

27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 10/04/2015

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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

"Therefore what God has joined together, no human being must separate." Mark 10:9

Introduction



My friends, today's readings remind us that the bond of marriage is deeply rooted in ancient Judaic tradition and is affirmed by Jesus. Our society is debating many issues relating to marriage, but the importance of this fundamental relationship is clear. The bond between husband and wife is unique, powerful and sacred.

Today's Scriptures

Gen 2:18-24 God creates man and woman for one another

Ps 128 May the Lord bless us all the days of our lives

Heb 2:9-11 The Son of God shares in human suffering

Mk 10:2-16 Jesus affirms the bond of marriage



LECTORS SERVING TODAY

9:00 AM – Dominick Buccì 11:00 AM – Jason Cabrejos

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, Jean Tierney, Sophie Barnes; Gene Kapchonick; Liz Wozney, Mary Plucinski; Roy Zebrowski.** Our friends: **Jo Ann Murphy, Judy Bozza, Stanley Mikolajczyk, Zachary Decker, Declan, Urbano, Helen Blum, Dominick, Char O'Neill, Gloria Counsellor, Annie Lee.** 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.

George and Dorothy O'Brien – 9/11 - 44 years

Edward Lazor/Michele Gula 10/8–37 years

Deacon David /Laurie Rusnak 10/ 28 – 35 years

Eric Olsen/Denise Piwowar 10/ 8 - 25 years

Keith Mullin and Jaelyn Ziobro 10/ 16 - 10 years;

Nicholas Lawler/Michele Peano 10/ 15 - 9 years

Martin Maher / Donna Giardino 10/24 – 25th Ann.




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Visiting our website Blog.holycrosssite.org you can go directly to our church face book. 160 people like our church face book! We thank Lynn Imperiale for her dedication in updating our face book.

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+FOOD DRIVE FOR FR. ENGLISH FOOD PANTRY+
+BLESSING OF PETS+
27TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - OCTOBER 4, 2015



"Therefore what God has joined together, no human being must separate." Mark 10:9

9:00 am – Holy Mass +Margaret, Michael Rusnak, Stanley Mikolajczyk, Margaret, Joseph Gaydos; Offered by Deacon David and L. Gaydos (All Souls)
+June Pettergrew; Offered by Karen Paulison (All Souls) / 10:00 am – Coffee Time Fellowship
10:10 am – School of Christian Living Classes
10:10 am – Adoration Society meeting

11:00 am – Holy Mass +Walter and Lilian Hrinuk; Offered by Lenny Hrinuk and Fam. (All Souls) / +Rosemarie Umstead; Offered by Katherine Granados / After Mass – Confirmation Class

Monday October 5, 2015 – St. Placid, M

8:30 am - Holy Mass

Tuesday October 6, 2015 – St. Bruno

8:30 am - Holy Mass for All Parishioners

Wednesday, October 7, 2015 – Holy Mother of the Rosary

8:30 am - Holy Mass for All Parishioners

Thursday, October 8, 2015 – St. Bridget of Sweden, W

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

Friday, October 9, 2015 – St. Dionysius Bp. M

8:30 am - Holy Mass for the Benefactors of Holy Cross Church

Saturday, October 10, 2015 – Weekday

11:00 am – Preparation for Sacrament of Baptism

28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - OCTOBER 11, 2015
+SOLEMNITY OF CHRISTIAN FAMILY+

"At that statement his face fell, and he went away sad, for he had many possessions. Mark 10:22





9:00 am – Holy Mass +Wanda Gec; Offered by the Udovic Family

Laurence Skawinski, Jozef, Anna Skawinski, Jozef, Dorota Mamcarz, Tadeusz Mamcarz, Janina Wiczorek, Zofia Lipinska; Offered by Stella Skawinski (All Souls)

10:00 am – Coffee Time Fellowship

10:10 am – School of Christian Living Classes

10:10 am – Adoration Society meeting

11:00 am – Holy Mass +Sophie Budjinsky, Edward Budjinsky; Offered by Junda

Fam. (All Souls); +Rosemarie Umstead; Offered by Katherine Granados /

After Mass – Preparation for First Holy Communion



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 parish hall, use special envelopes and make your check out to Adoration Society. Thank you for your donations.

Oct. 4- available / **Oct. 11** – available

Oct. 18 – in memory of Rose Vickerilla; (by Hughie Vickerilla)



School of Christian Living Classes

Classes are held every Sunday from 10:10 A.M. - 10:50 A.M. Masses are celebrated at the regular schedule of 9:00 A.M. and 11:00 A.M. For parents with small children, Mass can be heard in the church hall, if needed. 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.

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UPCOMING BAPTISMS

Hannah Joyce – October 11, 2015

Jhyanna Beato – October 25, 2015

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).

90th 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.



THE PRAYERS REQUEST - The container "Prayer Request" is located at the side altar by the baptismal font. 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.

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 wellbeing... 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.

CONFIRMATION CLASSES

Upcoming classes: **October 4, 18, Nov. 1, 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:

Upcoming classes: **October 11, 25, Nov. 8, 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

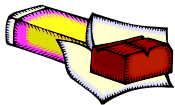
There are new religious articles (donated) available in the parish hall for purchase at the much discounted price. They are perfect for weddings, baptisms, communions, confirmations, and other special days. **BEAUTIFUL CROSSES** – (They are donated by our parishioner). **Don't forget yours for gifts.** **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: \$1,164.00



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!**



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**SUNDAY OFFERINGS on Sunday, September 20, 2015 was \$960.00
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Help Holy Cross to raise more \$. There are 159 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



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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.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- Sept. 26, 2015 - Melissa Centrella Scholarship Fdn. Beefsteak T/T
- October 4, 2015 – Blessing of pets
- Oct. 23, 2015 – Tricky Tray at Amalgamated Meat Cutters hall, 245 Paterson Ave., Little Falls
- Nov. 29, 2015 – Lectors’ meeting after 9 am Mass
- Dec. 13, 2015 after 11 am Mass – Christmas Dinner



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.

ADVERTISEMENT OF THE PARISH – The new print of Holy Cross Church pamphlet is available in the vestibule of the church. Please use it as the tool to advertise our parish in your neighborhood welcoming especially those who are not affiliated with any church.

TODAY - Sunday, October 4, 2015 - ANNUAL BLESSING OF PETS - will take place on at the beginning of the 11:00



o’clock Mass. The Mass will take place in the parish hall. Well behaved dogs, cats, fish, birds and all God’s creatures are invited with their owners. The blessing will be given in commemoration of Feast of Saint Francis of Assisi (Oct. 4). As we know, animals trusted St. Francis and he treated them with courtesy. Near the end of his life St. Francis composed a song of praise and thanks to God for all his creations, called “Canticle to Brother Sun” - also known as the “Canticle of the Creatures.” From this song we know that St. Francis did not perceive himself isolated from other creatures. He simply assumed that all creatures - not only humans - form one family of creation. So we are encouraged to bless and praise God with cats, dogs, birds and all God’s creatures.



Oct. 6, 2015 - St. Bruno of Cologne (Cologne c. 1030 – Serra San Bruno 6 October 1101) was the founder of the Carthusian Order, personally founded the order's first two communities. He was a celebrated teacher at Reims, and a close advisor of his former pupil, Pope Urban II.

Feast of the Holy Mother of the Rosary – Oct. 7th



Apart from the signal defeat of the Albigensian heretics at the battle of Muret in 1213 which legend has attributed to the recitation of the Rosary by St. Dominic, it is believed that Heaven has on many occasions rewarded the faith of those who had recourse to this devotion in times of special danger. More particularly, the naval victory of Lepanto gained by Don John of Austria over the Turkish fleet on the first Sunday of October in 1571 responded wonderfully to the processions made at Rome on that same day by the members of the Rosary confraternity. St. Pius V thereupon ordered that a commemoration of the Rosary should be made upon that day, and at the request of the Dominican Order Gregory XIII in 1573 allowed this feast to be kept in all churches which possessed an altar dedicated to the Holy Rosary.

The Most Holy Name of Jesus – Slovak National Catholic Church

93rd 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 28th.

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.

Holy Cross Parish is having a 50 /50 raffle. TO DATE: The raffle drawing will be held during our Tricky Tray event on October 23, 2015. This fundraiser will help us raise money and pay for the balance on our new boiler. You received in the mail or please pick up your envelope from the parish hall. The Parish Executive Committee will be overseeing the progress of ticket sales.

The Alfred H. Baumann Library is hosting A Touch of Sinatra, a musical tribute to the life of Frank Sinatra. Listen to the music of the great legend. The show will be held in the Municipal Council Chambers at 5 Brophy Lane, Woodland Park, on Sunday, Nov. 1st at 2:00 pm.