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize- \$450 – Stella Skawinski**
- 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize - \$300 – Flo Wiener**

**ALL SOULS CEMETERY SERVICE** – will take place today, Sunday, **November 1, 2015 (date changed)** at the PNCC section of East Ridgelawn Cemetery, Clifton beginning at **2:00 p.m.** For this annual event the clergy and faithful from four parishes, SS Peter and Paul, Passaic, Transfiguration of Our Lord, Wallington, The Most Holy Name of Jesus, Passaic, and from our Holy Cross Parish, Woodland Park are invited to attend. Please remember your departed loved ones in your prayers.



**ALL SOULS DAY ENVELOPES** - Please use All Souls Day envelopes and print the names of the departed you wish to remember and send it to the parish office or place it on Sunday in the collection basket. The envelopes with the names will be kept on the altar during the month of November. In addition to that, Father Joseph will celebrate Holy Masses for their intentions in the upcoming weeks and months. Please suggest what dates you would like masses celebrated.

These Masses will be listed in the bulletins as All Souls Day Masses.



**CHRISTMAS DINNER** – will take place on Sunday December 13, 2015 after 11:00 A.M. Mass – Please mark your calendars for an enjoyable afternoon with great menu and **Christmas Program** by the children of our School of Christian Living. **THE SCHOOL OF CHRISTIAN LIVING CHILDREN** will be free of charge.

**Adoration Society Bake Sale – November 22, 2015**

**The Most Holy Name of Jesus – Slovak National Catholic Church**

**93<sup>rd</sup> Anniversary Dinner** will be held on Sunday Nov. 8, 2015 at 12:30 pm. Donations – adults - \$20; children - \$10. For reservations please contact Mrs. Joan Kaynak at 973-696-6035 or Mrs. Grace Tarnowski at 973-357-0056 by October 28<sup>th</sup>.



**NEW CHAIRS** -Our parish purchased 150 new chairs (with cushions) for the parish hall. We thank the Adoration Society who paid for the half of the cost. We thank Hughie Vicerilla, Leo Coutinho and the Cyman family who unpacked the new chairs and placed the old ones in the garage. As of Saturday Oct. 31st - 25 old chairs were sold for \$5 each. If you know of someone who wishes to purchase some chairs please contact parish office 973-256-4888 send email [holycrosspncc1@gmail.com](mailto:holycrosspncc1@gmail.com). Pick up only.



**ALTAR SERVERS** This is an important ministry for our parish and your support and involvement is needed! Please contact Deacon - William Gaydos 973-239-4725 or parish office 973-256-488 if your son /daughter are interested in becoming altar servers.



**IF YOU KNOW OF ANYONE WHO DOES NOT BELONG TO A CHURCH OR WHO DOES NOT ATTEND MASS, WHY NOT INVITE HIM OR HER TO JOIN US IN WORSHIP AT HOLY CROSS PARISH? ALL ARE CORDIALLY WELCOMED.**

## Holy Cross Church Ministries and Organizations

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**THE PRAYERS REQUEST** - The container "**Prayer Request**" is located at the side altar by the baptismal fount. Fr. Joseph says the Holy Mass on Thursdays for the sick and shut-ins. If you have any sick members in your family and/or homebound, please write their names and place them in the container. Fr. Joseph will include these intentions at the Holy Mass on Thursday evening Mass.

**NEW REGISTRATIONS** - Our parish is leasing the Sunday school building to the tenant **FUN KIDS ACADEMY, L.L.C from Monday to Friday**. The service is offered for the children from *two and half to five years old*. Ann Marie Scirica, the Director of the Fun Kids Academy accepts **NEW** registrations. Please call 973-256-0760. Discount rates are available for the members of Holy Cross Church.



**MINISTRY OF GREETERS** – *Those who would like to serve as Greeters in our parish by giving out Sunday bulletins are asked to contact Lynn Imperiale. Ministry of Greeters is very important in the parish's life that makes people feel welcome to participate in our liturgies. Thank you for your service.*

### **HALL RENTAL HOLY CROSS CHURCH**



**Fees:** For non-members of the parish: The hall rental fee for the use of the facilities is \$110.00 (\$120 in 2016) for each hour of rental time. For members of the parish (paid membership). The rental hall fee for the use of facilities is \$50 (\$60 in 2016) fee for each hour of rental time. Call 973-256-4888.