

We are called to minister to each other in the Community of

December 31, 2017

# Holy Rosary Parish

South Beach  
Staten Island, New York 10305



Church at  
120 Jerome Avenue

## WELCOME

### CELEBRATION OF THE EUCHARIST

**SATURDAY VIGIL MASS:** 5:00 pm (*Church*)

**SUNDAY MASSES:** 7:30 am, 8:30 am, 10:00 am,  
and 12:00 Noon (*Church*)

**MONDAY thru FRIDAY MASSES:** 7:30 am, 8:30 am (*Chapel*)

**SATURDAY MASS:** 8:30 am (*Chapel*)

### HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION MASSES:

*To be Announced beforehand*

**ANOINTING MASS:** 8:30 am *Saturday mornings,*  
*4 times per year; dates will be announced. (Main Church)*

### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month at 1:30 pm or at Sunday Mass.

### RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

For those who wish to become Catholics. Adult Catechesis for baptized Catholics who have not received Communion or Confirmation.

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)

**SATURDAY,** Chapel: 4:00 to 4:45 pm

At other times upon request.

### SACRAMENT OF MARRIAGE

Arrangements at least six months in advance.

### MINISTRY TO THE SICK AND THE HOMEBOUND

Contact us for the Sacraments and visits.

### SAINT JOHN XXIII PRAYER GARDEN

Next door to the Rectory. Open from sunrise to sunset.

### RECTORY BLESSED SACRAMENT CHAPEL

Open during Rectory Office Hours

### RECTORY OFFICE

80 Jerome Avenue  
718-727-3360  
448-6819 (*emergency*)  
Fax: 718 876-6183

### SCHOOL

100 Jerome Avenue  
718-447-1195  
[www.holyrosaryschools.org](http://www.holyrosaryschools.org)

### SCHOOL OF RELIGION

100 Jerome Avenue (*2nd Floor*)  
Sunday Mornings (1st thru 8th grades)  
718-273-6695

### FOOD PANTRY

80 Jerome Avenue  
Mon.-Fri. 9:30 am - 2:30 pm  
Registration Needed

### SPORTS PROGRAM HOTLINE

347-861-4340

### EPIFANIO PARISH CENTER

85 Jerome Ave.

### SERVED BY

Reverend Michael Martine, *Pastor*  
Reverend Bernal Stainwall, *Parochial Vicar*  
Reverend Jose Marie B. Legaspi, *Parochial Vicar*  
Reverend Patrick Anthony, *SIUH Chaplain, In Residence*  
Deacon Rosario Tirella  
Mrs. Ann Major, *School Principal*  
Jennifer Rizzuto, *Coordinator of Religious Education*  
Richard Meditz, *Director of Music*  
Sister Ann Marie Damiani, CSJB, *Ministry to the Sick & Homebound*

### TRUSTEES

Edward Piszko and Michael Miranda

### MINISTRIES

Adult Choir  
Altar Servers  
Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion  
Lectors  
Ministers of Hospitality, Ushers

### ACTIVITIES

Arrochar Friendship Club  
Bereavement Group  
Bingo, Friday  
Book Club  
Bridges of Hope  
Columbiettes, Madonna Council #5915  
Cursillo Prayer Group  
Italian Community Outreach Program  
Knights of Columbus, Madonna Council #5915  
Legion of Mary  
Rosary Altar Society  
Saint Pio of Pietrelcina Prayer Group  
Small Christian Communities  
Sports Program  
Theater Group

### COMMITTEES

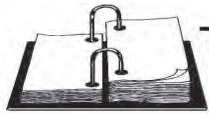
Finance Council  
Guadalupe  
Home School Association  
Liturgy  
Parish Council

### RECTORY OFFICE HOURS

Monday thru Saturday: 9:00 am to 8:00 pm  
Sunday: 9:00 am to 1:00 pm

PARISH WEBSITE: [www.hrosarychurch.com](http://www.hrosarychurch.com)

HOLY ROSARY PARISH, STATEN ISLAND



The  
Week  
Ahead

SUNDAY, December 31, 2017

CCD Classes Resume on January 7, 2018

10:00 am to 1:00 pm - Spanish Cursillo, Parish Center 2 & 3

No Evening Mass

MONDAY, January 1, 2018 - Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God

8:30 am & 11:am Masses only

Rectory Office Closed

World Day of Prayer for Peace

TUESDAY, January 2, 2018

7:00 pm - Choir, Church

WEDNESDAY, January 3, 2018

7:00 pm - Knights of Columbus Business Meeting, Parish Ctr.

THURSDAY, January 4, 2018

Please call Anna for Bereavement Support Group information regarding meetings and where the meetings are being held (718) 981-6679.

4:30 - 5:30 pm - HRTG, Jr. Grades K, 1, 2, Theatre Room School

8:00 pm - Cursillo, Parish Center Room 4

7:30 pm - Columbiettes, Parish Center Rooms 2 & 3

FRIDAY, January 5, 2018

5:00 pm - Doors Open for Bingo, Cafeteria

7:00 pm - Spanish Rosary, Daily Mass Chapel

SATURDAY, January 6, 2018

10:00 - 12:30 pm - NAMI, Atrium

4:00 - 4:45 pm - Confessions, Daily Mass Chapel

SUNDAY, January 7, 2018

CCD Classes Resume today: Children attend the 8:30 am or the 10:00 am Mass, followed by their Class

9:00 am - American Legion of Richmond County

Oratorical Contest, All Rooms of the Parish Center

1:30 pm - Baptism Instructions, Church



2018

90th Anniversary Dinner

Sunday, March 11, 2018

5 pm through 10 pm

Staaten Restaurant, Forest Avenue

\$75 per person

Cocktail Hour, Open Bar

Choice of Three Entrees

DJ & Dancing

50/50 & Basket Raffles

Please call the Rectory for Reservations

(718) 727-3360



**Our Food Pantry is always in need of powdered milk in small packets.**

We regularly request small jars of peanut butter & jelly, tuna fish, canned vegetables, 12 oz. canned hams, 15 oz. cans of pork and beans, hearty soups in cans, rice, boxes of

instant mashed potatoes, canned potatoes, macaroni & cheese, pasta & pasta sauces in jars & dry cereal. Please leave them in the Hospitality Room in Church or drop them off at the Rectory during Office Hours.

**We ask that you please check the expiration dates on items before donating them to the Food Pantry.**



OUR ADVENT TREE

Thank you to everyone who took a candy cane tag from the Advent tree in the Narthex and brought a gift and thank you to Ariel for coordinating this very special project in our Parish.

We also want to thank everyone who took the special angel ornaments that were for specific people in the Bridges of Hope program and we especially want to thank Grace Murphy and her very dedicated group for coordinating this special project.

OUR CHRISTMAS FLOWER DONORS



Your thoughtfulness makes our Church interior look so lovely. We have printed the names of your loved ones on a Scroll, which you can see on the easel board in the Narthex.

THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH



**NEW YEAR'S DAY MASSES**

**Monday, January 1, 2018**

**8:30 am & 11:00 am**

**(No afternoon or evening Masses)**

**DON'T FORGET TO GET YOUR  
SUPER 50/50 RAFFLE FOR THE  
MONTH OF JANUARY!**

**The Winner will Be Drawn  
the Last Day of the Month & the  
winning amount will be printed in the Bulletin  
A Reminder that the Donation is \$5.00**

You will find an envelope for this Raffle in the packet mailed home to you. If you want to enter more than once, additional envelopes are available in the Hospitality Room. Drop the envelope in the *Collection Basket* or *Bring to the Rectory*. You may fill out as many envelopes as you like. The winning amount for November was \$350.00.



*Thank you to Mr. Steve Cognata from Azzara Funeral Home for providing our parish calendars this year as he does every year as well as for his generosity to us throughout the year. It is greatly appreciated.*

**THANK YOU**

On behalf of the entire Parish Staff, I would like to thank the many parishioners who sent us cards, gifts and warm greetings during the Christmas season. Please know that your kindness and generosity are deeply appreciated.

*Thank you to Mr. Rocco Paccione of Martin Hughes Funeral Home for his generous donation to help defray the cost of the reception after our annual Bereavement Mass as well as for his generosity to us throughout the year. It, likewise, is greatly appreciated.*

Now that the holidays are over but before Christmas 2017 becomes a distant memory, a sincere word of thanks to all those who helped make Holy Rosary's celebrations so memorable.

*Thank you to the Madonna Council 5915 Knights of Columbus and the Richmond County American Legion for their generous donations to our Parish for Christmas. Their thoughtfulness is deeply appreciated.*

To the Liturgy Committee, Music Ministers, Eucharistic Ministers, Choir, Lectors, Ushers/Greeters, Hospitality, Altar Servers, those who cleaned and decorated our place of worship, many thanks for a job well done.

*Father Michael*

**MADONNA COUNCIL 5915  
COLUMBIETTES**



Wish to thank everyone who supported their recent *Breakfast with Santa* as well as their *sale of wreaths and grave blankets*. We thank all the workers and parishioners for making these functions a success.

**AND IN ALL THINGS  
GIVE THANKS**

December 17, 2017 Adult Collection	\$ 8,151.00
December 17, 2017 Children's Collection	\$ 302.00
December 18, 2016 Adult Collection	\$ 5,892.44
December 18, 2016 Adult Collection	\$ 445.00

*Our Weekly Parish Operating Expenses are \$18,298.00*



*Mass Intentions for the Week*

- SATURDAY** December 30 - Vigil, The Holy Family  
5:00 pm Victor Sciarappa +
- SUNDAY** December 31 - The Holy Family  
7:30 am Madeline Crisafulli +  
8:30 am Sophie & Vincent Sammarco +  
10:00 am Diana Amendolia +  
12:00 Noon Deceased Members of the Amundsen & Capriotti Families, Francesco Ferranti & Cusumano Family, Eileen, Edward & Virginia Allen, Lucille Meyers, Marie LaRocca, Martin Leagra & Tony Mobilia, Maureen Zumbo & Anne Deseire, Carl Cerisano, Christina Krute & Joan Gugliucci +
- MONDAY** January 1 - Solemnity of Mary Mother of God  
8:30 am Larry D'Albero & Frank Esposito +  
11:00 am Carol Rando & Francesca Esposito +
- TUESDAY** January 2 - St. Basil & St. Gregory  
7:30 am Andrea Ariano +  
8:30 am Rose Marie Grasso +
- WEDNESDAY** January 3 - Most Holy Name of Jesus  
7:30 am Katherine M. Ducat +  
8:30 am Maria De Petro +
- THURSDAY** January 4 - St. Elizabeth Ann Seton  
7:30 am Ramon "Chito" Banzon +  
8:30 am Andrew J. Ganzas +
- FRIDAY** January 5 - St. John Newmann  
7:30 am *For the People of Holy Rosary*  
8:30 am Marion D. Murphy +
- SATURDAY** January 6 - St. André Bessette  
8:30 am Jeff Amato +
- SATURDAY** January 6 - Vigil, The Epiphany of the Lord  
5:00 pm Rose Guidice + *10th Anniversary*
- SUNDAY** January 7 - The Epiphany of the Lord  
7:30 am Marion Caracappa +  
8:30 am Franco Fasano +  
10:00 am Suzanne Amendola +  
12:00 Noon Ralph & Josephine Brasco +

*In Loving Memory*

*Recently buried from our Parish were  
Antonino A. Fasano, Margaret Cirami &  
Walter Mompalao  
Please pray for the repose of the soul of  
Eugene McKenna*

**OUR SICK PRAYER LIST**

If you wish to have the name of someone who is sick listed in the bulletin, please call the Rectory (718) 727-3360. The names will remain on the list for three months unless a family member informs us that they wish it removed or continued to be listed in the bulletin. Thank you for your cooperation.

*Father Michael*

*Please Pray For*

Alicen Mc Keon, Theresa Steward, Tyree C. Moseley, Peter Li Puma, Joseph Malloy, Billy Van Velson, Stevie Batalitzky, Loretta Pecoraro, Rena Ianiello, Fran Mandato, David Solomon, Margo Muscatel, Paula Karine, Anthony Palumbo, Jill Morris, Carol Albunio, Jacqueline Epstein, Bebe Khan, Carol Taylor, Lynn Graffagnino, Cherie Gisondi, Anna Delany, Bob Mawhinney, Rosemary Sammarco, Father Steve, Bill Mac Intyre, Alexandra Iallonardo, Peter Iallonardo, Peter Stazzone, Rocco Lanzer, Barbara Daniszewski, Dawn Pournaras, Carla Olmez, John Ferraro, Mary Finazzo, Patty Walters, Barbara & Frank Petruso, Agnes Burney, Peter Amoussou, Thomas Santoro, Michael Riganti, Deborah Hannon, Ruth Riganti & her family circle, Vincent Di Bitetto, Joanne Pellegrino, Doris Gillis, John Picone, Joe Tsang, Carmela Nuzzi, Pasquale "Pat" Capasso, Joseph Amendolia, Mary Di Carlo, Dolores Valero, Noelle Terranova, Charles Terminato, Anthony Colombo, Janet & Jack Beraud.



**Mass Readings for January 7th**  
**Isaiah 60:1-6**  
**Ephesians 3:2-3a, 5-6**  
**Matthew 2:1-12**

