

# SAINT GREGORY THE GREAT PARISH

# 14<sup>th</sup>

## SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

"Come to me, all you who  
labor and are burdened, and  
I will give you rest." - Mt 11:28

July 6 & 7, 2019

### FROM THE DESK OF THE PASTOR

My Dear Parish Family, this weekend we have the privilege to welcome His Excellency, Archbishop Fortunatus Nwachukwu, Titular Archbishop of Acquaviva and the Apostolic Nuncio of the Antilles Episcopal Conference. He was first ordained a priest on June 17, 1984, and served in the Diocese of Aba (Nigeria). He has served in Holy See Embassies in Ghana, Paraguay, Algeria, as the UN offices and Specialized Institutions in Geneva, and for the Secretariat of State at the Vatican. Between 2007 and 2012 he was the Chief of Protocol of the Secretariat of State (Vatican). His first assignment as Head of Mission was on November 12, 2012 as Apostolic Nuncio in Nicaragua. His Excellency will preach at all of the Masses on the work of the Missions. We will also take our annual Mission Appeal collection this weekend at all of the Masses to support the Church's missionary work. We welcome Archbishop Fortunatus Nwachukwu to St. Gregory the Great. It is an honor for us to welcome an esteemed leader of our universal church.

I also wish to inform you on the progress of our search for a new Director of Music Ministry. As you know, Daniel Victoor will be leaving St. Greg's at the end of July. Please plan to come to the 12:30 pm Mass on Sunday, July 28 for our Gregorian Chant Mass and our farewell to Daniel Victoor. There will be a reception for Daniel following the 12:30 Mass that day for us all to thank him and to wish him well.

### CATHOLIC CHARITIES PARISH UPDATE

**\$594,891.35** collected, **86 %**. To donate, mail your contribution to the Parish Office or donate online at [www.ccwny.org](http://www.ccwny.org).

I have assembled a committee of eleven individuals to conduct the interview and selection process for our new Director of Music Ministry. I am very grateful to our committee that has been doing an awesome job. The committee members represent a cross-section of music ministry at St. Greg's as well as a couple staff members and our parish trustees. I am very thankful to these individuals who have been investing their time and energy into this search process. The committee includes:

**Adam Jarosz, Director of Youth Ministry**  
**Marisa Piazza, Director of Communications**  
**Willow Lunn, College Cantor & Music Ministry**  
**Faith Lunn, Teen Cantor & Music Ministry**  
**Gabriel Lunn, Teenage Music Ministry**  
**Jean-Paul Woodroffe, Adult Choir and Cantor**  
**Deborah Lombardo, Adult Choir and Cantor & Children's Choir Leader**  
**Dawne Vullo, SGG School Music Teacher**  
**Christie Thein, Parish Trustee**  
**Tom Vacanti, Parish Trustee**  
**Fr. Leon Biernat, Pastor**

We have conducted interviews this past week and I am hopeful we will have a new director in place shortly.

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### MISSION COLLECTION FOR THE WEEKEND OF JULY 6 & 7

There will be a collection for the Mission Appeal this weekend. Our speaker will be Archbishop Fortunatus Nwachukwu, Titular Archbishop of Acquaviva and the Apostolic Nuncio of the Antilles Episcopal Conference.

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Finally, in this weekend's Gospel Jesus commissions the seventy-two disciples to cast out demons and to heal the sick. They were to go out and to prepare the towns and villages for Jesus's coming. It was up to the disciples to prepare the way for Jesus' arrival in the towns and villages. In some places Jesus was accepted and in others He was rejected and in some places He was asked kindly to leave (Mark 5:1-17). Jesus gave the instruction to the seventy-two to shake the dust from their feet if the people of a town were not willing to accept them.

This idea of the "shaking of the dust from the feet" if a town was not willing to accept the disciples is an important discussion to have. Is there a brother or sister in Christ who we are not willing to accept? I am talking about accepting the person and not accepting views or ways of life contrary to the Gospel. There is a difference. We are called to accept and love the person, all people, created in the image and likeness of God. Even if we disagree on theology, key issues of life or morality, we must accept and love the person. Very often we fail to recognize that important point. Similarly, many who espouse views different from the Catholic, or in a broader sense Christian, way of life reject us because we do not embrace as good their way of life, view of life and/or morality. In many ways we do not accept back into our lives some that have disappointed us, failed us or sinned in some way hurting us. Lifelong estrangements have occurred because of the failure to forgive and accept someone back into their lives.

This week consider if there is some negativity that you are holding onto especially if it is from someone who has hurt you. Have you forgiven? It is easy to "shake off the dust" when trials or dissent come our way. If you agree with that statement, why is that? Do you see that a life in Christ is hard work? Finally, St. Paul in the second reading this Sunday prays that we will find peace and mercy when we follow Christ and when we follow that rule. How is it that we could have peace even in the midst of hardship or differences of opinion or way of life? What is it that should ground us in this peace?

May God bless you, our Mother Mary watch over you and St. Gregory the Great intercede for you, always.



## THE LIFE-CHANGING MESSAGE OF DIVINE MERCY

**The Church: Dispenser of Mercy**  
**Pope Francis says, "Wherever the Church is present...wherever there are Christians, everyone should find an oasis of mercy." (Misericordiae Vultus 12)**

The best place to encounter the merciful love of Jesus Christ is in His Church. Jesus's Church is not a building, we are all part of His Church, the Body of Christ. The Church fulfills her role as trustee and dispenser of the Savior's mercy especially through the Sacraments of the Eucharist and Reconciliation. (DMM 33)

Furthermore, **Pope John Paul II** teaches that, **"The Church seeks to practice mercy towards people through people, and she sees in this an indispensable condition of solicitude for a better and 'more human' world, today and tomorrow."** (Rich in Mercy 15) Our individual practice of mercy towards all people helps to sustain the "oasis of mercy" Pope John Paul II and Pope Francis desire.

## SACRAMENTAL INFORMATION

### ATTENTION CATHOLIC SCHOOL AND PUBLIC-SCHOOL PARENTS:

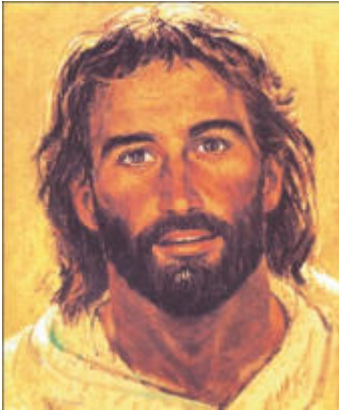
Online **Confirmation Registration began on July 1**. If you have a child entering Grade 9 and 10 this September, and plan to have them confirmed at St. Gregory Parish, please be sure to register to ensure that you receive all Confirmation related notifications. Go to

[www.stgregs.org/confirmation/](http://www.stgregs.org/confirmation/)

Any questions, please contact Catherine Wadhams at [cwadhams@stgregs.org](mailto:cwadhams@stgregs.org) or call 688-5760.

*Sacrament*  
of CONFIRMATION

## MISSION RETREAT



What does Mission mean to me?

The Mission I made was 23 years ago at St. Philip the Apostle Church where I was a member at the time. When I joined St. Greg's I saw the invitation to "Mission 35" and remembered what a spiritually rewarding experience Mission was for

me back then. I registered, and it was exactly what I needed at that time in my life. Could Mission be just what you need in your life right now?

**Barbara, SGG Mission 35**

The 2019 Summer Mission Retreat will take place July 14-20. Please consider joining us to deepen your relationship with Jesus. If we don't achieve our target number of participants we may have to reschedule Mission, so if you're planning on attending but delaying in signing up, please call today! Contact Jo Pierino in the Parish Office at 688-5678 to register.

## SCHOOL REGISTRATION

Registration for the 2019-2020 school year is open. Visit [www.stgregsschool.org](http://www.stgregsschool.org) to register today or call 688-5323 for more information.

## SUNDAY SCRIPTURE READINGS

**Today** *Fourteenth Sunday/Ordinary Time*  
First Reading– Isaiah 66:10-14c  
Second Reading– Galatians 6: 14-18  
Gospel– Luke 10:1-20 or 10: 1-9

**Next Sunday** *Fifteenth Sunday/Ordinary Time*  
Deuteronomy 30:10-14  
Colossians 1:15-20  
Luke 10:25-37



**21ST ANNUAL GREAT DINNER AUCTION**  
"AN EVENING OF STARS"

**SAVE THE DATE:**  
Saturday, November 2, at  
5:30 pm  
Salvatore's Italian Gardens

Gift-Gathering Party Time

Everyone loves an excuse to party. Host a gift-gathering party to support St. Greg's annual dinner auction and have fun while supporting the parish's largest fund raising effort. Contrary to popular belief, a gift-gathering party does not have to be a lavish large catered affair to be a success. The best parties are simple and easy.

How about coffee and donuts with friends, a kids pool party, wine and cheese with the neighbors. The possibilities are endless.

For more information on how to host or plan your own party, please contact Auction Coordinator Cindy Reitebach at [dinnerauction@gmail.com](mailto:dinnerauction@gmail.com) or 688-5678 x337.



## WOULD YOU LIKE TO ASSIST DISTRIBUTING EUCHARIST AT MASS?

Our Parish is in need of new Eucharistic Ministers to fill in for those who can not make Mass or who travel during the year. You can sign up for one Mass a weekend, a month or as many as your schedule permits.

Please contact Tom Ahearn at 512-0567 or Jo Pierino at 688-5678 to learn more.

Already a Eucharistic Minister? For those of you without email, the new schedule for July, August and September is available in the Sacristy. Kindly stop back and pick one up. Thank You!

## FAMILY FAITH FORMATION

**Have you registered for FFF 2019-2020 yet?!**

For information about our Weekly Programs (PreK and Grades K-10) go to [www.stgregs.org/family-faith-formation/](http://www.stgregs.org/family-faith-formation/) then select **Program Options**.

**Registration for the following programs began on Saturday, June 1. Register Online or In Person:**

- **Weekly FFF Program** (Gr K– Gr 10)  
**Weekly Classes** from September 2019 - April 2020
- **Little Cherubs** (Preschool, Ages 3 and 4)  
**Weekly classes**, Saturdays 9:00 am - 10:30 am from September 2019 - April 2020

**Attn Disciple Camp Parents:** We need chaperones for the Disciple Camp Car Wash to be held in front of the school on Sunday, July 21. Volunteers should arrive at 8:30 am and stay until 12:30 pm. Please let Joan know if you are able to volunteer: call 688-5760 or email [jrischmiller@st.gregs.org](mailto:jrischmiller@st.gregs.org)

Thanks for your support!



**Disciple Camp Outreach:** We're collecting food products for our **St. Vincent DePaul Food Pantry** this week. We are asking each family to please donate kid-friendly "meals in a can" (soup, stew, chili, spaghetti, ravioli). St. Vincent DePaul will pick up our donations on **Friday, July 19, at 9:00 am**. Thank you for your generosity!

## MUSIC MINISTRY

Choir Rehearsals

### Chant Choir Rehearsal

July 11, 7:00 pm, in GR 2

July 23 and 25, 7:00 pm, GR 2

The Chant Mass will be Sunday, July 28, at 12:30 pm

For more information about the various ensembles, contact Daniel Victoor at 688-5678, ext. 308. Refer to the website for more information.



## SEARCHING FOR MINISTERS TO HELP THE HOMEBOUND

The Ministry of the Sick and Homebound is looking for Eucharistic Ministers to become part of their team. There are many Catholics in our Parish Community who are homebound and in need of Communion once or twice a month. Any Eucharistic Ministers who could spare an hour or two a week or month, please contact Sister Shawn Czyzycki, 688-5678, and learn how you can make a positive impact on our homebound Parishioners today!

## PLEASE JOIN US FOR THE ROSARY

The Rosary is one of the most important, meritorious and powerful prayers one can pray. Many of the saints attest to this: "The Rosary is the weapon for these times." *St. Pio*; "The Rosary is the Bible on a string!" *Fr. Ronan Murphy*; "The Rosary is a storehouse of countless blessings." *Blessed Alan de la Roche*; "One day through the Rosary and Scapular Our Lady will save the world." *St. Dominic*. Before going to breakfast or lunch please consider praying the Rosary after the 8:00 am and 12:00 pm Masses. It is 20 minutes well spent and these prayers "transform" our families, our community, our country and the world in a positive way! Also, on every Saturday, at 12:00 noon, the Rosary is recited for our country, in good weather in the Grotto and in inclement weather in the Church.



## MINISTRY UPDATES

### LECTORS NEEDED


The Lector Ministry needs new Lectors. Lectors are assigned once every five weeks through seven week-end Masses, on a rotating schedule. An email system is available to contact all Lectors to arrange for a substitute when an assigned Lector has a scheduling conflict. If you are interested in the Lector Ministry, please contact Earl Leising 432-5312.

### EVENING PRAYER "VESPERS"

Join us for evening prayer every Tuesday at 6:30 pm in the Church. Vespers, also called Evening Prayer, gives thanks for the day just past and makes an evening sacrifice of praise to God. For more information contact Jeff Criden at 207-4878.

### LADIES OF THE LORD

Ladies of the Lord meeting for July is our Summer Picnic and will be held Thursday, July 11, at 2:00 pm at Spaulding Lake .



## SENIOR CITIZENS

### JOIN US FOR OUR ANNUAL SUMMER PICNIC—CHIAVETTA'S BBQ

**Monday, July 8**  
**Location: To Be Determined**  
**1:00 PM (following Noon Mass)**  
**Cost: Members \$10 per person**  
**Non Members \$15 per person**

Checks payable to: St. Greg's Senior Organization

RSVP by Monday, July 1  
Bring to Parish Office or mail to: 200 St. Gregory Court, Williamsville, NY 14221  
Please write "summer picnic" in check memo line.

Number of Tickets: \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount Enclosed: \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_  
Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Non Member Name: \_\_\_\_\_



**For persons with disabilities and their families**

THE CATHOLIC CHURCH OF BUFFALO cordially invites you to the **Annual Disability Picnic** on **Saturday, July 13** from 12 noon - 2:30 pm at St. Gregory Parish 100 St. Gregory Ct, Williamsville in the Ministry Center

To register, call **688-5760** or e-mail [jrischmiller@stgregs.org](mailto:jrischmiller@stgregs.org)

**Bring your favorite dish to share (8-12 servings)**  
**Hot Dogs & Drinks are provided!**

Co-Sponsored by the Disability Inclusion Team of the Catholic Diocese

In an air-conditioned facility, located off of Maple Road between Hopkins and Young, next to Millard Fillmore Suburban Hospital

## SVDP FURNITURE-APPLIANCE COLLECTION

**Saturday, July 20.** If you have eligible items, contact 688-5678, ext. 423, and leave a message. We only pick up furniture items in St. Gregory's geographic area, and items must be located in a garage or covered porch.

**Furniture:** Couches, Chairs, Kitchen Tables & Chairs, Dressers, Coffee & End Tables, Bed Frames (we cannot accept mattresses & box springs and baby cribs).

**Appliances:** Gas Stoves (must work and be disconnected), Refrigerators (must be plugged in and cool at pickup), Microwaves. (We cannot accept electric stoves or cooktops, or older CRT type TV sets.)



## RESPECT LIFE

**Bishops' Urgent Call for Action on Immigration:** The publishing of a tragic photo of a father and his baby daughter who drowned crossing the Rio Grande prompted a new exhortation from the US Conference of Catholic Bishops (USCCB) for Congress to find a humane solution to the immigration crisis. Cardinal Daniel N. DiNardo, President, and Bishop Jose Vásquez, of the USCCB Committee on Migration, issued the joint statement:

“We join with ...Pope Francis in immense sadness, having seen the horrific images of Oscar Martinez and his daughter Angie Valeria who drowned in the Rio Grande Valley while attempting to flee persecution and enter the United States. This image cries to Heaven for justice. ...[and] silences politics. [We must] see the results of the failures of all of us to find a humane and just solution to the immigration crisis... Sadly, this picture shows the daily plight of our brothers and sisters. Not only does their cry reach Heaven. It reaches us. And it must now reach our federal government. *All people, regardless of their country of origin or legal status, are made in the image of God and should be treated with dignity and respect.* Recent reports of overcrowded and unsanitary conditions are appalling and unacceptable, ... particularly for children. Such conditions cannot be used as tools of deterrence. We can and must remain a country that provides refuge for children and families fleeing violence, persecution, and acute poverty. Congress has a duty to provide additional funding to address the needs of children in federal custody. Their supplemental appropriations bill should also increase protections for immigrant children, including heightened standards and oversight for border facilities. It is possible and necessary to care for the safety of migrant children and the security of our citizens. By putting aside partisan interests, a nation as great as ours is able to do both.” (Full text at [usccb.org](http://usccb.org))

## PARISH ACTIVITY CALENDAR

### Sunday, July 7

- 1:30 pm Baptisms
- 3:15 pm Worship Ensemble Rehearsal (*Church*)

### Monday, July 8

- 12:00 pm Youth Ministry Mass,  
Lunch & Games (*MC Gym, Foyer, Front Lawn*)
- 1:00 pm Senior Citizens Picnic (*School Gym/Cafeteria*)
- 7:00 pm Youth Ministry Movie Night (*MC front lawn*)

### Tuesday, July 9

- 12:00 pm Youth Ministry Mass & Lunch (*MC Basement*)
- 5:00 pm Amped (*MC Café*)

### Wednesday, July 10

- 10:00 am Prayer Shawl Ministry (*MC Café*)
- 7:00 pm SWAT (*MC Basement*)
- 7:00 pm Men of God (*GR 2*)

### Thursday, July 11

- 2:00 pm Ladies of the Lord Meeting/Picnic  
(*Spaulding Lake*)
- 6:30 pm SVDP Meeting (*MC Gym*)
- 7:00 pm Adult Choir Party (*GR 1 & 2*)
- 7:00 pm H.S. Summer Nights  
(*MC Basement, Café, Front Lawn*)

### Friday, July 12

- 5:30 pm Rooted (*MC Basement*)

### Saturday, July 13

- 12:00 pm Diocesan Disability Family Picnic  
(*MC Gym, Foyer, & Kitchen*)

### Sunday, July 14

- 10:30 am New Parishioner Social (*GR 1*)
- 1:30 pm Baptisms
- 3:15 pm Worship Ensemble Rehearsal (*Church*)



ST. GREGORY THE GREAT CAFE

# We're firing up the grill!!!

Every Wednesday and Friday at Lunch



## ON THE MENU

Hamburger	\$3.50
Cheeseburger	\$3.60
Hotdog	\$3.50
Italian Sausage w/peppers and onions	\$3.75
Combo (item above with chips or potato salad)	Add \$1.50



[www.stgregs.org/caf](http://www.stgregs.org/caf) 100 St. Gregory Court 276-6915



# St. Gregory the Great School

## KINDERGARTEN READINESS CAMP

Kindergarten Readiness program for children ages 4-6. The camp will focus on academic, social, emotional, and motor skills. Children will develop necessary skills through fun games, activities and play.

- August 12-15 and/or
- August 19-22

Time: 8:30-11:30 am  
Maximum of 20 Students.

To reserve a spot please contact Emily Andzik (eandzik@stgregs.org) or Terri Strassel (tstrassel@stgregs.org)

## EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATION JUNE 25



## YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

### UPCOMING YM EVENTS:

**BRAVE II** – Young Adult Retreat – Save the date – November 8-10

**ST. LUKE’S SERVICE** – Anyone interested in volunteering at St. Luke’s, please contact Adam Jarosz at 688-3578, ext. 316

### HIGH SCHOOL

**MASS & LUNCH-** Mondays, July 9,16, & 30 from 12:00 - 2:00 pm meet in Church for noon Mass then walk over with us to the MC for food.

**SWAT-** July 3,10,17, & 31

**HIGH SCHOOL SUMMER NIGHTS-** July 11 and 18

### MIDDLE SCHOOL

**MASS, LUNCH & GAMES-** Monday July 1, 8, & 15 from 12:00-2:00 pm meet in Church for noon Mass then walk over to the MC for food and games.

**ROOTED-** Fridays, July 5, 12, & 19, only for graduated 7 and 8 Graders. Meet in the MC Basement at 5:30 pm then we will end around 7:00 pm

**MIDDLE SCHOOL MOVIE NIGHT** – Fridays , July 5, 12, & 19 at 7:30 pm till the movie is done (around 11:00 pm) meet at the front field( unless its raining meet in the MC) to hang out and when the sun goes down watch a movie with us!



## EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION

Our Adoration Chapel is the place to find comfort and peace, especially at this time. Offer a Holy Hour before our Lord for our Catholic Church. Adorers are needed for all times and days. Please call Kathy at 759-7149 or Barbara at 634-7478 with a time that is convenient for you.

**Our Adoration Chapel is in need of the following scheduled Adorers:**

- ◆ SUNDAYS 6:00 - 7:00 pm
- ◆ MONDAYS 8:00- 9:00 am, 2:00 - 3:00 am
- ◆ WEDNESDAYS 10:00– 11:00 am
- ◆ SATURDAYS 10:00-11:00 pm

## RCIA: MORE THAN CATECHETICS



Down Time? School's out.

We hope you and your family have a restful break from work. The summer break affords more time to talk to family, friends and neighbors. If the opportunity is right, invite your Seeker to St. Greg's. And if they want to know more, call the Parish Office or Jerry Peer at 861-5497.



## DANIEL VICTOOR'S FAREWELL MASS AND RECEPTION

**SUNDAY, JULY 28 AFTER 12:30 PM MASS**

Please join us for a Farewell Chant Mass at 12:30 pm on Sunday, July 28, with reception to follow in the Gathering Room. Please fill out the reply below and either place it in the Sunday collection basket next weekend or mail or drop off at the Parish Office so we are prepared for his reception

**Reply card for Farewell to Daniel Victor**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Number attending the reception \_\_\_\_\_

**Please return to the Parish Office by Monday, July 19, or place in the Sunday collection. Thank you.**

## BISHOP MALONE TO HOST 2019 LISTENING SESSIONS

Bishop Richard Malone, in conjunction with the Presbyteral Council, Vicars Forane, and the Movement to Restore Trust, will host a series of Listening Sessions across the Diocese of Buffalo during the next few months. The Sessions will include Bishop Malone praying with the faithful, hearing their thoughts and comments, inviting discussion, and offering summary remarks regarding the mission of the Diocese and its parishes, schools, and other organizations.

**Listening Session Schedule:  
Saturday's from 9:30-11:30 am**

- August 3, Ascension Parish, Batavia
- August 10, Nativity of Our Lord, Orchard Park
- August 17, Holy Trinity Parish, Dunkirk

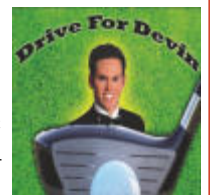
*Contact: Kathy Spangler, Director of Communications,  
[kspangler@buffalodiocese.org](mailto:kspangler@buffalodiocese.org)*

## HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

Fr. David Richards would like to extend an invitation to the Parishioners of St. Gregory the Great as he will be leading a Holy Land Pilgrimage October 14-23, 2020. There will be an informational meeting to be held at Our Lady of Pompeii Ministry Center on July 9th at 6:30 pm in the Marian Room. The address is 129 Laverack Avenue, Lancaster, NY. Please RSVP for this meeting to Maureen -716-609-1657. More information regarding the trip will be given and refreshments will be served. We look forward to seeing you!

## DRIVE FOR DEVIN

The **2 Annual Drive for Devin Golf Tournament**, a nine hole golf tournament and dinner will be held on Friday, July 26. Progressive tee times begin at 11:00 am, at Deerwood Golf Course in North Tonawanda, dinner following at Classics V Banquet Center in Amherst. Proceeds from the event will be given to Crisis Services of WNY, along with scholarship funds for St. Gregory the Great School and Canisius High School. For more information visit [www.Drive4Devin.com](http://www.Drive4Devin.com) or email at [Drive4Devin@gmail.com](mailto:Drive4Devin@gmail.com).





## MASS SCHEDULE

### Saturday, July 6

8:00 am Rose Cammilleri by Farruggia Families

### Vigil Masses

4:00 pm Robert Doran by wife Nina  
Thomas Amabile (Birthday) by Bob & Mary Brown

5:30 pm Rita Fefolt by Anthony & Judy Picone

### Sunday, July 7

8:00 am Jim & Louise Mc Partlan by Family

9:30 am Dorothy M. Olejniczak by Olejniczak Family & Friends

11:00 am Thomas Gangloff by Naples Family  
Patrick J. Pujolas by Carol Pujolas & Family  
Leonard Nirelli

by Daughter Theresa Choppolla

12:30 pm Sydney Lee Sidote by Sandra Bach  
Charles J. Price by Jay & Amy Roeder

1:30 pm Baptisms

4:30 pm Mary & Mathew Wzyzkowski by Family

### Monday, July 8

7:00 am Edward J. & Natalie F. Mack by Estate

8:00 am Mark Czarnecki by Elizabeth Czarnecki

12:00 pm Michael Angrisano by Edith Varbanov  
Paul Spinley by Judith Strubel

### Tuesday, July 9

7:00 am John Caruso by Brachmann Family

8:00 am Irene Tammaro by Ann Lambaine  
Maureen Willett by Markarian Family

12:00 pm Christine Stachura (Birthday)  
by Edward & Sylvia Stachura  
Donald Davis by Ellie Lorenzo

### Wednesday, July 3–St. Thomas

7:00 am Rev. Msgr. Rupert H. Wright by  
Priests of St. Gregory the Great

8:00 am Richard F. Wagner by John & Kathy Roseti & Family

12:00 pm Christine Rogenthien by Hartigan Family  
Paul Scandarito & Sam Rizzo by wife Margo

### Thursday, July 11- St. Benedict

7:00 am Stephanie Hogan by Dorothea & Thomas Obst

8:00 am Patricia Cusack by Family Faith  
Formation Staff

12:00 pm Ruth Daigler by Mary Lou Daigler & Family  
Arthur Lorenzo  
by Staskiewicz & Donius Families  
Ginger Kothen by Vern & Sarah Anderson

### Friday, July 12

7:00 am John Tronolone by Family

8:00 am Patrick & Margaret Maloney by Fr. Thomas  
Fr. Paul Cygan (Living) by Debbie Kistner

12:00 pm Sally A. Stefanick  
by Cole & Francine Mc Carthy

### Saturday, July 13 – St. Henry

8:00 am Rita Rzepecki by Nigam Family

12:00 pm Wedding: Elizabeth J. Miller & Eric Brennan

2:00 pm Wedding: Leanne M. Slayton & Derek A. Hiddle

### Vigil Masses

4:00 pm Eugene Schrameck by Bill & Kathy Schrameck

Sixto R. Maceda III MD by wife Lilia Maceda

5:30 pm Mary Capone by Rosemarie Orlando

### Sunday, July 14

8:00 am Edward C. Driscoll by Kathleen Devine

9:30 am Josephine Caldiero by Children  
Mary & Michael Cirelli by Family & Friends

11:00 am Leonardi & Francesca Casucci by Son  
Frank Deni by DeNardins Family

12:30 pm Dr. Philip A. LaNasa  
by Eugene & Pia O'Connor  
Ray & Rosalie Pfeiffer by Irv & Joy Peterson

1:30 pm Baptisms

4:30 pm James Dietzer by Vera & Rick  
Leonard Sikora  
by Mr. & Mrs. Louis DiPasquale

## HOST, WINE AND CANDLE REMEMBRANCE

We have openings for you to have a remembrance for your family members with our host, wine, and candle offerings. Host offering is \$55, wine offering is \$40 and candle offering is \$35 for the week. Please come in to the Parish Office to reserve this special remembrance. The names of your loved ones will be listed in the Bulletin for the week.

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**SACRAMENTS**

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Baptisms are celebrated every Sunday after the 12:30 pm Mass, ceremony only. All parents desiring Baptism for their child are asked to attend the Pre-Baptismal class at least two months prior to the Baptism. The class is held the first Tuesday of each month, 7:30 pm, in the Ministry Center, Room 2. Call Jo at 688-5678 to register.

**PENANCE (CONFESSIONS)**

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**PRAYER**

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