Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Kelly Vardakas...............962-5586
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Sr. Sheila Kelly, RGS.........962-5050
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Nan Gollogly..................962-5050
Music Ministry
Kathey Lewis, Director ....962-5050
Barbara Castrataro, Organist
Parish Secretary
Ann-Marie Treanor .........962-5050
Youth Group
Chris & Megan Genn ........962-5050
CREDO-Young Adult Group
Fr. Jeffrey Pomeisl.........962-5050

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Monday - Friday immediately after the 6:55 & 9:00AM Mass.
Saturdays immediately after 9:00AM Mass, and 4:00 to 5:00PM.

BAPTISM PREPARATION
Parents should come to the Rectory to pick up a Baptism Preparation Package to begin the process for Baptism.

MATRIMONY
Since Catholic marriage requires a time of preparation, arrangements should begin at least six months before the proposed date of the wedding. Parishioners who are registered can make arrangements of date and time only after speaking with the Pastor.

ANOINTING OF THE SICK
Please contact the Rectory.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS
We welcome adults considering membership in the Catholic Church and those Catholics desiring to complete their initiation to inquire into the RCIA process.

SUNDAY MASS SCHEDULE †
Main Church
Saturday 5:15 pm
Sunday 7:45, 9:15, 11:00 am, 12:30 & 5:00 pm
Stone Church
Sunday 9:00 & 10:30 am

DAILY MASS SCHEDULE †
Monday - Friday 6:55 & 9:00 am
Lent & Easter 12:00 Noon
Saturday 9:00 am
MASS INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

Mon. June 13 St. Anthony of Padua, Priest & Doctor of the Church
6:55am Anthony Mammatto
9:00am Deceased Members of the Milone Family

Tues. June 14
6:55am Roger Belliveau
9:00am Dorothy Lee Walsh

Wed. June 15
6:55am Assunta Francese
9:00am Aurelio D'Avanzo

Thurs. June 16
6:55am Joseph Pisani
9:00am Leo & Susan Cote

Fri. June 17
6:55am Dennis Rainaldi
9:00am Joseph Grochowski

Sat. June 18
9:00am Luigi & Concetta DellaRipa
5:15pm For the People of St. Patrick's

Sun. June 19 - Father's Day
7:45am Living & Deceased Fathers of St. Patrick's
9:00am Living & Deceased Fathers of St. Patrick's
9:15am Living & Deceased Fathers of St. Patrick's
10:30am Living & Deceased Fathers of St. Patrick's
11:00am Living & Deceased Fathers of St. Patrick's
12:30pm Living & Deceased Fathers of St. Patrick's
5:00pm Living & Deceased Fathers of St. Patrick's

Collection June 12, 2016
Weekly Collection Last Year $21,172.00
Weekly Collection This Year $22,577.00
Weekly Children’s Collection Last Year $137.00
Weekly Children’s Collection This Year $142.00
May Parish Pay Last Year $24,184.98
May Parish Pay This Year $28,708.42

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Sunday: 2 Sm 12:7-10, 13; Gal 2:16, 19-21; Lk 7:36—8:3 or 7:36-50
Monday: 1 Kgs 21:1-16; Mt 5:38-42
Tuesday: 1 Kgs 21:17-29; Mt 5:43-48
Wednesday: 2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Mt 6:1-6, 16-18
Thursday: Sir 48:1-14; Mt 6:7-15
Friday: 2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Mt 6:19-23
Saturday: 2 Chr 24:17-25; Mt 6:24-34
Sunday: Zec 12:10-11, 13:1; Gal 3:26-29; Lk 9:18-24

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St. Patrick's Boy Scout Troop #173 will be holding its annual summer car wash on Sunday, June 12th from 9 to 2 pm at the Yorktown Gulf Station (former Shell) at the corner of Rt. 118 and Commerce Street.
**Parish Pilgrimage to the Holy Door**

St. Patrick’s Cathedral & Harbor Lights Circle Line Cruise Sunday, June 26, 2016

We have ordered one bus and it is pleasantly full. All other interested parishioners will be put on a waiting list. If there is enough interest we may order a second bus. RSVP deadline: Monday, June 13.

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**Holy Hour in Honor of the Year of Mercy**

Friday, June 17 - 7:30 - 8:30PM, Main Church

Includes: evening prayer, reading, talk, quiet reflection and Benediction

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**Mass of Thanksgiving and Plenary Indulgence**

Newly-ordained Fr. Joseph Rampino, grandson of one of our long-time parishioners, was recently ordained in Rome. His grandmother was unable to attend his ordination. As a result, Fr. Rampino has graciously offered to celebrate his “First Mass of Thanksgiving” at St. Patrick’s Church. This Mass will be held on Tuesday, June 14 at 9:00am in the Main Church. There is a plenary indulgence attached to attending a priest’s first “Mass of Thanksgiving” as long as the customary conditions are met. Their will be a small tea and coffee reception to follow. All are encouraged and invited to attend.

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**Our Next Midnight Run** will be held on Saturday, June 18th. If you would like to help make sandwiches, please join us in the Parish Center Hall from 12:00 Noon to 2:00pm.

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**The Sunday Mass schedule will change for July & August.** There will be only one Mass in the Stone Church - at 9:45am; and the 12:30pm Mass in the Main Church will be eliminated. This is **ONLY** for July and August. We will return to the regular Mass schedule in September.

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**St. Joseph’s Corner:** Do you wish your family members were closer to God? There are ways that you can help the people in your life have more peace and happiness. First, you can pray for them. God listens to our prayers. Second, the way you live your life can be a powerful witness to the ways that God works miracles each day. We may not realize it, but people pay attention to how those of us who call ourselves Christian live each day. They look at how we live our lives to decide if Jesus matters. Let us all ask Our Blessed Mother for the graces necessary to love our friends and family with the arms of Jesus so that we lead them to Our Lord.

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**In This Year of Mercy:** Our Act of Mercy for the month of June is “Visit the Imprisoned”. One of the best ways to help those who are in prison is to bring them God's merciful love. This month we are collecting religious items to donate to a priest who works in a prison ministry. Catholic bibles are always in need. Please consider buying at least one Catholic bible and placing it in the donation basket at the back of the Main Church. If we all work together, we can help many of our imprisoned brothers and sisters by bringing them the Word of God.
Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time  *  June 5, 2016

**Banns**

I  Matthew Burke & Sarah McCannon
   Joseph Fitzpatrick & Carrissa Benitez
II  Paul Mancuso & Brittany Kugler
   Joseph LaBella & Jessica Lolis

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**UNANNOUNCED MASS INTENTIONS:**

Deceased: Dawn Bernitt Perito, Vivian DeBrino,
Beatrice Cerrato(2), Thomas O’Dell, Joann Rella,
John Sabatino(2)

Special Intention: The Bernitt Family, Msgr. Thomas Leonard - 60th Anniversary of Ordination,
Br. Sean Sammon - Golden Jubilee

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**Tag Sale:**
St. Elizabeth Ann Seton Church, Shrub Oak, NY
Nugent Auditorium/Gym

Saturday, June 25, 10:00am to 7:00pm
Sunday, June 26, 8:00am to 4:00pm
Saturday, July 2, 10:00am to 7:00pm
Sunday, July 3, 8am to 4pm.


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**2016-2017 Parish Calendar:**
All Parish Service Ministries and Organizations are asked to submit their calendar and facilities requests for the 2016-2017 year to the Rectory. Do not assume you have the same location/time as last year. Please also be advised that we cannot schedule activities that will coincide with or overlap our weekend Masses. As everyone is aware, our parking facilities are already stretched to their limit. All requests MUST include the contact person’s name & phone number(s).

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**Couples Celebrating their 25th or 50th Wedding Anniversary** anytime during 2016 are invited to attend a Parish Mass in their honor on **Saturday, July 9**th at 5:15pm with a Reception in the Parish Center to follow. To reserve a space, please contact the Rectory no later than June 27th. Please RSVP either by email or phone: stpatsoyorktown@optonline.net, (914) 962-5050.

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The Altar Bread & Wine used in the **Main Church** this week were donated by Peggy & Jack O’Reilly in loving memory of:

**Dorothy Prichard**

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the **Main Church** this week was donated by Nikki Grochowski & Family in loving memory of:

**Joseph Grochowski**

The Sanctuary Lamp burning in the **Main Church Chapel** this week was donated by Jim & Barbara Turro in loving memory of:

**Dawn Bernitt Perito**

We Will Miss You!!!

Fr. Bisignano has been assigned Pastor of St. Patrick’s Parish in Bedford, NY as of July 1st. We have been blessed to have had Fr. Bisignano as our leader for these past 11 years. We ask the parishioners of St. Patrick’s to pray for him for God’s continued blessings on his ministry. Fr. Bisignano’s formal “Farewell” Mass will be celebrated in the **Main Church on Saturday, June 18**th at 5:15pm. A Reception in the Parish Center Hall will follow. All are invited and encouraged to attend to say “good luck, goodbye, and God bless you”.

Parish Picnic

**Date:** **Sunday, July 17, 2016**
**Time:** 12:00 Noon to dusk
**Where:** Downing Park
**Cost:** $10 per person, $20 family of 3 or more

The band, **Retrospekt** has once again agreed to play for free! Outside of Mass sales begin the weekend of June 11/12. You may also sign up and pay in at the Rectory, Monday through Friday from 9:00am to 5:00pm. We are in need of volunteers for set up the day of the picnic. Please, email Bob Sourenian at sourenianr@aol.com if you can help.

St. Patrick’s BONANZA Drawing

20 Days of Summer Fun !! Tickets $50.00 Each

20 Chances to win !!

$100 Awarded Each Day June 15th to June 23rd
$500 Awarded on June 24th

$100 Awarded Each Day June 25th to July 3rd
$500 Awarded on July 4th
TRANSITIONS

It is going to be an interesting summer. With the announcement of Fr. Bisignano’s and Fr. Pomeisl’s new assignments, and the coming of Msgr Giandurco, our parish will be undergoing a great deal of transition in the next few weeks. In addition, Fr. Raphael will be returning from Jamaica to help us for the summer.

Transitions are sometimes difficult. We get used to things as they are and we often do not want them to change. In a parish, we get used to the way one priest preaches and acts, and then, all of a sudden, we are forced to change directions and get used to someone new. It can make us nervous and, sometimes, upset.

To be honest, I am a little nervous myself. I have gotten used to the priests that I live with, and now have to look forward to someone new who I don’t know as well as those who are leaving. Things like that can cause us a little anxiety.

It got me thinking, however, that sometimes our spiritual life is like that. Sometimes it needs a transition, so that we can become holier, closer to God than we are now. God sometimes “shakes us up” in our spiritual lives. He allows us to undergo a trial or a change that can be unsettling. Not that God causes these things directly, but He does allow us to be challenged in order to increase our trust in Him. And when we do, look out. We find that the new place we wind up in is not only different from where we were, but much better. Our challenges become blessings, and we realize when we get past them that, if we have let God have His way, we are indeed holier, closer to Him than we have ever been before. The journey can be rough, there is no doubt. Illness, hurt, brokenness, disappointment, are all part of what life throws at us. But if we turn our will and our lives over to the care of God, He will never disappoint us. His grace will be enough to get us through any hard times that we experience, and when we come out the other side, we will realize that God disguises blessings in those hardships we endure.

The change of seasons is a transition too. As I do at the beginning of every summer, I want to encourage everyone to include Sunday Mass in your vacation planning. Masstimes.org is a wonderful help to finding Catholic churches throughout the country so that you don’t miss Sunday Mass. While a vacation is a wonderful opportunity to get away and rest, we don’t take a vacation from being a Christian, nor from following the commandment to “Keep holy the Sabbath day.” And remember to take a summer trip to confession as well. Our spirits need rest and renewal as much as our body does, and Mass and Confession will help us over the summer to keep in touch with our faith and to grow closer to God.

A note of congratulations to all those who graduate grammar school, high school and college this Spring. This is another type of transition, and can be both exciting and nerve racking. Just remember that, no matter where life brings you, you always have a home in the Church, and particularly at St. Patrick’s.

Lastly, I want to invite everyone to celebrate Fr. Bisignano’s transition by coming to his farewell Mass, which will take place on Saturday, June 18th at 5:15. Father has dedicated the last 11 years of his priesthood to the people of Saint Patrick’s and it is fitting that we honor him before he goes. A light reception will follow to wish him well.

Fr. Pomeisl will also have a farewell Mass and reception. This will be sometime in September. Remember my first parish as a priest. Leaving can be very difficult. We have helped to shape Fr. Pomeisl, and he certainly has done a great deal to enrich our faith community. Details for this celebration will be made known when we have them.

Hoping you all enjoyed the beautiful weather this week. God bless you.
THE CHAPLET OF THE DIVINE MERCY

For private recitation on ordinary rosary beads:

Our Father ..., Hail Mary ..., The Apostles’ Creed.

Then, on the OUR FATHER BEADS you will say the following words:

Eternal Father, I offer You the Body and Blood, Soul and Divinity of Your dearly beloved Son, Our Lord Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and those of the whole world.

On the HAIL MARY BEADS you will say the following words:

For the sake of His sorrowful Passion have mercy on us and on the whole world.

In conclusion THREE TIMES you will recite these words:

Holy God, Holy Mighty One, Holy Eternal Father ...

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Hail Mary, Full of Grace, the Lord is with you.
Blessed are you among women and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death.

EACH TIME YOU RECITE THE DIVINE MERCY

When you recite the chaplet of Divine Mercy the following three words will follow: “For the sake of His sorrowful Passion have mercy on us and on the whole world.”

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