

September 13, 2015

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASSSES for the WEEK

"It is a holy and wholesome thing to pray for the living and the dead." (II Mac. 12:46)

Sunday, September 13, 2015

7:00 AM Madellena Sesta  
Req. Husband, Larry

8:30 AM Deacon Raymond Shea  
Req. Ann Corsaro & Beatrice Cangelosi

10:00 AM Mario Paolini  
Req. Wife, Margaret

11:30 AM Ida & Louis Pelaia  
Req. Children

1:00 PM Rosemary & Ralph Fedele  
Req. Bob Kittredge

Monday, September 14, 2015

7:00 AM Ed Hayes (30th Anniversary)  
Req. Daughter, Maureen

8:30 AM Henry Bellmund  
Req. Daughter, Josephine

9:30 AM Multiple Intention Mass

Tuesday, September 15, 2015

7:00 AM Joseph Maguire  
Req. Mary Huthwaite

8:30 AM Dec'd. Mbrs. Haglund Family  
Req. Jane & George Renz

Wednesday, September 16, 2015

7:00 AM Communion Service with:  
Deacon Al Pacitti

8:30 AM Tobi Matthew Alison  
Req. Nonatus & Elena Alison  
(and) Raymond Belgioso (8th Anniversary)  
Req. Wife, Eileen

Thursday, September 17, 2015

7:00 AM James Fitzgerald  
Req. Wife, Peggy

8:30 AM Charles D. Crowell (7th Anniversary)  
Req. Daughter, Anita

Friday, September 18, 2015

7:00 AM Beverly Zimmerman (6th Anniversary)  
Req. Barbara, Sister

8:30 AM Brendan Vesey (Wedding Anniversary)  
Req. Wife, Bridie and Family

Saturday, September 19, 2015

7:00 AM Jennie Tarascio  
Req. Vincent, Joseph & Cynthia Tarascio

8:30 AM Iggy Rafanelli  
Req. Sam & Judy DePalma

4:00 PM Catherine & Nelson Goodheart  
Req. Ruth & Thomas Goodheart

5:30 PM Mary Camassa  
Req. James & Santina Villari

Sunday, September 20, 2015

7:00 AM Helen & Frank DiTommaso  
Req. Children

8:30 AM Salvatore & Lucy Garofalo  
Req. Joseph & Catherine Garofalo

10:00 AM Frank Griffin  
Req. Wife, Bertha and Family

11:30 AM Merritt Crayton  
Req. Wife, Gloria

1:00 PM Joseph Janonis  
Req. Wife, Mary

**Multiple Mass Intention  
Monday at 9:30 AM  
September 14, 2015**

In Memory of: Rev. Francis E. Santitoro  
The Santitoro Family (*Living & Deceased*)  
Rev. Frank Porazzo, & Porazzo Family  
Kathleen & Anthony Jackomin  
Joseph P. Flaherty  
Steven Kilianski (Speedy Recovery),  
*Req. Grandmother*  
Michael Miele (4th Anniversary),  
*Req. Mom & Dad*  
Carol Giesler, *Req. Husband,*  
Bernard  
Eugene Wefer, *Req. Wife, Lucille*  
Esther & Gustav Wefer,  
*Req. Lucille Wefer*  
Fred Kustowski, *Req. Wife, Mary*  
Vito & Rose Melillo, *Req. Ann*  
Bederka  
Harry Kent, *Req. Wife, Catherine*  
Lucille Rhode (Living),  
*Req. Daughters*  
Frank Irilli, *Req. Rosalie Fuentes*  
Joseph & Wanda Czyz (66th Wed. Anniv.)  
*Req. Wife*  
Dr. Giuseppe Mauriello, *Req. Jerry & Nell*  
Taddeo  
Eunice Ryan, *Req. Catherine & John*  
Wolek  
Philip Markey, *Req. Family*  
Constance Muro, *Req. Jack & Margaret*  
Thomas

Frances Rampino, *Req. Husband,*  
Phil  
John McGarvey, *Req. Mom*  
Jeanne Kronewitter, *Req. Silver Ridge*  
Park First Aid Squad  
Emilia & Angelo Cioffi, *Req. Gerry &*  
Gelsomina Cioffi  
Emma Konicki, *Req. Helen Zapolski*  
Helen Colucci, *Req. Florence Burden*  
Carolyn Quagliero, *Req. Theresa Mizzoni*  
John E. May III (Birthday Remembrance),  
*Req. Mom & Dad*  
Devotion to St. Pio, *Req. Mr. & Mrs. P.*  
Mastroviti  
Irene Konciak, *Req. Joan Ostrowski*  
Marge Ketcham, *Req. DeeDe Munde and*  
Dan Donovan  
Rose Baginski, *Req. Pat Guerin and*  
Terry Petro  
Nancy Swift, *Req. Rev. John Testa*  
Dolores Heller, *Req. Rev. John Testa*  
Helen Dabros, *Req. Maria & John,*  
Children  
Adele Zieniewicz, *Req. John & Marge*  
Budenas  
Doris Smith (One Year Anniversary),  
*Req. John & Marge Budenas*  
Alina Kowalski (Birthday Wishes),  
*Req. Husband, Zenon*

**SPECIAL INTENTIONS – WEEK of September 12, 2015 to September 18, 2015**

*Bread & Wine – Church*  
Nicholas Kot & Dec'd. Family Mbrs.,  
*Req. Wife, Rose*

*Altar Candles – Church*  
Emma Konicki, *Req. Friend*

*Sanctuary Candles – Chapel*  
Rev. Francis E. Santitoro & Marie Santitoro  
Sister  
*Req. Andre & Ann Santitoro-Vispetti*

PARISH NEWS

ALTAR ROSARY SOCIETY

Our Rosary meetings will begin once again on Wednesday, September 16, 2015 at 1:00 PM. Coffee and cake will be served prior to the start of the meeting.

The Altar Rosary Society Communion Breakfast will be on Sunday, October 4th starting at 10:00 AM at the Clarion Restaurant. Our guest speaker will be Father Stephen Piga.

Ticket for the Communion Breakfast is \$15.00 per person.

Jean Hanna (732) 473-9755

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The Altar Rosary Society is planning a trip to:

*The Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa Doylestown, Pa. On October 7, 2015*

The cost of the trip is \$50.00 which includes a luncheon prepared by the Shrine staff and served in the Shrine Dining Cafeteria.

For Information and tickets call:  
Josephine Roeder (732) 349-9379

HOLY NAME SOCIETY

We are planning a sandwich party on October 7, 2015 at 12:30 PM. If you haven't signed up in September but would like to attend, please call: Bob Colello (732) 818-9270.

The price of the sandwich Party is \$3.00 per person. Hope to see you then!

LEGION OF MARY

Our meetings take place on Mondays from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM.

The Legion of Mary is pleased to offer a weekly visitation of the Blessed Mother's statue to homes within the Parish community.

If you are sick or homebound and would like to say the Rosary with someone, kindly call:

Jean Hanna (732) 473-9755

*"If we knew the precious treasure which is hidden in our infirmities, we would receive them with the same joy that we receive the greatest benefits and would bear them without complaining." (St. Vincent de Paul)*

PARISH NEWS

ATLANTIC CITY TRIP TO RESORTS

Date: October 5, 2015

Cost: \$23.00 Coins: \$25.00

Tickets are sold by the Parish Auditorium on Tuesdays from 9:00 A.M. to 11:00 A.M. or call: Mr. Sandy Monda (732) 349-0143

The bus leaves for Atlantic City from St. Maximilian Kolbe Church promptly at 9:15 A.M.

Note: All Cancellations are non-refundable.

ADORATION

The Adoration devotion is to join the Holy Father in praying for the unborn and for the special intentions of our families. The Adoration is held every Friday from:  
12:00 Noon to 3:00 PM

Father Max's Smile Corner

1. Which major American city is named for St. Francis of Assisi?
2. What organization did Sister Mary Ignatia Gavin co-establish at St. Thomas hospital in Akron, Ohio?
3. Name the very first Pope to visit the Holy Land in 1964?
4. What does a priest or deacon say at the conclusion of each Mass?
5. A pontifical college is more commonly known by what other name?

Fr. Max's Smile Corner

Try a little "math magic" on your family and friends. Without revealing to you their number tell them to:

1. Think of a number.
2. Double the number.
3. Add 10
4. Divide by two.
5. Subtract the original number.

The answer will always come out to Five. No matter what number they start with.

Have fun... they will think you are a math genius.

**BINGO...BINGO... BINGO**

Bingo is held on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons in the Parish Hall auditorium. Doors open at 10:00A.M. and the games begin at 12:00 Noon.

Food is also available for purchase.

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**ARTS & CRAFTS**

The group is continuing to meet on Mondays, from 9:30 AM to 11:00 AM.

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The Arts & Crafts group are planning their Craft Show on the weekend of October 24th and October 25th. Stop by and see all the homemade items.

**WEEKLY DEVOTIONS**

The weekly devotions of Bread and Wine; Altar Candles, Sanctuary Candles and Flowers are available for 2015 for the Church and Chapel.

Stop by the Parish Office during our business hours to request your special week.

**SUNDAY COLLECTION**

The second collection this weekend is for the Non-Diocesan Catholic University.

**CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA**

Established in 1887 as a graduate and research center, The Catholic University is a pontifical university located in Washington, D.C.

With the approval of Pope Leo XIII, the Catholic University was founded to provide a center of learning for clergy and laity alike. It began offering undergraduate degrees in 1904.

Today over 5,000 students attend this college choosing from a variety of undergraduate and graduate programs.

The Catholic University's motto is "*Deus Lux Mea Est:*" God is My Light.

(Liturgical Publications)

*"It is faith in something, and enthusiasm for some thing, that makes a life worth looking at."  
(Oliver Wendell Holmes)*

**Bishop Anniversary/Blessing**

The Bishop's Anniversary Blessing for 2015 will be held for Ocean and Monmouth counties on October 25, 2015.

St. Robert Bellarmine Parish  
Freehold, NJ.

All couples celebrating their First, 25th or 50th wedding anniversary during the 2015 calendar year are invited to gather with family and friends to share the Eucharist.

Renew your sacred wedding vows, and receive Bishop O'Connell's Episcopal Blessing. Call or come to the Parish Office to register for this event.

The deadline is October 5, 2015.

**OGLEBAY & WHEELING CHRISTMAS SPECTACULAR**

November 16 to November 19, 2015

- Featuring Oglebay's Wilson Lodge and the enchanting Festival of Lights. Plus Casino
  - Senior Tours escort on board bus hosting complimentary cocktails, soft drinks and snacks.
  - Fun, and games with Yuletide good cheer.
  - Incomparable "Festival of Lights" one of the largest Christmas illumination displays.
  - Christmas Mansion Tour, Glass Museum and Holiday dinner.
  - Lodging for three nights at Cambria Suites with indoor pool, hot and cold breakfast daily.
  - \$100. 00 deposit to hold seat. Refundable up until final payment October 15th.
  - \$699.00 Double Per Person  
\$799.00 Single Per Person  
\$646.00 Triple Per Person
- + Contact: Barbara Kwiatek (848) 227- 3963

**HAPPY GRANDPARENTS DAY**

President Jimmy Carter proclaimed a National Grandparents Day in 1978. It is celebrated every year on the first Sunday after Labor Day.

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"Nobody can do for children what grandparents do. Grandparents sort of sprinkle stardust over the lives of children."

LIVES OF THE SAINTS

May the wisdom of the saints inspire us in our daily lives.

- September 13 St. John Chrysostom, Bishop
- September 14 Triumph of the Cross
- September 15 Our Lady of Sorrows
- September 16 St. Cornelius, Pope & St. Cyprian
- September 17 St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop
- September 18 St. Joseph of Cupertino, Priest
- September 19 St. Januarius (Gennaro), Bishop

Triumph of the Cross

The Feast of the Cross centers around the faith and work of St. Helena, the mother of Constantine. She had gone to the Holy Land to find the sites of the events that were important to believers, including the places where Jesus was crucified and buried.

Here, Helena built the Basilica of the Holy Sepulcher which was dedicated in 355. Shortly afterwards Helena found the True Cross which was kept at the Basilica and the two occasions were celebrated together.

Liturgical Publications

TO BE HAPPY.....

1. *Trust in God.*
2. Take a cheerful view of everything.
3. *Trust in God.*
4. Never reply in a sharp angry word. It is the second word that makes a quarrel.
5. *Trust in God.*
6. Make the best of what you have and do not make yourself miserable by wishing for what you have not.
7. *Trust in God.*

(Franciscan Mission Associates)

HOSPITAL & NURSING HOME VISITS

If you or your loved one is being admitted to a local hospital or nursing facility, please notify the Parish Office if you would like a priest or Eucharistic Minister to visit.

Due to patient confidentiality, medical facilities are not required to inform any church of their patients admittance.

Parish Office: (732) 914-0300

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS BREAKFAST

The Knights of Columbus, Council 10899 is hosting a Breakfast at St. Maximilian Kolbe Church in the Parish Hall on:

Sunday, September 20, 2015

Ticks will be sold on the weekends before and after Masses. The tickets are \$8.00 per adult and \$5.00 per child. Children under five eat free.

Menu: Scrambled eggs, sausage, bacon, delicious home fries, pancakes, bread, desserts, hot and cold beverages.

Tickets will not be available on the day of the Breakfast.

LIFE IS A GIFT

When depressing thoughts seem to get you down, put a smile on your face and thank God that you are alive and still around.

Before you think of pointing the finger or condemning another, remember that not one of us is without sin and we all answer to one MAKER.

Be who you are... because those who mind don't matter and those who matter don't mind.

Anonymous

COME TO OUR YOGA CLASS

Father Steve's sister, Susan will once again do a beginners yoga class here on:

Friday, September 25, 2015 at 1:00 PM

Susan is a certified yoga therapist, over fifteen years teaching experience. She is currently teaching yoga at Windward Wellness in Kaneohe, Hawaii.

It would be just a one hour class exploring benefits of chair yoga postures. Participants will learn three ritual gestures.

+One to protect against heart attack.

+ Second to enhance memory.

+ Third to help against joint pain.

The final meditation will include readings from Scripture.

All are welcome and the class is free, but donations are gladly accepted.

Forty Days for Life Program

Next weekend, at all the Masses we will have a guest speaker connected to the Knights of Columbus on the Forty Days for Life Program.

## The Life of Jesus

*Matthew 7: 28; 8: 5-13; Luke 7: 1-10*

### THE CENTURION'S SERVANT

Jesus returned to Capernaum and a group of Jewish leaders of the city came and sought Him out. The disciples were probably alarmed when they saw this delegation approaching, anticipating a repercussion from Jesus' encounters with the Pharisees, but the mission of the elders was quite benign. They had come in behalf of a certain centurion, a captain in the garrison of Herod, who besought Jesus to cure one of his favorite servants who was at the point of death.

Though a pagan, the centurion was favorably disposed toward the Jews, and the elders earnestly pleaded with Jesus to help him. He said, "He is worthy that Thou should do this for him, for he loves our nation and he himself has built us our synagogue.

Without any discussion, Jesus gently agreed and said:

*"I will come and cure him."*

Jesus went off with them in the direction of the house of the centurion. But as they drew near the place they were met by the centurion's servants, who brought a somewhat curious message from the captain himself.

"Lord, do not trouble Thyself, for I am not worthy that Thou should come under my roof. This is why I did not think myself worthy to come to Thee. Just say the word, and my servant shall be healed. For I too am a man subject to authority, and have soldiers subject to me.

I say to one, 'Go' and he goes. To another, 'Come,' and he comes. To my servant, 'Do this' and he does it."

Apparently this man had heard of the miraculous cure Jesus had wrought a month before when He had healed the child of an official at Capernaum.

Touched by the centurion's humble faith, Jesus said to his followers:

*"Amen. I say to thee, not even in Israel have I found so great a faith."*

When the messengers returned, they found the servant recovered and in good health.

### SUMMARY:

The centurion sought a cure for his servant, not for himself. He was truly a religious man, having contributed to the building of the Jewish synagogue.

Humble and modest, he did not approach Jesus himself, but asked the elders of the town to speak to Him.

His prayer was answered promptly by Christ.

The Life of Christ  
Catholic Press

### Jewish Synagogues

The synagogues were used among the Jewish people as schools, libraries and halls of judgment. The central place of worship was the temple, the one national sanctuary and the only place of sacrifice.

Every considerable Jewish community, whether in or out of Palestine, had at least one synagogue sometimes built by devout Gentiles. The building, commonly rectangular was erected on the plan of the Temple. There was a gallery reserved for women, another for men and the worshippers faced towards Jerusalem.

The ruler of the synagogue was the chief elder and resided at the services. The elders assisted at all the services and they formed Sanhedrin which had the power to hear cases.

(St. Anthony Guild)

## LIVES OF THE SAINTS

Occasionally in this space will appear a short article covering the lives of the saints, especially with reference to those saints whose likeness appear on the stained glass windows in the church and chapel, or whose statue is present in the chapel area or the candle room area.

### ST. ROBERT BELLARMINE

*Patron of Catechists, Canonists, & Catechumens*

Robert was born into an aristocratic Italian family around the beginning of the Protestant Reformation. A brilliant scholar, Robert became a Jesuit priest and taught at the University of Louvain.

While serving as a spiritual director, Robert preached each Sunday, learned Hebrew and continued to study theology. Later Robert returned to Italy to teach at the Jesuit Roman College. It was there that he wrote "Disputations" an immense work encompassing all Catholic dogma. For centuries, Robert's "Disputations" was the definitive defense of Catholic theology.

Robert was appointed theologian to Pope Clement VIII. Two years later, he was made a Cardinal. He played a leading role in revising the translation of the Bible and wrote an important catechism.

Although Robert lived in the Vatican, he did so simply, keeping the poor in mind. Once he gave his wall hangings to the poor for clothing, saying the walls would not catch cold. Robert wrote, "The school of Christ is the school of charity." He died at the age of seventy-nine and was canonized in the year 1930.

Note:

During the Reformation, as the teachings of the Catholic church were being disputed, Robert dedicated himself to explaining clearly the Church's true ideology.

Two 20th century Catholic writers have emulated Robert's efforts.

*Karl Rahne (1904-1984) a German Jesuit was likely the most influential theologian of his time.*

*Avery Dulles and American Jesuit wrote Modals of the Church. In the year 2001, Dulles was named a Cardinal by Pope John Paul II.*

### ST. JOHN CHRYSOSTOM

*Bishop of Constantinople*

*Patron of Orators and Preachers*

John received an excellent education, studying philosophy, oratory and law as well as the Bible. He was baptized when he was 18 years old and left home to live with a group of hermits. This austere religious life damaged his health so he returned to home to Antioch and was ordained a priest.

John served as a special assistant to the city's bishop and became famous for his preaching. His reassuring words eased the crisis and helped earn him the title "chrysostom" which is Greek for "golden tongue." His writings focused on the literal meaning of the Gospels and how they relate to everyday life.

Emperor Arcadius selected John to be Bishop of Constantinople. After years of corruption, John immediately reduced Church spending, using the saved money to fund hospitals; ordered stricter discipline for priests; and criticized the extravagance of the wealthy.

John's actions upset both Church leaders and the Empress Eudonia. His enemies orchestrated an illegal synod that condemned him on false charges which sent John into exile.

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### ST. JANUARIUS (Gennaro)

*Patron of Naples*

Januarius was appointed Bishop during the Diocletian persecution of Christians. He had visited two deacons and two laymen who were imprisoned. Judge Timothy ordered Janarius to denounce his faith threatening him with torture. Januarius did not concur.

Januarius and others were executed. His relics were placed in a basilica in Naples. Miracles were reported for his blood which had been dried in a vial, continues to liquefy frequently.

Our Faith

BEREAVEMENT MINISTRY  
SUPPORT GROUP

The Bereavement Ministry of St. Maximilian Kolbe Church cordially invites you to a Support Group for those who have lost a loved one through death.

It is a six week program to share your story, learn about the grieving process, coping skills and to be comforted.

Our goals are understanding your loss, respect, growth, acceptance and spiritual consolation in a confidential setting.

If you would like support on your "grief journey" and would like to attend, please call the number below to register.

Registration is necessary and is only during the month of September.

Please bring a "Framed" photo of your loved one with you to each session.

Refreshments will be served.

Dates: Fridays  
October 9, 2015 to November 13, 2015

Time: 1:00 PM

Place: St. Maximilian Kolbe Parish Hall

To Register: Call Madeline Gardner, RN  
(732) 608-6840

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Kindly leave your name and phone number if Madeline is not available, and she will get back to you.

PRAYER PROGRAM FOR THE ROSARY  
RALLY

OUR LADY OF FATIMA

America need Fatima "Rosary Rally." We are saying the Rosary at:

12:00 Noon in the Chapel at St. Maximilian Kolbe Church on Saturday, October 10, 2015.

This will take place two days before the 98th Anniversary of the Miracle of the Sun at Fatima.

Join us in prayer.

Prayer by St. Maximilian Kolbe

Mary queen of heaven and earth, refuge of sinners and our most loving Mother, God has willed to entrust the entire mercy to you.

I (name \_\_\_\_\_ a repentant sinner, cast myself at your feet humbly imploring you to take me with all that I am and have.

Please make of me, of all my powers of soul and body, of my whole life, death and eternity, whichever pleases you most. Amen

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Mother of Christ, *pray for us.*

Mother of the Church, *pray for us.*

Mother of divine grace, *pray for us.*

Mother most amiable, *pray for us.*

Mother of good counsel, *pray for us.*

Mother of our creator, *pray for us.*

Mother of mercy, *pray for us.*

Mother most admirable, *pray for us.*

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*Trivia- (Answers from page 4)*

1. San Francisco
2. Alcoholics Anonymous
3. Pope Paul VI
4. Mass is ended, go in peace.
5. Seminary

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Happy Grandparents Day!