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Happy Father's Day



The parable of the Mustard seed

Mark 4:30-32

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
Rosary Society 1 st Sunday after 11:00 a.m. Mass	Our Lady of Miraculous Medal Novena after 9:00 a.m. Mass	Charismatic Group la Paix <i>Rectory basement at</i> 7:00 p.m.	Our Mother of Perpetual Help Novena after 9:00 a.m. Mass	Mary's Apostolate Prayers for Reconciliation 8:00 a.m.	Legion of Mary <i>Rectory basement</i> at 10:00 a.m.	St. Vincent de Paul sandwich making <i>Rectory basement</i> at 9:00 a.m.
Mary's Apostolate 3 rd Sunday after 11:00 a.m. Mass	In His Light Charismatic Prayer Group <i>Rectory basement at</i> 7:00 p.m.	Group la Paix Charismatic Mass 4 th Tuesday at 7:00 p.m.	Jeanne Mance Guild <i>Rectory basement</i> after 9:00 a.m. Mass	St. Vincent de Paul 1 st Monday <i>Rectory</i> at 7:30 p.m.	Girl Scouts <i>Lower Church</i> 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.	Divine Mercy Chaplet <i>Chapel</i> after 9:00 a.m. Mass

ELEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY JUNE 16TH 2024

MASS INTENTIONS:

Saturday, June 15th 5:00 p.m.
Blessing for all Fathers, Grandfathers, Great Grandfathers, Fathers-in-law, Step-fathers, Foster-fathers, Adoptive Fathers, Expectant Fathers, God-Fathers

Sunday, June 16th 8:00 a.m.
Blessing for all Fathers, Grandfathers, Great Grandfathers, Fathers-in-law, Step-fathers, Foster-fathers, Adoptive Fathers, Expectant Fathers, God-Fathers

11:00 a.m.
Blessing for all Fathers, grandfathers, Great Grandfathers, Fathers-in-law, Step-fathers, Foster-fathers, Adoptive Fathers, Expectant Fathers, God-Fathers

Monday, June 17th 9:00 a.m.
Dayana Eugene - In thanksgiving

Tuesday June 18th 9:00 a.m.
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena
Agnes Mark - In memoriam
Requested by Carol Mark

Wednesday, June 19th 9:00 a.m.
Memorial of Saint Romuald, Abbot
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena
Sister Mary Stiefvater - Birthday Blessing
Requested by Dayana Eugene

Thursday, June 20th 9:00 a.m.
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena
Adam Goodman - Birthday blessing
Requested by Rose-Marie Elysée

Friday, June 21st 9:00 a.m.
Memorial of Saint Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena
Novena for Vocations
Cynthia Addison-Bernadine - Birthday Blessing
Requested by Margaret and Jaes Bambara

Saturday, June 22nd 9:00 a.m.
Memorial of Saint Paulinus of Nola, Bishop,
Memorials of Saints John Fisher, Bishop and Thomas
More, Martyrs
Our Lady of Perpetual Help Novena
Marina Thomas - Healing and thanksgiving

Mass Intentions

We encourage you to honor and/or memorialize a loved one, living or deceased, with a Mass, a gift of bread and wine, sanctuary candle, altar candle, chapel candle or altar flowers. **Requests must be submitted on or before the Friday, two weeks before the desired date.** Place your request together with **your name** and **phone number** in a sealed envelope in the offering basket.
Please make a donation with each request.

GIFTS AND INTENTIONS:

Bread and Wine:
Bishop Robert J. Brennan - Blessing

Altar Flowers:
Bishop Emeritus Nicholas A. DiMarzio - Blessing

Sanctuary Candle:
Guy Pierre-Louis - In memoriam
Requested by Claudia Hooper

Altar Candle:
Milburn Leonidas - Birthday blessing
Requested by Yvette Lubin

Altar Candle:
Kayla Leveille - Birthday blessing
Requested by Gloria James

Altar Candle:
Colin Retemeyer - In memoriam
Requested by Bernice Retemeyer and family

Altar Candle:
For all caregivers - blessinb

Baptism: Every second Saturday of the month at 11:00 a.m. The child's original birth certificate must be presented at registration.

Marriage: Couples planning to be married should speak to the priest at least 6 months before the desired date. For complete information about marriage preparation in the Diocese, visit: www.pre-cana.org.

Reconciliation: Saturdays at 4:30 p.m. or by appointment.

Sick Calls: In case of an emergency - any time.

God's love for us

and our love for God aren't seasonal. We teach our children the importance of consistency in things that are important (e.g. brushing one's teeth).

Praying in church is a necessary action for us, Catholics.

The **Mass** is the greatest prayer.

Bring your children to Mass on Sundays.

We need to thank God.

We need blessings, forgiveness, inspiration and God's peace, even when school is out.

Celebrating a Century of Faith and Service 1923 - 2023

Read the Gospel of the day,

Take some time to reflect in silence on one or more of the following questions:

- What word or words in this passage caught your attention?
- What in this passage comforted you?
- What in this passage challenged you?

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time:

Ez 17:22-24; Ps 92:2-3, 13-16; 2 Cor 5:6-10; Mk 4:26-34.

The kingdom of God is like a mustard seed, which springs up and becomes the largest of plants (3), like a tender shoot from the cedar which will bear fruit and become a majestic cedar (1). So shall the just one flourish, like a cedar (Ps). As we walk by faith and not by sight (2), may our lives bear fruit in abundance.

Monday:

1 Kgs 21:1-16; Ps 5:2-3b, 4b-7; T 5:38-42.

The Lord delights not in the wickedness (Ps) of Jezebel and Ahab (1). We are to offer no resistance to those who hate us (2).

Tuesday:

1 Kgs 21:17-29; Ps 51:3-6, 11, 16; Mt 5:43-48.

Ahab acknowledges (Ps) and repents of his sin (1). Jesus challenges us to love our enemies (2).

Wednesday:

2 Kgs 2:1, 6-14; Ps 31:20-21, 24; Mt 6:1-6, 16, 18. Elisha succeeds Elijah(1) who is taken up into God's presence (Ps). True religion is marked by prayer, fasting and love (2).

Thursday:

Sir 48:1-14; Ps 97:1-7; Mt 6:7-15.

Let us rejoice (Ps) in two great prophets, Elijah and Elisha (1). Jesus teaches us to call God *Abba*, "Father" (2).

Friday:

2 Kgs 11:1-4, 9-18, 20; Ps 132:11-14, 17-18; Mt 6: 19-23.

Athaliah is overthrown by Jehoiada who renews the covenant with the Lord (1, Ps). Our true treasure is incorruptible (2).

Saturday:

2 Chr 24: 17-25; Ps 89:4-5, 29-34; Mt 6:24-34.

Jesus Reminds us that no one can serve two masters (2). The princes of Judah decide to follow not the Lord, the God of their ancestors, but pagan idols (1). Nevertheless, the Lord remains faithful (Ps).

Scripture Reflection

Read Sunday's Gospel: Mark 4:26-34

What conversion of mind, heart, and life is the Lord asking of me?

Through it all the seed would sprout and grow, he knows not how. What places or experiences make me ponder God's majesty and power? How can I increase my sense of wonder and awe in God's presence?

Of its own accord the land yields fruit. What fruits can I bring to harvest in my life? How can these fruits serve God's kingdom?

To his own disciples he explained everything in private. Who have been my best teachers in the faith? Where do I turn for answers to my questions about my faith?

After a period of silent reflection recite the Lord's Prayer.

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"We, the people of this continent, are not fearful of foreigners, because most of us were once foreigners. I say this to you as the son of immigrants, knowing that so many of you are also descended from immigrants."

Pope Francis on his visit to the United States

Second Collection

Father's Day Collection

This weekend we take up the collection for Father's Day. Please return the ***Father's Day Collection*** envelope with the name(s) of the person(s) to be honored and/or memorialized at Mass.

The Pontifical Mission Societies

This weekend's second collection is the **Pontifical Mission Societies Collection**. Funds from this collection are for the support of corporal works of mercy which include education, supporting vulnerable children, work in hospitals and teaching catechism in the Archdiocese of Port au Prince. Please be generous.

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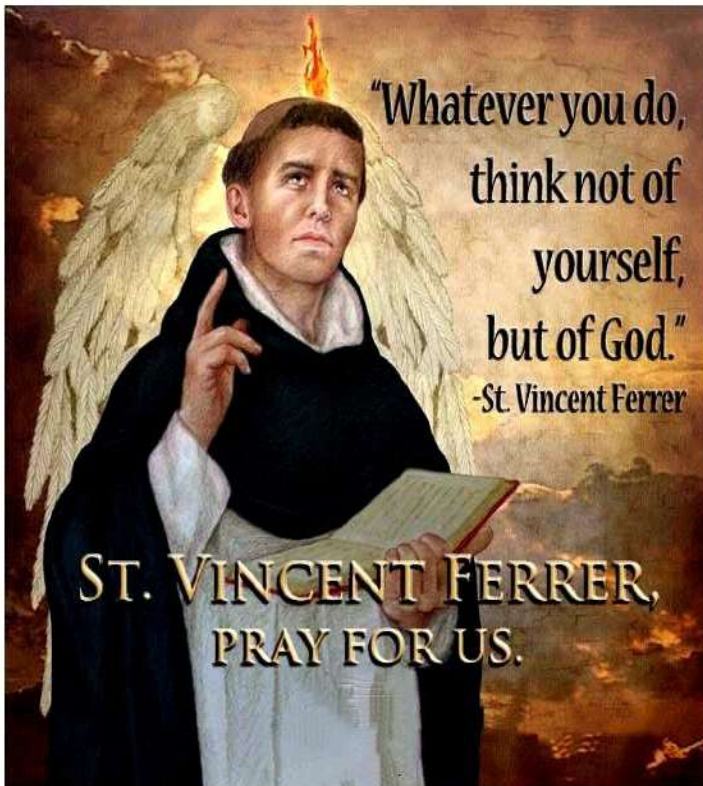
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Evenings & Weekends: By appointment

MASS SCHEDULE

Monday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m.
Saturday: 5:00 p.m. - Vigil Mass
Sunday: 8:00 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.
HOLY DAYS: 9:00 a.m.

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The Grace of Gratitude

I remember the day vividly. My husband meandered down the beach, taking pictures while I remained on the shore reveling in the sensations of sun and sea. I had visited the same spot on previous trips to Southern California but, at that moment, I was aware that I might never return there again. There is a last time for everything, I thought. Then a seal zipped across a breaking wave . . . Enjoy it this time!

“It is good to give thanks to the Lord,” the psalmist writes. There may be no greater way to cultivate a rich spiritual life than the practice of gratitude. It keeps us from becoming jaded, entitled, or cynical. Like the farmer in today’s parable, we wake in wonder at kernels growing into sheltering trees. We find grace in scattered efforts that sow seeds of peace, kindness, and compassion. Gratitude creates a space within us in which to receive and celebrate life as a gift to be savored here and now. After all, this time, this experience, this moment will not come again. A last time for everything makes each moment an opportunity for surprise—a necessary ingredient for deep gratefulness. A flower sprouting through a crack in the cement, the laughter of a child, the wonder of a sneeze. The possibilities for surprise are endless. By remaining receptive, we greet the dawn with expectancy and rest at night in the knowledge of God’s kindness, which knows no bounds.

Kathy Hendricks ©Give Us This Day

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Ministry of Mercy

Invites you to

Our Lady of Perpetual Help

Healing Mass



7:00 p.m.

Wednesday June 26, 2024

and

Adoration and Mass Precious Blood of Jesus Christ



Adoration - 6:00pm ~ Mass -7:00pm
Thursday, July 18, 2024

Diocese of Brooklyn Wedding Anniversary Mass

The Annual Diocesan Wedding Anniversary
celebration will take place

11:30 a.m.

Saturday, September 28, 2024

St. Thomas Aquinas Church

1550 Hendrickson St, Brooklyn, NY 11234.

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Pope Francis' June Intentions

For migrants fleeing their homes

We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

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First Communion

The preparation is a 2-year program usually starting in the First Grade

Faith Formation

Religious Education continues in the 3rd grade through the 6th grade.

Confirmation

The preparation is a 2-year program, typically in the 7th and 8th grades.

The 2 years of preparation are MANDATORY.

Mass attendance is a very important part of the Faith Formation program especially for those in the Sacramental programs. Please make every effort to join us in our celebrations.

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In his Light Charismatic Prayer Group

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June 29 & 30, 2024

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Ministry of Mercy

Pilgrimage to the

National Shrine of Our Lady of Czestochowa

Doylestown, PA 18901

Saturday July 27, 2024

Buses depart Saint Vincent Ferrer Church at 7:30 a.m.

Continental Breakfast Served

Lunch not provided

Donation: \$70.00 - Due by July 10th

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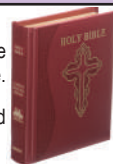
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