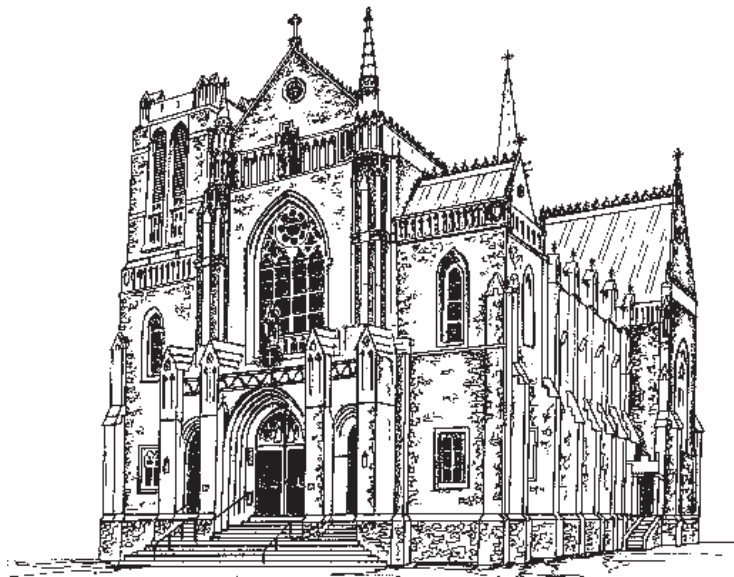


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Monday - Friday: 9 AM to 1 PM & 2 PM to 8 PM
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WE WORSHIP

Weekdays: Monday - Saturday 8:45 AM
Mass in Chapel 101-25 104 St.

Weekend: Saturday 5:00 PM
Sunday 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM and 11:00 AM
12:30 PM in Spanish

Bi-Weekly 1st & 3rd Wednesday 7:00 PM Prayer
and Benediction in Church

Reconciliation (In Church)

Saturday: 12:30 - 1:30 PM or by appointment with a priest

Misas:

Lunes a Sabado 8:45 AM - en la capilla (Inglés)
101-25 104 St.

Fin de Semana:

Sábado: 5:00 PM
Domingo: 8:00 AM, 9:30 AM y 11:00 AM
12:30 PM en español

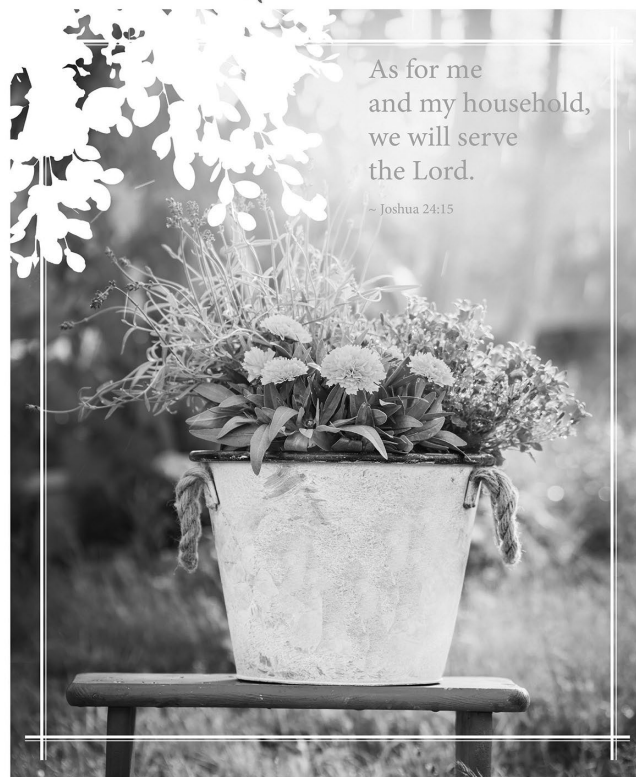
Los Viernes Primeros en Iglesia 6:00 PM - Bendición y
Confesión 7:00 PM Rosario y Misa - español

Reconciliación (Iglesia)

Sábados de las 12:30 PM hasta las 1:30 PM.

AUGUST 23, 2015

TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



As for me
and my household,
we will serve
the Lord.

~ Joshua 24:15

Mass Intentions for the Week

SATURDAY, AUGUST 22, 2015

5:00 PM Santa Marotta

SUNDAY, AUGUST 23, 2015

8:00 AM Laura Cerretani

9:30 AM Margaret & Anthony Califano

11:00 AM Anna & Toby Meo

12:30 PM Andrew & Bertha Mueller, Jaime Gutierrez, Almas del Purgatorio, Franklyn Delgado

MONDAY, AUGUST 24, 2015

8:45 AM Santa Marotta

TUESDAY, AUGUST 25, 2015

8:45 AM

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2015

8:45 AM

THURSDAY, AUGUST 27, 2015

8:45 AM

FRIDAY, AUGUST 28, 2015

8:45 AM Catherine LoGiudice

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 2015

8:45 AM Joseph & Margaret Sagevich

5:00 PM Gloria Barros, Andrew & Bertha Mueller, Helen Deri, Sandra Maher, Ilva Marzetti

SUNDAY, AUGUST 30, 2015

8:00 AM Emilio Cerretani

9:30 AM Lazer Kcira

11:00 AM Frank & Christopher Sagona

12:30 PM Jaime Gutierrez

Please Pray For / Favor Orar Por
The Sick / Los Enfermos

Isabel Ryan, Sid Bolisay, James Winwood, James Fava, Anna Pancotti, Barbara Kaiser, Veronica and Hugh Johnston, Jose Cabreja, Victoria Godkin, Sarah, Baby Anthony Mauceri Sibilla, Edward Saar, Joan Crane, Marilou Salvatierra, Fr. Fred Scragg, S.M.M., Cheryl Ferrara, Carol & Gary Carosella, Rosa Acencio, Jeffrey Arbelaes, Francis Delgado, José Pineda, Velma Rivera, Naomi McGee, Lawrence Reade, Donna Kelly, Ralph Seda, Joyce Kaminsky, Rosemary Menechella, Lola Valero de Vargas, Peter Jacobs, Timothy Liello, Anthony Pangiarella, Deborah DeSena, Clare Maran, Rosemarie Ferrara, Dakotah Maken, Angelo Natti, Maureen Faubion, Paula Laguna, Ryan Smith, Stanley Butkus, Mary Jane Bellich, Thomas Fochetta, Nicky Lucas



The Faithful Departed / Los Fieles Difuntos

Teresa Arellano

This Week's Remembrance



The Bread and Wine

In Memory of

Santa Marotta

Donated by her Husband, Rudy

Congratulations to the following couple who will be married at our Church next weekend:

Felicidades a las siguientes parejas que se casarán en nuestra parroquia el próximo fin de semana:

Roberto Romero and Gisselle Torres
Friday, August 28, 2015 at 3:00 PM



An invitation is extended to all parishioners to participate in an upcoming retreat being offered here in October under the title: Christ Renews His Parish.

Open to all parishioners of college age or over, the retreat will be provided on two weekends in October with men scheduled for October 3 & 4, and for women October 17 & 18. The retreat will be offered each weekend simultaneously in English and Spanish.

There is no charge for this retreat, meals are included and participants return home on Saturday evening. It will incorporate shared and personal prayer, scripture sharing, witness presentations, faith building discussions and activities, shared meals, time for confession, adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, and a closing bilingual Mass.

For those of us who have already experienced the fruits of this retreat, we are excited by the prospect of sharing it with you. So come and join us.

If you are interested, there are brochures on the radiators of the church.



Lectors Wanted

If you have ever considered lecturing, now is the time to pursue it.

There will be a Lector Training Course some time between late

August and early September.

You must be a practicing Catholic, at least 16 years old and have received the sacrament of confirmation.

If you are interested, please call the rectory at 718 847-5957 and leave your contact information. Someone will be in touch with you.

Anuncio de la Parroquia para los retiros a ll-evarse a cabo los días; 3 & 4 de octubre para los hombres y los días 17 & 18 para mujeres.

En el mes de Octubre La Parroquia Santa Ma-ria Del Cielo estara nuevamente ofreciendo los retiros Cristianos, dirigidos por miembros de la parroquia que participaron en el retiro anterior, escucharemos sus experiencias y testimonios de lo vivido personalmente por ellos.

No hay ningún cargo para el retiro, las comidas están incluidas y los participantes regresan a casa el sábado por la noche.

Mas informacion estara disponible en la rectoría de la Iglesia.

GUARDANDO NUESTROS COMPROMISOS

En la obra musical El violinista en el tejado, el esposo, Tevye, cuyo matrimonio había sido planificado por otros muchos años atrás, quiere saber si su esposa de veras lo ama. ¿Fue su matrimonio solamente un arreglo, un contrato? Después de tantos años, ¿llegó su mujer a quererlo? ¿Lo quiere todavía?

Necesitamos saber si nuestros compromisos son duraderos. Necesitamos que nos lo recuerden y reafirmen. En la primera lectura, Josué, el sucesor de Moisés, necesitaba saber si el pueblo iba a mantenerse fiel a su alianza con el Señor. Josué iba a llevarlos a una nueva vida –una vida estable. ¿Serían fieles?

Jesús, habiéndose identificado como la fuente de vida de sus discípulos, necesitaba saber. ¿Ustedes van a irse también o van a quedarse? Pocas veces vemos a Jesús tan vulnerable. Pedro y los apóstoles escogieron quedarse. ¿Qué vamos a hacer nosotros? Copyright © J. S. Paluch Co.

Summer Office Hours for S.M.G.H. School:

The School's Office will be open for school business on the following days from 9:00AM to 12:00 Noon.

August 24th -26th

Tuition and tuition contracts can be mailed to the school 104-06 101 Avenue, Ozone Park, NY 11416 or dropped off at the rectory.

Links to supply lists and summer assignments are posted on www.smgh.org.



The Food Pantry will be open Thursday, August 27th. Volunteers will be at the doors of Church next weekend to take a collection.

**SMGH Athletic Association
2015-2016**

**Fall Basketball Registration
Intramural & CYO**

**Boys and Girls 4 Years - Grade 12
August 29 and 30 - 10 am - 2 pm
August 28 - 7 pm - 9 pm**

Place: SMGH Gym 105 St. Entrance

This September, the School Sisters of Notre Dame Educational Center will offer classes to prepare students to take the high school equivalency diploma test (formerly called GED).

Classes are for women 19 years old and older and are held Monday through Friday, 8:45-1:30.

The Educational Center is located at 87-04 88th Avenue, Woodhaven, 718-738-0588. To register, come to the Educational Center on Wednesday September 9, Thursday September 10, or Friday September 11, between 9:00-2:00.

Classes will begin on September 16. Visit us at <http://www.ssnecwomens.com>.

The Women of Hope are planning a

PARISH DANCE

on Saturday September 19th.

Tickets are on sale

after Masses this weekend.

Plan an evening of music (D.J.),

food, raffles and lots of fun.

Tickets are \$25.00 per person.

(Beer & Wine for Sale,

Soda and Water Included in Price)

Also raffle tickets are being sold this weekend.

Tickets are \$10 for a chance to win \$1,000.00

Call Terri at 718 441-0434 for additional information.

The Blessed Mother Sodality is running a day trip on October 22, 2015 to Platzl Brauhaus in Pomono, New York for their Oktoberfest. If you are interested, please call Ida at 718 441-6022 for additional information and price.

El Horario de Verano de la Escuela SMGH

La Oficina de la escuela estará abierta de las 9:00 am hasta las 12:00 md los siguientes días:

24 al 26 de agosto

Se le puede mandar el contrato y la mensualidad por correo a la Escuela a la siguiente dirección: 104-06 101 Ave., Ozone Park, NY 11416 o se los puede dejar en la rectoría.

Vínculos para acceder a las Listas y tareas de Verano se encuentran en el sitio: www.smgh.org



Registration for First Grade children and children new to the Religious Education Program for September will take place in the Religious Education Office (104th Street entrance to School) on:

Monday, August 31 through Thursday, Sept. 3rd
9:00 AM- 12:00 Noon

Wednesday, September 9th thru Friday, September 11th
9:00 AM - 2:00 PM

Wednesday, September 9
7:00 PM - 8:30 PM

Please bring a copy of your child's Baptismal Certificate.

Registration Fees: 1 child \$ 60
2 children \$ 85
3 or more children \$100

The classes will be held every Tuesday from 3:30 PM to 4:30 PM for Grades 1 to 5. The classes will be held every Wednesday from 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM for Grades 6 to 8. For more information, please call 718-849-9329.

High School students who need sacraments may also register at this time.

St. Sylvester Knights of Columbus is sponsoring a Blood Drive on September 12, 2015 from 8:30 AM - 2:30 PM 101-18 101 Avenue Ozone Park

For additional information, call Joe at 718 691-7608

Save A Life - Give Blood

Registracion Para Clase de Catecismo

Registracion para niños del Primer Grado y niños nuevo en el Programa de Educacion Religiosa para septiembre tendra lugar en la Oficina de la Educacion Religiosa (Calle 104 entrada de la escuela):

Table with 2 columns: Day/Date and Time. Rows include: Lunes, Agosto 31 (9:00 AM - 12:00 PM), Martes, Septiembre 1 (9:00 AM - 12:00 PM), Miercoles, Septiembre 2 (9:00 AM - 12:00 PM), Jueves, Septiembre 3 (9:00 AM - 12:00 PM), Miercoles, Septiembre 9 (9:00 AM - 2:00 PM), Miercoles, Septiembre 9 (7:00 PM - 8:30 PM), Jueves, Septiembre 10 (9:00 AM - 2:00 PM), Viernes, Septiembre 11 (9:00 AM - 2:00 PM)

Favor de traer una copia del Certificado de Bautismo de su niño(a).

Table with 3 columns: Registracion, Number of children, and Price. Rows include: 1 niño \$ 60, 2 niños \$ 85, 3 o mas niños \$100

Las clases seran cada Martes de 3:30 pm a 4:30 pm para los Grados del 1 al 5. Las clases seran cada Miercoles de 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm para los Grados del 6 al 8.

Se les invita a los jóvenes de secundaria que hagan falta los sacramentos de bautismo, primera comunión o de confirmation a inscribirse en la oficina de Educación Religiosa.

Información: 718 849-9329

St. Mary Gate of Heaven Alumni Association Register now at:

www.SMGHALumni.com

Find us on Facebook at:

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