



Weekly Mass Intentions

Saturday July 2

8:00am- † Isabel Maria Quiñones

5:00pm- † Catherine & Dominick Dianora

Sunday July 3

8:30am- † Iannucci & Sann Families

10:00am- † Ann & Charles Urwin

11:30am- † Parish Community Intentions

1:30pm- † Parish Community Intentions

6:00pm- † Parish Community Intentions

Monday July 4

8:00am- † Fr. D. Michael Flynn, S.J.

12:05pm- † NO MASS

Tuesday July 5

8:00am- † John F. Obermayer

12:05pm-~Special Intentions of Gabrielle Neihardt

Wednesday July 6

8:00am- †

12:05pm- † Margaret & John Latanzio

Thursday July 7

8:00am- † Joe Fortunato

12:05pm-~Special Intentions of Gabrielle Neihardt

Friday July 8

8:00am- †

12:05pm- † Catherine Fele

Saturday July 9

8:00am- † Aldorah Williams ~3rd Anniv. in Heaven~

5:00pm- † Charles & Susan May

Sunday July 10

8:30am- † Alexander A. Zuntag

10:00am- † Mrs. Helen Valentine

11:30am- † Parish Community Intentions

1:30pm- † Parish Community Intentions

6:00pm- † Parish Community Intentions



Mass Intentions

Offered by: daughter, Marta

Offered by: Yolanda Maluta

By: Pat, Sue, Maria & Dominic

Offered by: Dorothy Lucero

Offered by: Annette Esposito

Offered by: Our Parish Community

Offered by: Family

Offered by:

Offered by: Peg & Tom Ventrudo

Offered by: Joan Fortunato

Offered by: Family

Offered by:

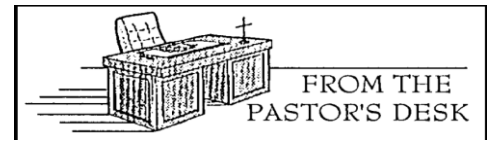
By: daughters, Fran & Susan

By: children & grandchildren

Offered by: Barbara Miscione

By: son, Alexander E. Zuntag

Offered by: son, Thomas Valentine



"May I never boast except in the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, through which the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world." What significance does this powerful declaration of St. Paul have for us who are also Christians, disciples of Christ?

In baptism, we entered into the risen life of Jesus Christ. The life of Christ is present within us through the power of God's Spirit. The issue for each of us is whether we cultivate that life within us, that is, do we foster the growth of that life in us so that we experience a rich intimacy in Christ? The way in which we grow in our intimacy in Christ is to put to death, with his grace, all that is contrary to our relationship with Christ. We seek to conform our lives to his values and not to the values of this world. Each of us has to look at our individual lives and see the areas in which we need to die in order to grow in our intimacy with Christ, to grow in our fidelity to Christ and to his values. Is it a tendency to sexual sin, especially the use of pornography which is easily available today? Is it a measure of selfishness and a lack of concern for the needs of others? Is it a lack of attention to your prayer? Is it a preoccupation with our material comfort? To what do you need to die in order to grow in your intimacy in Christ?

To grow in our intimacy in Christ, we must put to death within ourselves the values of this world and embrace the values of Jesus Christ. Do we honor and protect the dignity of all human life from conception to natural death? Do we offer a welcome to immigrants and refugees recognizing their contribution to our society and their need for economic opportunity and security for their families? Do we support those programs that help low-income workers with affordable housing, subsidies for child care, nutrition support programs, and health care? In this way, our lives reflect the values of Jesus Christ who honored the dignity of all persons and who embraced foreigners, the poor, and all those whom his society neglected.

What must die within us if we are to live in Christ now and forever?

Fr. Mark Hallinan, S.J.

Weekly Memorials

Bread & Wine

Tabernacle Candle

Memorial Candle

Memorial Candle



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~ † **Ann & Charles Urwin**

Offered by: **Dorothy Lucero**

~ † **Catherine & Dominick Dianora**

Offered by: **Yolanda Maluta**

Liturgical Minster's Schedule JULY 2016

Saturday 5:00 p.m.

Lector: Linda Graves & Tom Ventrudo (carry Gospel Book)

E. M.: Linford Smith, Nancy Velez & Peg Ventrudo

Sunday 8:30 a.m.

Lector: Joan Knoghton & Delmeter Carey (carry Gospel Book) Sub: Ceferino Albarracin

E.M.: Diane Carbonaro, Delmeter Carey & Cinderella Wonszewitz Sub: Linda Torres

Sunday 10:00 a.m.

Lector: Victoria Garay (carry Gospel Book) Sub: Alexis Crowdell

E.M.: Valerie Cappucci, Thelma Washington & Dianne Murphy Sub: Crescencia Pascua

SCRIPTURE READINGS

These readings are found complete on our parish web page (www.olmcsi.org). Click on "USCCB Daily Readings."

TODAY: 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Isaiah 66:10-14
Galatians 6:14-18
Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

Next Sun: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deuteronomy 30:10-14
Colossians 1:15-20
Luke 10:25-37



\$5,000 RAFFLE- The grand prize was won by those holding the share tickets numbered 189. Each of these ticket holders will receive \$1,000. The \$500 second prize was won by a person who bought a \$50 ticket (6). The third prize of \$250 was won by those holding the share tickets numbered 178. Each of them will receive \$50.00 Thank you for your participation in this raffle. We'll have the total of what we raised in next week's bulletin.

PARISH FESTIVAL: Sunday, July 31st, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. at our grammar school. Food, music, dancing, games and prizes. Please come with your family! We need volunteers to help with the set-up, to work during the event and to help with the closing of the event. Please leave your information in the parish office. *Thank you!*

PASTOR'S ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING: - Monday, August 1st, at 5pm in the Father Flynn Room - 1st Floor.

GIRL'S BASKETBALL TEAM - 4th and 5th GRADES - If you have a young girl who will be entering 4th or 5th grade next year and she wants to participate in a basketball program in our school gym on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m., please contact Coach Vincent for more information at 718-490-6235.

DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE - BENEFITS FOR INSURANCE and DMV POINTS - July 23, 2016, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m., we will be hosting a 6 hour NYS Department of Motor Vehicle approved defensive driving course that will get you a 10% reduction of your liability and collision insurance rates for 3 consecutive years plus a reduction of 4 moving points from your driver's license. The course includes several movies and breaks. You need to pre-register and pre-pay for the course. The course is being offered for \$40.00. Please visit the office to register.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FAITHFULNESS to the CARDINAL'S APPEAL!! - We have reached our goal in actual funds received. Our goal was \$25,500 and the Campaign has received \$25,900. Thank you!! But the Campaign is not over!! Our parish pledged \$35,000 to the Campaign. The fulfillment of your pledge is crucial! The Archdiocese gives back a significant percentage of funds received beyond our goal. It is vital for us and the Archdiocese that you fulfill the pledges that you have made. Thank you for your extraordinarily generous support of the Cardinal's Campaign!

UPDATE on THE STATUS of OUR PARISH - On August 1, 2015, St. Mary of the Assumption and Our Lady of Mount Carmel + St. Benedicta became one parish according to the law of the Church. On September 1, 2016, they will become one parish under civil law. We have asked the Archdiocese for a new name for our parish so that we can truly be a new parish that honors the past but labors now in the present to build a strong and vibrant community of faith. You should be aware that the Archdiocese incorporated our new parish in civil law as the Church of Our Lady of Mount Carmel and St. Mary of the Assumption. This will be our new legal name as of September 1, 2016 unless we are given a completely new name. It was the decision of the Archdiocese to omit St. Benedicta. It was a surprise to me when I received the documents of incorporation. I am grateful for your cooperation in the consolidation of our two parishes. The administrative work of integrating the two parishes never seems to end and we are still working through issues of space. But what is most important is that we are one community in Christ - united in our diversity. *Thank you!* Fr. Mark Hallinan, S.J. Pastor

POPE FRANCIS on THE WORLD WE ARE TO HELP CREATE - A just economy must create the conditions for everyone to be able to enjoy a childhood without want, to develop their talents when young, to work with full rights during their active years and to enjoy a dignified retirement as they grow older. It is an economy where human beings, in harmony with nature, structure the entire system of production and distribution in such a way that the abilities and needs of each individual find suitable expression in social life. [We] sum up this desire in a simple and beautiful expression: "to live well"... Working for a just distribution of the fruits of the earth and human labor is not mere philanthropy. It is a moral obligation. For Christians, the responsibility is even greater: it is a commandment. Pope Francis - Address in Bolivia - July 9, 2015

WEEKLY OFFERING: June 26: \$4,229 *Thank you for your support of our parish!*

Stewardship Reflection - *"He said to them, 'The harvest is abundant, but the laborers are few...'" LUKE 10:2*

As Catholics we are all called to serve in ministry. However, many of us are unsure how to use our talents and gifts to build God's Church. Talk to God and ask Him what He wants you to do. The next time one of your fellow parishioners asks you to help or join a committee; it may be the answer to your prayer.