

St. Paul the Apostle Parish



Lincoln Park

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Sr. Eileen Treanor, P.B.V.M., Parish Minister Associate

Mrs. Grace Mallardi, School Principal

Masses

Saturday 9:00 AM Sunday Vigil 5:00 PM

Sunday 7:45 AM, 9:15 AM, 10:45 AM, 12:15 PM

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 the rectory for attention to home-bound

Parish Registration
Contact the rectory

Parish

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
1st Thursday 9:30 AM Altar Guild
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
1st Friday 9:30-11:00 Adoration
1st Friday 7:00 PM Holy Hour
Friday 7:30 PM Boy Scouts
Saturday 9:30 AM Religious Educ. PreK-8
Sunday 8:00 PM A.A. Open Meeting
Sunday 7:00 PM Al-Anon Parents Meeting

Pregnancy Hot Line
Tel: 800-640-0767

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

Parish Meetings



SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT DECEMBER 7, 2014



Mass Intentions

Intention:	Requested by:
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Dec 6, 2014</u>
5:00 Maureen Mahoney	Patrick Mahoney
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Dec 7, 2014</u>
7:45 Anne & Tim Kavanagh	Family
9:15 Daniel O'Sullivan	Bridget O'Sullivan
10:45 Frank Bierne	Family
12:15 Patrick Shannon	Family
<u>Monday</u> - Immaculate Conception	<u>Dec. 8, 2014</u>
6:45 Margaret and Thomas Barden	Family
<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Dec. 9, 2014</u>
9:00 Deceased Members of Mc Interney	Family
<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Dec 10, 2014</u>
9:00 Souls in Purgatory	
<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Dec. 11, 2014</u>
9:00 Spadaccini Family	Ed & Mary Stanton
<u>Friday</u>	<u>Dec. 12, 2014</u>
9:00 Elizabeth Albert	M. Mathern
<u>Saturday</u>	<u>Dec 13, 2014</u>
9:00 Luigi Libutti	Family
5:00 Lorraine and Christopher Regan (Anniv)	Regan and Crowley Family
<u>Sunday</u>	<u>Dec. 14, 2014</u>
7:45 Patrick Quinn	Daly Family
9:15 Jerry Corrigan	Kathleen Corrigan (wife)
10:45 Mary & Michael Wood	Joan Hayes
12:15 Elizabeth Cardone	Family

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Mary Stanton, Michael Curtin, Msgr. Gallagher, Frank Leone, Peter Boemio, Edith Buckley, Dave Scott Sr., Rosemary Fazio, Joann Kelly, Ruth Savino, Margaret Mathern, Rose Semecia, Joseph Monroig, John Henighan, Grace Fata, Eugene McGahren, Sabrina DeRoberts and Dawn Celetano.

PRAYERS FOR THE DECEASED

Please remember in prayer *Rosemary Regina, John Giacobbe, Mary Pat Manion, Eva Ramos*, all those who died this week and those who mourn them.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 8 HOLY DAY
FEAST OF IMMACULATE CONCEPTION
PLEASE MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ATTEND
MASSES WILL BE 6:45 - 9:00 AND 7PM

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Dec. 6 5:00 T. Cronin
Dec 7 7:45 M. Henighan 9:15 A. Howard
10:45 J. Hayes 12:15 J. Curtin
Dec. 8 6:45 R. Libre 9:00 J Curtin 7PM J Hayes

LECTORS

Dec 6th J Mc Manus
Dec 7th 7:45 T. Meaney 9:15 K. Corrigan
10:45 J. Terry 12:15 V. Rahiman

Stewardship-

If you plan on being away, please be sure to continue to send in your weekly contributions. They may be mailed or you may utilize the ParishPay program. Please visit www.parishpay.com to enroll. Your support in this effort is greatly appreciated.

STEWARDSHIP: WEEK OF NOVEMBER 30

1st collection envelope users	\$3,968
1st collection non-envelope users	\$857
2nd collection	\$943
Other monies	\$1,492
Total	\$6,736

Thank you for your generosity!

Help Wanted - Looking for a responsible person to help with snow removal for the church during the winter months. If interested please call the rectory 963-7330.

Masses for 2015 - We are now taking Mass reservations for the upcoming year. Please stop in the rectory weekdays after 9am or after Mass on Sunday. The stipend remains \$15 per mass.

Our Journey in Faith

Our Journey in Faith -Advent

We have read that there was a voice crying in the desert, "repent for the kingdom of heaven is at hand, prepare the way of the Lord," the coming of the Christ was at hand. The response to this was not as great as at Nineveh when Jonah preached repentance to the people of his day - but there were those who stopped to listen, for they were intrigued by John the Baptist - his appearance and lifestyle. What did John want these people to do - to turn around their lives, to listen to God, to walk in the footsteps of the Lord and to be baptized (cleansed from their sins). He himself was not the one to come nor was he worthy to fasten his sandal straps. He was just a messenger, a prophet, sent to prepare the way of the Lord. He appealed to one's heart to live a just life, to be as open to the Lord as we could.

This advent is our answer to that voice in the desert. Can we move closer to Christ, to change and readjust our lives and values to evidence more His teachings, His life within us, to be more authentically His disciple in this world of ours. Advent is about change from what is to what can be. Are we prepared for this? Are we ready to embrace what Christmas is all about? Faith, Commitment, Conversion, Love, Justice, Fidelity, Hope, Forgiveness. Jesus has said, "I am the light of the world." Do we not all need this illumination!

Fr. James

Scouts Christmas Wreath Distribution will be taking place after each mass this weekend. The Scouts and leaders of Troop 47 would like to thank all for their support & wish everyone a Happy & Healthy Christmas season.

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.

The Giving Tree is in the back of the Church. Be an "Angel" by taking an "Angel" and purchase a gift for a needy person. Please return the gift with the angel ornament attached by Sun., Dec. 7th.

COMMUNITY NEWS

St. Patrick's Church, Yorktown, will be hosting a special mass for couples experiencing infertility or recurrent miscarriage. Fri., Dec. 12, 6:30pm. The Miraculous Missionary Image of Our Lady of Guadaupe and relics of St. Gianna will be present for veneration following mass. Come & meet Dr. Anne Nolte, cofounder and medical director of the National Gianna Catholic Healthcare for Women, who will speak after mass. To RSVP or for info. call Kelly Vardakas at 926-5586.

Life Options Pro-Life Center. Free pregnancy tests and confidential help in an unexpected pregnancy. Baby items, as available. Call 914-620-4464

Eiic Gaelic Group - Come join the Emerald Isle Gaelic Group every Monday, Beginners 9:30am, Advanced 10:30am. Would you like Cupan Tae agus Cupla focal? We would love to have you join us for a cup of tea and a few words of casual conversational Irish at the Emerald Isle Immigration Center, 718-324-3039 x102.

Lincoln Park Homeowners - LPTA will hold its Annual General Membership meeting on Thursday, December 11 at 7:30 pm at the Lincoln Park Jewish Center at 311 Central Ave near Wendover Rd. The guest speaker will be Mayor Mike Spano. All are welcome and new members may join LPTA at that time. Annual dues are \$10.00

New Parishioners

If you are new to our parish, please come into or call the rectory so we can register and meet you

Communion for the Homebound.

If someone you know would like to receive communion please contact the rectory

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