

29 SUNDAY IN ORD. TIME - OCT. 17, 2021

+SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION+

SINCE 1926 **HOLY CROSS PARISH** PNCC 95 Years of Service

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The Reverend Father Joseph R. Cyman, Pastor

The Reverend David Gaydos, (Reserve clergy in the Diocese)

The Deacon William Gaydos

SUNDAY MASS 9 am & 11:00 am

WEEKDAY MASSES – 8:30 am

"The Son of Man did not come to be served but to serve and to give his life as a ransom for many." - Mark 10:45

INTRODUCTION

In taking on humanity, Jesus became like us in all ways but sin. He experienced heartache and sorrow, joy and affirmation, challenge and rejection. He suffered many things, but his message never wavered. He came as a servant in our midst, willing to accept his human lot, to transform all things with his submission to the will of the Father. His message to his disciples is clear: If you want to follow me, you must be a servant to all.

SCRIPTURE READINGS at 9 am

Jeremiah 53:10-11 The suffering servant will find light in the fullness of days

Ps 33 Our Lord is justice and mercy, worthy of our trust

Hebrews 4:14-16 Jesus shared in the challenge of humanity

Mark 10:35-45 Power is found in serving the needs of others

READINGS AT 11 AM: Isaiah 11:1-5 ; Acts 1:4-12 , John 15:26-27; 16:12-15

LECTORS SERVING TODAY

9:00 am – Lector: Richard Daum 11:00 am – Lector: Natalie Cyman and Chirag Taylor

WE THANK ALL LECTORS SERVING IN OUR PARISH

SHOPPING CERTIFICATES ARE GREAT GIFTS FOR ANY TIME.

WE NEED MORE VOLUNTEERS TO PARTICIPATE IN THIS

PROJECT. SINCE THE BEGINNING OF GIFT CARDS SALE, WE

RAISED \$74,000. Please support our Building Fund by purchasing weekly

shopping certificates. The more you participate in purchasing certificates the

loan taken for recent renovations will be paid back earlier. The shopping certificates you can use also as gift cards for any occasion. **GIFT CARDS** are available for **STOP N SHOP, FOODTOWN**

AND SHOP RITE. If you have any questions contact Lucy Daum (973) 694-9457, or Merry Sleece

973-731-3611. May God bless and reward you.



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



Please pray for the Sick of the Parish: Out of respect for the privacy of the person who is ill we can only publish the names of the sick with their consent. We review our list monthly. The following members of our

parish community are in need of our prayers: Zaida Bueno; Annie Hornak, Emila Bargiel, Sophie Barnes, Frances Sanchez, Wendy Schlesinger, Jerry R., Ewa B., Jeffrey, Roy Zebrowski, Declan, Erik, Enrico, Josephine B. Jeanne L. Carmen.

ANNIVERSARIES OF MARRIAGE

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

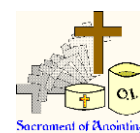
Edward Lazor/Michele Gula 10/8 – 44th Ann.

Fr. David Gaydos /Laurie Rusnak 10/ 28 – 42 years

Keith Mullin and Jaclyn Ziobro 10/ 16 - 17 years

Nicholas Lawler/Michele Peano 10/ 15 - 16 years

Martin Maher / Donna Giardino 10/24 – 32 years



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.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY wishes are expressed to the following parishioners:

Benson LaPorta – 9/21; Lucy Daum - 10/1; Dean Sobolewski – 10/1; Joseph Contreras – 10/4; Dayana Cafa – 10/05; Melissa Betancur – 10/8; Cristoforo Carnemolla – 10/13; Concetta Cafa – 10/15; Francesco Racanati – 10/16; Glenn

Peano - 10/18; Bryan Peano - 10/18; Jeffrey Bargiel – 10/20; Miriam Gomez – 10/21; Jerry Limone – 10/22; Lorenzo Soto – 10/23; Veronica Murphy – 10/24; Matthew Herrera – 10/25; John Antonucci - 10/26; Athena Galindo – 10/26; Loren Galese - 10/27; David Minich - 10/27; John Surak - 10/27; Melissa Henrlandes – 10/29; Stephen Gaydos 10/29, Jason Cabrejos - 10/31;

(If you would like to include the date of your birthday, please call the parish office at (201)-247-4832.

Holy Cross Church Face Book – link www.holycrosswoodlandpark.com

Visiting our website Blog holycrosssite.org you can go directly to our church face book.

507 people follow our church Face book! We thank Lynn Imperiale for her dedication in updating our Facebook.

MEMBERSHIP 2021



BUSINESS ADVERTISING Year 2021

We thank businesses that gave donations for bulletin ads and thus helping us to defray the cost of bulletin printing. The donation for one year is \$125.00. If you wish to submit your ad, please contact the parish office at 201-247-4832 or send e-mail holycrosspncc1@gmail.com, thank you. **Parishioners and friends, please support the following businesses that give financial contributions to our church.**

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SUNDAY, OCT. , 2021 – 29TH SUNDAY IN ORD. TIME / CONFIRMATION

9:00 AM Holy Mass for +Melissa and August Centrella, Emanuele and Theresa

Triggiano; *Req. by Claire Centrella*

10:00 am “Hughie Coffee Hour”

11:00 am – Sunday School in the parish hall

11:00 AM Holy Mass for Confirmation students (with Confirmation patron saints) Jayden Abel Estacio, Athena Claire Galindo, Nicholas Jude Gizzi, Steven Patrick Ortega, Tyler Matthew Smith, Stephanie Kateri Tarazona, Dianne Valentine Tarazona, Amy Theresa Tarazona, Aarti Gianna Taylor, and Chirag Cosmas Taylor



WE THANK BISHOP BERNARD NOWICKI FOR ADMINISTERING THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

Monday, October 18, 2021 – Feast of St. Luke, Evangelist

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Tuesday, October 19, 2021 – St. Ptolomeus & Lucius, M.

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Wednesday, October 20, 2021 – St. John of Kanty, Poland, P.

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Thursday, October 21, 2021 – St. Ursula & Companions, M.

8:30 am – Holy Mass

Friday, October 22, 2021 – St. Philip & Companions, M.

8:30 am – Holy Mass for Benefactors of Holy Cross Parish



SUNDAY, OCT. 25, 2021 – 30TH SUNDAY IN ORD. TIME

9:00 AM Holy Mass for all Parishioners

10:00 am “Hughie Coffee Hour”

11:00 am – Sunday School in the parish hall

11:00 AM Holy Mass for all Parishioners



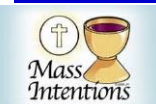
MASS INTENTIONS - In order to request the Holy Mass Intention such as For the Sick, In Remembrance of the Faithful Departed, To Beseech God's Grace, Birthdays and Anniversaries, please contact Fr. Joseph 201-247-4832; holycrosspncc1@gmail.com

DAILY MASSES are held as announced in the bulletin. Examples of the Mass intentions are: For the Sick, In Remembrance of the Faithful Departed, To Beseech God's Grace, Birthdays and Anniversaries. Please contact Father Joe.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM: Arrangements at least two weeks prior to the ceremony.

SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY: Arrangements should be made at least six months in advance. Contact the Pastor before setting a date or making final plans.

EMERGENCIES, SICKNESS should be reported to the rectory office immediately. 201-247-4832



Our Mission The parish of Holy Cross, PNCC is a Catholic community with doors open to all and bringing them into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and thus giving comfort and purpose to a struggling world. *“Go into all the world and preach the gospel to all creation”.* (see Mark 16:15) We believe that we are a Church where the timeless message of Christ is communicated in a contemporary style. *“For the Son of Man came to seek and to save the lost.”* (Luke 19:10) In the past **95 years of service** we feel that we became a strong and faithful community with unselfish service to God and all our brothers and sisters, giving unending praise and thanksgiving for the blessings and gifts bestowed upon us.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION - Registration is open



Please contact parish office (201-247-4832 / 973-256-4888) to register your child who will be this September in the second grade or older. Thank you. Registration is also available online at holycrosssite.org. Confirmation Classes – The date of Confirmation is October 17, 2021 at 11 am. We accept registration for 21/22 class. Please contact the parish office or contact Fr. Joseph after Sunday Mass. The classes are held after the 11 am Mass. Students who are in the 7th grade and older and adults are eligible to take confirmation lessons. 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** vestibule of the church, use special envelopes and make your check out to Adoration Society. Thank you for your donations. **Week of October 17, 2021 – Adele and John Sincavage**
For more information, please call Penni Lazor, Adoration Society President, at 973-768-7917 or contact parish office – 201-247-4832

FOOD DRIVE – A food drive to benefit the Father English Food Pantry is open on weekly basis. Last week food items were picked up by Fr. English Food Pantry, Paterson. You can bring imperishable food items as “gifts for the poor” to the parish hall. We all need to remember the words of our Lord: *“Whatever you do to the least of my brothers, you have done it to me.”* (Mat. 25:40).

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COME to Holy Cross Church



HOLY CROSS PARISH DAILY PRAYER CHAIN

Dear friends, please join our parish in **DAILY PRAYER CHAIN**. God is listening to our prayers when we address our needs. We pray for flood victim caused by Hurricane Ida, especially for families of people who are still missing. For our nation, for peace and unity. May those who were elected to lead our country serve justly and conscientiously implement policies that are respecting God's commandments. **IN OUR PRAYERS WE ASK FOR THE RESPECT OF THE SANCTITY OF EACH LIFE AND DIGNITY OF EVERY INDIVIDUAL SINCE THE MOMENT OF CONCEPTION TO LAST MOMENT OF LIFE REGARDLESS OF RACE, NATIONALITY, POLITICAL PARTY, GENDER, ETHNICITY, STATUS OR CREED. MAY WE LIVE HARMONIOUSLY WITH EACH OTHER, RESPECTING DIFFERENCES, CHERISHING DIVERSITY, WITHOUT FEAR OF THE OTHER, HONORING THE IMAGE OF GOD IN EVERY HUMAN PERSON.**

We pray for all those who are affected by outbreak of coronavirus disease. We pray for those who lost their loved ones and as well for those who lost their jobs and struggle financially. We pray for the sick for their recovery and for the medical staff for endurance, wisdom and guidance in their service. We pray for the end of this global pandemic. We pray for peaceful resolutions in conflicts within our country and in the world especially in Afghanistan. We remember persecuted Christians and for freedom of worship. We pray for those who are addicted to drugs and alcohol, for their recovery and protection from illness. We pray for the victims of any sexual abuse and harassment. Our Polish National Catholic Church has a zero tolerance in that respect. Please pray for each other asking for God's blessing especially for our parishioners who are sick, home-bound and are in need of any kind of healing and support. We pray for the growth of our parish, for an increase of our dedication in the service for the Church established by our Lord, Jesus Christ. May the Holy Cross Church continue to grow in faith and in number as a place of prayer where people can worship God and accept Jesus as their Lord and Savior.



Dear Friends, the Holy Cross Church is now able to accept donations through Venmo. By using Venmo, parishioners, donors, and benefactors can utilize electronic giving that comes with no extra cost to the donor or to Holy Cross. For anyone looking to donate electronically, Holy Cross' Venmo account is @holycrosspncc Electronic donations make it easy to donate whether they are near or far – again, with no added cost associated with the transaction. For your convenience here is the link you can scan to access or find Holy Cross' Venmo account.



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

50/50 winners

On Saturday, October 25 the 50/50 LUCKY NUMBERS WERE:

1st prize ticket number #1369 (\$755) – Zaida B.

2nd prize, ticket number #509 (\$453) – Pat O.

3rd prize, ticket number #136 (\$302) – Laura P.

Congratulations. We thank all who participated in the raffle.



HEALING MASS – The Masses for the Sick and Homebound are celebrated on the last Thursday of the month at 7:30pm. WE HOPE FOR MORE PARTICIPANTS TO PRESENT THEIR PRAYERS FOR THEMSELVES AND FOR OTHERS.

BLESSING OF HOMES Please contact Fr. Joseph if you wish to have blessed your home or apartment. 201-247-4832 or holycrosspncc1@gmail.com

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 201-247-4832 if your son /daughter are interested in becoming altar servers. We thank Deacon Bill for lessons preparing new altar servers.

THANK YOU

- Parish committee members for attending monthly meeting on Tuesday Sept. 20, 2021.
- Parishioners who support financially by giving donations in the church, by sending donations in the mail or electronically using Venmo or PayPal. May the Lord reward your generosity.
- Fran Cuccinello for her weekly help in the parish office
- Tricky Tray subcommittee for making preparation for our Tricky Tray, especially Penni Lazor, Fran Cuccinello, Beverly Obsuth.
- Richard, Lucy Daum and Merry Sleece for selling shopping certificates in the parish hall. Please join this important fundraiser.
- Lynn Imperiale for updating our parish Facebook www.holycrosswoodlandpark.com
- We thank anyone for sharing time, talent and treasure for the good of Holy Cross Church.



NEW PARISHIONERS – If you are new to our parish, please submit your name and phone number to Father Joseph. Father will contact you regarding parish membership and answer the questions you may have.

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.

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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.

Holy Cross Chocolate Fundraiser – 2021



We are selling World's Finest Chocolate candy bars and hope you will help. This time we ordered only 16 boxes. There are 60 bars of chocolates in one box with six flavors: Dark Chocolate, Milk Chocolate, W.F. Crisp, Almond, Carmel, and Wafer. Bring a box to work, sell to family and friends or just keep a box for your own snacking. Each chocolate is \$1. Box of 60 bars cost \$60. Find chocolates in the parish hall. Such an easy way to help your parish

raise fund. TODATE SALE - \$270 + \$165 = \$435

NEW REGISTRATIONS - Our parish is leasing the Sunday school building to the tenant, **GOLDEN STEPS LEARNING CENTER, from Monday to Friday** offering PRE SCHOOL DAY CARE AND AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAMS. Please see flyer for more information or contact Mrs. Gail at 973-812-8030. Discount rates are available for the members of Holy Cross Church.



ENVELOPES FOR ALL SOULS DAY REMEMBRANCES will be available soon. You will be asked to write the names of your loved departed ones and Fr. Joseph will schedule the Mass at the later date. You can suggest the date you wish to have the Mass celebrated.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 2021 – SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS is the Holy Day of obligation. This is a special day in remembrance of all our holy saints. There will be special Mass celebrated at 7:30 pm. With the reading of all Souls Day Remembrances.



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ALL SOULS
CEMETERY
SERVICE – will
take place on
Sunday, October
31, 2021 at the
PNCC section of
East Ridgelawn
Cemetery, 255
main Ave. Clifton.
Please join the
service to
remember our
departed loved
ones in our
prayers. THE

“My Time with Mary – a Spa For The Soul”
Candlelight Service
Nov. 4, 2021 at 7 pm
Holy Cross Parish PNCC – 220 Browertown Rd,
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Sacred Music

SERVICE BEGINS AT 2 PM.



We thank all those who did preparations and attended
Holy Cross – UNICO Pasta Dinner with Live Music on
Saturday, Oct. 16, 2021.



Everyone Is Welcome.
Come along and bring a friend.
Please Come In - Rest In The Heart Of Jesus
And Receive His Blessing & Peace