

THE PARISH OF SAINT EUGENE

NOVEMBER 19, 2017 – THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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	SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 18
5:00 PM	Christopher & Adelaide Rezza 50 th Wedding Jubilee
	SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 19
8:00 AM	Coronato Dalli (decd) <i>req. by His Wife</i>
10:00 AM	Carol L. Van Scoyoc (decd) <i>req. by Randy Visconti</i>
12:00 PM	Noemi Roman (decd) <i>req. by John & Vilma Duffy</i>
6:00 PM	Special Intention For St. Gerard <i>req. by The Hermoza Family</i>
	MONDAY, NOVEMBER 20
6:45 AM	In Honor of Our Lady of Lourdes <i>req. by Rose Camille</i>
9:00 AM	Alex Ciccone (decd) <i>req. by Mr. & Mrs. Angelo Ciccone</i>
	TUESDAY, November 21
6:45 AM	Nancy Terracciano (decd) <i>req. by Marie Mangone</i>
9:00 AM	Angela Dolan (decd) <i>req. by Thomas Dolan</i>
	WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 22
6:45 AM	Mary & Angelo Napoli (decd) <i>req. by their daughters</i>
9:00 AM	Souls in Purgatory
7:30 PM	For the Parish of Saint Eugene Thanksgiving Mass
	THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 23
6:45 AM	Brendan Smith (decd) <i>req. by Mary McCabe</i>
9:00 AM	John Dircks (decd) <i>req. by Wayne & Maureen Modrovsky</i>
	FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 24
6:45 AM	Nora Kerr (decd) <i>req. by Jerry Esteves</i>
9:00 AM	Joseph Loboizzo & Maurice Walsh (decd) <i>req. by Carolyn Walsh</i>
	SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 25
9:00 AM	Maria & Domenico DeVivo (decd) <i>req. by Silvia Dolgetta</i>

Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31 The value of a worthy woman is beyond measure.

Psalm 128 "Blessed are those who fear the Lord."

1Thessalonians 5:1-6 "The day of the Lord will come like a thief at night."

Matthew 25:14-30 or 25:14-15,19-21 The Parable of Talents

Our First Reading introduces us to a woman of extraordinary skills, who uses her gifts both at home and out in the world, where she reaches out her hands to the poor. When we listen to the Gospel that follows, we can more easily visualize how God expects us to use the talents we have been given, not just to enrich ourselves or our employers, but to make the world a better place.

MEMORIAL CANDLES & BREAD & WINE

Interested in memorializing the Sanctuary Candle by the Tabernacle or for the Virgin Mary, Our Blessed Lady? These candles, which burn continuously, could burn for your specific intentions. If you are interested in having a loved one remembered or a special intention placed before God, please contact the rectory. An offering of \$15.00 a week is requested.

TABERNACLE CANDLE
IN MEMORY OF NORA KERR
REQ. BY JERRY ESTEVES



BLESSED MOTHER CANDLE
IN MEMORY OF JULIA DUFFY
REQ. BY THE CAVE FAMILY

BREAD AND WINE
SPECIAL INTENTION FOR BABY ELIZABETH LASKI
REQ. BY GRANDMA & GRANDPA

SOCIETIES AND ACTIVITIES

Adoration Chapel	Natalie Philpin	793-4757
	Patricia Finan	961-0146
Altar Guild	Jennie Sepe	776-9847
Boy Scouts	Donna Ragusa	472-7567
Religious Education	Gina Mastrangelo	961-2590
C.Y.O.	Joan DeLuca	497-9798
Catholic Daughters	Martina Parisi	400-3634
Cheerleaders	Lori Fox	325-0333
H. S. A.	Toni-Ann Licatesi	879-3956
Holy Name	Frank Giacoio	793-5392
Legion of Mary	Josephine Bitetti	337-1372
Living Rosary	Natalie Philpin	793-4757
Music Director	Jerry Celestino	961-2590
Parish Council	Father Fernan	961-2590
Serra Club	George Alessi	779-8719
Senior Club	Jennie Sepe	776-9847
St. Vincent DePaul		
Of Saint Eugene Parish	Walter Whitmore	779-1826

PARISH SUPPORT

As evidence of their gratitude for God's generosity to them in their lives, our people returned to His Holy Church the following offerings:

November 12	2017	2016
Weekly Collection.....	\$9940	\$10,190

"As stewards we are accountable to God for our time, talent and treasure. We return to the Lord, the giver of all our gifts, a truly grateful and meaningful first share of our time, talent and treasure."

ST. VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY OF SAINT EUGENE PARISH

Due to the Thanksgiving Food Drive there will be no regular cooked chicken pick up for the month of November.

Please let us remember all those who are in need of a meal or food on the table. There are many who are struggling in our own community. Please remember those who are in need. We are in need of non-perishable food items. (Cereal, soup, pasta, etc.) Please place these items in the baskets at the entrances of the church.

We serve our people as well as the *Sharing Community* in Getty Square. If you are able to cook but not deliver, please contact either Walter Whitmore (914) 779-1826 or David Fabi at hotfabi@optonline.net.

"For we brought nothing into the world, and we can take nothing out of it. But if we have food and clothing, we will be content with that."

THANKSGIVING FOOD DRIVE

We will be collecting frozen turkeys (10-14lbs.) and hams to be distributed to the Sharing Community, on Monday morning, November 20, in the parking area near the adoration chapel from 9:30-10:30.

8TH GRADE BAKE SALE

Our 8th grade class will be conducting a Bake Sale which will take place this Sunday November 19th, before and after the masses. The tables will be set-up in the long hallway, on the school side. Please stop and buy a tasty treat. The bake sale will help defray the cost of their 8th grade trips.

CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

On Sunday, December 17th we will have our annual Christmas Caroling and Pageant. We are looking for children to be angels and shepherds in our living crèche. If your child is interested please fill out the pageant forms which are located at the table in the front of the church and at the entrances.

LEGION OF MARY

The legion will have their annual giving tree in the church beginning on December 3rd. Please take an ornament off of the tree and assist them as they bring joy to those in need. The gifts will be distributed to various organizations that are in need.

ADORATION CHAPEL

The Adoration Chapel will be closed Thursday, November 23rd and Friday November 24th for Thanksgiving.

The Adoration Chapel, located in the vestibule, is open daily Mon-Fri from 9:30am to 4pm, unless noted on schedule. We are asking specifically for prayers for Vocations. Please come and make a visit with the Lord. For more information call George Alessi, 779-8719.

CATHOLIC DAUGHTERS

Please contact Martina Parisi at (914) 400-3634 to learn more about the Catholic Daughters. All women of the parish are welcome.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please keep in your prayers the ill of our parish especially Helen Sheedy, Nicholas Gardini, Michael Tomanelli, Elise Gelpi, Liam Frawley, Angelo Bavaro, John Hopkin, Deborah Mahon, Joseph Kelly, Grisha Balaj, Eileen Brasiel, John McGarry, Serette Bernadin, Franzgermain Bernadin, Lisette Abraham, Joan Pinto, Frank Azaltovic, Frankie Delosso, Mary Ann R. Encarnacion, Fr. Terence Lee, Cora Lucy Sannella, Ann McMahon, Anthony Battista, Andrea Dworken, Anthony McCauley, Baby Elizabeth Laski, Mary Sweeney, John Sweeney, Joseph A. Collins, Francis Bowen, Geraldine Gluck, Albert Casico, Charlie Saumell, Leonor Abanilla, Jerry Weber, Carmen Delia Rivera, Fr. Joseph Irwin, Teagan Maria Farrah, Helene Layman, Aimee Rizzi, Martha Jane, Margaret Fleming, Michael Laymon, Charles Saumell, Paul Henshaw and those recently called home to God especially Rosalinda Vilorio. Eternal rest grant unto them O, Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Amen.

If you know of parishioners who are ill and would like to be visited by a priest, please contact the rectory at 961-2590.

PRAYERS FOR OUR MILITARY

Janelle Amador, Jose Luis Petrovich, Matthew Valentinetti, Brian Mulhern, John Kollinger, Kevin Brodeur, David Daliso, Logan Wilson, Matthew Fishwick, Kevin Jones and Joe Kelly. If you have family members or friends you would like to put on our Military Prayer list please notify the Parish Office at 961-2590.

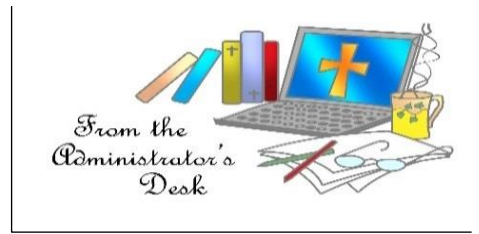
AREA EVENTS

The Catholic Widows and Widowers of Yonkers will hold its Christmas luncheon Friday, December 1, 2017 at 1p.m. at Gianna's Restaurant, 1034 North Broadway Yonkers, N.Y. (Executive Park, corner of Odell Terrace and North Broadway.) The cost is \$25.00 payable at the luncheon. New and former members and guests are welcome. For more information, please call 914-423-5331.

CHURCH RECTORY

The Church Rectory will be closing at 12pm on Wednesday November 22nd, and will be closed for Thanksgiving on November 23rd and 24th.

Dear Parishioners:



- **Thanksgiving Food Drive:** The Thanksgiving food drive will end this weekend. All non-perishable items can be placed into the containers located at the church entrances. All non-perishable food items must be in by today, November 19th. We will also be collecting frozen turkeys (10-14lbs.) and hams to be distributed to the Sharing Community. We will be collecting them on Monday morning, November 20, in the parking area near the adoration chapel from 9:30-10:30. *Give thanks in all circumstances: for this is the will of God in Christ Jesus for you. 1 Thessalonians 5:18.*
- **Church Offices:** The church offices will close at noon on Wednesday, November 22 and will reopen on Monday, November 27th at 9:30 AM.
- **Religious Education:** Just a reminder that there will be no class on Wednesday, November 22, because of Thanksgiving. We will resume on Wednesday, November 29th.
- **Thanksgiving Mass:** We will have a vigil Mass for *Thanksgiving* on Wednesday, November 22ND at 7:30 PM. The Masses on Thursday, November 23, Thanksgiving Day are 6:45 & 9:00 AM.
- **Saint Eugene Boy Scout Troop 25:** Our Boys Scouts will be selling beautifully decorated Christmas Wreaths before and after the Masses on Sunday, November 26th, and Saturday, December 2nd and Sunday December 3rd, or by emailing troop25yonkers@gmail.com. The cost is \$20.00. Please support our troop.
- **Saint Eugene Bake Sale:** Our 8th grade school class will be conducting a Bake Sale which will take place today, Sunday, before and after the Masses. The tables will be set-up in the long hallway, on the school side. Please stop and buy a tasty treat. The bake sale will help defray the cost of their 8th grade trips.
- **Christmas Toy Drive:** We will again this year conduct our Christmas Toy Drive. Please remember those who are less fortunate than us. The Toy Box will be in the back of the church on the left near the candles beginning on the weekend of December 2-3, the first Sunday of Advent.
- **Saint Eugene Legion of Mary:** The legion will have their annual giving tree in the church beginning on December 3rd. Please take an ornament off of the tree and assist them as they bring joy to those in need. The gifts will be distributed to various organizations that are in need.
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May God bless you and your families on this Thanksgiving and always.
Gina Mastrangelo, Administrator



We thank You, Father, for the gift of Jesus Your Son who came to our earth and lived in a simple home. We have a greater appreciation of the value and dignity of the human family because He loved and was loved within its shelter. Bless us this day; may we grow in love for each other in our family and so give thanks to You who are the maker of all human families and our abiding peace.

"It is more blessed to give than to receive" Acts 20:35

GEORGE WASHINGTON

I President of the United States: 1789-1797

Proclamation—Day of National Thanksgiving

October 3, 1789

By the President of the United States of America

A Proclamation

Whereas it is the duty of all nations to acknowledge the providence of Almighty God, to obey His will, to be grateful for His benefits, and humbly to implore His protection and favor; and

Whereas both Houses of Congress have, by their joint committee, requested me "to recommend to the people of the United States a day of public thanksgiving and prayer, to be observed by acknowledging with grateful hearts the many and signal favors of Almighty God, especially by affording them an opportunity peaceably to establish a form of government for their safety and happiness:"

Now, therefore, I do recommend and assign Thursday, the 26th day of November next, to be devoted by the people of these States to the service of that great and glorious Being who is the beneficent author of all the good that was, that is, or that will be; that we may then all unite in rendering unto Him our sincere and humble thanks for His kind care and protection of the people of this country previous to their becoming a nation; for the signal and manifold mercies and the favorable interpositions of His providence in the course and conclusion of the late war; for the great degree of tranquillity, union, and plenty which we have since enjoyed; for the peaceable and rational manner in which we have been enabled to establish constitutions of government for our safety and happiness, and particularly the national one now lately instituted; for the civil and religious liberty with which we are blessed, and the means we have of acquiring and diffusing useful knowledge; and, in general, for all the great and various favors which He has been pleased to confer upon us.

And also that we may then unite in most humbly offering our prayers and supplications to the great Lord and Ruler of Nations, and beseech Him to pardon our national and other transgressions; to enable us all, whether in public or private stations, to perform our several and relative duties properly and punctually; to render our National Government a blessing to all the people by constantly being a Government of wise, just, and constitutional laws, discreetly and faithfully executed and obeyed; to protect and guide all sovereigns and nations (especially such as have shown kindness to us), and to bless them with good governments, peace, and concord; to promote the knowledge and practice of true religion and virtue, and the increase of science among them and us; and, generally, to grant unto all mankind such a degree of temporal prosperity as He alone knows to be best.

Given under my hand, at the city of New York, the 3d day of October, A. D. 1789.

GO. WASHINGTON.