

Week of December 13th - 20th

Sunday, December 13th -

Third Sunday of Advent

Bar 5:1-9/Phil1:4-6,8-11/Lk 3:1-6
4:00 Vigil Decd Norbert William Sander
5:00 Vigil Decd Patricia Maskara
8:00 Decd Ronald Sacco
9:45 Decd Lucia Rampa & Family
11:30 Sp Int For Our Parish Family

Monday, December 14th -

Nm 24:2-7,15-17a/Mt 21:23-27 **St. John of the Cross**
6:45 Decd Roland Lataille
8:30 Decd John Donahue

Tuesday, December 15th -

Zep 3:1-2,9-13/Mt 21:28-32
6:45 Decd Robert & Anna Smith & family
8:30 Decd Irene M. Nero

Wednesday, December 16th -

Is 45:6b-18,21b-25/Lk 7:18b-23
6:45 Holy Souls
8:30 Decd Patrick Conroy
7:30 pm Decd Angela Saraceni

Thursday, December 17th -

Gn 49:2,8-10/Mt 1:1-17
6:45 Sp Int Ita Yager
8:30 Sp Int Gehrig Spence

Friday, December 18th -

Jer 23:5-8/Mt 1:18-25
6:45 Decd Maria Aspras
8:30 Decd Lucia Persichilli Tejani

Saturday, December 19th -

Jgs 13:2-7,24-25a/Lk 1:5-25
8:30 Decd Peggy Manning

Sunday, December 20th -

Fourth Sunday of Advent

Mi 5:1-4a/Heb 10:5-10/Lk 1:39-45
4:00 Vigil Sp Int For Our Parish Family
5:00 Vigil Decd Geraldine Nappi
8:00 Decd Amelia Rubeo
9:45 Decd Edward Jones
11:30 Decd James Barnett, Sr.



Memorials
Week of December 13th
Bread & Wine
Decd Lucia Rampa & Family

Sanctuary Lamp
Decd Lucia Rampa & Family

Chapel Sanctuary Lamp
Sp Int Gina Guida

Stewardship

December 6, 2015

\$10,064.50
Last year
\$8,922.00

Debt Reduction
\$2,363.95

Thank you
for your continued support of our
parish and its many needs.
May God bless you
for your generosity to
Sacred Heart

The Week Ahead

Sunday, December 13
Holy Name Mass & Breakfast
8:00 am
Children's Liturgy of the Word
9:45 am
Religious Ed 10:45 am

Wednesday, December 16
O.L.P.H. Novena 7:00 pm

Thursday, December 17
Grade School Pageant 7:00pm

Saturday, December 19
Lectio Divina 9:15 am

Sunday, December 20
Children's Liturgy of the Word
9:45 am
Religious Ed 10:45 am

We Remember

Please pray for
the repose of the soul of:
Ellen Boyle
Maurice Terry, Jr.

Special Intentions
and
All Parish Family members
listed in our
Prayer Intention books

The Parish Office
will be
Closing Early
at 3:00 pm
on Friday, December 19th

Advent
is a time of preparation!

Reconciliation
Monday

Monday, December 14, 2015
4:00 pm to 8:00 pm
Church

First Reconciliation

59 of our young students celebrated their First Reconciliation on Saturday, December 5th. A tradition we have followed for the last few years is that the children return their "sheep" to be watched over by the Good Shepherd. As we prepare this Advent, may we all join the children in being watched over by the Good Shepherd.



Reconciliation Schedule

Reconciliation Monday
December 14
4:00—8:00 pm

Wednesdays, Dec 16 & 23
6:30— 7:00pm

Saturday, December 19
3:30-4:30 pm



Contribution Envelopes are available in the back of church this weekend. They will be returned to the Parish Offices on Monday, December 14. Parents of Religious Education and Grade School students will receive them through the children. If there is an issue with your envelopes, please call the Offices at 963-4205.

Christmas Schedule 2015

The Nativity of the Lord

Christmas Eve Masses
5:00 pm with
Children's Choir
Adults' Choir
Sacred Heart Orchestra

10:00 pm
Cantor and Organ

Christmas Day Masses
8:00 am
Cantor and Organ
9:45 am
Cantor and Organ
11:30 am
Cantor and Organ

Advent Wreath Prayer:
Week Three

When the household is gathered, the leader prays:

God of all joy,
Help us seek you as the joy of our souls.
May your Presence preserve us whole and entire,
That we may be found in joyful praise at your coming.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.



As the third (rose) candle is lighted, all pray
O King of all nations, Jesus Christ, only joy of every heart,
come and show us the way to salvation.

WINTER CONCERT

The Male Glee Club of Yonkers invites everyone to their Winter Concert on Sunday, December 20th, at Grinton Will Library at 3:00 PM. The concert features a collection of Winter Holiday music and solos from the Glee Club. Admission is free.



Christmas Cards

We have a limited selection of Christmas Cards
available through the Parish Office.
Package of 16 cards \$3.00

CHRISTMAS NOVENA CARD

An attractive Christmas Novena Card is available in the Sacristy and the Parish Office this week. This is an excellent way for us to remember our relatives and friends, living and deceased in a special novena of Masses beginning on Christmas Day. The stipend envelope can be placed either in the collection basket or brought to the Parish Office.

SACRED HEART FOOD PANTRY

The Food Pantry needs for this week are
Tuna, Canned Chicken, Corned Beef, Pasta, Cereal
On your next shopping trip, please pick up a can or two and drop off
in the vestibule of the church on your way to Mass, or to the parish office.

NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

December 31, beginning at 8:00 PM in the Church Hall:
There will be music, dancing, a buffet dinner, coffee and
dessert. Cost is \$60 for adults, \$30for children 6 – 12 years. For more
information call: Helena Confeiteiro (914) 965-6028; Mário Correia (914)
378-0226; Firmino Nunes (914) 375-1951; Agostinho Silva (914) 751-8965.



A Defensive Driving Course will be held on Saturday, January 9th
in the Church Hall from 8:30 a.m. - 2:45 p.m.
The National Safety Council Course can
save 10% off insurance immediately and point reduction
on your license. All net proceeds go to benefit the Boy Scouts. Fee is
\$45 per person. 40 spots available, first come first served.
Please contact Mrs. Ssive Sola at [914-588-5429](tel:914-588-5429) cell.