

St. Paul the Apostle Parish Lincoln Park

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Masses

Saturday 9:00 AM Sunday Vigil 5:00 PM
 Sunday 7:45 AM, 9:15 AM, 10:45 AM, 12:15PM
 Weekdays 9:00 AM
 Holy Days 6:45 AM, 9:00 AM, 7:00 PM

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 77 Lee Ave. Yonkers, NY 10705
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Sacrament of Baptism
 Make an appointment with a priest

Sacrament of Reconciliation
 Saturday 4:00-4:30 PM. Anytime requested.

Sacrament of Marriage
 Six months advance notice is mandatory.
 Marriage preparation course required.
 Call rectory for appointment.

Sacrament of the Sick
 Call Rectory for attention to home-bound

Parish Registration Contact the rectory

Parish Website: www.stpaulyonkers.org
 E-mail: stpaulyonkers@gmail.com

Parish Meetings

Monday	6:45 PM St. Paul's Folk Dance
Monday	7:30 PM R.C.I.A
Tuesday	1:00-4:00 Leisure Club
Tuesday	8:00 PM Charismatic Prayer
Wednesday	9:30 AM Playgroup
1 st Thursday	9:30 AM Altar Guild
1 st Thursday	7:30 PM Parish Council
Thursday	7:00 PM A.A. Beginners
Thursday	7:00 PM Al-Anon Beginners
Thursday	8:00 PM A.A. Closed Meeting
Thursday	8:00 PM Al-A Teen
Thursday	8:00 PM Al-Anon
1 st Friday	9:30-11:00 Adoration
1 st Friday	7:00 PM Holy Hour
Friday	7:30 PM Boy Scouts
Saturday	9:30 AM Religious Educ. PreK-8
Saturday	5:00 PM Youth Group
Sunday	8:00 PM A.A. Open Meeting
Sunday	10:30 AM Choir/Cafeteria

Pregnancy Hot Line Tel 800-640-0767



SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT DECEMBER 8, 2013



MASS INTENTIONS

Intention:

Saturday

5:00 Matriaco & Sicilian Families

Sunday

7:45 Frank Luiso

9:15 Patrick Shannon (2nd Anniversary)

10:45 David Scott (for healing)

12:15 Frank Beirne (Anniversary)

Monday

9:00 Frank Luisa

Tuesday

9:00 Salvatore Miceli

Wednesday

9:00 Elizabeth Albert (Bday Mem)

Thursday

9:00 Meta Noll (RIP)

Friday

9:00 Patrick Quinn

Saturday

9:00 Luigi Libutti

5:00 Adeline & Ralph Scannapieco

Sunday

7:45 Marie Santomaso

9:15 Jerry Corrigan

10:45 Mary & Michael Woods

12:15 Elizabeth Cardone

Requested by:

Dec. 7, 2013

Dec. 8, 2013

Dorothy Srieber

Family

Maeve Scott

Family

Dec. 9, 2013

Terry Izzo

Dec. 10, 2013

wife

Dec. 11, 2013

Margaret Mathern

Dec. 12, 2013

Dec. 13, 2013

Daly Family

Dec. 14, 2013

Family

Special Intention

The Sanctuary Lamp will burn this week in loving memory of all those affected by the Sandy Hook School tragedy as requested by Helen & John Fitzgerald



We joyfully announce the Marriage of Daniela DiPaola & Christopher Weigand

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Dec. 7th 5:00 S. Brady

Dec. 8th 7:45 R. Libre

10:45 J. Hayes

9:15 G. Smyth

12:15 J. Curtin

LECTORS

Dec. 7th 5:00 J. McManus

Dec. 8th 7:45 T. Meaney

10:45 B. Turner

9:15 M. Guglielmo

12:15 F. Brady

STEWARDSHIP: WEEK OF DECEMBER 1ST:

1st Collection envelope users \$ 3,630.

1st Collection non-envelope users \$ 826.

2nd Collection envelope users \$ 1,516.

2nd Collection non-envelope users \$ 454.

Other monies \$ 656.

Total \$ 7,082.

Thank you for your generosity!

Thank You to all our parishioners who have signed up for ParishPay, our electronic giving system. You can enroll either by going to www.ParishPay.com or calling 1-866-727-4741.

Advent Reconciliation Monday: December 16th, This Advent prepare your heart for the Peace of Christ. The Sacrament of Reconciliation. Confessions will be heard from 4pm to 8pm.

Sanctuary Lamps - Having a Sanctuary Lamp lit in memory of a loved one or for a special intention is a lovely way of remembering them in the presence of Our Lord in the Most Blessed Sacrament. The Sanctuary Lamp remains lit for the designated intention for the entire week. It may be reserved by coming to the rectory, the offering is \$25 for one week.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Dawn Wood, Dorothy Schreiber, Agnes McKenna, Michael Castellani, Cathy Canavan, Tim McCarthy, Pat Keane, Debbie Mascarelli, Janet Dolce, Joan O'Brien, Laura Desantis, Josephine Miceli, Mary Stanton, Mary Treglia, Dave Scott Sr., Eileen Casserly, Jennifer Delgrosso, Brian Taggart, Michael Curtin, Mary Keane, Kenric Atkins, Nola O'Donovan, Lindsey Gill, Frank Delgrosso, Marie Cardascia and Richard Moynihan.

(In future, names will remain on the sick list for four weeks unless the rectory is notified)

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Please remember in prayer all those who died this week and those who mourn them.

Our Journey in Faith -

Matthew in his Gospel quite straight forwardly tells us that our lives are a preparation for the "one to come." His direct admonition to us all is simply to "prepare!" Of course, he is talking to our hearts - the deep seated, inner promptings of our lives wherein we will or will not find the fulfillment that we seek. As St. Augustine said, "our hearts are restless until they rest in thee" for it is God who can only fulfill our restless spirits and it is God's Son who is promised us as we prepare to receive Him during this advent season.

In reading the scriptures of mass we are graphically told of the yearning of our ancient Jewish forefathers. Isaiah, the prophet, recounts how the Jews returning from captivity in Babylon traced their way back home. As they traveled through present day Iraq and Syria and into Palestine. Over mountains and through valleys they trod expectantly to their beloved home - remembering all that they missed and anticipating all that was to come. So too for ourselves. For we too are enslaved in a new Babylon - captive to all that separates us from God. Sin, debauchery, idolatry, murder and mayhem are everywhere around us. Our society wishes to eradicate our belief in God going so far to obliterate the very reason for rejoicing with Happy Holidays/ Holiday trees instead of using the sacred name of Christ.

Such depth of denial have we come to that our souls cry out to God for forgiveness and redemption. We pray that God open our eyes and cleanse our ears to see what has taken place and to hear His call for us to return to Him. In this way only will we be prepared for His coming.

Father James F. Healy

PARISH NEWS

Poinsettia Plants on the Christmas altar memorialize our loved ones. Please donate \$20 for a memorial plant. Envelopes can be found in the back of the church.

St. Paul's Annual Caroling will be held on Friday, Dec. 20th, outside the Church, starting at 7pm. All are welcome to join.

Practice for St. Paul's Christmas Family Mass will be on Monday & Tuesday, Dec. 16th & 17th, from 6-8pm. Meet and dismiss from the cafeteria.

Thank You - The Coyne Park Senior Group #3 would like to thank all who supported them in their effort to raise money for "the fight against cancer" on Sept. 15th, 2013. The donations amounted to \$616. which far exceeded their expectations.

On Dec. 7th & 8th, our parish will take up the annual archdiocesan collection for *Retired Sisters and Brothers* who are now in their senior years. This special collection affords us an opportunity to offer them, in return for all they have done for us, our love and support by helping to provide for their needs. Please be as generous as you can.

COMMUNITY NEWS

Kalie Gill Family Benefit Weekend - The community wishes to assist the Gill Family in this difficult time. Please join us for a two part fundraiser:

Benefit Concert - Friday, Dec. 13th, 7pm, St. Barnabas High School Chapel

Fundraiser - with live entertainment, raffles & auctions, Sunday, Dec. 15th, 2-10pm, Rory Dolan's Checks can be made payable & mailed to "The Gill Family Fund" c/o 961 McLean Ave., Yonkers, NY 10704 or www.youcaring.com/kaliegillbenefit

McLean Avenue Merchants Association - Annual Christmas Tree Lighting - Monday, Dec. 9th at 6pm, Conor Park, located on the corner of Mclean & Central Avenue.

St. Augustine Church, Ossining - Please join our parish for Lessons & Carols, Sun., Dec. 15th at 4pm in our Church.

The Sisters of Charity of NY invite you to an Advent Lunch & Prayer Experience- For Women ages 18-35, Sun., Dec. 15th at 1pm, contact Sr. Joy Pellegrino at 718-543-5131

Parents & anyone working with them - Do you have all the information, skills & support you wish to have to raise your children? Education for Parenting Leadership Training promotes & nurtures your sacred vocation. Sat., Jan. 25th & Feb. 8th at St. Joseph's Seminary. Call Sue DiSisto at the Family Life Office at 646-794-3191.

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